



Notice of Hearing

October 22, 2014

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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a hearing in late October to consider an application from Atomic Energy of Canada Limited (AECL) for the transfer of five licences to Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL) Limited. The Commission will also consider AECL's request on behalf of CNL for the issuance of two exemptions that have been previously granted to AECL.

The Government of Canada is restructuring AECL, which requires the reorganization of its workforce into CNL, before the transition to a government-owned, contractor-operated company. CNL was incorporated as a wholly-owned subsidiary of AECL on May 30, 2014.

The Commission has determined that a public hearing is not necessary to consider this request from AECL, since the requested changes are administrative in nature, and do not raise matters related to health, safety or environmental protection that would warrant a public hearing. The hearing will be conducted by way of written submissions from CNSC staff and AECL.

Following closed-session deliberations and the Commission's decision on this matter, a *Record of Proceedings, Including Reasons for Decision* will be published on the CNSC website and made available to the public.

The hearing submissions can be requested through the Secretariat at the address below:

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