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From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca

Sent: July 13, 2017 2:17 PM

Subject: Presentation by CNSC Senior General Counsel Lisa Thiele at the 2017 World Nuclear University Summer Institute

On July 13, 2017, Lisa Thiele, CNSC Senior General Counsel, gave a presentation at the 2017 World Nuclear University Summer Institute in Uppsala, Sweden. The presentation, titled “Introduction to Nuclear Law” covered the essential components and principles of national and international nuclear law, addressed the role of regulatory bodies and provided an overview of the CNSC’s regulatory approach.

View the presentation:

<http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/resources/presentations/2017.cfm#seniormanagement>

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Sent: June 27, 2017 3:07 PM

Subject: Update on Ontario Power Generation’s Deep Geologic Repository

The Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency (CEAA) has reviewed the additional information received from Ontario Power Generation (OPG) on May 26, 2017. The Agency is satisfied that the response adequately addresses the request issued on April 5, 2017, and is now preparing a draft report on the additional information and updating the potential environmental assessment conditions that will be required if the project proceeds. A public comment period on the draft report and potential conditions will be announced at a later date.

For more information: <http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/resources/status-of-new-nuclear-projects/deep-geologic-repository/index.cfm>

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Sent: June 23, 2017 2:24 PM

Subject: NWMO to focus field studies on fewer communities

The Nuclear Waste Management Organization (NWMO) has announced that the municipality of Central Huron and the township of White River will no longer be considered in the selection process for a deep geological repository for Canada’s used nuclear fuel. The seven remaining Ontario communities still considered as a potential host for the project are: Huron-Kinloss, South Bruce, Hornepayne, Manitouwadge, Ignace, Blind River, and Elliot Lake.

Read more about NWMO’s announcement:

<https://www.nwmo.ca/en/More-information/News-and-Activities/2017/06/01/10/19/News-Release-NWMO-to-Focus-Field-Studies-on-Fewer-Communities>

Read about the CNSC's role in the NWMO's Adaptive Phased Management approach:

<http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/waste/high-level-waste/cnsc-role-in-nwmo-apm-project/index.cfm>

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca

Sent: June 21, 2017 2:12 PM

Subject: Update on the Pickering Waste Management Facility public hearing

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) held a public hearing on April 13, 2017 to consider an application from Ontario Power Generation Inc. (OPG) to renew its waste facility operating licence for the Pickering Waste Management Facility (PWMF), located on the site of the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station in Pickering, ON. This application included a request to approve the construction of new facilities on the site.

During the hearing, OPG informed the Commission that it was finalizing an updated environmental risk assessment (ERA) on the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (NGS). The Commission requested that the updated ERA and the 2014 ERA related to the PWMF be made available to the Commission and the public, and be entered into the record of this hearing.

The Commission invites the intervenors who made submissions for the April 13, 2017 hearing to file supplementary written submissions in relation to the 2014 and 2017 ERAs.

For the full details, read the notice:

<http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/the-commission/pdf/NoticeContinuationOPG-PWMF-Rev2-e.pdf>

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca

Sent: June 15, 2017 2:28 PM

Subject: CNSC renews NB Power's operating licence for the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) announced today its decision to renew New Brunswick Power Corporation's (NB Power) nuclear power reactor operating licence for the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station, located on the Lepreau Peninsula in New Brunswick. This decision was made following a two-part public hearing held on January 26, 2017 in Ottawa, ON, and from May 9 to 11, 2017 in Saint John, NB. The licence will be valid from July 1, 2017 until June 30, 2022.

In making its decision, the Commission considered submissions from NB Power and 94 intervenors, as well as recommendations from CNSC staff.

Read the news release:

https://canada-prod.adobecqms.net/en/nuclear-safety-commission/news/2017/06/cnsc_renews_new_brunswickpowercorporationsnuclearpowerreactorope.html

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca
Sent: June 14, 2017 3:27 PM
Subject: Nuclear Substances Newsletter: Spring 2017

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission's Directorate of Nuclear Substance Regulation (DNSR) has issued the Spring 2017 DNSR newsletter.

Addressing various regulation and compliance issues, this newsletter is part of our commitment to keeping our licensees and the public informed about DNSR activities.

Latest issue

Spring 2017 (PDF):

http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/pubs_catalogue/uploads/DNSR-Newsletter-Spring-2017-eng.pdf

Highlights:

- Annual Compliance Reports
- Event Reporting
- Controlling extremity exposure in nuclear medicine
- Sealed source security requirements

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca
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Subject: Presentation by Jason Cameron to the Canadian Nuclear Society's Annual Conference

On June 5, 2017, Jason Cameron, CNSC Vice-President and Chief Communications Officer, delivered a presentation on behalf of Ramzi Jammal at the 37th Annual Conference of the Canadian Nuclear Society in Niagara Falls, Ontario. The presentation, titled "The Canadian Approach to Effective Safety and Security Interfacing", discusses the importance placed on safety and security interfaces in Canada while recognizing the societal benefits arising from the safe and secure use of sealed sources. Mr. Cameron also highlights Canadian good practices that were identified by the International Atomic Energy Agency during a recent International Physical Protection Advisory Service mission.

Read the presentation:

<http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/resources/presentations/2017.cfm#seniormanagement>

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca
Sent: May 30, 2017 2:27 PM
Subject: CNSC renews the Western Waste Management Facility operating licence

Following a public hearing held on April 12, 2017 in Ottawa, Ontario, the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) announced today its decision to renew Ontario Power Generation's waste facility operating licence for the Western Waste Management Facility (WWMF), located in the Municipality of Kincardine, Ontario. The licence will be valid from June 1, 2017 until May 31, 2027.

Read the news release: https://www.canada.ca/en/nuclear-safety-commission/news/2017/05/canadian_nuclearsafetycommissionrenewsthewesternwastemanagementf.html

From: CNSC.Information.CCSN@canada.ca

Sent: May 30, 2017 1:29 PM

Subject: Presentation by CNSC Senior General Counsel Lisa Thiele at the Council of Canadian Administrative Tribunals' Symposium

On May 30, 2017, Lisa Thiele, CNSC Senior General Counsel, took part in a panel discussion at the Council of Canadian Administrative Tribunals' Annual Symposium in Vancouver, BC. The subject of the roundtable discussion was "Promoting Tribunal Neutrality in an Integrated Regulatory Model" and panellists addressed the importance of demonstrating neutrality in regulatory adjudicative processes.

Read the presentation: <http://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/resources/presentations/2017.cfm#20170530>