

DURHAM NUCLEAR HEALTH COMMITTEE (DNHC)

Friday, January 17, 2020

Durham Regional Headquarters, 605 Rossland Road East, Whitby

12:00 pm Lunch in Meeting Room 1B

1:00 pm Meeting in the Regional Council Chambers

REVISED AGENDA

1.0 ADOPTION OF AGENDA (Robert Kyle)

2.0 ADOPTION OF MINUTES of November 22, 2019 (Robert Kyle)

3.0 CORRESPONDENCE (Brian Devitt)

- 3.1 Minutes of the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (NGS) Community Advisory Council meeting held on October 15, 2019.
- 3.2 Announcement from the Nuclear Waste Management Organization (NWMO) that its site selection process has narrowed the focus to two potential host communities for NWMO's deep geological repository project for the long-term management of Canada's used nuclear fuel dated November 26, 2019.
- 3.3 Bulletin from the Port Hope Area Initiative concerning the remediation progress being made at the Port Granby Project dated December 12, 2019.
- 3.4 CNSC response to Dr. Robert Kyle from Dr. Alex Viktorov, Director, Pickering Nuclear Regulatory Division, concerning several technical nuclear emergency preparedness issues mentioned in a letter from Dr. Sunil Nijhawan that was directed to Dr. Robert Kyle, Chair of the DNHC, dated November 19, 2019. Dr. Viktorov provided Dr. Kyle with a very detailed Commission Member Document (CMD) that summarized many questions raised by Dr. Nijhawan over the past few years and the CMD included detailed responses by several experts in the nuclear industry, as well as outlining the CNSC staff position to his questions. The conclusion was that the CNSC will continue to respond directly with Dr. Nijhawan related to his technical questions rather than through the DNHC. Dr. Viktorov's response to Dr. Robert Kyle was dated December 17, 2019.
- 3.5 Announcement from Shawn-Patrick Stensil that he has accepted a new role and position as Program Director at Greenpeace Canada dated December 18, 2019.

4.0 PRESENTATIONS

- 4.1 Progress report by Office of the Fire Marshal and Emergency Management (OFMEM) concerning Compliance with its Provincial Nuclear Emergency Response Plan (PNERP) (James Kilgour)
- 4.2 Progress report by Durham Emergency Management (DEM) concerning its Nuclear Emergency Preparedness Highlights in 2019 and Significant Plans for 2020 (James Kilgour & Kathleen Rose)
- 4.3 Progress report by Ontario Power Generation (OPG) concerning its Nuclear Emergency Preparedness Highlights in 2019 and Significant Plans for 2020 (Stan Whatmough)

- 4.4 Progress report by the Durham Region Health Department (DRHD) concerning the Distribution of Potassium Iodide (KI) Tablets in Durham Region (Sendi Struna & Pamela Khan)

5.0 COMMUNICATIONS

- 5.1 Community Issues at Pickering Nuclear (Cheryl Johnston)
- 5.2 Community Issues at Darlington Nuclear (Cheryl Johnston)

6.0 OTHER BUSINESS

- 6.1 Topics Inventory Update (Robert Kyle)
- 6.2 Future Topics for the DNHC to Consider (Robert Kyle)

7.0 NEXT MEETING

April 24, 2020, Durham Regional Headquarters
605 Rossland Road East, Whitby
12:00 pm Lunch in Meeting Room 1A
1:00 pm Meeting in Council Chambers

8.0 ADJOURNMENT