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Undertaking

TO CONFIRM WHETHER OPG NEEDS THE LICENCE TO MAINTAIN AN OPTION TO BUILD NEW NUCLEAR, AND FOR WHAT PERIOD OF TIME.

Response

As per the 2013 Long Term Energy Plan, OPG maintains the necessary site preparation license granted by the CNSC to enable future construction of new reactors at Darlington. There is no specific time period or limit attached to this direction (Ex. L-F2-08-Staff-247).

As noted in Ex. F2-8-1 p. 4, on June 30, 2020, OPG submitted an application to the CNSC to renew the site preparation licence for a ten year period. To the extent the term of the licence approaches expiration in the future, OPG would seek a further extension as needed.