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Dear Ms. Levert:

Re: CNSC Hearing Regarding AECL's NRU Restart - June 28, 2110

Please include this letter as a written submission for the Public Hearing scheduled for June 28, 2010 Hearing.

The Canadian Nuclear Workers Council (CNWC) was founded in 1993 as an umbrella organization of workers who are represented by unions that represent workers in the Canadian Nuclear Industry. The CNWC is also a member of the International Nuclear Workers Union Network (INWUN).

The majority of the Unions at AECLøs Chalk River Site are members of the CNWC.

The CNWC is always concerned with worker safety. It is our belief that good safety programs in the workplace not only protect the workers but also protect the public and the environment. Some work place hazards that can affect workers can also affect the environment and the public. This is why it is very important to eliminate and control hazards in the workplace.

The CNWC wishes to be listed as an intervener at the above hearing. Our oral presentation will provide the commission with the following:

- The views of the workers during the NRU repair process.
- The views of the workers in regards to the safe restart of the NRU.
- Other information that relates to the restart.

Thank you, for further information contact David Shier at <u>dshier@pwu.ca</u> or at 416 725 5776.

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