Have your say

Public consultation on CNSC’s Regulatory Framework

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Objectives

• Outline CNSC consultation process
• Identify opportunities for consultation
• Encourage stakeholders to submit comments

Have your say!
What is the CNSC Regulatory Framework?

• Nuclear Safety and Control Act
• 13 Regulations
• Licences and Certificates
• Regulatory Documents
Why does the CNSC consult?

- CNSC is committed to an open and transparent regulatory process
- Requirements have to be risk-informed, practical and capable of implementation; guidance must be clear
- Stakeholders have information the CNSC needs
  - Impact of new requirements, financial and otherwise
  - Can suggest other approaches to meeting objectives

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Analysis - early consultation opportunities

Issue → Analysis → Tool selection

Discussion paper

Outreach activities

Regulation

Regulatory document

CSA Group standard

Do nothing

Your comments can change the CNSC’s path forward on a regulatory issue

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### 1. Develop Regulatory Proposal

**Regulatory Impact Analysis**
- Review of regulations every 5 years
- Staff develop recommendations to further enhance safety

**Early Consultation**
- Information session/workshops
- Presentations at industry meetings/conferences/working groups
- Discussion paper
  - What We Heard Report

### 2. Develop Regulatory Package

**Draft Regulatory Package**
- Includes: Regulations, Regulatory Impact Analysis Statement, Communications Plan

**Brief Commission**
- In-camera session

**Obtain Regulatory Approvals**
- CNSC President, Minister of NRCan, Treasury Board, Governor in Council

**Consultation on Draft Regulations**
- Canada Gazette, Part I
- Minimum 30-day consultation period

### 3. Make the Regulations

**Revise Regulatory Package**
- All stakeholders’ feedback is considered
- Regulatory Impact Analysis Statement updated

**Make the Regulations**
- Commission (in-camera session)

**Obtain Final Regulatory Approvals**
- Minister of NRCan, Treasury Board, Governor in Council

**Publish Regulations**
- Canada Gazette, Part II
- Regulations come into force
Required for regulations

- Comprises several steps
  - Conduct outreach activities
  - Post discussion paper for comments
  - Post comments received
  - Post What We Heard Report
Regulations – public consultation

2. Develop Regulatory Package

- CNSC posts consultation notice with links to Canada Gazette Part I
- Regulatory Impact Analysis Statement
  - Background and rationale for changes
  - Description of proposed regulations in plain language
  - Summary of early consultation
- Draft regulations
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  - Regulations come into force

- Regulations revised as applicable
- Regulatory impact analysis statement updated
  - Summary of Canada Gazette Part I consultation
- Commission makes the regulations
- Final regulatory approvals
- Publication in Canada Gazette Part II
  - Coming into force (law), transition period

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Regulatory documents – opportunities to consult

- Early consultation with stakeholders (same as regulations)
- Public Consultation
- Distribute final draft
  - Present at Meeting

CNSC welcomes feedback on any regulatory document at any time

5-year review cycle
Regulatory documents - public consultation

• Draft document developed and posted on CNSC website for public consultation
  • Request for information on impact of requirements, financial or otherwise
• Comments received are posted for feedback
• Additional information sessions or workshops as appropriate
• Document is revised to reflect comments received, where appropriate
• All comments are considered and dispositioned
Regulatory documents – commission process

• Final draft document and comment table distributed to those who provided comments during public consultation

• Presentation at Commission meeting for approval to publish
Current consultations

• Public Consultation
  – REGDOC-2.5.5, Design of Radiography Installations
    • Closes June 16, 2017, Feedback on comments received July 2017
• Opportunities to provide feedback on comments received:
  – REGDOC-1.4.1, Licence Application Guide: Class II Nuclear Facilities and Prescribed Equipment, June 2017
  – REGDOC-1.5.1, Licence Application Guide: Certification of Radiation Devices or Class II Prescribed Equipment, June 2017
Upcoming consultations (1)

• Summer 2017
  – REGDOC-2.1.1, Management System
  – REGDOC-2.4.3, Nuclear Criticality Safety
  – REGDOC-2.5.4, Design of Uranium Mines and Mills: Ventilation Systems
  – REGDOC-2.7.3, Radiation Protection Guidelines for Safe Handling of Decedents
  – DIS-17-01, Post Accident Recovery

• Fall 2017
  – REGDOC-2.7.1, Radiation Protection
  – REGDOC-2.7.2, Dosimetry, Part I (ascertaining dose) and Part II (dosimetry services)
Upcoming consultations (2)

- **Radiation Protection Regulations**
  - *Canada Gazette Part I - early 2018*

- **Nuclear Non-proliferation Import and Export Control Regulations**
  - *Canada Gazette Part I - Spring 2018*

- **General Nuclear Safety and Control Regulations** (Safeguards amendments)
  - *Canada Gazette Part I - Spring 2018*

- **Nuclear Security Regulations**
  - Early consultation is ongoing

Watch the CNSC website for details!
• CNSC values the input and views of all stakeholders
• Important part of the development of the CNSC’s regulatory framework
• All comments received are considered & dispositioned

Take advantage of consultation opportunities to make your voice heard by the Commission

Have your say!
For more information on consultations

Visit our Web site
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CNSC welcomes feedback at any time
Thank You!

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