

**ONTARIO  
SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE**

THE HONOURABLE )  
MR. JUSTICE M. JAMES )  
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THURSDAY, THE 31ST DAY  
OF MARCH, 2022

**RE: TOWN OF LAURENTIAN HILLS**

**ORDER**

**Applicant**

**THIS APPLICATION** made by the Applicant, Town of Laurentian Hills, without notice pursuant to section 7(2) of the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.M. 50, was heard by me on Friday, March 25, 2022, at the Court House, 297 Pembroke Street East, Pembroke, Ontario seeking the Court’s permission to participate in the evaluation and licencing process of the Canadian Nuclear Laboratories Ltd. Laboratoires Nucleaires Canadiens Ltee. (hereinafter “CNL”) Near Surface Disposal Facility (hereinafter “NSDF”).

**UPON READING** the application materials of the Applicant, filed, and upon hearing submissions of counsel, for the Applicant:

**1. THIS COURT ORDERS THAT:**

- a) All members of Municipal Council of the Town of Laurentian Hills may give consideration to, discuss and vote on matters pertaining to the

NSDF proposal of CNL in the same manner as though none of the Councillors had any pecuniary interest therein as follows:

- i) Receive a delegation from CNL to receive an update on the Near Surface Disposal Facility project which is intended to be built adjacent to Laurentian Hills;
  - ii) Consider applying for intervenor status in the public hearing before the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Ref. 2022-H-07;
  - iii) Participate in and make submissions in the public hearing before the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Ref. 2022-H-07;
  - iv) Participate in and make submissions on the Impact Assessment process for the NSDF project;
  - v) Participate in, make submissions and receive updates from CNL with respect to its application to amend its Chalk River Laboratories site licence to authorize the construction of the NSDF;
- b) That despite the conflict with respect to CNL and the NSDF, the restrictions applicable in the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*, s.5, do not apply to Mayor John (Jed) Reinwald and municipal Councillors, Anne Giardini, Bruce Boucher, Brenda Blimkie, and John Hoyle for the purpose of maintaining Quorum when the issues listed in paragraph 1, above, are considered.

2. **THIS COURT FURTHER ORDERS THAT** a copy of this Order shall be posted at the municipal office and a copy of the Order will be made available on the Town's web site.

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**- Applicant**

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