

**Record of Proceedings, including
Reasons for Decision**

In the matter of

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada

Application for a Pool-Type Irradiator Operating Licence

**July 2000
Ottawa, Ontario**

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Applicant: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada
Address/Location: Ste-Hyacinthe, Québec
Purpose: Pool-Type Irradiator Operating Licence (PEI2-21.00/2004)
Application received: June 6, 2000
Date(s) of hearing: Day 1: April 26, 2000 Day 2: June 29, 2000

Day 1:

Date: April 26, 2000
Location: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 280 Slater St., 14th Fl., Ottawa, Ontario
Members present: Dr. A.J. Bishop, Chair
Dr. C.R. Barnes
Dr. A.J. Carty
Dr. Y.M. Giroux
Mr. A.R. Graham
Counsel: A. Nowack
Secretary: G.C. Jack
Recording Secretary: B. Gerestein

Applicant Represented By	Document Number
None	None
CNSC Staff	Document Number
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A. Aly• M. James	BMD 00-84

Day 2:

Date: June 29, 2000

Location: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 280 Slater St., 14th Fl., Ottawa, Ontario

Members present: Dr. A.J. Bishop, Chair
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None	None
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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A. Aly• J. Plante	CMD 00-H13
Intervenors	Document Number
None	None

Decision and Reasons:

Licence/Amendment: Issued: X Not Issued:

Date of Decision: June 29, 2000

Sent to applicant on: July 11, 2000

Sent to participants on: July 11, 2000

Reasons Issued: Yes: X No:

Licence attached: Yes: No: X

DECISION

AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD CANADA CLASS II OPERATING LICENCE

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission, pursuant to section 24 of the *Nuclear Safety and Control Act*, issues Operating Licence PEI2-21.00/2004 for a pool-type irradiator, to the Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Saint-Hyacinthe, Québec. The licence allows the applicant to conduct research and is valid from September 1, 2000 to August 31, 2004 unless suspended, amended, revoked or replaced.

In reaching this decision the Commission considered the information and submissions of Commission staff and the participants as set out in the material available for reference on the record file as well as the submissions provided or made by the participants at the hearing. The Commission found the facts to be as set out in CMD 00-H13 and agreed with the submissions, statements of law, conclusions and recommendations set out in that document. As a result of that information, the Commission was of the opinion that the applicant satisfies the requirements of section 24 of the *Nuclear Safety and Control Act*.

George C. Jack
Secretary,
Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission

Date of decision: June 29, 2000

Date of release of Reasons for Decision: July 11, 2000