

Milestones for the Redevelopment of Cameco Corporation's Port Hope Conversion Facility (Vision 2010)

Licensing Progress Details (timelines and steps are best estimates, subject to change, and assume a similar process as has been established for other comprehensive studies).

Key Project Milestones ¹ :	Responsibility and Status		Date	Comment
	CNSC and other Federal Authorities	Applicant		
Cameco Corporation submits a project description to the CNSC		Completed by Cameco Corporation	June 22, 2006	
Project Description Circulation	Federal coordination was conducted by the CNSC with a project description (letter sent to CEAA, AECL, NRCAN, TC, EC, DFO, HC, and INAC)		June 2006	Fall 2006
Notice of Environmental Assessment posted	Completed by CNSC and CEAA		October 19, 2006 Amended March 4, 2008 and Jan 6, 2009 (current)	CEAR # 06-03-22672
Public comment period on draft Scoping Document	CNSC and CEAA release draft Scoping document for public review		Draft Guidelines posted on CEAR for comment March 5-April 11, 2008	CNSC and Agency participated in Cameco Public open House March 19, 2008 Program
Announcement of participant funding	The participant funding announced in conjunction with the		March 5, 2008	

¹ Anticipated timing does not take into consideration time required for the proponent to submit required information.

	consultation period for the EA Guidelines. A participant funding decision announcement to follow the Track Decision.			
Consult First Nations on the Draft Scoping Document	CNSC		March 5, 2008	Five FNs contacted and invited to comment on scope. The participant funding announced in conjunction with the public review period for the EA Guidelines.
Final Scoping Document agreed and published	CNSC		Proposed EA guidelines (including scope) posted on August 28, 2008	Followed the completion of the consultation period.
Track report prepared	CNSC		August 1, 2008	
CNSC Public Hearing on Scope and Track of Environmental Assessment	CNSC		Notice of hearing posted Sept 29 Hearing held November 6 2008 . CNSC announced its decision on EA track report on December 18, 2008	
Track Report to the Minister	CNSC submitted to the Minister of the Environment.		December 23, 2008	
Minister's Track Decision	Minister's Decision		March 24, 2009 (track decision announcement)	
Announcement of Participant Funding Program	CEAA		March 27, 2009	

Facility Tour	CEAA and CNSC coordination	Cameco	September 25, 2009	
Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) prepared (technical studies) submitted		Cameco	Anticipated first quarter 2010	
Review of EIS			Allow 8 weeks	FRT to review the draft EIS – ensure guidelines have been met and confirm technical accuracy/acceptability. Agency to coordinate comments.
Public comment period on EIS			Projected June	Open house to discuss public comments on EIS (anticipated in Port Hope)
Draft Comprehensive Study Report (CSR) and federal review	CNSC and FA		Allow 8 weeks	
Translation of the Final proposed CSR			Allow 6 weeks	Approximately 2 months will be required for translation into French and verification (Timelines may depend on length of CSR).
CNSC to engage First Nations on proposed CSR	CNSC to implement First Nation engagement during the review period.		Allow 4-6 weeks, in conjunction with public consultation period	
Public meeting in Port Hope on CSR	CNSC to hold public meeting on draft CSR		Date to be determined	
Submission of CSR to the Minister of Environment	CNSC to formally submit the report to the Minister of the Environment and cc Agency's President		Date to be determined	

Public Comment period on CSR	Agency commence Public Comments		Allow minimum of 30 days.	Following submission to the Minister, the report will be made available for a minimum 30 day public and First Nations consultation period.
Address Public Comments Received on the CSR	CEAA		Allow 2-4 weeks to address public comments	Comments to be addressed prior to the Minister making a decision. A minimum of 2 weeks should be scheduled for addressing any comments received (timing will depend on the extent of comments).
Minister's EA Decision	The Minister will make an EA decision and refer the project back to CNSC for a course of action under section 37 of the Act.		Date to be determined	
Licensing Decision Public Hearing	CNSC under Section 37 of the Act holds a public hearing on the licence application		Date to be determined	

Note: CNSC licensing processes will continue in parallel with the EA process, however CNSC licensing decisions cannot precede the EA decision.