

Millennium Mine Project Public Comments Invited on the Project and Conduct of the Comprehensive Study

A series of amendments to the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act* came into force effective July 12, 2010. The amendments require that the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) provide the public with the opportunity to comment on the Millennium Mine Project and the conduct of the comprehensive study.

Cameco Corporation is proposing to develop an underground uranium mine located in the southeastern part of the Athabasca Basin in northern Saskatchewan, approximately 600 km north of Saskatoon. The proposed Millennium mine would produce 150,000 to 200,000 tonnes of ore annually for six to seven years. Ore and associated waste materials would be transported to a licensed mill along a new 21 km access road that would connect to the existing road network.

The public recently had an opportunity to comment on the Project Specific Guidelines Scoping Document. That public review period ended June 22, 2010. There is no need to resubmit comments.

Comments received by the CNSC by **July 29, 2010** will be considered. All comments received will be considered public and will become part of the public registry. Interested persons are invited to send their comments in the official language of their choice to:

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