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**Oral Statement from**

**Stan Eby**

In the Matter of

**Ontario Power Generation Inc.**

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Proposed Environmental Impact Statement  
for OPG's Deep Geological Repository  
(DGR) Project for Low and Intermediate  
Level Waste

Joint Review Panel

**September 16 to October 12, 2013**

**Présentation orale par**

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À l'égard de

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Étude proposée pour l'énoncé des incidences  
environnementales pour l'installation de  
stockage de déchets radioactifs à faible et  
moyenne activité dans des couches géologiques  
profondes

Commission d'examen conjoint

**16 septembre au 12 octobre 2013**

**TO: DGR Joint Review Panel Hearing Written-only Submission**

Hello - I am Stan Eby

I have lived in this area most of my life. I attended high school in Port Elgin and we have farmed for more than 40 years and raised a family of 3 in Kincardine Township. Our 2 sons presently operate farms in the Township.

I have a Diploma in Agriculture from the Ontario Agriculture College (University of Guelph). I have served on municipal council, the local Hospital Board and as a 4 H leader. I was President of the Ontario Cattlemen's Association in 2000 (the year of Walkerton water crisis) and the Canadian Cattlemen's Association from 2004-2006. I have a Professional Agrologist (Honourary) designation from the Ontario Institute of Agrologists. From 1989 to 2009 I was a member of the Board of Directors of Formosa now Trillium Mutual Insurance.

Presently my wife and I are farming on a smaller scale and working with our sons, but are involved with Church and community activities.

I support the Deep Geological Repository for low & intermediate level nuclear waste at the Bruce Nuclear site. We are all responsible for our by product or waste. As a livestock farmer my by product (waste) is manure. We have guide lines on how best to store & apply this to our land so that it doesn't adversely effect the environment.

When the original Douglas Point project was built there was a school of thought that scientific research would find a safe use for the by product. As a farmer and basic food producer, we have adopted excellent technologies as a result of research and development. We must proceed in all aspects of industry with good peer reviewed science and research.

OPG has done this important research to ensure the ongoing safety, of not only operations but also the long term safety of stored waste material. OPG has been very open and encouraged input from the community as it has planned this project.

The nuclear power industry has been operating in our area for more than 50 years and it is important that it move from temporary to permanent storage for low and intermediate level waste.

I consider the Deep Geological Repository as a responsible way to store the low and intermediate waste.

Sincerely,  
