

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on **October 26, 2023**, Nova Scotia Power Incorporated registered the NS-NB Reliability Intertie for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to build a 96 km, 345 kV transmission line from Onslow, Nova Scotia to the New Brunswick border in parallel to existing line L8001. Construction of the NS-NB Reliability Intertie would commence in late 2024, with commissioning in 2027. This transmission line will be an important regional link and will help NSPI meet provincial renewable energy targets, balance wind generation and strengthen grid connectivity.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Wentworth Recreation Centre, 13752 NS-4, Wentworth, NS
- Community Credit Union Business Information Centre, 5 Ratchford Street, Amherst, NS
- Truro Library, 754 Prince Street, Truro, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change, Regional Office, 36 Inglis Place, 2nd Floor, Truro, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change, Regional Office, 71 East Victoria St, Amherst, NS
- EA website (when available)
<https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ea/>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

Environmental Assessment Branch
Nova Scotia Environment & Climate Change
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2P8

on or before **November 25, 2023**, or contact the Department at (902) 424-3600, (902) 424-6925 (Fax), or e-mail at EA@novascotia.ca.

All comments received from the public consultation will be posted on the department's website for public viewing. In the case of an individual, the address, email and contact information will be removed before being placed on the website. By submitting your comments, you are consenting to the posting of your comments on the department's website.

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