Request for Extension of the Government of Ontario’s deadline for comments on its Discussion Paper on nuclear emergency preparedness - by Councillor Neethan Shan, seconded by Councillor Paul Ainslie

* Notice of this Motion has not been given. A two-thirds vote is required to waive notice.
* This Motion is subject to referral to the Executive Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.
* This Motion has been deemed urgent by the Chair.

Recommendations
Councillor Neethan Shan, seconded by Councillor Paul Ainslie, recommends that:

1. City Council request the Province of Ontario to consider extending the deadline for comments on its Discussion Paper on Nuclear Emergency Preparedness to September 30, 2017 in order to allow municipalities and citizens to provide meaningful input.

Summary
In April 2016, Item EX14.9 was adopted at the Executive Committee directing the Deputy City Manager, Cluster B to report on the City's draft submission to the provincial government's consultation on its nuclear emergency plans and to report on the financial impacts of the provincial government's proposal to establish an expanded 20 kilometer emergency planning zone as well as other measures.

Due to the short consultation period of the Government of Ontario’s review and the fact that Council rises for the summer, staff can't provide a report until after the consultation period.

Background Information (City Council)
Member Motion MM31.31