

Feedback Form

Gas Phase-Out Impact Assessment – May 27, 2021

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Questions

Topic	Feedback
Are there additional considerations the IESO has not identified in defining the scope of the assessment to examine the reliability, operability, timing, cost and wholesale market implications of reduced emissions on the electricity system?	Plenty – See below

General Comments/Feedback

Hello – I appreciate your consideration of my thoughts... Ontario needs to act like we are in the 21st century and facing a Climate Emergency! Ontario produces the second highest amount of Greenhouse Gas emissions of all the provinces in Canada - Every action the province of Ontario takes need to be focused on reducing GHG emissions on a timely basis (ie. NOW). While industry and residences of Ontario need electrical power, the time for investments in fossil fuels is gone - Just reference the latest IEA report. Ontario should be looking at solar, wind (and Quebec hydro) for all future energy needs, and that includes replacing our aging nuclear power plants. Let's wind-down Ontario's Gas (and Nuclear) plants as part of a well thought out and executed transition plan to renewables! We DO NOT NEED 20th CENTURY GAS POWERED electricity generation. Thanks for your time / consideration.