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ONTARIO POWER GENERATION'S DARLINGTON UNIT 1 ENTERS OUTAGE

[Clarington, ON]: On March 27, Darlington Unit 1 was taken off line for a maintenance outage after operating for over 470 days. Over that period, the unit ran at over 95 per cent capacity.

This planned maintenance outage will include work on both the Unit's reactor and conventional steam supply systems, including replacement of reactor feeder tubes and the changing-out of turbine blades.

Over the next couple of months staff will complete over 17,000 tasks. When completed, this major effort will mean that all four Darlington units will be ready to shift from a two year to a three year maintenance schedule.

Darlington Units 2, 3 and 4 are currently operating at or near 100 per cent full power delivering about 2,650 MW of electricity to the Ontario electricity grid.

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