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Kurt Kehler is the Vice President of Decommissioning & Waste Management for Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL).

CNL's Decommissioning & Waste Management unit has responsibility for the delivery of the low-level radioactive historic wastes, management of operational wastes at CNL's Chalk River Laboratories site, and development of the technical capabilities for decommissioning, waste management and environmental remediation activities required to reduce Canada's nuclear legacy and support future programs.

Kurt has more than 32 of experience in engineering, construction, and demolition projects including 17 years experience in managing the decommissioning, decontamination, and demolition of nuclear facilities. Mr. Kehler's nuclear decommissioning, decontamination, and demolition experience includes senior management positions at the Hanford Nuclear Reservation, Miamisburg Closure Project, and the Rocky Flats Closure Project.

His broad experience in the nuclear industry ranges from placement of nuclear reactors into interim safe storage; decontamination and demolition of hundreds of radiologically contaminated facilities; operation of nuclear facilities; construction and startup of nuclear facilities; and management of the recovery, treatment, and packaging of spent nuclear fuel. Past experience also includes construction and start-up of groundwater decontamination facilities, and remediation of large earthworks. Kurt earned his Bachelor of Science in Construction Management at Boise State University.