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Hi Élyse and IAAC colleagues,

As mentioned on the June 25th call, given the late nature of PS-CID's involvement in the process and the technical nature of the consultation, PS main comments and considerations with regard to your project can be found below:

- CI underpins the health, safety, and prosperity of Canadians, supporting the delivery of essential services such as energy, ICT, and transportation. It is foundational to national security and sovereignty.
- Canada's electricity and utilities sector powers homes, businesses, and essential services like hospitals. A power outage can disrupt activities such as cooking, heating or cooling, lighting, and charging electronic devices. Prolonged outages could lead to difficulties in accessing food, water, healthcare, telecommunications and financial services. During extreme weather events (e.g., tornadoes, hurricanes or winter storms), a loss of power could leave neighborhoods without heat or refrigeration, impacting health and safety.
- CI is exposed to a growing range of physical, cyber, and operational risks, amplified by high interconnectivity, digitization, and geopolitical volatility. This increases the potential for cascading failures.
- Due to its high potential impact, CI is an enticing target for malicious actors to disrupt the Canadian economy, destabilize society, and potentially influence national decision-making in the event of a crisis or international conflict.
- The rapidly evolving threat environment demands a stronger national security focus and to ensure safety-by-design and emergency preparedness are integrated at all steps of planning.

We look forward to staying involved in the consultation process going forward, including during Monday's call.

Have a great weekend,

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