**ORGANIZATION OF CANADIAN NUCLEAR INDUSTRIES NAMES GOWLING WLG CO-WINNER OF 2020 EXPORT AWARD**

The Organization of Canadian Nuclear Industries (OCNI) has named Gowling WLG co-winner of the Export Award at the 2020 OCNI Supplier Excellence Awards, recognition of the firm's ongoing success in the international nuclear market. The awards were presented virtually following OCNI's Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Nov. 26.

The OCNI Supplier Excellence Awards are the highest recognition OCNI can give to its members. The Export Award, in particular, honours OCNI member companies that are engaged in international business and that have achieved sustainable growth through innovation and commitment. It applauds significant export sales revenues or a successful move into challenging new export markets for its products or services.

[Ahab Abdel-Aziz](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/ahab-abdel-aziz/), a partner and the global director of Nuclear Power Generation, accepted the Export Award on behalf of Gowling WLG. He was joined by several members of Gowling WLG’s Nuclear Sector Industry Group, including: [Ted Betts](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/ted-betts/), [Magda Hanebach](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/magdalena-hanebach/), [Aubrey Lasky](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/aubrey-lasky/), [Ian Palm](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/w-ian-palm/#panel-button1), [Maya Stano](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/maya-stano/#panel-button1) and [Laura Van Soelen](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/laura-van-soelen/#panel-button1) (Canada), [Robert Amour](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/robert-armour/#panel-button1), [Gordon Bell](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/gordon-bell/#panel-button1) and [Sam Wallis](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/sam-wallis/#panel-button1) (United Kingdom), and [David Aylen](https://gowlingwlg.com/en/people/david-aylen/#panel-button1) (Russia).

These professionals continue to be active contributors to the firm’s success in the international nuclear arena through first-rate business development efforts and superb client service — including in the context of our ongoing work advising the Rosatom group of companies on Atomstroyexport’s new build El Dabaa Nuclear Power Plant Project in Egypt.

Gowling WLG is at the forefront of the nuclear industry's revitalization, advising on sophisticated new build projects and decommissioning programs around the world. The firm’s global Nuclear Industry Sector Group is respected internationally for its work in Canada and abroad.

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