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The Canadian government has announced plans to almost completely phase out traditional coal-powered generation not equipped with carbon capture and storage (CCS) technology by 2030 in a bid to cut greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.

The regulatory actions announced this week would increase the share of so-called “non-emitting sources” – hydro, nuclear and renewables CCS-fitted thermal plants – in Canada’s electricity mix from 80% at present to 90% by 2030.



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