

May 6, 2015

Decision 20368-D01-2015

AltaGas Utilities Inc.
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**AltaGas Record Amendment in the Leduc Area
Licence 1055
Proceeding 20368
Application 20368-A001**

Record amendment application

1. AltaGas Utilities Inc. (AltaGas), by Application 20368-A001 registered on April 20, 2015, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission under Section 12 of the *Pipeline Act* and Section 4.1 of the *Gas Utilities Act* to amend the pipe status of Line 18 in the city of Leduc from “operating” to “abandoned”. The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed in accordance with approvals granted in Licence 1055.
2. AltaGas stated that it received approval from the AUC on October 21, 2014, to complete a pipeline relocation under Proceeding 3467, [DA2014-232](#),¹ which also indicated that Line 110 would be abandoned in place under a future application. During the abandonment of Line 110, AltaGas discovered that a small section of Line 18 was also required to be abandoned. AltaGas also stated that it received approval from the AUC on April 17, 2015, to split Line 18 into lines 18 and 112 (with an application for the abandonment of Line 112 to be submitted subsequently) under Proceeding 20354, Decision [20354-D01-2015](#).² AltaGas stated in this application that, contrary to the information provided in Decision 20354-D01-2015, Line 112 would remain in place as operating and Line 18 was abandoned.
3. AltaGas stated that upon review of its records it was determined that Line 18 of Licence 1055 was abandoned on December 19, 2014 and has therefore missed the 90 day notification window allowed by the AUC. The purpose of this application is to correct this oversight.

¹ DA2014-232: AltaGas Utilities Inc. – New Construction, Proceeding 3467, Application 1610900, October 21, 2014.

² Decision 20354-D01-2015: AltaGas Utilities Inc. – Pipeline Split in the Leduc Area, Proceeding 20354, Application 20354-A001, April 17, 2015.

4. In its submission, AltaGas stated that the pipeline was abandoned in accordance with AUC requirements, all associated surface facilities would be removed and surface site reclaimed within a year.
5. AltaGas provided information respecting the need, nature and extent of the pipeline record amendment. Since the record amendment does not involve a ground disturbance, there will be no environmental impact.
6. Based upon the information provided, AltaGas has demonstrated that the proposal is of a minor nature, no other person will be directly affected by the proposal and no adverse environmental impact will be caused by the proposed record amendment.
7. The Commission approves the application. The amended licence is attached.

Alberta Utilities Commission

(original signed by)

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On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment