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Decision 20777-D01-2015

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) 7210 – 42 Street N.W. Edmonton, Alberta T6B 3H1

Attention: Doug Rowan, P. Eng.

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Record Amendments to the East Calgary B Extension Pipelines Project Licence 5895 **Proceeding 20777 Application 20777-A001**

Record amendment application

- 1. ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application 20777-A001 registered on August 26, 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* for the following in the Calgary area:
 - splitting Line 34 into lines 34 and 194
 - removal of Line 194
- The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed and operated in accordance with approvals granted in Licence 5895.
- 3. ATCO stated that it received approval from the AUC on July 31, 2014, to complete construction of the East Calgary B Extension pipelines under Decision 2014- 225,1 of Proceeding 3205, which also indicated that Line 34 of Licence 5895 would be abandoned in place under a future application.
- ATCO stated that the line split is required to update the records associated with the removal of Line 194, which has already occurred due to station piping modifications that ATCO stated were required to be undertaken during construction within the Calgary Energy Centre delivery station site located at 12-35-25-29W4M. The line split will also facilitate the future abandonment of Line 34.
- 5. ATCO stated that Line 34 would be abandoned in place and abandonment tags would be attached at both ends of the pipe segment. Any liquids contained in the pipe would be captured and disposed of prior to the abandonment.

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- 6. ATCO 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.
- 7. Based upon the information provided, ATCO 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.
- 8. The Commission approves the application. The amended licence is attached.

Alberta Utilities Commission

(original signed by)

Brian Shand, P. Eng.
Director, Gas Facilities
On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment