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AltaGas Utilities Inc.
5509 – 45 Street
Leduc, Alberta T9E 6T6Attention: Daina Bonnah-Vink
System Planning and Design**Amendment to Pipeline Licence No. 2843**
Application No. 1608141
Proceeding ID No. 1715**Record amendment application**

AltaGas Utilities Inc. (AltaGas), by Application No. 1608141 registered on February 8, 2012, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC or the Commission) under Section 12 of the *Pipeline Act* and Section 4.1 of the *Gas Utilities Act* to delete Line 82 from Permit and Licence No. 2843, in Township 58, Range 7, west of the Fourth Meridian. The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed and operating in accordance with approvals granted in Permit and Licence No. 2843.

Line 82 was operating at a maximum operating pressure of 3,100 kPa; however, as of July 8, 2011, the line has been operating at a maximum operating pressure of 552 kPa, which is below the 700 kPa threshold at which a licence is required. This line is currently being used as part of the AltaGas low pressure distribution system.

AltaGas has 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.

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.

The Commission approves the application. The amended permit and licence is attached.

Don Popowich, P. Eng.
Director, Facilities Division
On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment