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AltaGas Utilities Inc. 5509 – 45 Street Leduc, Alberta T9E 6T6

Attention: Haji Rehan

Design Engineer

Amendment to Permit and Licence No. 203 Application No. 1609031 Proceeding ID No. 2261

Record amendment application

AltaGas Utilities Inc. (AltaGas), by Application No. 1609031 registered on November 16, 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* for the removal of an exposed pipeline in Township 66, Range 22, 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. 203.

AltaGas stated that Line 57 was removed on September 6, 2012, due to an exposed portion of pipeline in Muskeg Creek and replaced with Line 59. There was no creek disturbance observed.

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.

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.

Brian Shand, P. Eng. Director, Gas Facilities

On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment

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Replacement approved in <u>DA2012-192</u>: AltaGas Utilities Inc. Amendment to replace exposed pipeline at Muskeg Creek, Application No. 1608622, Proceeding ID No. 2009, July 25, 2012.