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Record Correction**

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1 INTRODUCTION

1. ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (the Applicant) filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (the Commission) seeking approval for an amendment/addition to Permit/Licence 2594 for the following:

- Length and mapping correction of Lines 24, 33, 63 and 64
- Wall thickness and stress level correction of Line 33
- Splitting Line 24 into Lines 24, 224, and 225
- Splitting Line 63 into Lines 63, 226, 227 and 228
- Splitting Line 33 into Lines 33, 230, and 231
- Splitting Line 64 into Lines 64, 232, 233 and 234
- Removal of Lines 24, 33, 63, 64, 225, 227, 231, and 233
- Addition of two newly constructed pipelines (Line 229 – 640 m of 114.3mm OD pipe and Line 235 – 650 m of 323.9mm OD pipe)

(the Project).

2 BACKGROUND

2. The application was registered on February 12, 2010, as Application 1605896 (the Application).

3. The Applicant stated that the amendment/addition was necessary due to a relocation program for the reconstruction of 195th Avenue in Sturgeon County, a supporting component of the Northwest portion of the Edmonton Ring Road.

3 DISCUSSION

4. The Commission has reviewed the Application and has determined that it meets the requirements as stipulated in *AUC Rule 020*. The Commission notes that a participant involvement program has been conducted by the Applicant and that there are no outstanding public or industry objections or concerns.

5. Since no parties objected to the Application and the Project is necessary due to the reconstruction of 195th Avenue in Sturgeon County, the Commission considers the Project to be in the public interest.

4 DECISION

6. Therefore, pursuant to section 11 of the *Pipeline Act* and section 4.1 of the *Gas Utilities Act*, the Commission approves the amendment/addition to Permit/Licence 2594 for the Project and grants the Applicant the amended Permit/Licence as set out in Appendix 1 – Gas Utility Pipeline: Pipeline Split, Removal, New Construction and Record Correction – Permit/Licence No. 2594 – February 22, 2010 (Appendix 1 will be distributed separately).

Dated on February 22, 2010.

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Thomas McGee
Commissioner