

February 27, 2017

**Decision 22403-D01-2017**

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South)  
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Attention: Dean Millis, P. Eng.  
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**Pipeline in the Ardrossan Area**  
**Licence 3285**  
**Proceeding 22403**  
**Application 22403-A001**

**Record amendment application**

1. ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application 22403-A001, registered on February 9, 2017, 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 status of line 3 in the Ardrossan area from operating to abandoned.
2. The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed and operating in accordance with approvals granted in Licence 3285.
3. ATCO stated that it completed the abandonment of 2.06 kilometres of the Ardrossan Transmission Pipeline in August 2016. Therefore, the abandonment did not occur within the 90-day period allowed under Section 82(2) of the *Pipeline Rules* listed under *Alberta Regulation 91/2005* pursuant to the *Pipeline Act* and requires a record amendment application.
4. ATCO stated that consultation with landowners and occupants for this work was completed in accordance with Rule 020: *Rules Respecting Gas Utility Pipelines* and that confirmation of non-objection by directly and adversely affected landowners and occupants was obtained.
5. ATCO stated that all liquids contained in the pipe were captured and disposed of prior to the abandonment activities.
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