

April 19, 2018

Decision 23480-D01-2018

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd.
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Attention: Doug Rowan, P. Eng.
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**Glenwood Transmission Pipeline
Licence 7455
Proceeding 23480
Application 23480-A001**

Record amendment

1. ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (ATCO), by Application 23480-A001 registered on April 5, 2018, 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 lines 30, 32 and 33, near the village of Glenwood, from operating to abandoned. The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed in accordance with approvals granted in Licence 7455.
2. ATCO stated that it received approval by Decision 22873-D01-2017¹ on September 22, 2017, to complete the Glenwood Transmission Pipeline replacement across the Waterton River, due to the inadequate depth of cover on the west bank of the Waterton River. That approval also indicated that lines 30, 32 and 33 would be abandoned in place under a future application.
3. ATCO stated that, after reviewing its records, it was determined that lines 30, 32 and 33 of Licence 7455 were abandoned on December 12, 2017, and therefore had missed the 90-day notification window allowed by the AUC. ATCO has applied to amend the pipeline licence to accurately reflect the record of these pipelines.
4. ATCO stated that it has completed consultation and notification in accordance with Rule 020: *Rules Respecting Gas Utility Pipelines*. There are no outstanding objections or concerns related to this project.
5. ATCO also stated that all liquids contained in the pipelines were captured and disposed of prior to the abandonment activities.

¹ Decision 22873-D01-2017: ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. – Replacement of the Glenwood Transmission Pipeline across the Waterton River, Licence 7455, Proceeding 22873, Application 22873-A001, September 22, 2017.

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