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Attention: Adam Wood

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Amendment to Pipeline Route and Length Permit and Licence No. 13281 Application No. 1609852 Proceeding ID No. 2795

Minor pipeline project application

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application No. 1609852, registered on August 19, 2013, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC or the Commission) under Section 11 of the *Pipeline Act* and Section 4.1 of the *Gas Utilities Act* for an amendment to the route and length of Line 8 which was proposed to be installed in SE 33-52-26-W4M. This new alignment would reduce the length of the new pipeline from 1,300 metres to 800 metres.

ATCO stated that a 1,300 metre segment of 114.3 millimetre pipeline, Line 8, was to be installed in March/April 2013 under Application No. 1609294. The third party that originally requested the relocation requested that the alignment of the new line be changed and has provided a 100 per cent contribution for this work.

ATCO has provided information respecting the need, nature and extent of the project. Since the project involves no significant ground disturbance, the resultant environmental impact of the work has been assessed with no significant impact identified. The landowners and occupants of the affected lands did not object to the project.

Based upon the information provided, ATCO has demonstrated that the proposal is of a minor nature, no person other than the landowners and occupants of the land upon which the project takes place will likely be directly affected by the proposal, and no significant adverse environmental impact will be caused by the proposed project.

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