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ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South)
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Attention: Jo-Anne Van Sickle
Pipelines Engineering Clerk

Approval to perform hydrostatic testing
Application No. 1610331
Proceeding ID No. 3086

Liquid test medium

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application No. 1610331, registered on February 21, 2014, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC or the Commission) under Section 35 of the *Pipeline Rules* to perform hydrostatic testing of a pipeline (lines 64 through 104 of Licence No. 106) using a 60/40 water-methanol mix. The water-methanol mix is required due to cold ambient temperatures. The proposed work is related to facilities previously constructed in accordance with approvals granted in Decision [2013-302](#) of Application No. 1609690.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 35(1) of the *Pipeline Rules*, ATCO has stated that it will comply with the liquid test media requirements of AER Directive 77.

In addition, ATCO has provided information respecting the need, nature, extent and the timing of the work.

The Commission approves the application.



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Director, Gas Facilities
On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission