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Licence No. 866 Application No. 1610765 Proceeding No. 3359

Record amendment application

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application No. 1610765 registered on July 31, 2014, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC or the Commission) under Section 12 of the *Pipeline Act* and Section 4.1 of the *Gas Utilities Act* for the following in Township 53, Range 23, west of the Fourth Meridian:

- Splitting Line 5 into lines 5, 8 and 9
- Reinstatement of Line 8 as abandoned

The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed and operated in accordance with approvals granted in Licence No. 866.

ATCO stated that on January 27, 2014, it received approval from the AUC in <u>DA2014-12</u>¹ to complete ATCO project P20235, which involved completing a line split, as well as installation and removal of pipelines registered on Licence No. 866. A segment of existing 60.3 millimetre outside diameter high pressure pipeline had been identified as being in conflict with the proposed Northeast Anthony Henday Drive road plans and required relocation. Therefore, ATCO proposed to remove a 360 metre segment of pipeline.

ATCO stated that in April 2014, it completed the proposed pipeline relocation project. However, the Northeast Anthony Henday Drive road builder had already began road construction; therefore the 360 metre segment of pipeline could not be fully removed. A 230 metre segment was abandoned underneath the proposed road. ATCO stated that the pipeline was abandoned in accordance with AUC requirements.

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DA2014-12: ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) – Anthony Henday Drive/167 Avenue Pipeline Relocation, Application No. 1610270, Proceeding No. 3042, January 27, 2014.

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.

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.

The Commission approves the application. The amended licence is attached.

Brian Shand, P.Eng.

Director, Gas Facilities

On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment