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Licence Nos. 1818, 2171, 4286, 4459, 4707, 4950, 5372, 6733, 7256, 7524, 7776, 9193, 11208, 14856, 16585 and 19856 Application No. 1610937 Proceeding No. 3491

# **Record amendment application**

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South) (ATCO), by Application No. 1610937 registered on October 21, 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 amendments in multiple locations as described more fully in the attached licence appendices:

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 1818

- o pipe grade amendment of Line 1
- o stress level amendment of Line 1

#### • Pertaining to Licence No. 2171

- o pipe grade amendments of lines 1, 3 and 24
- o stress level amendments of lines 1, 3 and 24
- o pipe type amendment of Line 24
- o wall thickness amendments of lines 3 and 24

# Pertaining to Licence No. 4286

o stress level amendment of Line 1

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 4459

o stress level amendments of lines 7 and 13

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 4707

- o stress level amendment of Line 3
- o environmental code amendment of Line 3
- o "To" facility code amendment of Line 3

## • Pertaining to Licence No. 4950

- o pipe grade amendment of Line 8
- stress level amendment of Line 8

# Pertaining to Licence No. 5372

- o pipe grade amendments of lines 3 and 8
- o stress level amendments of lines 3 and 8

# Pertaining to Licence No. 6733

stress level amendments of lines 1 and 3

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 7256

o stress level amendment of Line 1

## Pertaining to Licence No. 7524

o stress level amendment of Line 18

# • Pertaining to Licence No. 7776

o stress level amendments of lines 10, 11 and 12

#### Pertaining to Licence No. 9193

o stress level amendment of Line 1

#### Pertaining to Licence No. 11208

o stress level amendment of Line 3

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 14856

- o pipe type amendments of lines 1, 2, 3 and 4
- o stress level amendments of lines 1, 2, 3 and 4

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 16585

stress level amendments of lines 1 and 3

### • Pertaining to Licence No. 19856:

o stress level amendment of Line 5

The proposed amendments are related to the facilities previously constructed and operating in accordance with approvals granted in Licence Nos. 1818, 2171, 4286, 4459, 4707, 4950, 5372, 6733, 7256, 7524, 7776, 9193, 11208, 14856, 16585 and 19856.

ATCO stated that upon reviewing these pipeline segments, as part of the Alberta System Integration Agreement pipeline facility transfer between ATCO and NOVA Gas Transmission Ltd., a stress level of zero was found in all of these segments although all of them are operating. Additionally, pipe grade, wall thickness, pipe type, location and environmental code errors were identified for correction.

ATCO provided information respecting the need, nature and extent of the pipeline record amendments. Since the record amendments do 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 amendments.

The Commission approves the application. The amended licences are attached.

Brian Shand, P. Eng. Director, Gas Facilities

On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachments