

December 19, 2018

**Decision 24103-D01-2018**

ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd.  
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Attention: Michelle Owokalu, P. Eng.  
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**Record Amendment in the City of Calgary  
Licence 2027  
Proceeding 24103  
Application 24103-A001**

**Record amendment**

1. ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (ATCO), by Application 24103-A001, registered on November 30, 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 pipe status of lines 95 and 145 from operating to abandoned. The proposed amendment is related to facilities previously constructed and operated in accordance with approvals granted in Licence 2027.
2. On January 17, 2014, the Commission approved the need for the Urban Pipeline Replacement project in Decision 2014-010 (Errata).<sup>1</sup> ATCO stated that the pipeline sections listed for Licence 2027 were identified in the Urban Pipeline Replacement Application (Proceeding ID 1995) as pipelines to be removed from high-pressure service.
3. ATCO stated that, after reviewing its records, it was determined that lines 95 and 145 of Licence 2027 were abandoned in July of 2017, but were inadvertently missed in applications for abandonment. Therefore, ATCO has applied to amend the pipeline licence to accurately reflect the record of these pipelines.
4. ATCO stated that all liquids contained in the pipe were captured and disposed of prior to the abandonment activities.
5. ATCO stated that consultation with landowners and occupants for this work was completed in accordance with Rule 020: *Rules Respecting Gas Utility Pipelines*.
6. ATCO has provided information respecting the need, nature and extent of the pipeline record amendment. Because the record amendment does not involve a ground disturbance, there will be no environmental impact.

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 2014-010 (Errata): ATCO Pipelines, a division of ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. – Urban Pipeline Replacement Project, Proceeding 1995, Application 1608617, January 17, 2014. Errata issued on February 21, 2014.

7. Based upon the information provided, the Commission is satisfied that the project was of a minor nature, no person was directly and adversely affected by the project, and no significant adverse environmental impact was caused by the project.

8. The Commission approves the application. In approving the application, however, the Commission makes no determination regarding the regulatory treatment of the costs of the assets to be removed, retired or abandoned pursuant to the application, the costs incurred in carrying out these activities, or the associated rate implications. The amended licence is attached.

**Alberta Utilities Commission**

*(original signed by)*

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Director, Gas Facilities  
On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachment