

March 20, 2018

Alberta Energy Regulator
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Via email to Anastasia.Shukalkina@aer.ca

Attention: Ms. Anastasia Shukalkina

Dear Ms. Shukalkina

**Re: TransCanada PipeLines Limited
White Spruce Pipeline Project
AER Decision 2018 ABAER 001
Condition #1 – Construction Under Frozen Conditions**

TransCanada PipeLines Limited (TransCanada) is providing this letter to update the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) of its construction plans, as per Condition 1 of Decision 2018 ABAER 001 (Decision) for the White Spruce Pipeline Project (Project).

Condition 1 of the Decision states:

Construction must be conducted only under frozen conditions

TransCanada understands the intent of Condition 1 of the Decision is to minimize and mitigate the impact of construction activities on wetlands and muskeg. TransCanada's project-specific Environmental Protection Plan is in compliance with Condition 1. TransCanada understands this requirement would also apply to any other project construction activities that require excavation and grading (namely for the meter station construction). Accordingly, construction of the 71 kilometer NPS 20 pipeline, under license 59835, and the civil work for the meter station located at 2-10-095-11W4M will commence in March 2018.

Electrical and mechanical construction at the meter station site will continue into Q2 2018, as will the construction of the 50 metre, above-grade NPS 12 pipeline, under licence 59838. TransCanada respectfully advises it will be continuing construction of this above-grade pipeline and meter station in non-frozen conditions, while maintaining compliance with Condition 1.

Should the AER require additional information with respect to this notification, please contact Paige Dodd at (587) 933-3573 or by email at Paige.Dodd@Transcanada.com.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paige Dodd". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letter of each word being capitalized and prominent.

Paige Dodd
Regulatory Project Manager, White Spruce Pipeline Project
TransCanada PipeLines Limited