

Transmission Line Permit and Licence 29967-D01-2025

	April 10, 2025
AltaLink Management Ltd. Transmission Line 113L Alteration	Proceeding 29967 Application 29967-A001

AltaLink Management Ltd., pursuant to Permit and Licence 26458-D02-2021,¹ is the owner and operator of the 138-kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line 113L from Spray 33S Substation to the western border of the Stoney Nakoda I.R. 142, 143, 144 and from the eastern border of Stoney Nakoda I.R. 142, 143, 144 to the Ghost 20S Substation, in the Canmore area.

AltaLink, by Application 29967-A001, registered on April 7, 2025, applied to the Alberta Utilities Commission for approval to alter and operate the transmission line. The alteration consists of replacing the existing Structure 228 with three new structures and shifting the centreline further away from the Ghost Hydroelectric Facility, up to 40 metres away from its original alignment.

AltaLink has provided information respecting the need, nature, extent, project area and timing of the work. Based upon the information provided, the Commission is satisfied that the proposal is of a minor nature, no person is directly and adversely affected by the proposal and no significant adverse environmental impact will be caused by the proposed alteration.

The Commission, pursuant to sections 14, 15, 19 and 21 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, approves the application and grants to AltaLink a permit to alter and a licence to operate the transmission line, subject to the provisions of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* and the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*, any regulations made under the acts, any orders made under the acts, the Commission rules made pursuant to the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*, and the following terms and conditions:

1. The route of the transmission line shall be as shown on Appendix A and as described in the application and previous applications.
2. Specifications of the transmission line shall include the following:
 - (a) The transmission line shall be designed, built for and operated at a nominal voltage of 138 kV.
 - (b) The structures shall be constructed of materials as specified in the application and other previous approvals pertaining to the transmission line.

¹ Transmission Line Permit and Licence 26458-D02-2021, Proceeding 26458, Application 26458-A001, October 7, 2021.

- (c) Other aspects of the alteration shall be constructed as more particularly described in the application and other previous approvals pertaining to the transmission line.
3. AltaLink shall file with the Commission within 30 days of completing the transmission line alteration, the energization certificate(s) for the transmission line issued by the Alberta Electric System Operator and/or by AltaLink, to confirm that the transmission line alteration has been completed and the transmission line is being operated in accordance with the provisions of this permit and licence.
 4. Unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, the transmission line alteration shall be completed by May 2, 2025.

Permit and Licence 26458-D02-2021 is rescinded.

The Commission may cancel or suspend this permit and licence, in whole or in part, in accordance with Section 41 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* or may review this permit and licence, in whole or in part, upon its own motion or upon an application by an interested party, in accordance with Section 10 of the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*.

The Commission may, no later than 60 days from the date of this permit and licence and without notice, correct typographical, spelling and calculation errors and other similar types of errors and post the corrected permit and licence on its website.

Alberta Utilities Commission

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On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

