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Dear Nicole Prince:

**NGTL GP Ltd., as general partner on behalf of NGTL Limited Partnership  
2025 Meter Stations and Laterals Abandonment Program  
Order ZO-001-2026  
Program Update No. 2 and Schedule A Update**

NGTL GP Ltd. (**NGTL GP**), as general partner on behalf of NGTL Limited Partnership, filed Program Update No. 2 and Schedule A update with the Canada Energy Regulator (**CER**) on 24 March 2026 ([C38638](#)) for the 2025 Meter Stations and Laterals Abandonment Program (**Project**). The Project consists of abandonment of 35 meter stations, 27 lateral pipelines, loops and/or producer tie-ins – all of which are part of the NGTL System – either by removal or abandoning in-place.

### Background

On 22 October 2025, NGTL GP filed a Program Update No. 1 ([C36829-1](#)) regarding the Abee Lateral. In the original project application dated 30 July 2025 ([C35788](#)), NGTL GP proposed to remove an 80 metre section of the Abee Lateral. However, in the Program Update No. 1, NGTL GP stated that in order to remove this section of pipe, an outage on the operating Redwater Lateral would be required and could have significant impacts on the NGTL System customers. To avoid this, NGTL GP proposed to abandon in-place this small section of the Abee Lateral, along with the remaining 20.46 kilometres (**km**) of lateral pipeline.

On 19 March 2026, the Commission of the CER approved the Project, issuing Order ZO-001-2026 (**Order**) ([C38592](#)), but inadvertently did not reflect in Schedule A the change of abandonment method for an 80 metre section of the Abee Lateral.

On 24 March 2026, NGTL GP submitted a Program Update No. 2 ([C38638](#)). NGTL GP indicated that it has identified changes to certain Project Development Areas including the AECO B Lateral, Graigmyle Lateral and Craigmyle Lateral Loop, and Debolt Lateral.

Also, NGTL GP submitted that the 19 March 2026 Commission Letter, Order, and Schedule A do not reflect information provided by NGTL GP in Program Update No. 1. NGTL GP stated Schedule A does not reflect the change in abandonment method for the

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Abee Lateral to abandoned in-place. In addition, NGTL GP stated that the Commission decision identifies the total amount of lateral pipeline abandoned in-place and amount removed as approximately 206.77 km and 0.412 km, respectively, instead of 206.85 km and 0.332 km, respectively.

## **Commission Analysis and Findings**

### *Program Update No. 2*

The Commission approves the Program Update No. 2. The Commission finds that the updates are minor in nature and do not impact any other aspect of the Project as approved. The Commission is satisfied that the updates do not result in any new or changed environmental, socio-economic, land, or rights of Indigenous Peoples considerations. The Commission notes that Program Update No. 2 is limited to minor technical corrections to certain Project Development Areas and Environmental Site Information Sheets and an administrative correction to Schedule A of the Order, and does not alter the scope, location, duration, or nature of the abandonment activities approved by the Commission.

### *Change in abandonment method of 80 metres of the Abee Lateral*

The Commission approves the change of abandonment method of 80 metres of the Abee Lateral. The Commission finds that any potential environmental effects from abandoning the small portion of Abee Lateral in-place instead of by removal, as specified in Program Update No. 1, can be mitigated by the measures outlined in the Project application and Environmental Protection Plan. The Commission also finds that the socio-economic effects remain unchanged from the Project application.

Pursuant to section 33 and subsection 69(1) of the *Canadian Energy Regulator Act*, the Commission issues Amending Order AO-001-ZO-001-2026 and varies Schedule A of the Order to reflect a change in the Abee Lateral abandonment method from “in-place/remove” to “in-place”.

Finally, the Commission notes that the correct total amount of lateral pipeline abandoned in-place and amount removed is 206.85 km and 0.332 km, respectively. However, no change to the Order and Schedule A is required because these numbers are not specified in the Order.

The Commission reminds NGTL GP that it remains liable for all pipelines abandoned in-place and associated rights-of-way, and any other related events that may occur, in perpetuity.

The Commission directs NGTL GP to serve a copy of this letter and the attached Amending Order AO-001-ZO-001-2026 on all interested parties.

Yours sincerely,

*Signed by*

Ramona Sladic  
Secretary of the Commission

Attachment



## ORDER AO-001-ZO-001-2026

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Canadian Energy Regulator Act* (**CER Act**) and the regulations made thereunder; and

**IN THE MATTER OF** an update made by NGTL GP Ltd. (**NGTL GP**), as general partner on behalf of NGTL Limited Partnership, pursuant to Order ZO-001-2026, filed with the Canada Energy Regulator (**CER**) under File 6502959.

**BEFORE** the Commission of the CER on 17 April 2026.

**WHEREAS** on 22 October 2025, NGTL GP filed a Program Update No. 1 where NGTL GP proposed to abandon in-place an 80 metre section of the Abee Lateral;

**AND WHEREAS** on 19 March 2026, the Commission issued Order ZO-001-2026 (**Order**) approving the 2025 Meter Stations and Laterals Abandonment Program (**Project**);

**AND WHEREAS** on 24 March 2026, NGTL GP filed a Program Update No. 2 and reminded the Commission of a change to the proposed abandonment method of a small portion (80 metres) of the Abee Lateral to abandonment from removal to abandonment in-place;

**AND WHEREAS** the Commission considers it in the public interest to revise Schedule A of the Order to reflect the change in abandonment method of the 80 metres of the Abee Lateral;

**AND WHEREAS** the Order, as varied, remains fully in force and the approved Project, as varied by this Amending Order, continues to be subject to the terms and conditions found therein;

**IT IS ORDERED** that pursuant to section 33 and subsection 69(1) of the CER Act:

1. The method of abandonment for the 80 metres of the Abee Lateral is changed from "in-place/remove" to "in-place".
2. The Schedule A attached to Order ZO-001-2026 is revoked and replaced with the attached Schedule A.

THE COMMISSION OF THE CANADA ENERGY REGULATOR

*Signed by*

Ramona Sladic  
Secretary of the Commission

**SCHEDULE A**  
**Order AO-001-ZO-001-2026**

**NGTL GP Ltd., as general partner on behalf of NGTL Limited Partnership**  
**Program Update No. 2 dated 24 March 2026**  
**assessed pursuant to section 33 and subsection 69(1) of the *Canadian Energy***  
***Regulator Act***  
**2025 Meter Stations and Laterals Abandonment Program**  
**File 6502959**

Pipeline Specifications

Lateral Pipeline Details						
Name	Diameter (NPS)	Approximate Length (km)	Coating	Start Point LSD	End Point LSD	Lateral Abandonment Method
	Diameter (mm)		Wall Thickness (mm)	Additional Isolation Excavation Site(s) LSD(s)		
Abee Lateral	8	20.54	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SE 32-061-22 W4M	NE 26-060-24 W4M	In-place
	219.1		3.58	NW 32-060-23 W4M, NE 26-060-24 W4M		
AECO B Lateral	4	0.72	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SE 22-020-08 W4M	SE 22-020-08 W4M	In-place
	114.3		2.77	None		
Alderson Lateral Extension Bypass	16	0.46	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SE 13-020-12 W4M	NE 13-020-12 W4M	In-place / Removal
	406.4		5.99	None		
Bantry Northeast Lateral	6	6.73	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SW 09-020-13 W4M	NE 23-019-13 W4M	In-place
	168.3		3.18	None		

<b>Lateral Pipeline Details</b>						<b>Lateral Abandonment Method</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Diameter (NPS)</b>	<b>Approximate Length (km)</b>	<b>Coating</b>	<b>Start Point LSD</b>	<b>End Point LSD</b>	
	<b>Diameter (mm)</b>		<b>Wall Thickness (mm)</b>	<b>Additional Isolation Excavation Site(s) LSD(s)</b>		
Baptiste South Lateral	8	4.96	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SW 18-067-22 W4M	SE 28-067-22 W4M	
	219.1		3.58	SW 20-067-22 W4M, NW 21-067-22 W4M and  NE 20-067-22 W4M (highway [HWY] crossing), SE 28-067-22 W4M		
Bolloque Lateral	12	11.33	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 23-064-26 W4M	NW 36-063-27 W4M	
	323.9		4.78	NW 14-064-26 W4M and NE 15-064-26 W4M  (HWY crossing), SW 15-064-26 W4M,  NW 36-063-27 W4M		
Bolloque East Lateral (Retired)	6	11.93	Extruded Polyethylene	NE 02-065-25 W4M	NE 23-064-26 W4M	
	168.3		3.20	NE 20-064-25 W4M (HWY crossing [2 isolations])		
Bolloque South Lateral	4	1.43	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 10-064-26 W4M	SW 15-064-26 W4M	
	114.3		2.77	None		
Chelsea Creek Lateral	8	17.62 7	Extruded Polyethylene	NW 31-094-17 W4M	SW 23-095-16 W4M	
	219.1		4.00	None		

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	Diameter (mm)		Wall Thickness (mm)	Additional Isolation Excavation Site(s) LSD(s)		
Craigend MS PTI	12	1.67	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 25-064-14 W4M	SE 26-064-14 W4M	In-place
	323.9		6.35	None		
Craigend Chieftan Lateral 9	6	1.87	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 25-064-14 W4M	SE 26-064-14 W4M	In-place
	168.3		4.78	None		
Craigmyle Lateral	4	6.23	Extruded Polyethylene	SW 08-032-17 W4M	SE 15-032-18 W4M	In-place / Remove
	114.3		3.20	SE 07-032-17 W4M and SW 08-032-17 W4M (HWY crossing)		
Craigmyle Lateral Loop	6	6.25	Extruded Polyethylene	SW 08-032-17 W4M	SE 15-032-18 W4M	In-place / Remove
	168.3		3.20	SE 07-032-17 W4M and SW 08-032-17 W4M (HWY crossing)		
Debolt Lateral	10	16.80	Extruded Polyethylene	SE 18-071-03 W6M	NE 28-071-02 W6M	In-place
	273.1		4.80	NW 26-071-03 W6M		
Debolt Lateral  Smoky River Crossing	16	1.70	Extruded Polyethylene	NE 28-071-02 W6M	NE 27-071-02 W6M	In-place
	406.4		8.00	None		

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	Diameter (mm)		Wall Thickness (mm)	Additional Isolation Excavation Site(s) LSD(s)		
Debolt Lateral	10	25.10	Extruded Polyethylene	NE 27-071-02 W6M	NW 18-071-25 W5M	In-place
	273.1		4.80	SW 35-071-02 W6M, SW 36-071-02 W6M and  SE 35-071-02 W6M (HWY crossing),  SE 32-071-01 W6M, SW 30-071-26 W5M		
Hotchkiss North MS Piping	4	0.05	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SW 35-094-02 W6	SW 35-094-02 W6	Remove
	114.3		6.02	None		
Hotchkiss North Lateral	4	0.55	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SW 35-094-02 W6M	NE 25-094-02 W6M	In-place / Remove
	114.3		2.77	None		
Hotchkiss North Lateral Loop	8	0.44	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NW 26-094-02 W6M	NE 26-094-02 W6M	In-place / Remove
	219.1		3.58	NE 26-094-02 W6M		
Iddesleigh South MS PTI	4	0.08	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NW 36-019-11 W4M	SW 01-020-11 W4M	In-place / Remove
	114.3		2.77	SW 01-020-11 W4M (HWY crossing [2 isolations])		
Iddesleigh South Lateral	4	4.88	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SW 01-020-11 W4M	NE 13-020-11 W4M	In-place
	114.3		2.77	SE 12-020-11 W4M		

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	Diameter (mm)		Wall Thickness (mm)	Additional Isolation Excavation Site(s) LSD(s)		
Liege North Lateral	8	11.80	Fusion Bond Epoxy	SE 10-094-21 W4M	SE 22-093-20 W4M	In-place
	219.1		3.80	None		
Lone Butte Lateral	6	15.64	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 33-028-15 W4M	SW 16-027-15 W4M	In-place
	168.3		3.18	None		
Long Lake West Lateral	4	7.25	Extruded Polyethylene	SW 14-064-20 W4M	SW 02-065-20 W4M	In-place
	114.3		3.20	SW 02-065-20 W4M and NW 35-064-20 W4M (HWY crossing)		
Medicine Hat Hbog Lateral 16	6	16.10	Asphalt Enamel	SE 27-015-04 W4M	SE 07-016-02 W4M	In-place
	168.3		4.78	SE 32-015-03 W4M		
Outlet Creek Sales Lateral	8	1.84	Fusion Bond Epoxy	SW 03-064-19 W5M	SE 09-064-19 W5M	In-place
	219.1		4.00	None		
September Lake North Lateral	6	9.95	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	NE 21-067-24 W4M	NE 19-066-24 W4M	In-place
	168.3		3.18	None		
Slawa North MS PTI	8	1.46	Polyethylene Tape Single Wrap	SE 18-056-09 W4M	SW 18-056-09 W4M	In-place
	219.1		3.58	None		
Sneddon Creek North Lateral	4	1.80	Extruded Polyethylene	NW 36-082-12 W6M	NW 35-082-12 W6M	In-place
	114.3		3.20	None		

Facilities Specifications

<b>Abandoned by Removal Meter Station Details</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Legal Subdivisions (LSD)</b>
Abee Receipt	SE 32-061-22 W4M
Bantry NE Receipt	SW 09-020-13 W4M
Baptiste South Receipt	SW 18-067-22 W4M
Bolloque Receipt 6	NE 23-064-26 W4M
Bolloque No. 2 Receipt	
Bolloque South Receipt	NE 10-064-26 W4M
Chelsea Creek Receipt	SW 23-095-16 W4M
Chisholm Mills Receipt	NE 29-068-01 W5M
Craigend Receipt	SE 26-064-14 W4M
Craigend East Receipt	
Craigmyle Receipt	SW 08-032-17 W4M
Debolt Receipt	SE 18-071-03 W6M
Delia Receipt	SE 15-032-18 W4M
Halkirk North Receipt	NW 11-039-16 W4M
Halkirk North No. 2 Receipt	
Hanna Receipt	NW 22-031-14 W4M
Harper Creek Receipt 12	NW 29-071-01 W6M
Hartell South Receipt	SE 05-019-02 W5M
Hotchkiss North Receipt	SW 35-094-02 W6M
Iddesleigh South Receipt	SW 01-020-11 W4M
Liege North Receipt	SE 10-094-21 W4M
Lone Butte Receipt	NE 33-028-15 W4M

<b>Abandoned by Removal Meter Station Details</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Legal Subdivisions (LSD)</b>
Long Lake West Receipt	SW 14-064-20 W4M
Meyer A and Meyer B Receipt	SW 02-070-25 W4M
Nestow Receipt	NE 26-060-24 W4M
Osland Lake Receipt	NE 20-096-07 W6M
Ridgevalley Receipt	SW 30-071-26 W5M
Rourke Creek Receipt	SE 02-069-01 W5M
Rourke Creek East Receipt	SW 17-069-26 W4M
Rowley Receipt	SE 13-032-19 W4M
September Lake North Receipt	NE 21-067-24 W4M
Slawa North Receipt	SW 18-056-09 W4M
St. Lina North Receipt	NW 07-063-08 W4M
Taplow Receipt	SE 25-029-14 W4M