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Sent by email to [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Smith

Exemption application – Albany Gas Distribution System (GDL 8)

Your application for an exemption under Part 23 of the *National Gas Rules*, as applied in Western Australia, for the Albany Gas Distribution System (or the Albany network - Great Southern gas supply area) (GDL 8) has been assessed by the Economic Regulation Authority (ERA).

The ERA has decided to grant Category 3 exemption for the Albany Gas Distribution System. The exemption is valid from 9 May 2023 to 30 June 2028.

Albany Gas Distribution System is exempt from the obligation to publish information under Division 2 of Part 23 of the *National Gas Rules (WA)*, other than pipeline information and pipeline service information.

The exemption may be varied or revoked at any time, in accordance with provisions in the *National Gas Rules (WA)*.

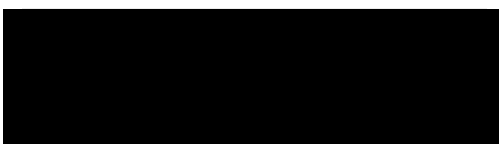
ATCO Gas Australia Pty Ltd must still comply with all other provisions in the *National Gas Rules (WA)* not covered by these exemptions.

As required under Rule 585(8) of the *National Gas Rules (WA)*, please notify the ERA without delay if circumstances change such that the pipeline no longer qualifies for the exemption granted.

The ERA is required to establish, publish and maintain a register of exemptions. Your application will be published on the ERA's [website](#).

Please contact Tyson Self on 08 6557 7900 if you have any questions on this matter.

Yours sincerely



Steve Edwell
Chair