

# Administrative Monetary Penalty / Sanction administrative pécuniaire NOTICE OF VIOLATION / AVIS D'INFRACTION

# REFERENCE NUMBER / Nº DE REFERENCE: AMP-002-2015

Information for Pipeline Company / Third Party / Individual: Information pour la société pipelinière / une tierce partie / un particulier :

Name / Nom : Contact / Contactez:	Enbridge Pipelines Inc.	TOTAL PENALTY AMOUNT / MONTANT TOTAL DES PÉNALITÉS:
Contact / Contactez.	Guy Jarvis	I DIVINITIO.
Title / Titre:	President	\$16,000
Address / Adresse:		
		Date of Notice / Date de l'Avis:
	425 - 1st Street SW	6 February 2015
		Regulatory Instrument # / Nº de l'instrument réglementaire:
City / Ville:	Calgary	XO-E101-006-2014
Province / State / État	Alberta	
Telephone / Téléphone:		
Fax / Télécopieur:		
E-mail / Courriel:		

On / Le 10 October 2014

# **Enbridge Pipelines Inc.**

was observed to be in violation of a NEB regulatory requirement. This violation is subject to an administrative monetary penalty, as outlined below.

a commis une infraction aux exigences réglementaires de l'ONÉ, sujet à la sanction administrative pécuniaire ci-dessous.



Date of Violation / Date d'infraction :			Has compliance been achieved?
(from / du): 10 October 2014	(to / au): 10	October 2014	La situation est-elle rétablie?  • Yes / Oui
Total Number of Days / Nomb	ore total de jou	urs:	If no, a subsequent NoV may be issued. Si non, un autre avis d'infraction pourrait être envoyé.
Location of Violation / Lieu do	e l'infraction:		
e.g. Facility/plant/head office o or lat/long / ie: usine/siege cent	0 0	- Edmonton to	Hardisty Pipeline Project, Alberta
Short Form Description of Violation / Description abrégée de l'infraction (Refer to Schedule 1 of the <u>AMP Regulations</u> ) / (Voir l'annexe 1 du <u>Règlement</u> )			Provision and Short-form Description / Disposition et Sommaire
NEB Act / Loi sur l'ONÉ			

VIOLATION DETAILS / DENSELCNEMENTS SUD L'UNIED A CTION

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	Contravention of an Order or Decision made under the Act (ss. 2(2) of the AMP Regulations)
$\boxtimes$	Failure to comply with a term or condition of any certificate, licence, permit, leave or exemption granted under the Act (ss. 2(3) of the AMP Regulations)  Condition 2 of XO-E101-006-2014

## 2. RELEVANT FACTS

Briefly describe reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred / Décrire brièvement les motifs raisonnables de croire qu'une infraction a été commise

- 1. On 16 April 2014, the National Energy Board (NEB or Board) issued Certificate OC-062 (Certificate) (A3V9D6) for the Enbridge Pipelines Inc. Edmonton to Hardisty Pipeline Project (Project). Condition 2 of the Certificate states: "Enbridge shall cause the approved Section 52 Facility to be designed, located, constructed and operated in accordance with the specifications, standards, and other information referred to in its Application, and as otherwise agreed to during questioning or in its related submissions."
- 2. From 6-10 October 2014, NEB inspectors conducted an inspection (Inspection) of Enbridge's Edmonton to Hardisty Spread 1 and Spread 2. NEB inspectors identified non-compliances to the NEB OPR sections 4(2), 15 and 54. Inspectors found the pipe specifications of the pipe being installed on mainline construction did not match Schedule A of certificate OC-062 (A3V9D6). The minimum wall thickness in the certificate is stated as 11.8 mm, however inspectors noted the pipe being installed had only a 10.9 mm wall thickness. These changes were implemented without Enbridge requesting approval from the Board. Enbridge had not requested a variance at the time of the Inspection. In response to the non-compliances, Enbridge committed to submitting a Request for Variance to the Board.
- 3. As a result of the Inspection, NEB inspectors issued a Notice of Non-Compliance (NNC) to Enbridge for failure to comply with the OPR and Schedule A of the Certificate in ensuring the pipeline was designed and constructed as approved by the Board (828378).
- 4. On 17 October 2014, Enbridge submitted an application vary Certificate OC-062 requesting modifications to certain Project specifications, including those in respect of pipeline wall thickness (A63599). In its variance application, Enbridge acknowledged its non-compliance with Conditions 1 and 2 of the Certificate regarding wall thickness changes. In accounting for these changes, Enbridge cited refinements to design parameters made in the initial engineering phase of the Project, resulting in modification to the pipe specifications provided in the Project Application.



5. From 24 October to 5 December clarify the requested variances to		1			s with En	ıbridge in	order to	
6. On 23 January 2015, the Boa advised Enbridge Governor in Crequest for variance raised composition of the	Council approval would b	e required to finalize the varian	ce. The Bo	oard noted	in its lett	er that tir	ning of th	ne
3. PENALTY CALCULAT	TION / CALCUL DES	SANCTIONS						
(a) BASELINE PENALTY (	Gravity Value = 0) / PÉNA	ALITÉ DE BASE (côte de gravi	ité = 0)					
Category / Catégorie	(Type A)	Individual / Personne physique  ☐ \$1,365	Any Other Person / Autre Personne  ☐ \$5,025					
	(Type B)	<b>\$10,000</b>	⊠ \$40,000					
[Refer to AMP Regulations, Subs								
(b) APPLICABLE GRAVIT			PLICABL	LES				
[Refer to AMP Regulations, Subs	section 4(2) / Voir le <u>Règlen</u>	nent, paragraphe 4(2)]	3.60.1					
					.ggravating / Aggravantes			
			-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
Other violations in previo		ntres infractions au cours						
* insert additional information,	as required *							
Any competitive or economic concurrentiels ou économic		9						
* insert additional information,	as required *							
Reasonable efforts to mitigate / reverse violation's effect / Efforts raisonnables déployés pour atténuer ou annuler les effets de l'infraction								
* insert additional information,	as required *							
Negligence on part of per part de la personne ayant		olation / Négligence de la						
* insert additional information,	as required *							
Reasonable assistance to raisonnable avec l'Office				$\boxtimes$				



Enbridge management has provided an explanation of the events that led to the non-compliance and has committed to developing new

When Enbridge was notified by NEB inspectors of the non-compliance, Enbridge agreed to submit a request for variance to the Certificate and responded to various information requests from the Board in order to clarify the considerations that went into making the design changes.

Enbridge failed to report changes to project specifications around wall thickness to the NEB. NEB inspectors noted the non-compliance while

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conducting a field inspection on 6-10 October 2014.

Promptly reported violation to Board / Infraction signalée sans délai à

Steps taken to prevent reoccurrence of violation / Mesures prises pour

l'Office

prévenir les récidives

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procedures to in order to prevent a similar reoccurrence. Enbridge has also indicated the process is already underway, which could result in additional process improvements.	at a more fu	ilsome rev	iew of its	complian	ce tracki	ing	
Violation was primarily reporting / record-keeping failure / Infraction reliée principalement à la production de rapports ou à la tenue des dossiers							
* insert additional information, as required *							
Any aggravating factors in relation to risk of harm to people or environment / Facteurs aggravants pouvant causer du tort au public ou à l'environnement							
* insert additional information, as required *							
(c) TOTAL GRAVITY VALUE / COTE DE GRAVITÉ GLOBALE					-2		
(d) DAILY PENALTY / SANCTIONS QUOTIDIENNES  (The baseline penalty, adjusted for the final gravity level)  (Pénalité de base d'après la côte de gravité)					16,000		
(e) NUMBER OF DAYS OF VIOLATION / DURÉE DE L'INFRACTION  (If more than one day, then the justification must be provided.)  (Si plus d'une journée, prière de justifier.)					1		
Notes to explain decision to apply multiple daily penalties, or "Not Applicable" des pénalités multiples quotidiennes, ou «sans objet» not applicable	' / Notes po	our explic	juer la d	écision d'	appliqu	er	
4. TOTAL PENALTY AMOUNT / MONTANT TOTAL DE LA PÉNALIT	ГÉ		\$	16,	,000		
Note: The total penalty amount shown is based on the period described in Step 1 above. Violation may be issued.  Le montant total de la pénalité est calculé d'après la période décrite à l'étape 1 ci-d d'infraction pourrait être envoyé.	-				-		
<b>5. DUE DATE</b> (30 days from receipt of Notice of Violation) <b>DATE LIMITE</b> (30 jours à compter de la réception de l'Avis d'infraction)					ch 2015	5	

**Notes** 

You have the right to make a request for a review of the amount of the penalty or the facts of the violation, or both, within 30 days after the Notice of Violation was received.

If you do not pay the penalty nor request a review within the prescribed period, you are considered to have committed the violation and you are liable for the penalty set out in the Notice of Violation. The penalty is due on the date indicated above.

The unpaid penalty amount is a debt due to the Crown and may be recovered by collection procedures stipulated in the *Financial* Administration Act.

The information regarding the violation may be posted on the NEB website:

- 30 days from the date this Notice of Violation was received a) or;
- upon issuing a decision following a Request for Review. b)

## To Make Payment:

You may remit your fee payment by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) or by cheque payable to the order of Receiver General for

EFT payments can be arranged by contacting the Director of Financial Services, Monday to Friday, from 09:00 to 16:00 Mountain Time:

Telephone: 403-606-0779 / 800-899-1265 Fax: 403-292-5503 / 877-288-8803

Cheques should be made out to the "Receiver General for Canada" and mailed to:

National Energy Board Attention: Finance Centre 10, 517 – 10th Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2R 0A8

Your completed Payment form should be enclosed with your payment.

Vous disposez de 30 jours après la signification de l'Avis d'infraction pour demander une révision du montant de la pénalité, ou les faits rapportés, ou les deux.

Si les sanctions ne sont pas acquittées et qu'aucune révision n'est demandée, vous êtes considérés comme coupable de l'infraction et vous devez payer les sanctions précisées dans l'Avis d'infraction. Les sanctions sont payables à la date indiquée ci-dessus.

Un défaut de paiement constitue une créance envers l'Etat et peut être recouvré en utilisant tous les recours prévus dans la Loi sur la gestion des finances publiques.

L'information concernant l'infraction pourrait égalment être affichée sur le site Web de l'ONE:

- 30 jours après la date de réception de l'Avis; a)
- dès qu'une décision a été rendue à la suite d'une Demande de b) Révision.

### Paiement:

Vous pouvez payer le montant dû par transfert électronique de fonds (TEF) ou par chèque établi à l'ordre du Receveur général du Canada.

Pour se prévaloir du service de transfert électronique, communiquer par téléphone avec le Directeur, Service des finances, du lundi au vendredi, de 9 h à 16 h, heure des Rocheuses :

Telephone: 403-606-0779/800-899-1265 Telec.: 403-292-5503/877-288-8803

Les chèques doivent être établis à l'ordre du Receveur général du Canada et postés à l'adresse suivante:

Office national de l'énergie Service des finances Centre 10, 517 – 10e Avenue S.-O. Calgary (Alberta) T2R 0A8

Le formulaire de paiement dûment rempli doit accompagner le paiement.



#### To Request a Review

Pursuant to the NEB Act, Section 144, you may file a request for a review of this Notice of Violation by the Board.

The date of filing is the date on which the document is received, as indicated by the date on an e-mail submission or the stamped on the document by a NEB employee.

If you elect to make a request for a review, complete and submit the attached Request for Review form to:

Administrative Monetary Penalty - Reviews National Energy Board Centre 10, 517 – 10th Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2R 0A8

For more information on reviews, please see the Administrative Monetary Penalties Process Guide available on the NEB's website.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

#### Demander de révision

En vertu de l'article 144 de la Loi sur 1'ONE, vous pouvez présenter à l'Office une Demande de révision de cet Avis l'infraction.

La date du dépôt correspond à la date de réception du document, qui apparait sur l'envoi électronique ou le timbre appose sur le document par un employé de l'ONE.

Si vous voulez demander une révision, veuillez remplir et soumettre le formulaire de Demande de révision à l'adresse suivante :

Sanction administrative pécuniaire - Révision Office national de l'énergie Centre 10, 517 – 10e Avenue S.-O. Calgary (Alberta) T2R 0A8

Pour de plus amples informations sur le processus de révision, prière de consulter le Guide sur le processus relatif aux sanctions administratives pécuniaires sur le site Web.

Pour toute question à ce sujet, veuillez communiquer avec la personne soussignée.

Sincères salutations,

**Robert Steedman** 

**Designated Officer** Administrative Monetary Penalties

Fonctionnaire désigné Sanctions administratives pécunaires

403-299-3178

