

STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE PIPELINE COORDINATOR'S OFFICE
NOTICE OF APPLICATION UNDER AS 38.35.070

SPECTRUM LNG PROJECT
RIGHT-OF-WAY LEASE APPLICATION – ADL 419409
DATED OCTOBER 3, 2012

The Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources, pursuant to Alaska Statute (AS) 38.35.070, hereby gives notice that Spectrum Alaska, LLC (Spectrum) submitted an application dated Oct. 3, 2012, in accordance with the Alaska Right-of-Way Leasing Act, AS 38.35.050, for a proposed Spectrum LNG Project.

Spectrum proposes to construct a 1,100-foot above ground pipeline to transport natural gas. The pipeline will extend from south of Flow Station #3 to a Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) facility to be constructed north of Spine Road, both located on the North Slope of Alaska. The proposed pipeline right-of-way will contain one eight-inch diameter pipe, a pad for the LNG facilities, and two associated driveways to access Spine Road. The pipeline design maximum throughput is approximately 50 million standard cubic feet (MMscf) per day.

Construction is scheduled to begin July 2013 with project completion projected for summer 2014. Operations are scheduled to commence August 2014. Spectrum has requested a 100-foot wide right-of-way for pipeline construction and a 35-foot wide permanent right-of-way. The LNG pad will be 800-foot by 800-foot with two 40-foot wide driveways connecting it to Spine Road. The pad will be used for offices, living quarters, and LNG equipment. During construction, the right-of-way on state-owned lands will be approximately 17.5 acres. The acreage will be reduced, post-construction, to approximately 15.9 acres for the permanent right-of-way.

The proposed right-of-way will traverse:
Western ½ of Section 3, Township 10 North, Range 14 East, Umiat Meridian

The public may obtain copies of the application, at cost, from the State Pipeline Coordinator's Office (SPCO) at the address listed below.

The application is available for download in Adobe PDF at the SPCO website:
<http://dnr.alaska.gov/commis/pco>

Copies of the application will also be available for viewing at the following locations:
Tuzzy Consortium Library, Barrow
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AS 38.35.200 governs judicial review of a decision of the commissioner. The language follows:

AS 38.35.200 Judicial review of decisions of commissioner on application.

(a) An applicant or competing applicant or a person who has direct financial interest affected by the lease who raises objections within 60 days of the publication of notice under AS 38.35.070 are the only persons with standing to seek judicial review of a decision of the commissioner under AS 38.35.100.

(b) The only grounds for judicial review of a decision of the commissioner are

- 1. failure to follow the procedures set out in this chapter; or*
- 2. abuse of discretion so capricious, arbitrary, or confiscatory as to constitute a denial of due process.*

Any objections pursuant to AS 38.35.200 must be submitted, in writing, to the address below by 5:00 p.m. on December 11, 2012.

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/s/ Frederick M. Thompson
State Pipeline Coordinator

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