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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary PA Public Utility
Commission Commonwealth Keystone Bldg.
400 North Street

Supchapter G for Approval of the Siting and
Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line
Associated with the Independence Energy
Connection-East Project in Portion of York
County, Pennsylvania

Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania,
LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57

Docket No. A-2017-2640195

PROTEST

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code 5.51, *et seq.* and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, *et. Seq.*, Sandra J. Traynor files this Protest to the Transource Filing Docket No. A-2017-2640195. In Support of this Protest, Sandra J, Traynor avers as follows:

1. The name and contact information of the Protestant is as follows: Sandra J. Traynor of 523 Alum Rock Road, New Park, PA 17352
2. My interest in this project is as landowner and resident of Fawn Township, York County.
3. The grounds for our protest of this proposal:
 - a. This project does not benefit me personally, my farm land, our neighbors or our community in any way. It severs to devalue our property and the community without any benefits and it is expected to increase electric rates.
 - b. Potential health hazard to us and our neighbors.
 - c. The loss of our beautiful surroundings.
 - d. There are at least two existing right of ways that could be used to facilitate the proposed lines. Where do we draw the line in scaring our beautiful state? How many unnecessary right of ways need to be granted?

4. This directly affects me by:

- a. The loss both finically and limiting usage our of property.
- b. Devaluing our property and the value of property in the community as a whole.
- c. The loss of precious memories, quality of life and general health due to the clear cut right of way and power lines.
- d. The loss of value and hard work we put into obtaining our land and improvements to the property over the last 46 year, which we can't recover if this project is approved.
- e. Destroying significant in-growth timber on our farmland and reducing our future logging income.

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- f. Dissecting an existing building lot on my property making the lot completely unusable or saleable.
- g. Dissecting some of the best farmland on my property limiting agricultural income as well as limiting options for future farming enterprises.
- h. Taking power from Pennsylvania electrical generation facilities and causing an increase in our community electric rates.
- i. Literally cutting our farm in half, destroying the heritage and inheritance we've built for our children and grandchildren.
- j. Destroying the serene and beautiful surroundings that were the reason we built and spent our lives here.

WHEREFORE, Sandra J. Traynor respectfully requests Pennsylvania Public Utility commission to investigate the filing and strongly impose a condition that all other existing rights of way and infrastructure should be utilized before any new power line projects are approved. **The commission should deny the Transource filing.**

Respectfully submitted,



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**BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY
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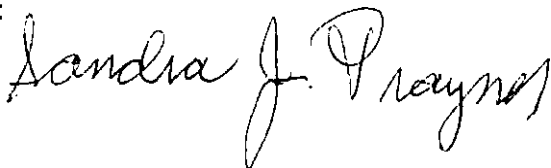
VERIFICATION

I, Sandra J. Traynor

hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct (or are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief) and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Date: 02/14/2018

Signature:



Address:

523 Alum Rock Road

New Park, PA 1735

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document, the Office of Consumer Advocate's Protest and Public Statement to Transource Pennsylvania, LLC, upon parties of record in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code

§ 1.54 (relating to service by a participant), in the manner and upon the persons listed below:

Dated this 10th day of January 2018

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