Feb. 17, 2018

Rosemary Charvetta, Secretary

**PA Public Utility Comission** 

Commonwealth Keystone Bldg.

400 North Street

Harrisburg, PA 17120

Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC

Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57, Supchapter G

For Approval of the Siting and Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line

Associated with the Independence Energy Connection-West Project in Portions of Franklin County Docket No. A-2017-2640200

## **PROTEST**

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.51, et seq. and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, et. seq., Protestant, Cathy Prieston, files this Protest to the Independence Energy Connection-West. I, Cathy Prieston, live at 263 Westover Way in Chambersburg, PA in Greene Township. My home phone number is 717-264-5345 and email is: cmprieston@gmail.com

I file this protest for several reasons. First of all, I am highly opposed to the installation of the High Voltage Power Lines in our area due to the unknown long-term health effects from the radiation emitted which could be detrimental to my family's and friends' health. Second, I am also concerned about the effects on the surrounding farm's livestock and wildlife in the area.

My husband and I are property owners and are very concerned how the installation of these lines and the unsightly 135 foot towers will most definitely lower the value of our house and property. We are also concerned the project would place a heavy burden on county services and our roadways resulting in an increase in our taxes.

To my knowledge residents of Franklin County will not benefit in any way from this project as the

project will only benefit those consumers in Baltimore, Washington, DC; and Northern Virginia areas.

The excavation needed for this project will most certainly destroy good farm land in our area effecting

the county's and surrounding area farmers and families' livelihood without any benefit for them.

WHEREFORE, I, Cathy Prieston, file this protest and respectfully request the Pennsylvania Public Utility

Commission urging you to investigate the Transource Independance Energy Connection and deny any

application to construct High Voltage Power Lines through Franklin County and surrounding areas.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature of Protestant]

Dated: 02/19/2018

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57 Subchapter G, for Approval of the Siting and Construction of the 230kV Transmission Line Associated with the Independence Energy Connection-West Project in Portions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania Docket No. A-2017-2640200

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing Petition to
Intervene 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 02/19/2018

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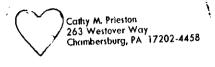
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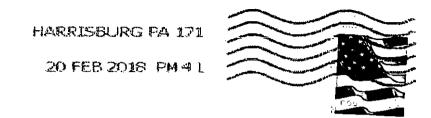
**VERIFICATION** 

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I, Cathy Prieston, 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: 02/19/2018 (Signature)





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