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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary PA Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Bldg. 400 North Street Harrisburg, PA 17120 RECEIVED

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PA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION SECRETARY'S BUREAU

Dear Ms. Chiavetta:

Re: 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-East Project in Portions of York County, Pennsylvania Docket No. A-2017-2640195

PROTEST	

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.51, et seq. and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, et. seq., Carole K. Long files this Protest to the Transource Filing Docket No. A-2017-2640195. In support of this Protest, Carole K. Long avers as follows:

Carole K. Long of 844 Woolen Mill Road, Stewartstown, PA 17363 Email: newfielong@hotmail.com

My interest in this project is as a landowner, former business owner and resident of Hopewell Township York County. The proposed lines would require an easement on my property known as Top of the Hill English Shires and a pick your own fruit and vegetable operation.

The grounds for my protest of the proposal:

- My daughter and I are currently in a reorganization phase of importing, breeding, training and selling English Shire and Clydesdale draft horses and growing and selling Christmas trees.
- We do not know what impact powerlines would have on the welfare of our mares and foals, but research has indicated that the effects are not good.

This powerline project would directly affect me by limiting my ability to build fences, barns, run-in sheds and individual paddocks because of the location of the electric tower.

- There is no guarantee that animals will not be harmed from this project.
- The power line would provide an unsafe and unattractive environment where we can show the horses to prospective buyers. The same would pertain to the Christmas trees when they are large enough to sell.
- Employment associated with building this project are temporary, whereas, a small business, such as ours, needs to survive without worrying about the dangers of an unnecessary powerline.

WHEREFORE, Carole K. Long respectfully requests the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to investigate the filing, and to strongly impose a condition that all other existing rights of way and infrastructure should be utilized before any new power line projects are approved and the Commission should deny the Transource filing.

Respectfully submitted,

Care D. Jang

Carole K. Long