

April 24, 2019

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Esquire
PA Public Utility Commission
Secretary
P.O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

**Re: Application No. A-2018-3004312
Falls-Steel Tap Substations - Line Optimization
Amended Application of PECO Energy**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

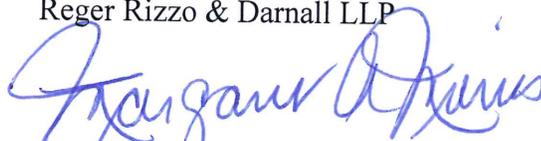
Attached for filing is the Amended Application of PECO Energy Company (PECO) for approval to alter the public at-grade crossing (DOT # 960 641 F) so as to hang fiber optic cables between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation, along Bristol Pike crossing four Conrail tracks, in Morrisville Borough, Bucks County. Enclosed are the plan and profile drawings for the project.

As indicated on the Certificate of Service, a copy of PECO's Amended Application has been provided to the Service List in the manner indicated.

If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Reger Rizzo & Darnall LLP



Margaret A. Morris

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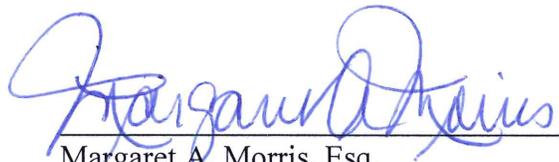
cc: Scott Dieriscio, TUS, PA Public Utility Commission [w/att.]
Ward Smith, Exelon Business Services [w/att.]
Service List [w/enc.]

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been served upon the following persons on the attached Service List, *via* first class mail, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

Dated: April 24, 2019



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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Application of PECO Energy Company for the :
Approval to alter the public below-grade crossing :
(DOT # 960 641 F) so as to hang fiber optic cables : Docket No. A-2018-3004312
Between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap :
Substation along Bristol Pike crossing a Single :
Track of CONRAIL in Morrisville Borough, :
Bucks County. :

**AMENDED APPLICATION OF PECO ENERGY COMPANY
TO ALTER BELOW-GRADE CROSSING AT THE
FALLS-STEEL TAP SUBSTATION BUCKS COUNTY**

TO PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION:

1. The name and address of the Applicant is PECO Energy Company, 2301 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19101-8699 (Applicant or PECO).

2. The Applicant is a public utility incorporated under Delaware Law and is a subsidiary corporation of the Exelon Corporation. The Applicant, *inter alia*, provides electric service in Pennsylvania as well as other states in the eastern portion of the United States. As an electric utility, PECO avers it has the corporate right to utilize the public below-grade crossing, DOT #960 641 F, between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation along Bristol Pike crossing a single track of CONRAIL (the Railroad) in Morrisville Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania (Crossing) to enhance the quality of electric service provided to its customers in this area.

3. PECO is represented by the following counsel:

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4. The Applicant proposes to hang overhead fiber optic cables between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation along Bristol Pike as shown on plan and profile drawings attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. The Applicant contacted the entities listed below with a letter and plans explaining its intention to obtain permission to alter the Crossing described herein and the reasons for the proposed alterations:

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The Almshouse, Neshaminy Manor Center
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Charles H. Martin
Chairman, Bucks County Commissioners
Bucks County Administration Building
55 East Court Street
Doylestown, PA 18901

Public Works Department
Morrisville Borough
35 Union Street
Morrisville, PA 19067

6. The Applicant estimates the cost to hang overhead fiber optic cables between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation to be \$64,785 and agrees to bear all the costs incurred in furnishing material and performing the work necessary to hang fiber optic cables to serve its customers.

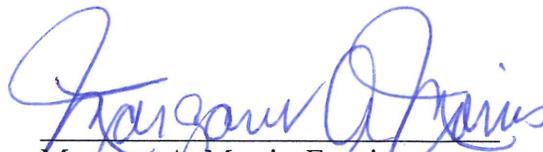
7. The Applicant avers it is necessary and proper for the accommodation, convenience and service of the public that PECO be authorized by the Commission to hang overhead fiber optic cables between Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation to upgrade its facilities at the Crossing.

8. A field visit is not required.

9. The Applicant does not request a hearing prior to issuance of an order approving the Amended Application. Any hearing required to determine the final allocation of costs can be held after issuance of an order approving the project at the parties' initial cost and after completion of the work.

WHEREFORE, PECO Energy Company, requests that its Amended Application to alter the public below-grade crossing, DOT #960 641 F, so as to hang fiber optic cables between the Falls Substation and Steel Tap Substation along Bristol Pike, crossing a single track of CONRAIL in Morrisville Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: April 24, 2019

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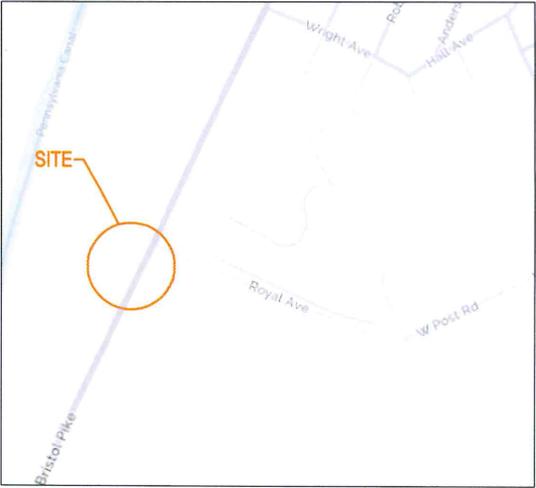
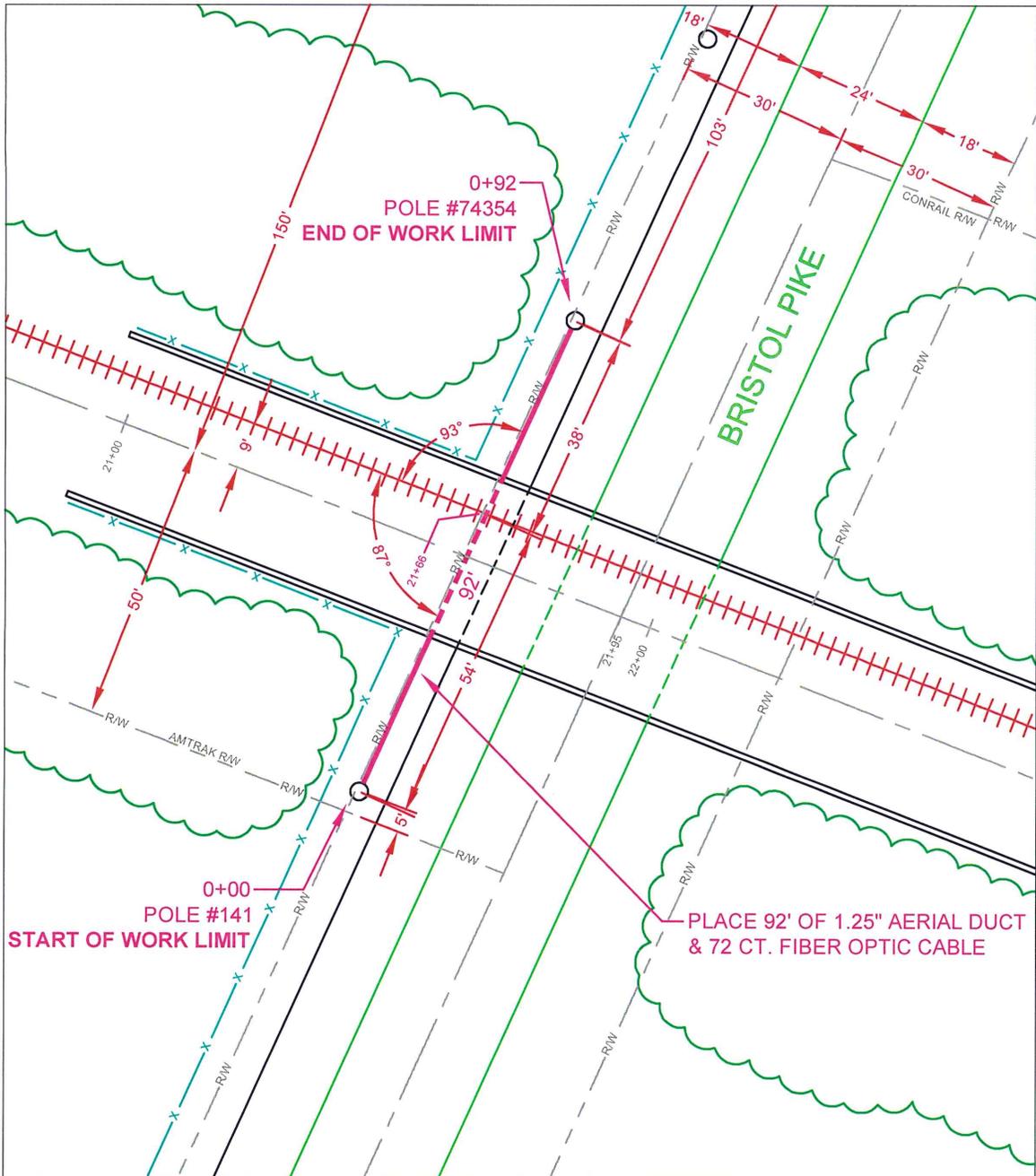
I, Tom Santacroce, of PECO Energy Company, hereby state that the facts in the foregoing document(s) are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that false statements therein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904, relating to unsworn falsifications to authorities.

Dated: April 23, 2019



Tom Santacroce
Specialist
Real Estate Department
PECO Energy Company

Exhibit A



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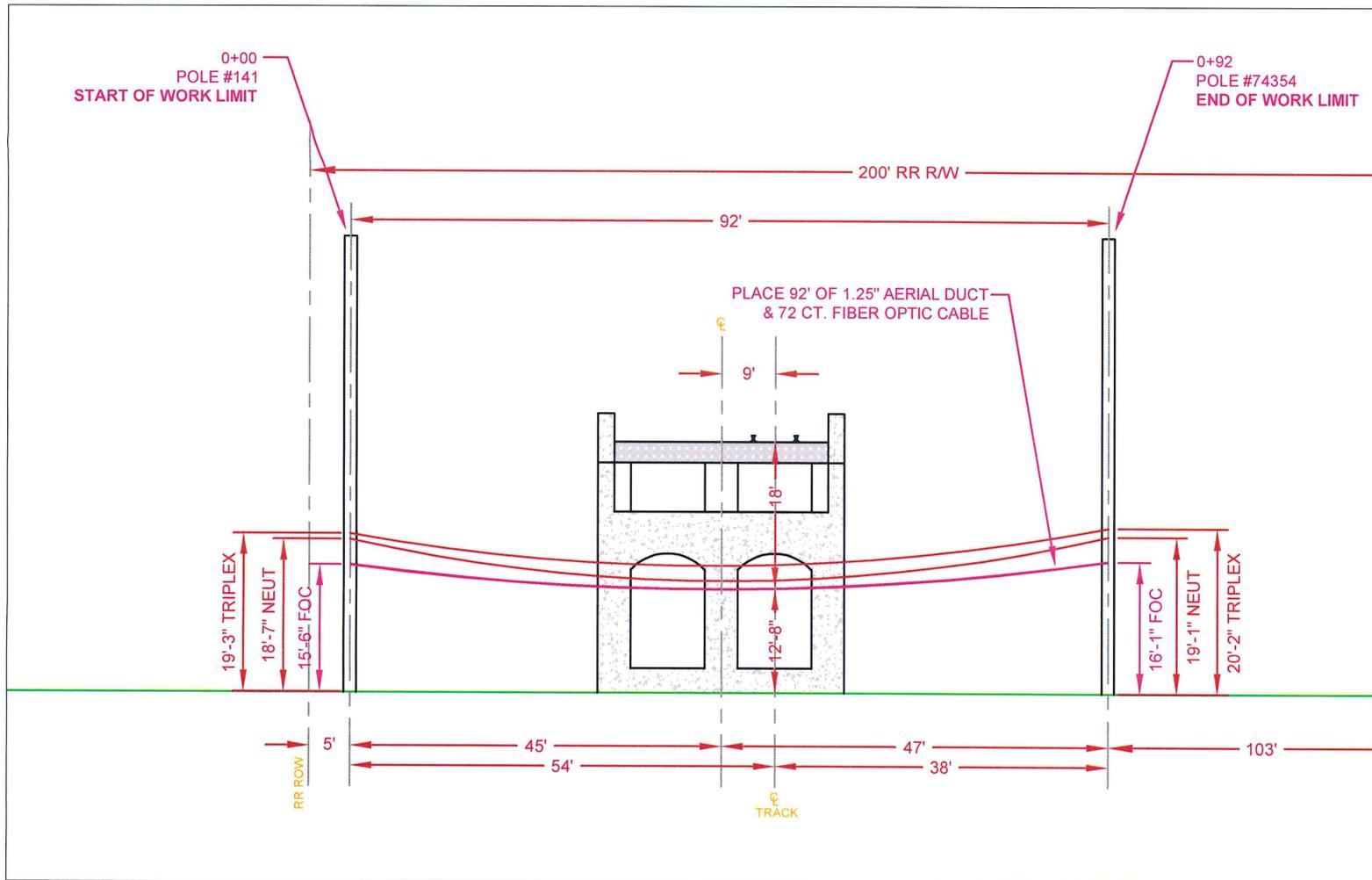
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 MORRISVILLE, PA
 BUCKS COUNTY

DRAWING NUMBER:
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CONRAIL
 FORMERLY PENNSYLVANIA RR
 STATION 21+90 TO STATION 48+00
 VAL SECTION 7007
 LINE CODE 1121

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SECTION LOOKING WEST
SCALE: 1" = 20'

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