



**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING  
400 NORTH STREET  
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120

IN REPLY PLEASE  
REFER TO OUR FILE

February 8, 2023

A-2018-3000172

**Via Eservice and Email Only**  
**TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD**

Application of the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the approval to replace the existing bridge where State Route 0183, Section 05B (Schuylkill Avenue) crosses over two tracks of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company (DOT # 592 216 N) in the City of Reading, Berks County and the allocation of costs incident thereto.

To Whom It May Concern:

Paragraph 2 of the Commission's Secretarial Letter dated May 21, 2018, directed that detailed construction plans for the project involved herein be submitted for approval.

The detailed construction plans were received January 4, 2023, with the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation averring that a copy was served on all the parties of record. The plans were identified as "COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DRAWINGS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STATE ROUTE 0183 SECTION 05B IN BERKS COUNTY" and consists of one-hundred seventeen (117) sheets of construction plans.

No objection to the plans were received by the Commission.

The Commission issues this Secretarial Letter in accordance with Section 2702 of the Public Utility Code and approves the detailed construction plans submitted by the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

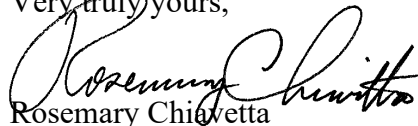
The Parties are reminded that failure to comply with this or any Order or Secretarial Letter in this proceeding may result in an enforcement action seeking civil penalties and/or other sanctions pursuant to 66 Pa. C.S. § 3301.

The Commission has waived certain regulatory service provisions as directed by the Commission's Order at M-2021-3028321. Currently, while the Commission's physical facilities are open for business, some of the operational restraints occasioned by the pandemic remain. It is evident that the pandemic and its changing nature require certain procedural flexibility for the public, the regulated community, and the Commission. Toward this end, the Commission will continue to permit electronic service by the Commission on all parties, regardless of whether a particular party has agreed to electronic service. An exception to this general waiver is where the Public Utility Code requires service by specified means, e.g., Section 702. Additionally, service on Commission staff in proceedings pending before it, whether staff is a party or otherwise, shall be exclusively electronic unless the parties agree otherwise. Filings must be submitted by e-filing with the Secretary of the Commission by opening an e-filing account through the Commission's website and accepting eservice at <https://www.puc.pa.gov/filing-resources/efiling/>. If your filing contains confidential material, you are required to file by overnight delivery to ensure the timely filing of your submission.

If you are dissatisfied with the resolution of this matter, you may, as set forth in 52 Pa. Code §§ 1.31 and 5.44, file a Petition for Reconsideration from Staff Action (Petition) with the Commission within twenty (20) days of the date of this letter. The Petition shall be submitted by e-filing said petition within twenty (20) days, or if no timely request is made, the action will be deemed to be a final action of the Commission.

The Petition MUST include: (1) a written statement (divided into numbered paragraphs) outlining the reasons for the request; (2) the case docket number (it is provided for you at the top right hand corner of this letter); (3) the party on whose behalf the petition is made; (4) a Certificate of Service on the other parties of record; and (5) a Verification with original signature in accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 1.36.

Very truly yours,

  
Rosemary Chivetta  
Secretary