

**COMMOWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

BLACKWOOD, INC.	:	
	:	
v.	:	
	:	Docket Nos.
READING, BLUE MOUNTAIN AND NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY	:	C-20078010 and A-20082016324
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	:	Judge F. Joseph Brady

STATUS REPORT

Please allow this report to provide the Status Report of Reading, Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad Company in the above-referenced consolidated matters. Thank you again, Your Honor, for the brief extension to provide this Status Report.

The undersigned counsel has recently taken over the handling of this file for our office. The file was previously handled by Atty. Alex Marcinko, who is no longer with our firm.

Based upon my discussions with Atty. Cerullo last week, and the information contained in the Status Report filed by Blackwood on August 7, 2023, it is my understanding that Atty. Cerullo and Atty. Marcinko discussed additional discovery in the S-1179-2008 matter which is currently pending in the Schuylkill County Court of Common Pleas. It is also my understanding that those discussions included the possibility of depositions, and that, based upon Blackwood's Status Report, Atty.

Cerullo will try to schedule those depositions in late September / early October. It is also my understanding from subsequent communications from the Solicitor of Reilly Township that dates may not be available until mid to late October.

Following my more detailed review of the file, I will contact Atty. Cerullo regarding those depositions and moving the case forward in Schuylkill County. I will also update this Honorable Court as appropriate following that more detailed review, and if necessary, would respectfully request the ability to request an additional status conference with the Court.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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