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**BEFORE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

In re: Application of Reading, Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad for approval of the installation of warning devices of the crossing AAR 361-487G where Allen Street crosses at grade the tracks of Reading, Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad, located in Borough of Nesquehoning in Carbon County.  
To Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

Application  
Docket No.

1. The name and address of applicant are Reading, Blue Mountain & Northern Railroad; 1 Railroad Blvd. Port Clinton, PA 19549.

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2. The name and address of applicant's attorney are N/A.

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3. The Reading, Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad (RBMN) is the owner and operator at the railroad crossing where RBMN crosses Allen Street at grade in the Borough of Nesquehoning, County of Carbon. As the owner and operator, RBMN is applying to install active warning devices at the crossing.

4. The crossing has crossbucks. RBMN is applying to alter the crossing automatic warning devices with the installation gates and flashers. See Exhibit A for an aerial image of the crossing location.

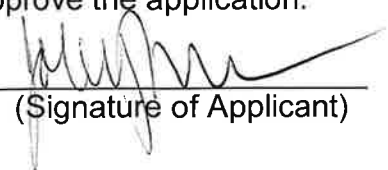
5. Public entities located in the vicinity of Allen Street at grade crossing include: Nesquehoning Borough, Carbon County, PennDOT District 5.

6. (This paragraph to contain a statement of the number of persons and vehicles of all kinds using the highway at the crossing for three days, preferably a Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the count to be taken 24 hours each day, and a classified statement verified by affidavit of the persons making the count must be attached as an exhibit.)

7. RBMN will be responsible for the installation and maintenance of the proposed warning devices. Estimated cost of installation being \$551,938.44.

8. Approval of this application is necessary in order to move forward with installing active warning devices at this crossing.

Wherefore, applicant prays your Honorable Commission to approve the application:

  
(Signature of Applicant)

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**§ 1.36. Verification.**

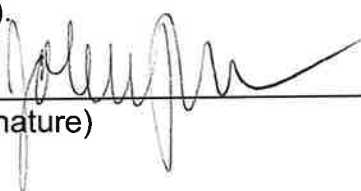
(a) Applications, petitions, formal complaints, motions and answers thereto containing an averment of fact not appearing of record in the action or containing a denial of fact shall be personally verified by a party thereto or by an authorized officer of the party if a corporation or association. Verification means a signed written statement of fact supported by oath or affirmation or made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. §4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities). If verification is required, notarization is not necessary.

(b) The Verification form should comply substantially with the following:

**VERIFICATION**

I, Jolene Busher, 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: 8/12/24

  
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(Signature)

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**Exhibit A:**  
Allen Street (AAR 361-487G) at grade crossing, Borough of  
Nesquehoning, Carbon County



**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of § 1.54 (relating to service by participant).

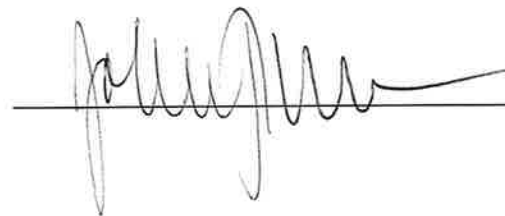
The Secretary of the Commission  
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Dated this 12 day of August, 2024.

  
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(Signature)