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December 12, 2024

**Via Electronic Filing**

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
400 North Street 2nd FL  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**RE: A-2023-3043493**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

Enclosed for electronic filing please find the Department's *Notice of Appearance* in the above-captioned matter.

I hereby certify that a copy has been sent to all parties of record as indicated by the Certificate of Service.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karen L. Cummings".

Karen L. Cummings  
Senior Counsel

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leah J. Bobula".

Leah J. Bobula, Counsel

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**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

In re: Application of the Department of : **Docket No. A-2023-3043493**  
Transportation of the Commonwealth of :  
Pennsylvania to replace the existing bridge where : **Electronically Filed**  
West Lackawanna Avenue crosses, above grade, :  
two (2) tracks owned by Norfolk Southern Railway :  
Company and operated thereon by Delaware- :  
Lackawanna Railroad Company, Inc. (DOT 265 :  
971 V) in the City of Scranton, Lackawanna :  
County, and the allocation of costs incident thereto. :

**Notice of Appearance**

Please enter the appearance of Karen L. Cummings, Senior Counsel, and Leah Jo Bobula, Counsel, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, in the above-referenced action. The undersigned are authorized to accept service on behalf of the Department in this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants listed below, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code §1.54, by:

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