



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
400 NORTH STREET
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120
May 28, 2025

In Re: C-20078010
A-2008-2016324

(SEE ATTACHED LIST)

Blackwood Inc v. Reading Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad Company

Application for Approval of the Abolition of the Crossing where Township Route T-567 crosses at grade the tracks of reading, Blue Mountain and Northern Railroad Company, located in Reilly Township, Schuylkill County.

Rail Crossings

Hearing Type Change Notice

This is to inform you that the Further hearing in the above captioned case has been changed from a Further Call-In Telephonic Hearing to a Further In-Person Hearing.

Type: Further In-Person Hearing

Date: Thursday, August 7, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM

Location: In an available 4th Floor Hearing Room
(Take one of the last four elevators at the far end of the lobby)
801 Market Street (enter on 8th Street)
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Presiding: Administrative Law Judge F. Joseph Brady
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Any Witnesses must be present during the time of the hearing.

FAILURE TO APPEAR: You may lose the case if you do not take part in this hearing and present evidence on the issue(s) raised. Your case may be dismissed “with prejudice” which means that you will be barred from filing another complaint raising the same claim(s) and issue(s) presented in the dismissed complaint.

CONTINUANCES. You may request a continuance of the hearing if you have a good reason. All continuances will be granted only for good cause. To request a continuance, you must submit a written request (a “motion”) at least five (5) days before the hearing. Your motion should include: 1) The case name, number, and hearing date; 2) The reason for the request; and 3) Whether the other party agrees (or if you do not know).

REPRESENTATION. If you are an individual, you may represent yourself or you may have an attorney represent you. All others, including a partnership, corporation, trust, association, or governmental agency or subdivision, must be represented by an attorney licensed to practice law in Pennsylvania, or admitted *pro hac vice*. Only an attorney may represent someone else.

PRESENTING EXHIBITS. If you intend to present any documents or exhibits at the hearing, you must email one (1) copy to the Presiding Officer at fbrady@pa.gov and one (1) copy each must be sent to every other party. All copies must be received at least five (5) business days before the hearing. Proposed exhibits should be properly pre-marked for identification purposes.

ACCOMMODATION. Any party who needs an accommodation for a disability in order to participate in this hearing process may request one. Please call the OALJ scheduling office at least five (5) business days prior to your hearing to submit your request.

If you require an interpreter to participate in the hearing, please call the scheduling office at least ten (10) business days prior to your hearing to submit your request.

- Scheduling Office: 717.787.1399
- Persons who are deaf or hearing-impaired may call a relay operator at 711

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Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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cc:
ALJ Brady
Calendar File

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