

**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Application of Mid-Atlantic Interstate	:	
Transmission, LLC Filed Pursuant to 52	:	
Pa. Code Chapter 57, Subchapter G, for	:	Docket No. A-2025-3056951
Approval of the Siting and Construction of	:	
the Carroll-Hunterstown 230	:	
kV Transmission Line Located in Straban,	:	
Mount Pleasant, Mount Joy and	:	
Germany Townships, Adams County,	:	
Pennsylvania	:	

**ORDER**  
**TRANSFERRING UNPROTESTED APPLICATION TO THE**  
**BUREAU OF TECHNICAL UTILITY SERVICES**

On August 8, 2025, Mid-Atlantic Interstate Transmission, LLC (“MAIT”) filed, pursuant to the regulations of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”), at 52 Pa. Code § 57.72 *et seq.*, and its Interim Guidelines for the Filing of Electric Transmission Line Siting Applications at 52 Pa. Code § 69.3101 *et seq.*, an application requesting the Commission’s approval to construct approximately 12.9 miles of 230 kilovolt (“kV”) transmission line by rebuilding the existing 115 kV and 138 kV transmission lines between the Pennsylvania-Maryland border and the Hunterstown Substation to double-circuit 230/115 kV and 230/138 kV lines.

The proposed Carroll–Hunterstown 230 kV Transmission Line will cross 12.9 miles in Straban, Mount Pleasant, Mount Joy, and Germany Townships in Adams County, Pennsylvania. In addition to the portions of the Carroll–Hunterstown 230 kV Transmission Line located in Pennsylvania, approximately 11.3 miles of the proposed

line will be located in Carroll County, Maryland, terminating at the Carroll Substation. Notice of the application was published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin on September 13, 2025, at 55 Pa.B. 6667.

On September 30, 2025, the undersigned Administrative Law Judges issued a Prehearing Conference Order directing, among other things, that a Telephonic Prehearing Conference would be held on November 24, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. The Prehearing Conference Order stated that formal protests and petitions to intervene must be filed on or before November 17, 2025. On October 16, 2025, MAIT filed with the Commission proof of publication, indicating that notice of the prehearing conference and the deadline for the filing of protests and petitions to intervene was published in the Gettysburg Times on October 7, 2025, and October 14, 2025.

The initial Prehearing Conference convened as scheduled on November 24, 2025. Megan Rulli, Esquire, appeared on behalf of MAIT. No protests or petitions to intervene were filed with the Commission and no other objections or challenges to the application were registered. MAIT made an uncontested motion during the Prehearing Conference to refer this matter to the Commission's Bureau of Technical Utility Services ("TUS").

Since no protests or petitions to intervene were filed in this proceeding, the matter will be assigned to TUS. Such a course of action is appropriate because MAIT served a copy of its application on the property owners and notice of the application and initial Prehearing Conference was published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin. Therefore, the property owners received notice of the Prehearing Conference and the deadline for filing protests or petitions to intervene and had an opportunity to be heard as required to provide due process. *Schneider v. Pa. Pub. Util. Comm'n*, 479 A.2d 10 (Pa. Cmwlth 1984). No one has indicated any opposition to MAIT's application either during the Prehearing Conference or by filing a protest or petition to intervene.

Treating MAIT's application as unopposed is appropriate in this circumstance and will dispense with the need for hearings and briefs, saving the Commission, MAIT and ultimately MAIT's customers, costs in time and money. The matter will therefore be reassigned to TUS.

ORDER

THEREFORE,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission) reassign the Application of Mid-Atlantic Interstate Transmission, LLC filed pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57, Subchapter G, for Approval of the Siting and Construction of the Carroll-Hunterstown 230 kV Transmission Line Located in Straban, Mount Pleasant, Mount Joy and Germany Townships, Adams County, Pennsylvania from the Commission's Office of Administrative Law Judge to the Commission's Bureau of Technical Utility Services for further review and disposition.

Date: December 9, 2025

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/s/  
Steven K. Haas  
Charece Z. Collins  
Administrative Law Judges

**A-2025-3056951 - APPLICATION OF MID-ATLANTIC INTERSTATE TRANSMISSION, LLC  
FILED PURSUANT TO 52 PA. CODE CHAPTER 57, SUBCHAPTER G, FOR APPROVAL OF  
THE SITTING AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE CARROLL-HUNTERSTOWN 230 KILOVOLT  
TRANSMISSION LINE LOCATED IN STRABAN, MOUNT PLEASANT, MOUNT JOY, AND  
GERMANY TOWNSHIPS, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

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