



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION
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May 24, 2007

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Mr. Tim Gaul
The Louis Berger Group, Inc.
2445 M Street
NW, Washington, DC 20037 USA

In re: PNDI Database Review
Proposed Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line 500 kV Transmission Line Project
(500 kV and 138 kV Transmission Lines)
Impacts to SGL # 223
Greene and Washington Counties, PA

Dear Mr. Gaul:

This is in response to your letter dated May 21, 2007, regarding the potential, impacts of your project(s) on special concern species of birds or mammals and State Game Lands.

Our office review has determined that your project(s) should not cause any adverse impacts to any special concern species of birds or mammals recognized by the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

The proposed transmission line route crosses a portion of State Game Lands # 223. Please contact Mr. Barry Zaffuto, Land Management Supervisor, at (724) 238-9523 to discuss and coordinate obtaining the necessary approvals for locating your project on State Game Lands.

If project plans change or extend beyond the present project area, or if additional information becomes available on special concern species, this determination may be reconsidered.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (717) 783-5957.

Very truly yours,

James R. Leigey
Wildlife Impact Review Coordinator
Division of Environmental
Planning and Habitat Protection
Bureau of Wildlife Habitat Management

Attachment

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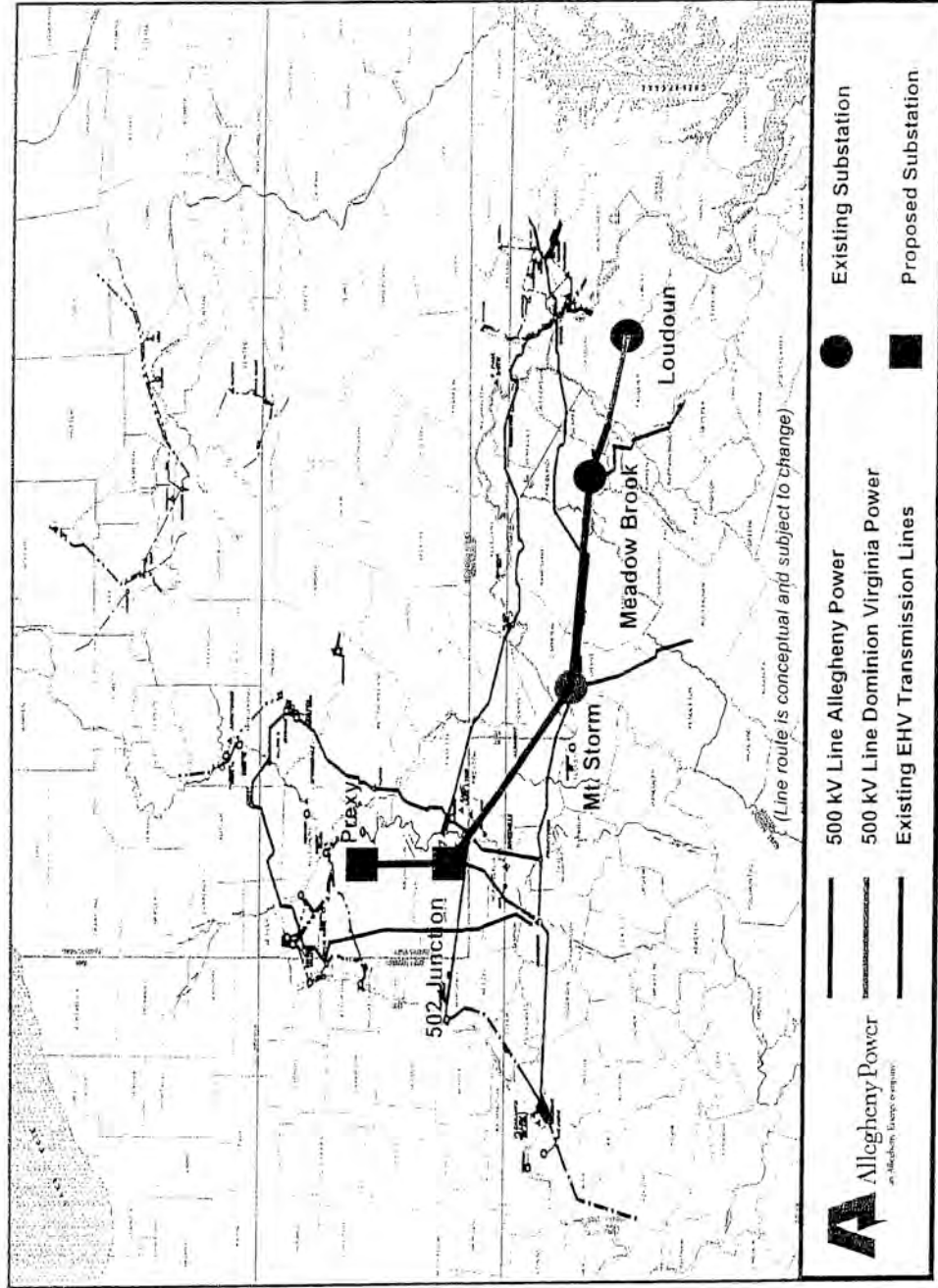
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Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line

Proposed Transmission Expansion in the PJM Region



**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Re: APPLICATION OF TRANS-ALLEGHENY :
INTERSTATE LINE COMPANY FOR (I) A :
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE TO :
OFFER, RENDER, FURNISH AND/OR SUPPLY :
TRANSMISSION SERVICE IN THE : A-110172
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA; : A-110172F0002
(II) AUTHORIZATION AND TO LOCATE, : A-110172F0003
CONSTRUCT, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN : A-110172F0004
CERTAIN HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRIC : G-00071229
TRANSMISSION LINES AND RELATED :
ELECTRIC SUBSTATION FACILITIES; :
(III) AUTHORITY TO EXERCISE THE POWER :
EMINENT DOMAIN FOR THE CONSTRUCTION :
AND INSTALLATION OF AERIAL ELECTRIC :
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES ALONG THE :
PROPOSED TRANSMISSION LINE ROUTES IN :
PENNSYLVANIA; (IV) APPROVAL OF AN :
EXEMPTION FROM MUNICIPAL ZONING :
REGULATION WITH RESPECT TO THE :
CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS; AND (V) :
APPROVAL OF CERTAIN RELATED :
AFFILIATED INTERESTS ARRANGEMENTS :

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PETITION TO INTERVENE

AND NOW this 29th day of May, 2007, comes the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania Game Commission, (hereinafter, PGC), by and through its Assistant Counsel, and makes this Petition to Intervene as follows:

1. The PGC is an independent administrative agency with its principal office at 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110.
2. On or about April 13, 2007 Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company (Trail.Co) filed an application (hereinafter, the Application), and on May 7, Trail.Co served the application on the PGC, with respect to a 500 kV electric transmission line in

southwestern Pennsylvania to the above referenced and captioned docket number with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, (hereinafter, PUC).

3. Pursuant to the Application, TrAILCo requested authority to exercise the power of Eminent Domain.

4. If the Application is approved, it would entail granting TrAILCo the authority to cross a portion of State Game Lands No. 223 (SGL 223) in Greene and Dunkard Townships, Greene County.

5. The portion of SGL 223 that the line is expected to cross was purchased with cost sharing funds from the National Park Service through the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

6. The PGC objects to the grant of this right of Eminent Domain as it affects SGL 223.

7. The PGC believes, and therefore avers, there are no other persons with substantially like interests to the PGC.

WHEREFORE, the PGC respectfully requests the PUC to deny TrAILCo the right to exercise Eminent Domain over any property owned by the PGC.

Respectfully submitted,



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VERIFICATION

I, DEBBIE NEIBERGH, hereby state that the facts set forth 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: MAY 29, 2007

Debbie L. Neiberg

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

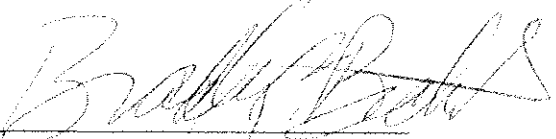
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Dated this 27th day of May, 2007.


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