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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

July 26, 2018

In the Matter of the Application of	*	
Transource Maryland, LLC for a Certificate	*	
of Public Convenience and Necessity to	*	Case No. 9471
Construct Two New 230 kV Transmission	*	
Lines Associated with the Independence	*	
Energy Connection Project in Portion of	*	
Harford and Washington Counties, Maryland	*	
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**NOTICE OF GRANT OF REQUEST**

To: All Parties of Record and Interested Persons

On July 13, 2018 and pursuant to the procedural schedule in this matter, the Department of Natural Resources, Power Plant Research Program (“PPRP”), filed its completeness review of the application for the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity filed by Transource Maryland, LLC (“Applicant”). PPRP determined that most of the information for the western segment of the transmission line was complete, but the application, as supplemented by supplemental testimony filed on June 29, 2018, did not contain much of the required information for the eastern segment of the transmission line. Accordingly, PPRP asked the Commission to allow the parties an opportunity to propose a revised procedural schedule for the Commission’s consideration; specifically, PPRP asked that it be given until August 31, 2018, to file a recommended revised procedural schedule for the Commission’s consideration.

On July 16, 2018, the Maryland Public Service Commission (“Commission”) issued a Notice seeking comments on PPRP’s request and setting July 25, 2018 as the date by which comments were required to be filed. The Commission received comments from STOP Transource Power Lines MD, Inc., the Maryland Office of People’s Counsel, Transource Maryland, LLC, and the Commission’s Technical Staff. All of the comments filed supported PPRP’s request.

Accordingly, the Commission grants PPRP’s request and directs PPRP to coordinate with

the other parties in the matter and submit a proposed revised procedural schedule by August 31, 2018, for the Commission's consideration.

By Direction of the Commission,

*/s/ Terry J. Romine*

Terry J. Romine  
Executive Secretary