

Form No. 4

APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF WEST VIRGINIA
CHARLESTON**

CASE NO. 07-____-E-____

Application of Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company for a certificate of public convenience and necessity under W. Va. Code § 24-2-11a authorizing the construction and operation of the West Virginia segments of a 500 kV electric transmission line and related facilities in Monongalia, Preston, Tucker, Grant, Hardy, and Hampshire Counties, and for related relief

Comes now Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company (the "Applicant"), and respectfully shows the Commission as follows:

1. The Applicant's name and address are Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company, 800 Cabin Hill Drive, Greensburg, Pennsylvania 15601.

For further information, see Paragraphs 1 and 2 of the "Application for Certificate of Convenience and Necessity and for Related Relief" ("Application") included with this completed Form 4.

2. The Applicant proposes to construct and operate the West Virginia segments of a 500 kV electric transmission line, including its towers, conductors and the terminal equipment and related facilities ("West Virginia Segments"). The West Virginia Segments of the Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line ("TrAIL") will consist of approximately 114 miles of 500 kV transmission line and related facilities in Monongalia, Preston, Tucker, Grant, Hardy, and Hampshire Counties, entering West Virginia from Pennsylvania approximately 0.9 miles northwest of Bowlby in Monongalia County, and exiting West Virginia into Virginia approximately 2.5 miles east of Capon Springs in Hampshire County.

For further information, see the Application at Paragraphs 9-14.

3. The service to be provided by the Applicant in West Virginia is not now rendered by an existing utility, corporation or person.

See Application at Paragraph 27.

4. Attached hereto is a copy of the effective charter of incorporation of the Applicant. (If charter has heretofore been filed, state style and case number; if Applicant is a municipality, give citation to legislative or governmental act where charter may be found.)

See Application at Appendix E.

5. A certificate should be issued for the following reasons:

See Application at Paragraph 39 and generally.

NOTE: This Application must be accompanied by information required by Rule 42. Water and Sewer utilities must include information required by the Checklist set forth in Rule 26.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

The Applicant's rates are subject to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC"), and no portion of the costs associated with the West Virginia Segments is expected to be charged, either directly or indirectly, to West Virginia customers or the customers of any other public utility in West Virginia. Accordingly, no Rule 42 information is required.

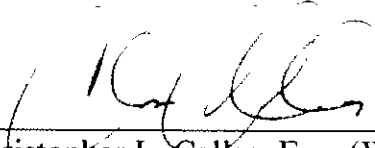
Likewise, the Applicant is not a water or sewer utility. So, the Applicant has not included the checklist required by Procedural Rule 26.1.

(Signature page follows)

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of March, 2007.

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[Notarized Verification included with Application]