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OF THE DEPARTMENT OF:
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:
and CHAIRPERSON OF THE:
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY:
BOARD,:

Petitioner,

v.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATIVE : REFERENCE BUREAU, VINCENT C. : DeLIBERATO, JR., DIRECTOR OF THE : LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, : and AMY J. MENDELSOHN, DIRECTOR : OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CODE and : BULLETIN, :

Respondents.

COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

No. __ MD 2022

DECLARATION OF ALLEN LANDIS

1. I work at the Department of Environmental Protection in the Energy Programs Office.

2. My work in the Energy Programs Office has extensively involved,

among other things, the development of the Trading Program Regulation.

3. As a result of Respondents' refusal to publish the Trading Program

Regulation in the Pennsylvania Bulletin, Pennsylvania's entry into the Regional

Greenhouse Gas Initiative ("RGGI") has already been delayed from January 1,

2022 to April 1, 2022.

4. As a result of this delay, Pennsylvania has been unable to participate in

the first auction, and has already lost approximately \$162 million in proceeds and

associated air pollution reductions.

5. If Pennsylvania cannot join RGGI until July 1, 2022, I estimate that

Pennsylvania will lose approximately \$283 million in proceeds and associated air

pollution reductions.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the

best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Dated: February 3, 2022

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