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**COMMENTS: Order Re: 284 MD 2012**

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**IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

Robinson Township, Washington :  
County, Pennsylvania, Brian Coppola, :  
Individually and In his Official :  
Capacity as Supervisor of Robinson :  
Township, Township of Nockamixon, :  
Bucks County, Pennsylvania, :  
Township of South Fayette, :  
Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, :  
Peters Township, Washington County, :  
Pennsylvania, David M. Ball, :  
Individually and In his Official :  
Capacity as Councilman of Peters :  
Township, Township of Cecil, :  
Washington County, Pennsylvania, :  
Mount Pleasant Township, :  
Washington County, Pennsylvania, :  
Borough of Yardley, Bucks County, :  
Pennsylvania, Delaware Riverkeeper :  
Network, Maya Van Rossum, the :  
Delaware Riverkeeper, Mehernosh :  
Khan, M.D., :

**Petitioners**

**v.**

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, :  
Pennsylvania Public Utility :  
Commission, Robert F. Powelson, :  
in his Official Capacity as Chairman :  
of the Public Utility Commission, :  
Office of the Attorney General of :  
Pennsylvania, Linda L. Kelly, in :  
her Official Capacity as Attorney :  
General of the Commonwealth of :  
Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania :  
Department of Environmental :  
Protection and Michael L. Krancer, :  
in his Official Capacity as Secretary :  
of the Department of Environmental :  
Protection, :

**Respondents** :

**No. 284 M.D. 2012**

**PER CURIAM****ORDER**

NOW, April 4, 2012, upon consideration of petitioners' "application for special and summary relief pursuant to Pa.R.A.P. 1532 and/or petition for expedited hearing on motion for preliminary injunction", the application is granted to the extent that it seeks an expedited hearing. Hearing on petitioners' motion for preliminary injunction is set for April 11, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., in Courtroom 3001, Pennsylvania Judicial Center, 601 Commonwealth Ave., Harrisburg, Pa. 17120.

To the extent that petitioners' application for special relief can be construed to request summary relief as to Count XIII of the petition for review, and it appearing that Count XIII seeks the same preliminary injunctive relief as petitioners' motion for preliminary injunction, the application for summary relief is dismissed as duplicative.

Further, it appearing that the judge to whom this case is assigned has issued a real estate interest disclosure, attached hereto as Exhibit A, the Chief Clerk shall send a copy of the judge's disclosure statement at the same time he sends a copy of this order to counsel of record. Any party objecting to the judge presiding over this matter in light of this disclosure shall file a written objection with the Court's Harrisburg filing office no later than Monday, April 9, 2012, at 12:00 p.m.

Respondents shall file an answer to the motion for preliminary injunction in the Court's Harrisburg filing office no later than Tuesday, April 10, 2012, at 12:00 p.m.

**Certified from the Record**

**APR 04 2012**

**And Order Exit**

**Real Estate Interest Disclosure**

Through inheritance, I have acquired, along with other family members and various charities, a minority interest in various real estate interests located in central Pennsylvania, which interests include oil and gas (including Marcellus and Utica Shale gas), coal and other mineral interests, some of which interests are under lease. I similarly acquired a minority interest in a limited partnership, which develops oil and natural gas interests.

Exhibit A