IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA
WESTERN DISTRICT

COUNTY OF BUTLER,	:	No. 271 WAL 2017
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Respondent	:	
	:	Petition for Allowance of Appeal from
	:	the Order of the Commonwealth Court
v.	:	
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CENTURYLINK COMMUNICATIONS, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; THE UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF PENNSYLVANIA, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS ENTERPRISE SERVICES, INC., AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; CORE COMMUNICATIONS, INC., AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; INTERMEDIA COMMUNICATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC., AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; VERIZON PENNSYLVANIA, INC., AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; TELCOVE OF EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; AT&T CORP., AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; TELEPORT COMMUNICATIONS AMERICA, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; US LEC OF PENNSYLVANIA, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND	:	

RELATED ENTITIES; BANDWIDTH.COM CLEC, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; COMCAST PHONE OF PENNSYLVANIA, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; PEERLESS NETWORK OF PENNSYLVANIA, LLC, AND ALL SUBSIDIARIES AND RELATED ENTITIES; AND ABC COMPANIES 1 THROUGH 20,

Petitioners

ORDER

PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 26th day of December, 2017, the Petition for Allowance of Appeal is **GRANTED**. The issue, as stated by Petitioner, is:

> When the General Assembly plainly and unambiguously grants the right to enforce a statute to a particular Commonwealth agency, may a different plaintiff circumvent this legislative directive by attempting to enforce the statute through common-law damages claims?