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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 20-2039 (L) (LRH-2015-592-GBR)

SIERRA CLUB; CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY; WEST VIRGINIA RIVERS COALITION; WEST VIRGINIA HIGHLANDS CONSERVANCY; INDIAN CREEK WATERSHED ASSOCIATION; APPALACHIAN VOICES; CHESAPEAKE CLIMATE ACTION NETWORK

Petitioners

v.

UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS; RYAN D. MCCARTHY, in his official capacity as Secretary of the U.S. Army; LIEUTENANT GENERAL SCOTT A. SPELLMON, in his official capacity as U.S. Army Chief of Engineers and Commanding General of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; MAJOR GENERAL ROBERT F. WHITTLE, JR., in his official capacity as Division Commander of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Great Lakes and Ohio River Division; COLONEL JASON A. EVERS, in his official capacity as District Commander of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District; THERESA SPAGNA, in her official capacity as Chief, Regulatory North Branch, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District

Respondents

MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE, LLC

Intervenor

No. 20-2042 (NAO-2015-08998)

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Respondents

MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE, LLC

Intervenor

ORDER

Upon consideration of submissions and argument on petitioners' motions for stay pending review, the court grants the motions for stay.

An opinion as to the court's reasoning will follow at a later date.

For the Court

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk