

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

v. : CIVIL ACTION NO.  
:  
: **CONSENT TO or DECLINATION OF**  
: **CONSENT TO ARBITRATION TRIAL**  
: **PROCEEDING BY VIDEOCONFERENCE**  
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In accordance with Local Civil Rule 53.2, subsection 5(A), requiring arbitration trials to take place in the United States Courthouse unless all parties have consented to proceed by videoconference, the parties to the above-captioned matter hereby:

- Voluntarily consent to have the arbitration trial proceed by videoconference, in accordance with the procedures set forth in the Standing Procedural Order for Arbitration Trials Conducted by Videoconference,

**OR**

- Acknowledge the option to proceed with the arbitration trial by videoconference but decline to consent. By declining to consent, the parties understand that the arbitration trial will take place in the United States Courthouse in a room assigned by the arbitration clerk.

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Party Represented

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Attorney/Pro Se Litigant Signature

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Date Signed

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Date Signed

\* Electronic signatures are accepted. Attach a second page for additional signatures as needed.

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