

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
PROVIDENCE, SC

SUPERIOR COURT

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, )  
)  
*Plaintiff,* )  
)  
v. )  
)  
AECOM TECHNICAL SERVICES, INC., )  
AETNA BRIDGE COMPANY, )  
ARIES SUPPORT SERVICES INC., )  
BARLETTA HEAVY DIVISION, INC., )  
BARLETTA/AETNA I-195 WASHINGTON )  
BRIDGE NORTH PHASE 2 JV, )  
COLLINS ENGINEERS, INC., )  
COMMONWEALTH ENGINEERS & )  
CONSULTANTS, INC., )  
JACOBS ENGINEERING GROUP, INC., )  
MICHAEL BAKER INTERNATIONAL, INC., )  
PRIME AE GROUP, INC., )  
STEERE ENGINEERING, INC., )  
TRANSYSTEMS CORPORATION, and )  
VANASSE HANGEN BRUSTLIN, INC., )  
)  
*Defendants.* )

C.A. No. PC-2024-04526

**DEFENDANT’S VANASSE HANGEN BRUSTLIN, INC’S  
OBJECTION TO COMMONWEALTH ENGINEERS & CONSULTANTS, INC.,  
MOTION TO DISMISS CROSSCLAIM**

Defendant, Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. (“VHB”) objects to Commonwealth Engineers & Consulting, Inc.’s (“COMMONWEALTH”) Motion to Dismiss. The Motion to dismiss is premature as it is based upon the broader Motion to Dismiss filed by Commonwealth and directed at the Plaintiff, State of Rhode Island. This Motion should only be fully heard and resolved once the court issues a ruling on Commonwealth’s broader Motion to Dismiss the Plaintiff’s claim against it.

Wherefore, VHB respectfully requests that the Motion be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
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