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**VIA FEDEX**

Mr. Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Blvd., Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Re: In the Matter of EDF Renewable Development Inc. Merricourt Wind Power  
Project McIntosh and Dickey Counties, North Dakota Site Compatibility  
Application  
ND PSC Docket No. PU-08-932  
OAH File No. 20140456**

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed please find ten copies of the Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan, Affidavit of Sara E. Bergan for Admission Pro Hac Vice, and proposed Order Granting Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan which was filed with the Administrative Law Judge today.

Copies of these documents have also been sent to the North Dakota State Board of Law Examiners.

Very truly yours,

Stoel Rives LLP

A blue ink signature of Andrew J. Pieper, written in a cursive style.

Andrew J. Pieper

AJP:srb  
Enclosures

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**Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan, Affidavit, proposed Order**

BEFORE THE NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
2911 North 14th Street, Suite 303  
Bismarck, North Dakota 58503

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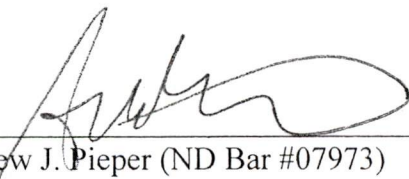
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**MOTION FOR ADMISSION  
PRO HAC VICE  
OF SARA E. BERGAN**

Pursuant to Rule 3 of the North Dakota Supreme Court Rules, the undersigned hereby moves the North Dakota Office of Administrative Hearings for the Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan to participate in the above-identified proceeding. This Motion is made for the following reasons:

1. Sara E. Bergan is an attorney with the law firm of Stoel Rives LLP, 33 South 6th Street, Suite 4200, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, representing EDF Renewable Development, Inc. with respect to the above-identified matter. It is contemplated that Ms. Bergan will be participating in any additional proceedings held in connection with this matter.
2. Sara Bergan is a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Minnesota and the bar of the State of Oregon.
3. Movant is a North Dakota admitted and licensed attorney and member of the State Bar of North Dakota who will continue to act as associate counsel. A proposed Order is submitted with this Motion.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 2015.



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Merricourt Wind Power Project



5. I am a member in good standing of the bar of Oregon, and my bar number is 106165. I have been licensed to practice law in the State of Oregon since 2010.

6. I am not presently the subject of a public disciplinary proceeding by the bar or the courts of Minnesota or Oregon or by the bar or the courts of any other state.

7. I am not under any restriction or probation in the practice of law in any jurisdiction in which I am licensed.

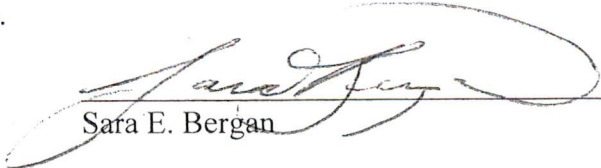
8. I am not now or have I ever been suspended or disbarred from a court in any jurisdiction.

9. I have not appeared in any action in a North Dakota proceeding during the prior three (3) years.

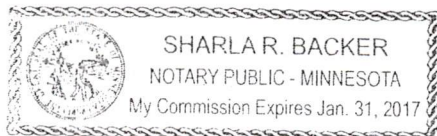
10. I am familiar with the rules of the State Bar of North Dakota governing the conduct of members of the State Bar of North Dakota and will at all times abide by and comply with the same as long as the above-captioned proceeding is pending before the North Dakota Office of Administrative Hearings and so long as I have not withdrawn as counsel from the proceeding by leave of the said Office.

11. I agree to abide by the rules of the North Dakota Office of Administrative Hearings, North Dakota Public Service Commission, and submit to the jurisdiction of the North Dakota Supreme Court for purposes of discipline.

Dated this 7th day of January 2015.

  
Sara E. Bergan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January 2015.



  
Notary Public

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**PROPOSED ORDER GRANTING  
ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE  
OF SARA E. BERGAN**

**ORDER FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion for Admission of Counsel Pro Hac Vice is granted and Sara E. Bergan of Stoel Rives LLP, 33 South Sixth Street, Suite, 4200, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, is hereby admitted to practice before the North Dakota Office of Administrative Hearings and the North Dakota Public Service Commission for the purposes of the above-captioned proceeding.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sara E. Bergan is hereby permitted to appear and participate as attorney for EDF Renewable Development, Inc. in the above-captioned proceeding.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of January 2015.

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Wade C. Mann  
Administrative Law Judge

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**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE**

STATE OF MINNESOTA    )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN    )

Sharla R. Backer, of the City of Lonsdale, County of Rice, the State of Minnesota, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 7th day of January, 2015, she served the attached Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan, Affidavit of Sara E. Bergan for Admission Pro Hac Vice, and Proposed Order Granting Admission Pro Hac Vice of Sara E. Bergan to North Dakota Office of Administrative Hearings, North Dakota Public Service Commission and North Dakota State Board of Law Examiners, true and correct copies thereof, by Federal Express.

*Sharla R. Backer*  
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Sharla R. Backer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
7th day of January 2015.

*Jennifer L. Wagner*  
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Notary Public



My Commission Expires: January 31, 2015