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August 3, 2012



Hand Delivery

Robert Ansley
Clerk of Court
U.S. District Court
220 East Rosser – Room 476
Bismarck, ND 58501

Re: *Missouri Valley Communications, Inc. v. North Dakota Public Service
Commission and Midcontinent Communications*
Case No. 4:12-cv-091

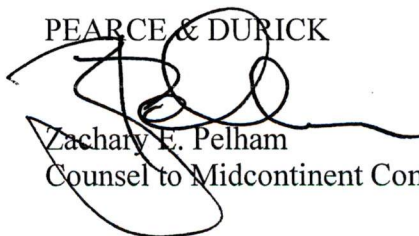
Dear Mr. Ansley:

Enclosed for filing please find an original Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice and ECF
Registration Form along with the filing fee in the amount of \$150.00.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

PEARCE & DURICK



Zachary E. Pelham
Counsel to Midcontinent Communications

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Enclosure

cc: Mark Gruman
David Hogue
J.G. Harrington

**IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA**

Missouri Valley Communications, Inc.)

**MOTION TO APPEAR
PRO HAC VICE**

v.)

Case No. 4:12-cv-091

North Dakota Public Service Commission and Kevin Cramer,)
Bonny Fetch and Brian Kalk, in their official capacities as)
Commissioners of the North Dakota Public Service Commission,)
and Midcontinent Communications, a South Dakota Partnership)

J.G. Harrington, an attorney for Midcontinent Communications

moves the court pursuant to D.N.D. Gen. L. R. 1.3(D) for leave to appear pro hac vice.

In support of the motion to appear pro hac vice, I submit the following information for consideration by the Court:

State of Residence:	Washington, DC
Office/Firm Address:	Dow Lohnes PLLC 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW Suite 800 Washington, DC 20036
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Legal Training:	New York University School of Law, J.D., 1986
Other Bar Admissions: list jurisdiction & ID number for each jurisdiction	New York admitted in 1987 (ID No.) District of Columbia admitted in 1991 (ID No. 428885) U.S. Court of Appeals For the District of Columbia Circuit admitted in 1992 U.S. Court of Appeals For the Fifth Circuit admitted in 1998
Trial Experience:	Multiple state regulatory hearing proceedings and appeals of state interconnection decisions to U.S. District Courts

Disciplinary Actions: list all past or pending disciplinary actions, including disbarments, suspensions, probations, or any other restrictions	
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I will comply with the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of North Dakota and will submit to the jurisdiction of the court in matters of discipline.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that the above information is true, correct, and complete, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated this 1st day of August, 2012 .



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**United States District Court
District of North Dakota**

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Name: <i>(First, Middle Initial, Last)</i>	J.G. Harrington	Firm Name:	Dow Lohnes PLLC
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Place of Birth:	Red Bank, New Jersey	<i>(For security and confirmation purposes)</i>	

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