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MOTION

October 23, 2015

**Public Service Commission
EPA Proposed 111d Regulations
Information**

Case No. PU-14-736

Whereas, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has today issued a Final Rule entitled "Carbon Pollution Emission Guidelines for Existing Stationary Sources: Electric Utility Generating Units" 80 Fed. Reg. 64661 (October 23, 2015);

Whereas, The State of North Dakota has immediately initiated litigation in the United States Court of Appeals challenging the EPA rule;

I move the Commission endorse the declaration of Commissioner Randy Christmann for use in the litigation initiated by the State of North Dakota, in Public Service Commission, EPA Proposed 111d Regulations, Information, Case Number PU-14-736.