

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of MONTANA-DAKOTA )  
UTILITIES CO. 2022 Application for ) Case No. PU-22-194  
Increase in Electric Rates ) OAH File No. 20220225

**MOTION FOR APPROVAL FOR WITNESSES TO TESTIFY REMOTELY**

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. ("Montana-Dakota") moves the North Dakota Public Service Commission ("Commission") for approval for four of Montana-Dakota's witnesses to testify remotely at the May 1, 2023, hearing in the above-captioned proceeding. Montana-Dakota has the following four out-of-State witnesses who may be called via reliable electronic means to testify at the hearing:

- Larry Kennedy, Alberta, Canada
- Ron Amen, South Carolina
- Ann Bulkley, Massachusetts
- Eric Martuscelli, Washington

The Parties to this proceeding have expressed no objection to Montana-Dakota's witnesses appearing remotely. Further, Montana-Dakota contacted Commission Advisory Counsel and he expressed no objection to the witnesses appearing remotely. Montana-Dakota believes the cost savings by remote appearance at the hearing provides good cause for granting this Motion.

For these reasons, Montana-Dakota respectfully requests its Motion be granted.

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023.

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