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**VIA EMAIL ([NDPSC@ND.GOV](mailto:NDPSC@ND.GOV)) AND U.S. MAIL  
OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Steve Kahl, Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**RE: Motion for Pro Hac Vice  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Electric Service Agreement – Applied Blockchain  
Approval  
PSC Case No. PU-22-371**

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Enclosed please find an original and seven (7) Motions for Pro Hac Vice and Affidavits to allow Robert A. Weishaar and Kenneth R. Stark to practice before the Commission in the above-referenced matter on behalf of Marathon Petroleum Company LP.

A copy of the Motions, Affidavits and the required fees have been concurrently sent to the North Dakota State Board of Law Examiners pursuant to Rule 3(A) of the North Dakota Admission to Practice by Mr. Stark and Mr. Weishaar.

Also, attached is the Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Richard J. Savelkoul  
Richard J. Savelkoul

Enclosures

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
BEFORE THE  
NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	)	
Electric Service Agreement – Applied	)	PSC Case No. PU-22-371
Blockchain Approval	)	

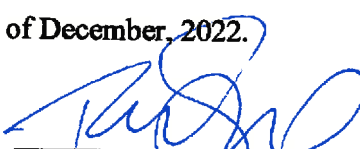
**MOTION FOR LEAVE FOR ADMISSION  
PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to Rule 3 of the North Dakota Admission to Practice Rules, I, Richard Savelkoul, of the firm Martin & Squires, P.A., 332 Minnesota Street, Suite W2750, St. Paul, MN 55101 hereby move the North Dakota Public Service Commission (“Commission”) to permit Robert A. Weishaar, Jr., a member of the bars of Pennsylvania, the District of Columbia and Maryland, to appear pro hac vice in the above-captioned matter on behalf of Marathon Petroleum Company LP (“Marathon”). An Affidavit is attached and is relied upon in support of this Motion. Mr. Weishaar and his law firm, McNees Wallace & Nurick LLC, have a preexisting relationship with Marathon and Mr. Weishaar is currently admitted pro hac vice in the related Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. rate case in PU-22-194. Marathon submits that good cause supports this motion and that no prejudice or undue delays in this proceeding will result if this motion were granted.

I hereby certify that copies of this Motion and the attached Affidavit have been served upon all parties in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 8 day of December, 2022.

By:

  
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7. The required fee has been remitted to the State Board of Law Examiners for the year 2022 and the fee for 2023 is being paid to stay in compliance in the new year.

Robert A. Weishaar, Jr.  
Notarized on 2022/12/07 16:11:00 -0501  
Robert A. Weishaar, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before

me 12/07/2022 :



Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: February 18, 2024

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Mary J Baloga, Notary Public  
Dauphin County  
My Commission Expires Feb 18, 2024  
Commission Number 1364570  
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**Affidavit - RAW A8894508.DOCX**

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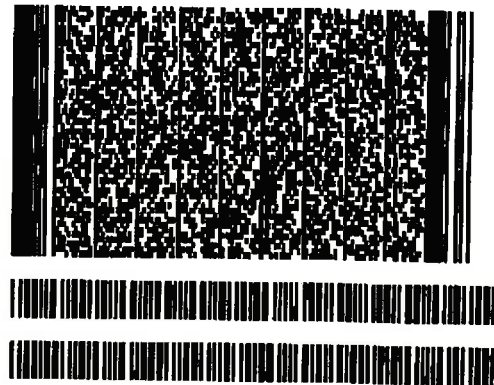
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I, Mary J Baloga, did witness the participants named above electronically sign this document.



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Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

**CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

***Robert A. Weishaar Jr., Esq.***

**DATE OF ADMISSION**

***January 6, 1995***

The above named attorney was duly admitted to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is now a qualified member in good standing.



**Witness my hand and official seal**

**Dated: December 1, 2022**

*Amy Dreibelbis*

**Amy Dreibelbis, Esq.  
Deputy Prothonotary**

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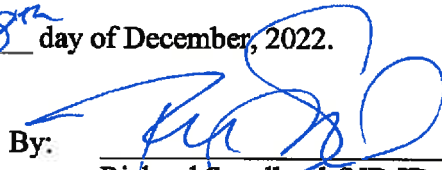
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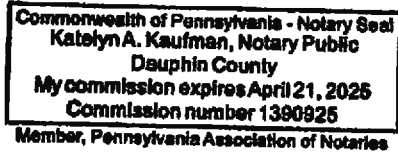


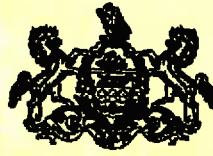
7. The required fee has been remitted to the State Board of Law Examiners for the year 2022 and the fee for 2023 is being paid to stay in compliance in the new year.

Kenneth R. Stark  
Kenneth R. Stark

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022:

Katelyn A. Kaufman  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: 4/21/25





**Supreme Court of Pennsylvania**

**CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

***Kenneth Riley Stark II, Esq.***

**DATE OF ADMISSION**

***April 18, 2012***

The above named attorney was duly admitted to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is now a qualified member in good standing.



**Witness my hand and official seal**

**Dated: December 1, 2022**

***Amy Dreibelbis***

**Amy Dreibelbis, Esq.  
Deputy Prothonotary**

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the original and seven (7) copies of the foregoing documents were hand delivered/mailed/e-mailed, on this 8th day of December, 2022, to the following:

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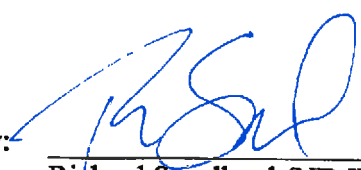
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