

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

SOUTH CENTRAL JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Wano Township, Willowbank  
Township, Russell Township, Corwin  
Township, Valley Township, Mike  
and Patty Bartel, Richard and Susan  
R. Long, Steven and Julia Nelson,  
Phyllis P. Otterness and Patricia A.  
Vick, Brandon and Tausha  
Schweigert, Shockman Farm  
Partnership, LLLP, Debra Sue  
Wald, Lucas and Jill Wald, Tim  
Leppert, Orr Farms, Steve M. and  
Sandra J. Rupp, David A. and  
Denette M. Schweigert, Allen D. and  
Inna N. Swiontek, David and Holly  
Wald, Weston Wald, and Willowbank  
Hutterian Brethren Association,

Appellants,

v.

North Dakota Public Service  
Commission, Otter Tail Power  
Company, and Montana-Dakota  
Utilities Co.,

Appellees.

**ORDER GRANTING PRO HAC  
VICE ADMISSION**

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

The Court, having considered the Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice  
submitted by Steven J. Leibel, counsel of record for Appellants, and the  
Affidavit of Douglas J. Nill in support of said motion, and finding that Mr.



Nill is a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Minnesota, and that he satisfies the requirements of Rule 11.1 of the North Dakota Rules of Court, hereby orders as follows:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Douglas J. Nill (Minnesota Bar No. 0194876) is admitted pro hac vice for the limited purpose of representing the Appellants in the above-captioned matter, in association with local counsel Steven J. Leibel (ND Bar No. 07361).

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2025

BY THE COURT:

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District Court Judge  
South Central Judicial District  
Burleigh County, North Dakota