

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

SOUTH CENTRAL JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Wano Township, Willowbank Township,
Russell Township, Corwin Township,
and Valley Township,

Case No. 08-2026-CV-02066

Appellants,

vs.

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

Appellees.

MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to Rule 3(A) of the North Dakota Admission to Practice Rules, Appellants respectfully move the Court for an Order admitting Douglas J. Nill of Douglas J. Nill, PLLC, SPS Tower, Suite 2600, 333 South Seventh Street, Minneapolis, MN 55402, to appear pro hac vice on behalf of Appellants in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Motion, undersigned counsel states as follows:

1. Appellants have designated Steven J. Leibel (ND Bar ID No. 07361) as associate counsel in this matter.
2. Douglas J. Nill is an attorney in good standing and an active

member of the bar of the State of Minnesota, the United States District Court for the District of Minnesota, and the United States Supreme Court. Mr. Nill seeks admission pro hac vice to represent Appellants in this appeal.

3. Attached in support of this Motion is the Affidavit of Douglas J. Nill as Exhibit A, attesting to his qualifications, professional standing, and compliance with Rule 3(A).

4. A copy of this Motion and the supporting Affidavit has been mailed to the State Board of Law Examiners as required by Rule 3(A).

5. Mr. Nill has already paid the required annual fee to the State Board of Law Examiners for calendar year 2026, and certification of that payment accompanies the materials mailed to the Board.

WHEREFORE, Appellants respectfully request that the Court enter an Order admitting Douglas J. Nill pro hac vice to appear on behalf of Appellants in this proceeding.

Dated: July 24th, 2026

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