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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )

IN CIRCUIT COURT

COUNTY OF HUGHES )

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**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC  
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF )  
MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO. FOR )  
APPROVAL TO PROVIDE ELECTRICAL )  
SERVICE FOR THE NEW NORTH CENTRAL )  
FARMERS ELEVATOR TO BE LOCATED )  
NEAR BOWDLE, SOUTH DAKOTA )

CIV. #06-372

ORDER APPOINTING  
SUBSTITUTE JUDGE

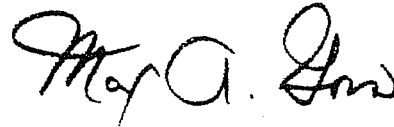
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WHEREAS, the Honorable Lori S. Wilbur was, on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006,  
disqualified from presiding in the above-entitled matter having knowledge of a ground for self-  
disqualification pursuant to SDCL 15-12-37;

IT IS ORDERED that the Honorable Kathleen F. Trandahl, a Circuit Judge of the Sixth  
Judicial Circuit of the State of South Dakota be appointed to act in the stead of said Judge Lori S.  
Wilbur with full power, authority and jurisdiction to proceed in the matter.

DATED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006.

BY THE COURT:



Max A Gors  
Presiding Circuit Judge

ATTEST:

Judy Feddersen  
Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk of Courts

(SEAL)

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