

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN CIRCUIT COURT

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COUNTY OF HUGHES

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SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR ELECTRICAL SERVICE BY DAKOTA PLAINS AG CENTER, LLC TO HAVE NORTHWESTERN ENERGY ASSIGNED AS ITS ELECTRIC SERVICE PROVIDER IN THE SERVICE TERRITORY OF BON HOMME-YANKTON ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., DOCKET NO. EL16-013; & IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY NORTHWESTERN CORPORATION dba NORTHWESTERN ENERGY FOR APPROVAL OF A CONTRACT WITH DEVIATIONS, DOCKET NO. EL16-015

MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* OF AL BROGAN

Jonathan M. Oostra, attorney for NorthWestern Corporation d/b/a NorthWestern Energy (hereinafter "NorthWestern"), moves the Court for Admission *pro hac vice* of Al Brogan in Docket No. EL16-013, *In the Matter of the Petition for Electrical Service by Dakota Plains Ag Center, LLC to have NorthWestern Energy Assigned as its Electric Service Provider in the Service Territory of Bon Homme-Yankton Electric Cooperative, Inc.*; and in Docket No. EL16-015, *In the Matter of the Filing by NorthWestern Corporation dba NorthWestern Energy for approval of a Contract with Deviations*, pending before the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission. The motion is made pursuant to SDCL § 16-18-2.

I, Jonathan M. Oostra, am a resident practicing attorney for the state of South Dakota and a member in good standing of the State Bar of South Dakota. I am Corporate Counsel of NorthWestern and will personally participate with Al Brogan in the hearings of these matters.

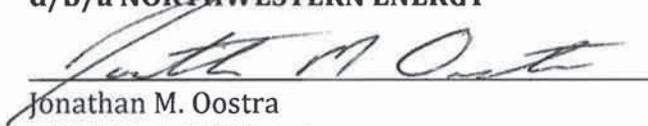
I find Al Brogan to be a reputable attorney and recommend his admission to practice before the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

WHEREFORE, Jonathan M. Oostra respectfully requests that the Court enter an order allowing the admission *pro hac vice* of Al Brogan on behalf of NorthWestern in Docket No.'s EL16-013 & EL16-015 before the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

Dated at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, this 27th day of April, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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I the undersigned hereby certify that on the 27th day of April, 2016, true and correct copies of the foregoing, *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Al Brogan & Affidavit of Al Brogan for Admission Pro Hac Vice*, was served upon the following by electronic mail:

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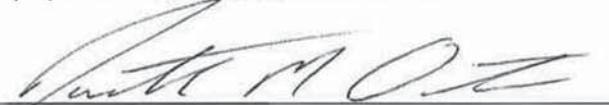
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