

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
COUNTY OF CODINGTON

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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AMBER CHRISTENSON, ALLEN ROBISH vs.  
SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES  
COMMISSION, CROWNED RIDGE WIND II  
LLC

MOTION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE

14CIV20-000174

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Appellee, South Dakota Public Utilities Commission by and through its undersigned attorneys of record, Kristen N. Edwards and Amanda M. Reiss, hereby respectfully submit this Motion for Change of Venue. This Motion is brought pursuant to SDCL 1-26-31.1, which provides that “[a]ppeals from a single administrative action may not proceed in more than one county. If multiple appeals of a single action are filed in more than one county, the appeals shall be consolidated and heard in the county in which the appeal is first filed.”

In support of this Motion, Appellee states as follows:

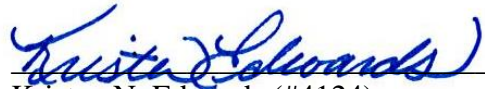
1. This appeal was filed in Codington County, South Dakota on May 1, 2020.
2. An appeal from the same administrative action was filed in Deuel County, South Dakota on April 29, 2020. See, 19CIV20-021.
3. A third appeal from the same administrative action was filed in Grant County, South Dakota on May 5, 2020. See, 25CIV20-040.

Movant has spoken to the attorney for Appellants in this matter and is of the understanding that Mr. Tornow does not oppose the change of venue.

WHEREFORE, Appellee respectfully moves this honorable court for a change of venue to Deuel County, South Dakota.

WHEREFORE, Appellee respectfully requests this appeal be consolidated with the 19CIV20-021.

Dated this 11th day of May 2020.



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