

**STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
BY TATANKA RIDGE WIND, LLC FOR A)
PERMIT OF A WIND ENERGY FACILITY IN)
DEUEL COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA)

EL19-026

AFFIDAVIT OF JESSE BERMEL

State of Iowa

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County of Johnson

COMES NOW Jesse Bermel in his capacity as Project Developer of the Tatanka Ridge Wind Project, and for his affidavit swears and states as follows:

1. I am Jesse Bermel. I am employed by Avangrid Renewables, LLC, the sole owner of the Tatanka Ridge Wind, LLC and act as the Project Developer for the Tatanka Ridge Wind Project. I am making this affidavit to comply with Condition 22 of the Tatanka Ridge Wind, LLC Wind Energy Facility Permit from the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

2. The project has made three additional turbine location adjustments as shown on the attached Exhibit 1 to meet Deuel County setback requirements.

3. No turbine has been adjusted more than 200 feet. The proposed turbine adjustments do not exceed specified noise and shadow flicker thresholds, cause no cultural resource impacts, and avoid documented habitats for listed species. Wetland impacts are avoided or are in compliance with applicable USACE regulations. There is no change in the distance from Turbine K0 to I-29 right-of-way.

4. No approval is required or necessary under the terms of the condition.

FURTHER, affiant sayeth not.

Dated this 13th day of May 2020.



Jesse Bermel

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

STATE OF IOWA

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COUNTY OF JOHNSON



On May 13th 2020 before me, Jane Hambright (Notary Public), personally appeared Jesse Bermel personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of Iowa that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jane M. Hambright', written over a horizontal line.

Notary Public