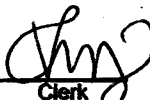


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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

**IN RE: THE GENERAL  
ADJUDICATION OF RIGHTS TO  
THE USE OF WATER FROM THE  
SYSTEM OF THE KOOTENAI RIVER  
BASIN**

Case No. 89576

**MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE*  
ADMISSION**

Pursuant to I.B.C.R. 227, the undersigned counsel petition the Court for admission of Thomas L. Murphy, *pro hac vice*, in this case. Thomas L. Murphy, certifies that he is an active member in good standing of the bar of the State of New Mexico (Bar No. 7705), the State of Arizona (Bar No. 022953), and the State of Colorado (Bar No. 61180). Mr. Murphy is a Staff Attorney with the Native American Rights Fund and practices law in Boulder, Colorado. He is not a resident of the State of Idaho or actively licensed to practice in Idaho. Moreover, Mr.

Murphy has familiarized himself with the Idaho Bar Commission Rule 227, the Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure, and the Idaho Rules of Evidence. This Court previously admitted Mr. Murphy *pro hac vice* in *In Re the General Adjudication of the Rights to the Use of Water from the Palouse River Basin Water System*, No. 59576 (Fifth Jud. Dist. Ct.) on January 12, 2024.


Undersigned counsel certify that a copy of this motion has been served on all other parties in this case and that a copy of this motion will be submitted to the Idaho State Bar, accompanied by a \$325 fee and a certificate of good standing. Counsel certify that the above information is true to the best of their knowledge. William Barquin acknowledges that his attendance shall be required at all court proceedings in which Thomas L. Murphy appears, unless specifically excused by the trial judge.


DATED this 27th day of March, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

KOOTENAI TRIBE OF IDAHO

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on March 27, 2025, I filed a true and correct copy of the **MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION** with the Clerk of the District Court at the address listed below via fax filing at the number listed below.

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