

IN THE SUPREME COURT

SUPREME COURT
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
FILED

OF THE

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Shirley A. Jensen
Clerk

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
SOUTH DAKOTA, EX REL, SOUTH
DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL
SERVICES, IN THE INTERESTS
OF: J.T.H., AND CONCERNING
P.S. AND J.T.H., Respondents,
YANKTON SIOUX TRIBE, Intervener.

ORDER DIRECTING ISSUANCE OF
JUDGMENT OF AFFIRMANCE

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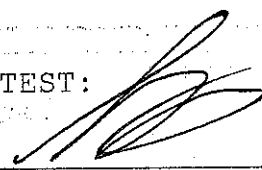
The Court having, pursuant to SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A), considered all of the briefs filed in the above-entitled matter, together with the appeal record, and having concluded that it is manifest on the face of the briefs and the record that the appeal is without merit on the following grounds: 1. that the issues on appeal are clearly controlled by settled South Dakota law or federal law binding upon the states, and 2. that the issues on appeal are factual and there clearly is sufficient evidence to support the findings of fact and conclusions below (SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A)(1) and (2)), now, therefore, it is

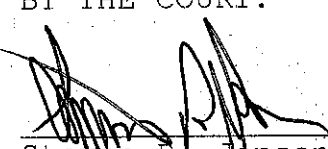
ORDERED that a judgment affirming the Order of the lower court be entered forthwith.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 18th day of January, 2022.

BY THE COURT:

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Supreme Court
(SEAL)


Steven R. Jensen, Chief Justice

PARTICIPATING: Chief Justice Steven R. Jensen, Justices Janine M. Kern,
Mark E. Salter, Patricia J. DeVaney and Scott P. Myren.