IN THE SUPREME COURT

OF THE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN	THE	MATTER	OF	THE	AMENDMENT)	RULE 19-01
SDCL 15-26C-1)		

A hearing was held on February 20, 2019, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the amendment of SDCL 15-26C-1 and the Court having considered the proposed amendment and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that SDCL 15-26C-1 be and it is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

SDCL 15-26C-1. Electronic filing.

- (1) Effective upon further order of the Supreme Court entered after July 1, 2019, January 1, 2014, and except as specifically exempted by these rules or court order, attorneys shall electronically file all documents, including petitions, notices of review, motions and briefs and any appendices with the Supreme Court through the Odyssey® electronic filing system unless advance permission is granted by the court allowing paper filing or filing through any other method. Self-represented litigants may file electronically, but shall not be required to file electronically. Any other notices, petitions, pleadings, motions, or documents may be filed electronically at the discretion of the attorney. Electronic filing for selfrepresented litigants is discretionary for all filings with the Supreme Court. On a showing of good cause, an attorney required to-file electronically may be granted leave of court to file paper documents with the Supreme Court.
- (2) Registered users will receive electronic notice when documents are entered into the system. Registration for electronic filing constitutes written consent to electronic service of all documents filed in accordance with these rules. Documents filed electronically must be submitted by email attachment to SCClerkBriefs@ujs.state.sd.us. The number of the case shall appear in the subject line of the email.
- (3) A document filed electronically has the same legal effect as an original paper document.

- (4) The typed attorney or party name or electronic signature on a document filed electronically has the same effect as an original manually affixed signature.
- (5) A party electronically filing a document that is not accessible to the public, in whole or in part, is responsible for redaction or designating the document as confidential or sealed before transmitting it to the Supreme Court. For any document containing information where redaction is required, in whole or in part, pursuant to chapter 15-15A or order of the Supreme Court or circuit court, the original unredacted document shall also be filed electronically. It is the responsibility of the parties to seek advance approval from the Supreme Court for submitting a document as sealed or confidential if that document is not already declared confidential or sealed by existing law, court rules or order.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 25th day of February, 2019.

THE COURT:

David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Supreme Court

(SEAL)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA In the Supreme Court

I, Shirtey A. Jameson-Fergel, Clerk of the Supreme Court of South Dakote, hereby certify that the within instrument is a true and correct copy of the original thereof as the same appears on record in my office. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at Pierre, S.D. this

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