

Nashville, Tennessee, a lawyer licensed to practice law in Tennessee, in good standing and admitted to practice law before the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

5. Pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 19(f), Ms. Mitchell has filed with the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee a copy of this motion along with the supporting documentation and paid all fees required in connection with this motion to appear *pro hac vice*.

6. Ms. Mitchell's affidavit containing the information required by Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 19(d) is attached to this motion as Exhibit A and includes a certificate of good standing from the Supreme Court of the State of North Carolina.

WHEREFORE, Piedmont moves the Commission to permit her appearance on behalf of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of September, 2025.

Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.

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EXHIBIT A

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:)
)
PETITION OF PIEDMONT NATURAL)
GAS COMPANY, INC. FOR APPROVAL)
OF NEGOTIATED FRANCHISE)
AGREEMENT WITH CITY OF) Docket No. 25-00082
HENDERSONVILLE, TENNESSEE)
PURSUANT TO TENNESSEE CODE)
ANNOTATED § 65-4-107)
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AFFIDAVIT OF CHARLOTTE A. MITCHELL

Comes now Affiant Charlotte A. Mitchell, having been duly sworn, and states as follows:

1. I reside at [REDACTED].

I am an attorney and a member of the law firm of McGuireWoods LLP with offices at 501 Fayetteville St., Suite 500, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina, 27601. My NC Bar Number is 34106. I have been retained personally or as a member of the above-named law firm by Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. to provide legal representation in connection with the above matter now pending before the Tennessee Public Utility Commission.

2. I have been admitted to practice before the following courts:

| <u>Court</u> | <u>Date Admitted</u> |
|------------------------------|----------------------|
| North Carolina Supreme Court | August 25, 2005 |

I am presently a member in good standing of the bars of those courts listed above and have not been suspended or disbarred in any court.

3. In the last three years, I have been admitted to appear *pro hac vice* in the State of Tennessee in the following proceeding:

| <u>TPUC Docket No.</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Date Admitted</u> |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|
| 25-00074 | Application of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. and Spire Tennessee Inc. for Approval of a Transfer of Authority to Provide Utility Services Pursuant To T.C.A. § 65-4-113 and Related Authorizations | September 12, 2025 |

4. I have never had any application for admission *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked.

5. I have never been disciplined or sanctioned by any lawyer disciplinary agency, or authority, in any jurisdiction.

6. I presently am not subject to any suspension or disbarment proceedings, and have not been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency.

7. I agree to comply with the applicable statutes, laws and rules of the State of Tennessee and will familiarize myself with and comply with the Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct.

8. I consent to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee (“TN BPR”) and of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission.

9. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this case is Paul S. Davidson of Holland & Knight LLP, 511 Union Street, Suite 2700 Nashville, Tennessee 37219, Telephone: 615-850-8942, Tennessee State Bar No. 011789.

10. I have paid all fees in connection with the accompanying motion to appear *pro hac vice*.

11. I am currently licensed as a *pro hac vice* attorney with the TN BPR through December 31, 2025, and my BPR License No. is PHV88548

12. A copy of the motion to appear *pro hac vice*, and all associated papers, has been served upon all counsel of record in this proceeding and upon the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

DATED this 29th day of September, 2025.

By:



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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

WAKE COUNTY

I certify that Charlotte A. Mitchell personally appeared before me this day, acknowledging to me that she signed the forgoing document.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on this the 29th day of September, 2025.

(Place Notary Stamp Here)



Caitlin Beal
Print Name

Caitlin Beal
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 8/7/2027

Supreme Court OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA



I, Grant E. Buckner, Clerk of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, do hereby certify that on August 25, 2005, license to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the Courts of this State was issued by the North Carolina Board of Law Examiners to

Charlotte Anne Mitchell

according to the certified list of licentiates reported by the Secretary of said Board and filed in my office as required by statute.

To the date of this certificate, no order revoking said license has been filed with this Court and no order suspending same is in effect.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the Supreme Court of North Carolina at office in Raleigh, this September 9, 2025.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Grant E. Buckner".

Grant E. Buckner
Clerk of the Supreme Court
of the State of North Carolina