

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**June 16, 2026**

**IN RE:**

**PETITION OF SPIRE TENNESSEE INC. FOR  
APPROVAL OF ITS 2026 ANNUAL REVIEW OF  
RATES MECHANISM PURSUANT TO TENN. CODE  
ANN §65-5-103(d)(6)**

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**DOCKET NO.  
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**ORDER GRANTING PERMISSION TO PLEAD AND PRACTICE PRO HAC VICE**

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This matter is before the Administrative Judge upon the *Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice* (“*Motion*”), filed by Paul S. Davidson, attorney for Spire Tennessee Inc. (“Spire TN”) on behalf of Charlotte A. Mitchell. The *Motion* was filed on June 10, 2026, and seeks permission for Ms. Mitchell to appear on behalf of the Applicants in the above-captioned proceeding.

The *Motion* states Ms. Mitchell is a licensed attorney in good standing and admitted to practice law in the State of North Carolina, and further, that no disciplinary actions or investigations are pending against her.<sup>1</sup> The *Motion* is accompanied by an affidavit from Ms. Mitchell in which she agrees to subject herself to the jurisdiction of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee and the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) in any manner arising out of her conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before the Commission. In addition, Ms. Mitchell currently holds a *pro hac vice* attorney license issued by the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility that is valid through December 31, 2026.

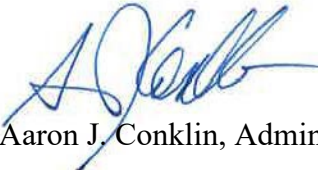
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<sup>1</sup> See Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 19.

Upon review, the Administrative Judge finds that the *Motion* complies with Rule 19 of the Rules of the Tennessee Supreme Court and Tenn. Comp. R. & Reg. 1220-1-2-.04(7). Accordingly, the *Motion* filed on behalf of Ms. Mitchell for permission to practice before the Commission in the proceedings in this matter is approved.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

The *Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice* filed by Paul S. Davidson on behalf of Charlotte A. Mitchell, attorney for Spire Tennessee Inc. is GRANTED.



Aaron J. Conklin, Administrative Judge