

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA
WESTERN DIVISION**

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
THE INTERIOR; DEBRA HAALAND, in her
official capacity as Secretary of the Interior;
THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT;
NADA CULVER, in her official capacity as
acting Director of the Bureau of Land
Management; and JOHN MEHLHOFF, in his
official capacity as the acting Director of the
Montana-Dakotas Bureau of Land
Management,

Defendants,

and

Center for Biological Diversity; Sierra Club;
Western Organization of Resource Councils;
and Dakota Resource Council,

Intervenor-Defendants.

Case No. 1:21-cv-00148-DMT-CRH (lead)
Case No. 1:23-cv-00004-DMT-CRH

**ALL DEFENDANTS' NOTICE OF
APPEAL**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 4(a)(1)(B) and 28 U.S.C. §

1292(a)(1), all Defendants¹ give notice that they appeal to the United States Court of

¹ Defendants consist of the United States Department of the Interior; Debra Haaland, in her official capacity as Secretary of the Interior; the Bureau of Land Management; Nada Culver, in her official capacity as acting Director of the Bureau of Land Management; John Mehlhoff, in his official capacity as the acting Director of the Montana-Dakotas Bureau of Land Management; Tracy Stone Manning, in her official capacity as the Director of the Bureau of Land Management; and Sonya Germann, in her official capacity as the Director of the Montana-Dakotas Bureau of Land Management.

Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, the Order to Revise Status Report [Doc. No. 105],
attached hereto as exhibit A issued by the Honorable Judge Daniel M. Traynor on April
25, 2023.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of June 2023.

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