

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. EMP-105, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
Application of Friesian Holdings, LLC,)
For a Certificate of Public Convenience)
And Necessity to Construct a 70-MW Solar)
Facility in Scotland County, NC)

**MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL
AND SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL**

NOW COMES the Movant, Friesian Holdings, LLC (“Friesian”), by and through the undersigned attorneys, and respectfully moves the North Carolina Utilities Commission (the “Commission”) for an Order granting the withdrawal of attorney Weston Adams, III of the law firm Nelson Mullins, Riley & Scarborough, LLP, from representation of Friesian in these proceedings, and substituting attorney Christopher B. Clare of Clark Hill PLC as counsel for Friesian and as the sponsoring attorney of attorney Steve M. Shparber of Clark Hill PLC. In support of this Motion, the Movant respectfully shows unto the Commission the following:

1. The Commission previously granted the *pro hac vice* admission of attorney Steve M. Shparber on September 19, 2019.
2. Mr. Shparber recently joined the law firm of Clark Hill PLC, and Mr. Shparber’s new contact information is:

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3. Mr. Shparber and Weston Adams, III of the law firm Nelson Mullins, Riley & Scarborough LLP have thus far appeared as counsel of record for Friesian in this proceeding.
4. Following Mr. Shparber's move to Clark Hill PLC, Friesian has retained Mr. Shparber and the law firm of Clark Hill PLC, together with the undersigned member of the North Carolina State Bar, attorney Christopher B. Clare, to represent Friesian in this proceeding.
5. Mr. Clare is a licensed attorney in the State of North Carolina and is duly and legally admitted to practice in the General Court of Justice of North Carolina. Mr. Clare has been associated with Mr. Shparber, and service on Mr. Clare may be had in all matters connected with these legal proceedings, or any disciplinary matter, with the same effect as if personally made in this State on Mr. Shparber.
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WHEREFORE, Friesian and the undersigned attorneys respectfully request Weston Adams, III of the law firm Nelson Mullins, Riley & Scarborough, LLP be withdrawn from representation of Friesian in these proceedings, and Christopher B. Clare of Clark Hill PLC be substituted as counsel for Friesian and as the sponsoring attorney of attorney Steve M. Shparber of Clark Hill PLC.

This the 10th day of September, 2020

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that copies of the foregoing have been served upon all parties of record by electronic mail.

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