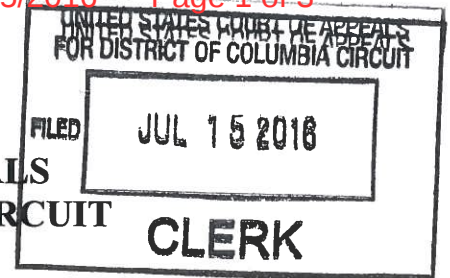


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Respondent.

PETITION FOR REVIEW

Case No. 16-1242

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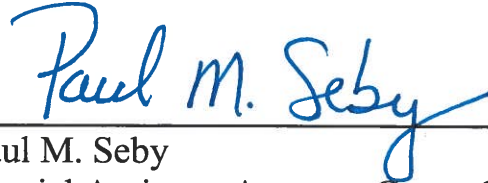
The State of North Dakota, pursuant to Rule 15(a) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure and Section 307(b)(1) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1) (“CAA”) and 5 U.S.C. § 702, respectfully petition this Court for review of a final rule issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) published in the *Federal Register* at 81 Fed. Reg. 35823 (June 3, 2016), entitled “Oil and Natural Gas Sector: Emission Standards for New, Reconstructed, and Modified Sources; Final Rule,” attached hereto. This Court has jurisdiction, and is the proper venue for this action, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1).

North Dakota seeks a determination by this Court that the EPA Final Rule challenged herein exceeds EPA’s statutory authority, goes beyond the bounds established by the United States Constitution and is arbitrary, capricious, an abuse of discretion and not in accordance with law and for the Court to hold unlawful and

set aside the rule, and to order other such relief as may be appropriate. *See* 42 U.S.C. § 7607(d).

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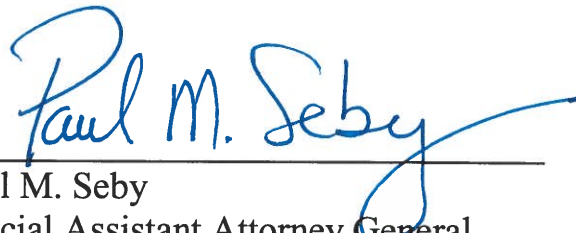
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I hereby certify that I will cause to be served a true copy of the Petition for Review via U.S. mail on the 14th day of July, 2016, upon the following:

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