

COURT OF APPEALS OF THE SHAKOPEE MDEWAKANTON SIOUX COMMUNITY

SMSC RESERVATION

STATE OF MINNESOTA

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SHAKOPEE MDEWAKANTON SIOUX
(DAKOTA) COMMUNITY


James Van Nguyen,

Appellant,

vs.

Amanda Gustafson,

Respondent.

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LYNN K. McDONALD
CLERK OF COURT

File No. Ct. App. 046-19

ORDER

On Friday, February 7, 2020, counsel for the Appellant moved to withdraw from his representation in this matter. The timing of the motion is troubling. Appellant's initial memorandum is due on February 24, 2020. No reason has been given for counsel's motion, no new counsel has substituted in, and no representation has been made that the Appellant has consented to the motion. The Court of Appeals therefore will not consider counsel's motion until and unless it is satisfied that the Appellant will not be prejudiced if the motion is granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT absent further filings as aforesaid the Court of Appeals will not permit Appellant's counsel to withdraw from this matter.

February 10, 2020

Per Curiam