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Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary Environmental Quality Council

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ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL STATE OF WYOMING

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In the Matter of the Appeal Of the Denial of June 2, 2008 Force Majeure Claim by Frontier Refining Inc.

Docket No. 08-3804

MOTION TO ADMIT KYLE BALLARD PRO HAC VICE

Mark R. Ruppert, local counsel for Petitioner, hereby moves the Environmental Quality Council for an Order permitting Kyle Ballard, Guida, Slavich & Flores, P.C., 750 North Street, Suite 200, Dallas, Texas 75201 to practice in the above-captioned matter, pursuant to Rule 11 of the Rules Providing for the Organization and Government of the Bar Association and Attorneys at Law of the State of Wyoming and Rule 104 of the Uniform Rules for the District Courts of the State of Wyoming. This Motion is supported by the attached Certificate of Compliance with Rule 11 provided by the Wyoming State Bar. Mr. Ballard will associate with local counsel, Mark R. Ruppert.

For the foregoing reasons counsel for Petitioner requests an Order admitting Kyle Ballard as counsel *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter. DATED September <u></u>, 2008.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September $\boxed{1}$, 2008, I served the foregoing by placing a true and correct copy thereof in the United States mail, postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

Department of Environmental Quality 122 West 25th Street, Herschler Building 4th Floor West Cheyenne, WY 82002



CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 11

Mr. R. Kyle Ballard Guida, Slavich & Flores, PC 750 North St. Paul Street, Suite 200 Dallas, TX 75201

RE: In the Matter of the Appeal of the Denial of June 2, 2008 Case Number: 08-3804, Environmental Quality Council, State of Wyoming

The above attorney has submitted an Application for Admission Pro Hac Vice to the Wyoming State Bar, along with supporting documentation. This attorney is compliant with Rule 11 of the Rules Providing for the Organization and Government of the Bar Association and Attorneys at Law of the State of Wyoming.

The above attorney has associated with the following local counsel, who is an active member of the Wyoming State Bar:

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Nancy Shore, Admissions Director

Dated: September 15, 2008

