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From: Kevan Brown <philologer@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, December 20, 2016 10:23 AM
To: (SUP) Clerk of Court Office
Subject: Comment on Supreme Court No. 20160436 regarding Attorneys for Standing Rock Defendants

Dear Ms. Miller:

Please ensure that the State of North Dakota takes all steps necessary to ensure that people arrested recently at Standing Rock (and in related Bismarck and Mandan actions) receive a fair trial as guaranteed by the United States Constitution. Defense attorneys from other states should be allowed to represent defendants. It is important for the future of democracy that each trial provides justice according to long-standing legal standards applicable in each of the fifty states, including North Dakota. All defendants should have access to an attorney of their choice.

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