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Supreme Court of the State of North Dakota  
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Ms. Miller,

I urge you to allow out-of-state attorneys to practice for the purposes of helping indigent defendants accused of crimes stemming from the NoDAPL protests. As I understand it, there is a dire need for more attorneys, as many have been charged with conspiracy and there would be a conflict of interest for any firm to represent more than a single codefendant. All defendants facing a year of jail time have the constitutional right to an attorney and without the manpower needed, they will not receive speedy justice. As such, I encourage you to allow out-of-state attorneys to practice for the purposes of defending these indigent attorneys.

Sincerely,  
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