UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

RED LAKE BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS, WHITE EARTH BAND OF OJIBWE, HONOR THE EARTH, and SIERRA CLUB,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 1:20-cv-3817

v.

UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS,

Defendant.

MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Pursuant to LCvR 65.1, Plaintiffs Red Lake of Chippewa Indians, White Earth Band of Ojibwe, Honor the Earth, and Sierra Club hereby respectfully move this Court to preliminarily enjoin the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to withdraw the permit issued on November 23, 2020 authorizing Enbridge Energy to discharge dredged and fill material into 1050.71 acres of waters of the United States for construction activities associated with the Line 3 project. The basis for such injunction is contained in the memorandum of points and authorities in support of this motion filed herewith, and the declarations attached thereto. In addition, Plaintiffs respectfully move for an expedited hearing.

Accordingly, Plaintiffs respectfully move this Court to preliminarily enjoin the Army Corps of Engineers and schedule an expedited hearing.



Dated: December 24, 2020 Respectfully submitted,

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