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Statement of Qualifications

Justin W. Klapperich

I received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Management with an Accounting Major with Honors in 2003, a Master's Degree in Professional Accountancy in 2006 and a Juris Doctorate Degree with Sterling Honors in 2006, all from the University of South Dakota. I am a Certified Public Accountant and licensed attorney (currently inactive). I worked for the Deloitte and Touche accounting firm for two years. In 2008, I joined Black Hills Corporation ("BHC") as a Tax Specialist. In 2013, I accepted a position as Manager of Corporate Development. My areas of responsibility in that position included strategic analysis of business development opportunities for both regulated and non-regulated subsidiaries of BHC. In that role, I was also co-leader of integration activities for the acquisition of SourceGas in 2016. I then held a role for three years as Senior Manager of Finance where I performed financial management activities for Black Hills Service Company, LLC and Black Hills Utility Holdings, Inc. I have served in my current role as Director of Tax for approximately one year.

PUBLIC VERSION

**Public Attachment JWK-2
Transition (Synergy Savings)
Report**

PUBLIC VERSION

Public Attachment JWK-3

Supplement to Synergy Savings Report