

State of Nebraska

Accountability and Disclosure Commission

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RE: Conflict of Interest Statement

Dear Senator Hardin,

We are in receipt of your Potential Conflict of Interest Statement ("Statement") filed with our office on February 27, 2026. We understand that you have filed this Statement pursuant to the terms of §49-1499 of the Nebraska Political Accountability and Disclosure Act ("NPADA").

The Statement contains the necessary information as provided by said Statute, and it will be maintained on file with our Commission as a public record.

If you have not already done so, please be sure to forward a copy of this Statement to the Speaker of the Legislature so that it may be filed in accordance with §49-1499.

Please contact me at 402-471-0846 if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Neil B. Danberg, General Counsel

NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISCLOSURE COMMISSION 11 th Floor, State Capitol P.O. Box 95086 Lincoln, NE 68509 (402) 471-2522	POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT NADC FORM C-2	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">POSTMARK DATE</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center; padding: 2px;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">MICROFILM NUMBER</td> <td style="padding: 2px;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">OFFICE USE ONLY</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 10px;"> RECEIVED FEB 27 2026 NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY and DISCLOSURE COMMISSION </td> </tr> </table>	POSTMARK DATE		MICROFILM NUMBER		OFFICE USE ONLY		RECEIVED FEB 27 2026 NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY and DISCLOSURE COMMISSION					
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BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM READ THE FILING REQUIREMENTS ON PAGE 3														
- An official or employee of the executive branch of state government or any other official or employee required to file Statements of Financial Interests must file this form if he or she has a potential conflict of interest. - Elected officials of school districts and elected officials of villages and cities (except Omaha and Lincoln) should not use this form. Use Potential Conflict of Interest Statement Form C-2A. - File this Potential Conflict of Interest Statement with the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission and with your immediate superior (if any) whenever a potential conflict of interest situation arises. - Persons who fail to disclose a potential conflict of interest or who otherwise do not comply with the law are subject to penalties.														
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ITEM 3	DESCRIBE POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST IN DETAIL (Use Item 7 Continuation, if necessary)													
Date action is to be taken or decision is to be made: <u>2/27/26 to end of 109th Legislature</u> Description of Potential Conflict: <u>Cattle Brand Bills. I work professionally on behalf of feeders in a unique way in the state and legislature. This pertains to LB1258 and LB1187.</u>														

ITEM 4 PERSONS WHO MAY RECEIVE FINANCIAL BENEFIT OR DETRIMENT☒ You☐ Member of your Immediate Family:Brian Hardin
NAME☒ Business With Which You☒ Are Associated (See Definitions)Mideri Energy, Inc.
NAME OF BUSINESS**ITEM 5 NATURE OF FINANCIAL BENEFIT OR DETRIMENT**C-Suite Member.**ITEM 6 FOR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE ONLY**

If you will not abstain from acting on a matter state why, despite the potential conflict, you intend to vote or otherwise participate.

Will be PNV.**ITEM 7 CONTINUATION**

(SIGNATURE)



(DATE)

2/27/26