STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

DISTRICT COURT

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT CASE TYPE: Other Civil

State of Minnesota, by its Attorney General Lori Swanson, its Commissioner of Pollution Control, John Linc Stine, and its Commissioner of Natural Resources, Tom Landwehr,

Court File No.: 27-CV-10-28862 Judge: Kevin S. Burke

Plaintiffs,

v.

ORDER

3M Company,

Defendant.

This matter came on administratively before Judge Kevin S. Burke on January 5, 2017, via the State's motion in limine to exclude evidence, argument, and references to the *Paulson* litigation. This Court heard oral argument on the motions in limine on February 9, 2018.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

The State of Minnesota's Motion to Exclude Evidence, Argument, and References to the *Paulson* litigation is **granted, in part**. Reference to the outcome of the case is not permitted. This does not preclude impeachment of witnesses by prior statements.

BY THE COURT:

Dated: February 15, 2018

Kevin S. Burke

Judge of District Court