IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
and)	
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. STATE)	
ENGINEER,)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	No. 01cv00072 BB/WDS
and)	
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Plaintiffs in Intervention,)	Subfile No. ZRB-1-0088
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V.)	
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A & R PRODUCTIONS, et al.)	
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Defendants.)	
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MOTION FOR DEFAULT JUDGMENT

The Plaintiffs United States of America ("United States") and New Mexico ex rel. State Engineer ("State"), pursuant to Fed. R. Civ P. 55(b)(2), move the Court to enter its order granting default judgment against the following defendant:

BRENDA ROMERO	Subfile No. ZRB-1-0088

and as grounds therefor Plaintiffs state:

The Court has jurisdiction over the above-named defendant as shown by 1. the filed waiver of service of summons by BRENDA ROMERO (Doc. No. 426).

- 2. BRENDA ROMERO was provided the documents listed in the Declaration of Gary A. Durr (Exhibit 1) on the dates indicated.
- 3. With respect to Subfile ZRB-1-0088, Defendant BRENDA ROMERO was subject to the Special Master's September 8, 2005 Amended Procedural and Scheduling Order for the Adjudication of Water Rights Claims in Sub-Areas 4 and 8 of the Zuni River Stream System (Doc. No. 387) ("Procedural and Scheduling Order"), which established a deadline of January 10, 2006, for the submission of a Request for Consultation, return of a Consent Order, or the filing of a form Subfile Answer.
 - 4. These deadlines for Subfile ZRB-1-0088 were never extended.
- 5. Defendant BRENDA ROMERO failed to submit a request for consultation, file a subfile answer, or return a signed Consent Order for Subfile ZRB-1-0088 in accordance with the Procedural and Scheduling Order or other applicable scheduling orders.
- 6. Defendant BRENDA ROMERO is in default for failure to appear, answer, or otherwise defend in Subfile ZRB-1-0088 within the time limitations imposed by applicable Procedural and Scheduling Orders, or Orders of the Court extending deadlines, as shown by the Clerk's Certificate of Default filed August 28, 2007 (Doc. No. 1233).
- 7. In accordance with the Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic Survey Report for Sub Areas 4 and 8, as amended, the right(s) of BRENDA ROMERO to divert and use the public waters of the Zuni River Stream System, Sub-Areas 4 and 8, should be as set forth below:

BRENDA ROMERO Subfile No. ZRB-1-0088

STOCK POND

Map Label: 4A-3-SP17

Purpose of Use: LIVESTOCK

Priority date: 10/6/1997

Source of Water: Surface Runoff

Point of Diversion: Not Applicable

Amount of Water:

Depth (ft): 1.5

Surface Area (sq.ft): 17,549

Storage Impoundment Volume (ac-ft): 0.363

Pond Location: As shown on Hydrographic Survey Map 4A-3

S. 4 T. 10N R. 14W 1/4, 1/16, 1/64: NW SW SW

X(ft): 2,574,954 **Y(ft):** 1,501,893

New Mexico State Plane Coordinate System, West Zone, NAD 1983

Dam height (if greater than 9 ft):

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs request the Court to enter an order granting default judgment against BRENDA ROMERO, incorporating the terms of the Consent Order proposed for Subfile ZRB-1-0088 and in conformance with the Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic Survey Report for Sub Areas 4 and 8, as amended.

Dated: November 13, 2007

Electronically Filed

/s/ Bradley S. Bridgewater

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, on November 13, 2007, I filed the foregoing Motion for Default Judgment electronically through the CM/ECF system, which caused CM/ECF Participants to be served by electronic means, as more fully reflected on the Notice of Electronic Filing:

I further certify that on November 13, 2007, a copy of the foregoing was served by first class mail on each of the parties set forth below.

Brenda Romero 7972 Meade St, Apt. 7 Westminster, CO 80030

<u>/s/</u> Bradley S. Bridgewater