IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
Plaintiff,)	
,)	01cv00072-BDB-ACE
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)	ZUNI RIVER ADJUDICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State)	
Engineer, A & R Productions, et al.,)	
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Defendants.)	
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NOTICE OF STATUS AND SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Rules 16 and 53 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and the Scheduling Order entered July 15, 2002 (Docket No. 147), a status and scheduling conference is set for Thursday, January 16, 2003, beginning at 10:00 a.m., in the Gila Courtroom, 5th Floor, United States District Court, 333 Lomas Blvd. N.W., Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Pursuant to the July Scheduling Order, the Special Master and interested parties will discuss general guidelines for the conduct of this case, and identify specific case-management tasks and priorities.

Accordingly, counsel for the United States of America shall draft a proposed order which includes at a minimum:

- 1. a conceptual outline for the adjudication;
- 2. general procedures and schedules for handling Federal, Tribal and State agency claims and non-Indian Defendant claims; and
 - 3. detailed schedules and procedures for tasks to be completed February 1, 2003 to February

1, 2004; and

The proposed order shall be circulated (not filed) to counsel of record, defendants pro se, and the

Special Master for receipt no later than Friday, January 10. Comments, counter-proposals, and any other

matters deemed necessary to include in an initial procedural and scheduling order will be discussed at the

conference.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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SPECIAL MASTER VICKIE L. GABIN

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