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,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
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and)	01cv00072-BB-ACE
ZUNI INDIAN TRIBE, NAVAJO NATION,)	
Plaintiffs-in-Intervention,)	ZUNI RIVER BASIN
)	ADJUDICATION
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A & R PRODUCTIONS, et al.)	
Defendants.)	
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ORDER SETTING STATUS AND SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

THIS ORDER is entered pursuant to Fed. Rs. Civ. P. 16 and 53 to guide the course of the adjudication of the Zuni River Basin, and the 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 (Docket No. 387).

The Special Master will hold a status and scheduling conference Wednesday, November 9, 2005, beginning at 10:00 a.m. and continuing until all business is completed, at the Convention Room of the Cibola County Complex, 515 High Street, Grants, N.M. ((505) 287-9431).

The purposes of this conference are to:

1. generally discuss the progress of the adjudication of water rights in Sub-Areas 4 and 8 to date, and any requirements for additional scheduling.

2. provide information to water rights claimants regarding the conduct of the adjudication for Sub-areas 4 and 8.

3. revisit procedures for basin-wide notice and service.

4. address any other matter relevant to the subfiles adjudication.

The United States of America shall (a) serve this Order by first-class mail to water rights defendants identified by the hydrographic survey for Sub-areas 4 and 8.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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SPECIAL MASTER VICKIE L. GABIN