

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

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DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )  
and )  
NAVAJO NATION )  
Plaintiffs, )  
-v- )  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.* State )  
ENGINEER, *et al.* )  
Defendants )

12cv01298-2 )  
CLERK ALBUQUERQUE )  
ZUNI RIVER BASIN )  
ADJUDICATION )  
Subproceeding 2 )  
Navajo Indian Claims )

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN SUBPROCEEDING 2**

The party named below claims water rights in the Zuni River stream system and intends to participate in the adjudication of the water rights claimed on behalf of the Navajo Nation, or on behalf of the beneficiaries of federal allotments to Navajo Indians, in this subproceeding.

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT:**

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Is this notice filed by an attorney on behalf of the party?  Yes  No

If the answer to the preceding question is "Yes," **NO LATER THAN November 15, 2013**, the attorney must enter an appearance electronically pursuant to D.N.M.LR-Civ. 83.4, and the CM/ECF Administrative Procedures Manual, and attach this notice completely filled out and signed by the client party.

I understand that I (or my attorney) must also attend the scheduling conference to be held on November 26, 2013, at a time and place to be announced, in order to be allowed to participate in Subproceeding 2.

Signed: Rita Skeet  
PARTY

Dated: 11/21/13

**If you are not represented by an attorney, the Court must receive this Notice by mail or hand-delivered NO LATER THAN November 15, 2013 at: Clerk's Office, U.S. District Court, 106 So. Federal Place, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501.**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.* STATE ENGINEER,  
Plaintiffs,

and

ZUNI INDIAN TRIBE, NAVAJO NATION,  
Plaintiffs in Intervention

12cv1298 MV/LFG  
Zuni River Basin Adjudication  
Subproceeding 2  
Navajo Indian Claims

v.

A & R PRODUCTIONS, *et al.*  
Defendants.

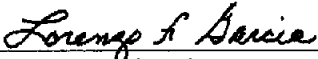
**ORDER VACATING SCHEDULING CONFERENCE**

In its Notice of Expedited *Inter Se* Subproceeding for Subproceeding 2, the Court stated that any parties filing a Notice of Intent to Participate in Subproceeding 2 by November 15, 2013 must attend a scheduling conference set for November 26, 2013. [Doc. 5]. The Court's Notice also stated that any party not appearing at the scheduling conference in person or by counsel will thereafter be precluded from participating in Subproceeding 2.

Over 150 persons have filed a Notice of Intent to Participate in Subproceeding 2 and that number may increase before the November 15, 2013 deadline. Many of those persons will need to travel from western New Mexico to Albuquerque, and some will need to travel from out of state, to attend the scheduling conference. To avoid inconvenience and expense for such a large number of people, the Court is considering whether a scheduling conference is necessary at this time. Until it makes that determination, the Court will vacate the scheduling conference set for November 26, 2013.

The Court will enter another order either setting a new date for the scheduling conference if the Court determines such a conference is necessary, or notifying the parties of the next steps in this subproceeding. The November 15, 2013 deadline for filing Notices of Intent to Participate in Subproceeding 2 remains in effect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
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Lorenzo F. Garcia  
United States Magistrate Judge