

FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF CHAVES STATE OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONVERVANCY DISTRICT, Plaintiffs,

VS.

L.T. LEWIS, et al., and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Defendants

and

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel, State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT Plaintiffs,

VS.

HAGERMAN CANAL CO., et al, Defendants.

## ORDER SETTING ADJUDICATION WIDE STATUS AND SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Rules 16 and 53 of the New Mexico Rules of Civil Procedure for District Courts, the Special Master will conduct an adjudication wide status and scheduling conference on Tuesday, April 13, 2004, commencing at 10:00 am, at the Chavez County Commission Room, No. 1 St Mary's Place, Roswell, New Mexico.

1. The following matters will be considered at the status and scheduling conference:

A. The work plan of the State of New Mexico, ex rel. State Engineer, (the "State") for completing this adjudication, including, without limitation:

• A discussion of the Non-Indian Adjudication Work Plan (insofar as it pertains to the Pecos) that appears as Appendix D to the 2003 State Water Plan, available at <a href="http://www.seo.state.nm.us/hot-topics/index.html">http://www.seo.state.nm.us/hot-topics/index.html</a>



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Honorable David W. Bonem District Judge Pro Tempore

- Any anticipated amendments or modifications to that plan
- Prioritization of work, budgeting, staffing and other assumptions upon which the work plan is predicated

B. For Each Hydrographic Survey Section of this adjudication (except the Gallinas, for which a separate Status and Scheduling Conference will be set):

- The present status of the adjudication
- The (i) adequacy of any procedural or scheduling orders now in place and (ii) possible amendments to those orders
- The identification of all motions, contested matters or other issues pending before the Court
- The identification of any motions, contested matters or other issues likely to be presented to the Court within the next six months

C. The Data Management System for this adjudication to be implemented by the Special Master, including:

- The goals and purpose of the system
- The manner of implementing the system

D. The parties' suggestions for improved judicial management of the adjudication.

2. The State shall serve copies of this order on all counsel of record and all parties appearing pro se.

DATED this 18 day of February 2004

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Stephen E. Snyder Special Master

On the recommendation and Findings of the Special Moster this "Order Setting Adjudication When Status and Scheduling Conference" is Approach + becomes the Order of the Conference Di G. Q., District Judge Pro Term