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,)
) No. 01cv00072 BB/WDS
and)
) ZUNI RIVER BASIN
ZUNI INDIAN TRIBE, NAVAJO NATION,) ADJUDICATION
)
Plaintiffs in Intervention,) Subfile No. ZRB-3-0036
)
v.)
)
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:

RITA COMBS	Subfile No. ZRB-3-0036

and as grounds therefor Plaintiffs state:

1. The Court has jurisdiction over the above-named defendant as shown by

the filed service of summons on RITA COMBS (Doc. No. 2032).

2. RITA COMBS was provided the documents listed in the Declaration of Gary A. Durr (Exhibit 1) on the dates indicated.

3. With respect to Subfile ZRB-3-0036, Defendant RITA COMBS was subject to the Special Master's March 7, 2006 *Procedural and Scheduling Order for the Adjudication of Water Rights Claims in Sub-Area 7 of the Zuni River Stream System* (Doc. No. 561)("Procedural and Scheduling Order"), which established a deadline of August 12, 2006, for the return of a signed Consent Order or the filing of a Subfile Answer.

4. These deadlines for Subfile ZRB-3-0036 were never extended.

5. Defendant RITA COMBS is in default for failure to appear, answer, or otherwise defend in Subfile ZRB-3-0036 within the time limitations imposed by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, applicable Procedural and Scheduling Orders, or Orders of the Court extending deadlines, as shown by the Clerk's Certificate of Default filed February 5, 2009 (Doc. No. 2097).

6. In accordance with the *Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic Survey Report for Sub-area 7*, as amended, the right(s) of RITA COMBS to divert and use the public waters of the Zuni River Stream System, Sub-Area 7, should be as set forth below:

<u>RITA COMBS</u> Subfile No. ZRB-3-0036

WELL

Map Label: 7B-3-W40OSE File No: NonePriority Date: 3/13/1994Purpose of Use: NON 72-12-1 DOMESTIC

Well Location: As shown on Hydrographic Survey Map 7B-3

S. 23 T. 08N R. 16W 1/4, 1/16, 1/64: SW SW SE

X (ft): 2,523,508 **Y (ft):** 1,420,365

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

Amount of Water (ac-ft per annum): Historical beneficial use not to exceed 0.7

acre-feet per annum

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs request the Court to enter an order granting default

judgment against RITA COMBS, incorporating the terms of the Consent Order proposed for

Subfile ZRB-3-0036 and in conformance with the Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic

Survey Report for Sub-area 7, as amended.

Dated: February 10, 2009

Electronically Filed

/s/ Bradley S. Bridgewater

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, on February 10, 2009, 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.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing was mailed to the

following parties who are not CM/ECF Participants:

Rita Combs 59 Muckelemi St., Apt 125 San Juan Bautista, CA 95045

> /s/ Bradley S. Bridgewater