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

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. STATE	)	
ENGINEER,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	N 01 000 <b>70 N</b> M/TEG
	)	No. 01cv00072 MV/LFG
and	)	
	)	ZUNI RIVER BASIN
ZUNI INDIAN TRIBE, NAVAJO NATION,	)	ADJUDICATION
	)	
Plaintiffs in Intervention,	)	Subfile No. ZRB-1-0035
	)	
V.	)	
	)	
A & R PRODUCTIONS, et al.	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

## **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 Defendants:

WILHELMINA GROSS &	Subfile No. ZRB-1-0035
LOUIS W. GROSS	

and as grounds therefor Plaintiffs state:

 The Court has jurisdiction over the above-named Defendants as shown by the filed waver of service of summons of LOUIS W. GROSS (No. 362) and WILHEMINA GROSS (No. 362).

- 2. WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS were provided the documents listed in the Declaration of Karmen Miller (Exhibit 1) on the dates indicated.
- 3. With respect to Subfile ZRB-1-0035, Defendants WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS were subject to the Special Master's 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 (Doc. No. 387) and the September 27, 2006 Order Granting Joint Motion to Amend Procedural and Scheduling Orders and Establish or Revise Deadlines for Defendants to Return Requests for Consultation and Submit Subfile Answers (Doc. No. 837)("Procedural and Scheduling Order"), which established a deadline of March 20, 2006 for these Defendants to submit a Request for Consultation or return a signed Consent Order and which required these Defendants to either sign and return the last-offered Consent Order or to file and serve a Subfile Answer within 20 days of service of a Notice That the Consultation Period Has Ended for Subfile ZRB-1-0035.
- 4. These deadlines for Subfile ZRB-1-0035 were never extended.

  Defendants WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS submitted a timely Request for Consultation. However, following the conclusion of the consultation these Defendants failed to either sign and return the last-offered Consent Order or to file and serve a Subfile Answer within 20 days of service of the January 30, 2012 *Notice That the Consultation Period Has Ended* (Doc. No. 2748).
- 5. Defendants WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS are in default for failure to appear, answer, or otherwise defend in Subfile ZRB-1-0035 within the time limitations imposed by applicable Procedural and Scheduling Orders, or Orders of the Court

extending deadlines, as shown by the Clerk's Certificate of Default filed October 31, 2012 (No. 2812).

6. In accordance with the Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic Survey Report for Sub Areas 4 and 8, as amended, the right(s) of WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS to divert and use the public waters of the Zuni River Stream System, Sub-Areas 4 and 8, should be as set forth below:

## WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS Subfile No. ZRB-1-0035

## STOCK POND

Map Label: 8A-1-SP17

Purpose of Use: LIVESTOCK

**Priority date:** 10/6/1997

**Source of Water:** Surface Runoff

**Point of Diversion:** Not Applicable

**Amount of Water:** 

**Depth (ft):** 4.0

Surface Area (sq.ft): 12,572

**Storage Impoundment Volume (ac-ft):** 0.693

**Pond Location:** As shown on Hydrographic Survey Map 8A-1

> 1/4, 1/16, 1/64: NW NE SW **S.** 4 **T.** 09N **R.** 14W

**X(ft):** 2,576,458 **Y(ft):** 1,471,350

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

## Dam height (if greater than 9 ft):

## STOCK POND

Map Label: 8A-1-SP33

**Purpose of Use:** LIVESTOCK

**Priority date:** 10/6/1997

**Source of Water:** Surface Runoff

**Point of Diversion:** Not Applicable

**Amount of Water:** 

**Depth** (ft): 1.5

Surface Area (sq.ft): 10,384

**Storage Impoundment Volume (ac-ft):** 0.215

**Pond Location:** As shown on Hydrographic Survey Map 8A-1

**S.** 4 **T.** 09N **R.** 14W **1/4, 1/16, 1/64:** NW NE SW

**X(ft):** 2,576,333 **Y(ft):** 1,471,469

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

## Dam height (if greater than 9 ft):

## WELL

**Map Label:** 8A-1-W10

**OSE File No:** G 1503

**Priority Date:** 6/27/2003

**Purpose of Use:** 72-12-1 DOMESTIC ONE HOUSEHOLD

**Well Location:** As shown on Hydrographic Survey Map 8A-1

**S.** 4 **T.** 09N **R.** 14W 1/4, 1/16, 1/64: NE NE NE

**X** (**ft**): 2,579,635 **Y** (**ft**): 1,472,400

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

**Amount of Water:** 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 WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS, incorporating the terms of the Consent Order proposed for Subfile ZRB-1-0035 and in conformance with the *Zuni River Basin Adjudication Hydrographic Survey Report for Sub Areas 4 and 8*, as amended.

Dated: November 13, 2012

Electronically Filed

/s/ Bradley S. Bridgewater

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, on November 13, 2012, 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:

WILHELMINA GROSS & LOUIS W. GROSS BOX 36 RAMAH, NM 87321

/s/ Bradley S. Bridgewater