IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTIES OF MARICOPA AND APACHE

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

W-1 – W- 4 (Consolidated) and CV 6417

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE LITTLE COLORADO RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE Contested Case No. W1-11-1511

REVISED NOTICE OF DESIGNATION OF ISSUES OF BROAD LEGAL IMPORTANCE

CONTESTED CASE NAME:

In re ASLD - Fred and Carol Telles

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THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED designating the following as issues of broad

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legal importance:

- 1) At minimum, what must a claimant asserting a de minimis stockpond right pursuant to the Stockpond Registration Act, A.R.S. §§ 45-271 through -276 ("SPRA"), show to prove the existence of a basis of right?
 - a. Under the SPRA, is a stockpond application under A.R.S. § 45-273 ("SPRA Application") a sufficient basis of right for a *de minimis* stockpond right or is a stockpond certificate under A.R.S. § 45-275 ("SPRA Certificate") necessary?
- 2) If an SPRA Certificate is necessary, how can ADWR expedite the certification process?
- 3) If an SPRA Certificate is necessary, how best should the Court address the abstracts previously approved, despite the absence of a certificate?

DATED this May of May, 2025.

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Special Water Master