

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

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HONORABLE EDDWARD BALLINGER, JR.

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Deputy

CV-6417

FILED: March 26, 2002

In Re the General Adjudication
of All Rights to Use Water in
the Little Colorado River System
and Source

ORDER CONTINUING STATUS
CONFERENCE TO JUNE 4, 2002

MINUTE ENTRY

Due to various matters requiring attention,

IT IS ORDERED,

The Status Conference set by Judge Dawson for April 18, 2002 is continued until June 4, 2002 at 9:30 a.m. in the Apache County Courthouse. At this hearing, the court will consider, among other things, the following:

1. The status of settlement negotiations;
2. The request that the stay previously entered by Judge Minker be lifted and a trial date and discovery schedule be set with respect to the Show Low Lake, Show Low Irrigation Company and Lakeside Irrigation Company contested cases;

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3. The request that the court direct the Special Master to submit a report on the procedures used by the Arizona Department of Water Resources ("ADWR") in providing technical assistance to the court and Special Master;
4. The request that the court determine if the Hopi Tribe has a water right claim, and if so, access to the main stem of the Little Colorado River;
5. The request that the court address issues relating to water right claims arising out of the Navajo-Hopi Land Dispute Settlement Act of 1996;
6. The request that the court should set a deadline for identifying all settlements, judgments, decrees, state or federal legislation or other matters that parties believe affect or control claims in this adjudication;
7. The need for court directives regarding rulings of the Arizona Supreme Court;
8. The scope of the Hopi Tribe Hydrographic Survey Report ("HSR"), including whether a deadline for filing amended claims and identifying allotted lands and related water right claims should be set at this time;
9. Requests related to comments submitted to ADWR's 1994 *HSR for Indian lands in the Little Colorado River System* and ADWR's August 10, 2000 *Report Re: Scope of Indian Lands HSR*;
10. The joint request that the court approve stipulations entered into among certain of the parties in 2001; and
11. The court wishes to hear from ADWR about the department's staffing and other resources available to complete the Hopi Tribe HSR.

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