IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF APACHE

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CV 6417-203

ORDER DISMISSING OBJECTIONS

CONTESTED CASE NAME: In re Hopi Reservation HSR

HSR INVOLVED: Hopi Reservation

ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO

COLORADO RIVER SYSTEM AND

USE WATER IN THE LITTLE

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The Special Master dismisses objections not filed by the deadline of June 15, 2016.

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IN RE THE GENERAL

Objections to the Hopi Reservation HSR were required to be filed and received by the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Apache County by June 15, 2016. A.R.S. §45-256(B). The following objections were not timely filed:

Claimant	Filing Date
Bear Ridge Resort, LLP	June 16, 2016
Charles and Jacqulyn S. Bebee	June 27, 2016
The New Sundance LLP	June 16, 2016
Raymond Turley	June 24, 2016

In addition, objections must specifically address the director's recommendations regarding particular water rights claims or uses investigated and state in clear and concise language the particular factual and/or legal reasons for the objections and describe the evidence to support those reasons. None of the listed objections listed above were timely filed and none included specific objections to the water right claims or uses that are the subject of the Hopi HSR.

In letters accompanying the form of Objection filed by the two limited liability partnerships and by Charles and Jacqulyn S. Bebee, no objection is made to the Hopi HSR, but a request is made to protect the Objector's water rights. Objections are not a substitute for filing Statements of Claimant with the Arizona Department of Water Resources to assert water rights.¹

IT IS ORDERED that the objections filed by Bear Ridge Resort, LLP, The New Sundance LLP, Charles and Jacqulyn S. Bebee and Raymond Turley are hereby dismissed with prejudice.

DATED: September 15, 2016.

Susan Ward Harris Special Master

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On September 15, 2016, the original of the foregoing was mailed to the Clerk of the Apache County Superior Court for filing and distributing a copy to all persons listed on the Court approved mailing list for the Little Colorado River Adjudication Civil No. 6417-203.

Barbara Brown

¹ The public records of ADWR show that Mr. Turley filed Statement of Claimant 39-94543 with the Arizona Department of Water Resources on December 19, 2007, to claim water rights. This Order does not consider and has no impact on Statement of Claimant 39-94543.