

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA
RENO, NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,)
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 Plaintiff-Intervenor,)
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 vs.)
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 WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION)
 DISTRICT, et al.,)
)
 Defendants.)

In Equity No. C-125-ECR
Subfile No. C-125-B

MINUTES OF COURT

DATE: OCTOBER 16, 2000

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
 WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,)
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 Counterclaimants,)
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 vs.)
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 WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION)
 DISTRICT, et al.,)
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 Counterdefendants.)

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PRESENT: HONORABLE ROBERT A. McQUAID, JR., U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Deputy Clerk: Rosemary Damron Recorder: Tape 00-170

Counsel Appearing in Person: Gordon de Paoli, Dale Ferguson, Marta Adams

Counsel Appearing Telephonically: Scott McElroy, Alice Walker, Susan Schneider, George Benesch, Linda Bowman, Mary Hackenbracht, Michael Neville

PROCEEDINGS: FURTHER STATUS CONFERENCE REGARDING THE CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

1:30 p.m. Court convenes.

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The parties filed a stipulation on August 30, 2000 in which they agree to forms regarding service. Those forms are approved by the Court. The parties shall have 60 days in which to submit agreed upon procedures regarding lis pendens; if the parties cannot agree then they shall submit their respective positions regarding lis pendens.

The parties have worked together to a great extent and have advised the USA and the tribe what information they do have concerning the various categories. The government and tribe have 60 days in which to actually obtain from each of the parties to this litigation exactly what they have so that a determination may be made as to what categories of peoples are missing who need to be identified and served.

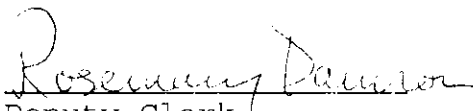
IT IS ORDERED that Item 3(e) on page 5 of the Case Management Order (filed on April 18, 2000, Doc. #108) is amended to read, "All users of groundwater for irrigation in California in the Walker River Basin."

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a **Further Status Conference is scheduled on Thursday, December 21, 2000 at 1:30 p.m.** A status report is to be submitted by the government a few days prior to the hearing (to be served on all counsel and with a courtesy copy to chambers).

Counsel wishing to participate in the conference by phone shall contact the courtroom deputy, Rosemary Damron, at (775) 686-5835, at least two days prior to the hearing to advise her of the phone numbers where they may be reached for the conference.

2:00 p.m. Court adjourns.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

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Deputy Clerk