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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

9 DISTRICT OF NEVADA
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12 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, IN EQUITY NO. C-125
13 Plaintiff, SUBFILE NO. C-125-B
14 WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND INTENT
15 Plaintiff-Intervenor, TO PARTICIPATE
16 vs.

17 WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION
DISTRICT, a corporation, et
18 al.,
19 _____/

20 1. VGR Limited Partnership ("VGR") hereby enters its
21 appearance in this sub-proceeding in this case.

22 2. VGR is e-filing this document with the District Court at
23 the following address:

24 Chief Deputy Clerk
United States District Court for the
25 District of Nevada
400 South Virginia Street, Suite 301
26 Reno, Nevada 89501

27 3. In the envelope provided for return of the waiver of
28 Service of Notice in Lieu of Summons, VGR is mailing a copy of

1 this document to:

2 Susan L. Schneider
3 Attorney for the United States of America
4 United States Department of Justice
5 Environment & Natural Resources Division
6 P. O. Box 756
7 Littleton, Colorado 80160

8 4. VGR will retain all defenses or objections to the
9 lawsuit or to the jurisdiction or venue of the court except for
10 objections based on a defect in the Notice in Lieu of Summons or
11 in the service of the Notice in Lieu of Summons.

12 5. VGR identifies its attorney for these proceedings,
13 below, along with the mailing address, telephone number, and
14 facsimile number of said attorney:

15 Attorney:

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24 Dated: September 8, 2006

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25 By: /s/ J. D. Sullivan
26 J. D. SULLIVAN, Attorneys for
27 Counterdefendant, VGR Limited
28 Partnership