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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | |
| |) | |
| Plaintiff, |) | |
| |) | IN EQUITY NO. C-125-ECR |
| WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, |) | Subproceedings: C-125-B & C-125-C |
| |) | 3:73-CV-00127-ECR- LRL & |
| Plaintiff-Intervenor, |) | 3:73-CV-00128-ECR- LRL |
| vs. |) | |
| |) | |
| WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, |) | RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES |
| a corporation, et al., |) | OF AMERICA AND THE WALKER |
| |) | RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE TO THE |
| Defendants. |) | REQUEST OF WALKER RIVER |
| |) | IRRIGATION FOR ORAL ARGUMENT |
| _____ |) | CONCERNING SERVICE ISSUES |
| MINERAL COUNTY, |) | |
| |) | |
| Proposed-Plaintiff-Intervenor, |) | |
| vs. |) | |
| |) | |
| WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT |) | |
| a corporation, et al., |) | |
| |) | |
| Proposed Defendants. |) | |
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The United States of America (“United States”) and the Walker River Paiute Tribe (“Tribe”) (Plaintiff and Plaintiff-Intervenor in Subproceeding C-125-B) have received the Request of Walker River Irrigation District for Oral Argument Concerning Service Issues. *Request of Walker River Irrigation for Oral Argument Concerning Service Issues* (April 4, 2011)

(#1640, #536).¹ Oral argument would appear unnecessary because the issues before the Court have been fully briefed. Nevertheless, the United States and the Tribe stand ready to assist the Court as it directs.

Dated: April 18, 2011

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¹ This request is joined by Circle Bar N Ranch, LLC. *Joinder By Circle Bar N Ranch, LLC, et al. to Walker River Irrigation District's Request for Oral Argument Concerning Service Issues* (April 8, 2011) (#1641, #537).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 18th day of April, 2011, I electronically filed the foregoing **RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE TO THE REQUEST OF THE WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION FOR ORAL ARGUMENT CONCERNING SERVICE ISSUES** with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the following via their email addresses:

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