

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF SAN JUAN ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. STATE ENGINEER,

CV-75-184

Plaintiff,

HON. JAMES J. WECHSLER PRESIDING JUDGE

v.

SAN JUAN RIVER ADJUDICATION

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,

Claims of Navajo Nation Case No: AB-07-1

Defendants,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO'S INITIAL DISCLOSURES

The Plaintiff, State of New Mexico ex rel. State Engineer ("State"), hereby makes its initial disclosures pursuant to the Court's February 3, 2012 Order (1) Granting Settling Parties' Motion to Extend Certain Deadlines and (2) Setting Schedule Governing Discovery and Remaining Proceedings ("Scheduling Order"). The State may supplement these initial disclosures.

I. Individuals

The following individuals may have or might develop discoverable information that the State may use to support its position:

- 1) Jim McNees, Chief, Hydrographic Survey Mapping Bureau, Office of the State Engineer, Post Office Box 25102, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-5102; interpretation of aerial imagery, and mapping and computer based information technology.
- 2) John Whipple, former Basin Manager, Colorado / San Juan Basin, Interstate Stream Commission, Post Office Box 25102, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-5102.

II. Documents in the possession, custody, or control of the State

The State may use the following documents, data compilations, and tangible things to support its position. The State reserves its right to assert in response to any discovery request any claims of privilege or immunity that are applicable to all or part of any of the identified materials. Except as otherwise noted, the identified materials are located in the Office of the State Engineer, Litigation and Adjudication Program, 130 S. Capitol, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501.

A. Survey Reports and Maps

Survey Name	Date	Description
Report on San Juan River Hydrographic Survey, 1938	1938	Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer

Map Location	Date	Description
Map of San Juan	1950	Prepared by DOI, US Indian Service, Navajo
River, Fruitland to		Agency, Window Rock, Arizona
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B. Laws and Congressional Records

Date	Title
11/24/22	Colorado River Compact
10/11/48	Upper Colorado River Basin Compact
04/11/56	Public Law 485, Authorizing the Colorado River Storage Project
08/05/58	85 th Congress, 2 nd Session, Senate Report No. 2198
05/20/60	Hearing on H.R. 2352, 2494 and S. 72, 86 th Congress, 2 nd session
03/15/61	Hearing on S. 107, 87 th Congress, 1 st session
06/13/62	Public Law 87-483, Authorizing the Navajo Indian Irrigation Project and San
	Juan-Chama Project
06/12/75	Hearing on San Juan-Chama Project, 94th Congress 1st session, Senate Energy
	Research and Water Resources Subcommittee
10/23/92	Jicarilla Apache Tribe Water Rights Settlement Act, Public Law 102-441
07/30/99	Biological Assessment for Completion of the Navajo Indian Irrigation Project
	(US Fish and Wildlife Service)
12/21/00	Colorado Ute Settlement Act Amendments of 2000, Public Law 106-554, Title
	III
03/30/09	Northwestern New Mexico Rural Water Projects Act, Public Law 111-11, Title

	X, Subtitle B
10/01/09	Record of Decision for the Navajo-Gallup Water Supply Project Planning Report
	and Final Environmental Impact Statement

C. Reports and Memoranda

Date	Title	Author
1976	Table on Navajo Project, San Juan River, Irrigation in New Mexico	BIA
10/93	Navajo Indian Reservation, Hogback & Fruitland	BIA
	Irrigation Projects Crop Utilization Survey	
1999	Biological Assessment for the Navajo Indian Irrigation Project	BIA
08/08/03	Memorandum on Historic Depletions from the San Juan	Pat Turney and John
	River in New Mexico for Power Generation	Whipple
03/22/05	Memorandum from John Whipple, Interstate Stream Commission Staff, to Erik Webb, Nate Gentry and Mike Connor on San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement: Issues Relating to the Entitlements, Availability and Sharing of Water for Navajo Reservoir Water Supply Contracts and the San Juan-Chama Project	John Whipple
2007	Tabulations of Farm Duties in New Mexico and Per- Capita Water Use Rates for Public Water Supply Systems in 2000 (tabulated in 2007)	John Whipple
04/07	Hydrologic Determination 2007, Water Availability from Navajo Reservoir and the Upper Colorado River Basin for Use in New Mexico	DOI and BOR
01/12	Inventory of Navajo Lands within the San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Irrigated by Groundwater and Tributaries of the San Juan River	Ebert and Associates, Inc./Christopher D. Banet
01/12/12	Navajo San Juan Main Stem and NIIP Historically Irrigated Acreage	Keller-Bliesner Engineering, LLC
01/12/12	San Juan Stream System Navajo Water Use Report on Impoundments, Wells, and Springs	Keller-Bliesner Engineering, LLC
01/12/12	Past and Present Large Navajo Industrial Water Use in San Juan Basin	Cardno Entrix
04/02/12	Quantification Analysis for the Supplemental Partial Final Decree, prepared in furtherance of the San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement, and all documents relied upon in the report	John Whipple

D. Settlement Documents

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Date	Document	Author
09/09/96	Letter to Governor Gary Johnson, Re: Resolution of	Albert A. Hale, President of
	the Navajo Nation's Water Rights to the San Juan	the Navajo Nation
	River	
12/05/03	Draft San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo	
	Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement	
12/05/03	Press release: Public Comment Sought on Proposed	Navajo Nation and OSE
	Water Rights Settlement Agreement by the State of	_
	New Mexico and the Navajo Nation for the San Juan	
	River Basin	
7/09/04	Draft San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo	
	Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement	
07/09/04	Memorandum from John Whipple, Interstate Stream	John Whipple
	Commission Staff, to San Juan Agricultural Water	
	Users Association Board on Concerns of the San	
	Juan Agricultural Water Users Association regarding	
	the Proposed San Juan River Basin in New Mexico	
	Navajo Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement	
12/10/04	Responses to Public Comments Received on Drafts	John Whipple
12, 10, 0.	of the San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo	
	Nation Water Rights Settlement, and attachments	
1/11/05	Reasons for Non-Navajo Parties to Support the San	John Whipple
1,11,00	Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation	Com wappio
	Water Rights Settlement Agreement	
1/12/05	Resolution of the New Mexico Interstate Stream	
	Commission Regarding the San Juan River Basin in	
	New Mexico Navajo Nation Water Rights	
	Settlement Agreement	
04/19/05	San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation	
	Water Rights Settlement Agreement, and	
	attachments	
2003,	Minutes of Interstate Stream Commission Meetings	
2004,	held in Farmington in 2003, 2004 and 2005 (Parts of	
2005	Minutes Documenting Presentations and Public	
,	Comments on Drafts of the San Juan River Basin in	
	New Mexico Navajo Nation Water Rights	
	Settlement Agreement)	
11/05/07	Timeline of the San Juan Agricultural Water Users	OSE/ISC
	Association's Participation in Activities Relating to	
	the Navajo Nation Water Rights Settlement	
11/05/07	Restrictions on the Export of Water from New Mexico	OSE/ISC
11/05/07	Summary of 2007 Hydrologic Determination	OSE/ISC
,, ,	Relating to the Navajo Settlement	
_	San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation	

	Water Rights Settlement Agreement	
05/01/11	Detailed Summary of Navajo Water Rights to be Adjudicated by the Proposed Navajo Settlement Decrees	John Whipple

E. Agreements and Contracts

Date	Title	
12/08/92	Department of the Interior Water Supply Contract between the United States and	
	the Jicarilla Apache Tribe	
07/23/97	Memorandum of Agreement between the State of New Mexico and the Navajo	
	Nation, executed July 23, 1997 by Gary E. Johnson, Governor of the State of	
	New Mexico, and Albert A. Hale, President of the Navajo Nation	
03/11/05	Agreement Among the State of New Mexico, the City of Farmington and the	
	Navajo Nation	
12/15/06	Recommendations for San Juan River Operations and Administration for 2007 and 2008	
12/17/10	Department of the Interior Water Supply Contract between the United States and	
	the Navajo Nation	

F. Court Filings

All documents filed in the Navajo Inter Se Proceeding from 2009 to the present, and documents filed in the San Juan Adjudication including the following:

Date Filed	Description
7/7/75	Answer of the United States
1/8/76	Supplemental Answer of the United States in trust on behalf of the Jicarilla Apache, Ute Mountain Ute and Navajo tribes
06/22/77	Answer of Intervening Defendant, the Navajo Nation
02/22/99	Partial Final Judgment and Decree of the Water Rights of the Jicarilla Apache Tribe, San Juan River Adjudication
12/29/10	The United States' Statement of Claims of Water Rights in the New Mexico San Juan River Basin on Behalf of the Navajo Nation
12/29/10	United States' Hydrographic Survey of Navajo Lands in the San Juan River Basin

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 2nd day of April 2012, at approximately 4:30, a true and accurate copy of the State of New Mexico's Initial Disclosures was served by attaching an electronic copy to an email sent to the following address: <u>wrnavajointerse@nmcourts.gov</u>.

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