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VIA EMAIL (scone@infoway.lib.nm.us) AND U.S. MAIL

Mr. Steve Cone  
 1217 Chaco Avenue  
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**RE: Public Records Act Request dated January 19, 2004**

Dear Mr. Cone:

I am the Acting General Counsel of the New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission. On January 20, 2004, we received your request dated January 19, 2004, for certain documents related to the proposed San Juan River Basin in New Mexico Navajo Nation Water Rights Settlement Agreement under the New Mexico Inspection of Public Records Act, NMSA 1978, Chapter 14, Article 2 (the "Act"). This letter shall serve to notify you, in accordance with Section 14-2-8 of the Act, regarding the availability of the records for inspection.

Much of the material will need to be obtained from our contractors' files. In addition, all the material must be screened for executive or client-attorney privileged, attorney work-product or otherwise exempt materials. Consequently, we require additional reasonable time, as allowed by Section 14-2-10 of the Act, in which to assemble and screen the requested materials.

At this time, we estimate we can make these records available for inspection by February 13, 2004, to the extent such records are subject to disclosure under the Act and to the extent we have such records in our possession or control. These records will be made available at the Bataan Memorial Building, Room 101, in Santa Fe, New Mexico. For duplication, we charge a fee of \$0.20 per page and \$3.00 for maps.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me at 476-0554.

Sincerely,

Karen L. Fisher  
 Acting General Counsel

cc: ~~Mr. Alex Salazar~~  
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