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FILED: **JULY 22, 2004** 

In Re the General Adjudication of All Rights to Use Water in The Gila River System and Source

### MINUTE ENTRY

1:30 p.m. Present are the following: M. Byron Lewis, Jane Alfano and Mark McGinnis representing Salt River Project, Anthony Fines representing Gila Valley Irrigation District and Verde Valley Communities, John Hestand representing Gila River Indian Community, Marilyn D. Cage representing City of Goodyear, William Anger representing Cities of Chandler, Glendale, Mesa and Scottsdale, Joe P. Sparks and John Ryley representing San Carlos Apache Tribe, Tonto Apache Tribe, and Yavapai-Apache Nation, Steve Wene representing Verde River Ranch, Janet Ronald from Arizona Department of Water Resources, Patrick Barry from the U.S. Department of Justice, M. James Callahan representing City of Phoenix, Graham Clark representing the Arizona Attorney General's Office, L. William Staudenmaier representing Roosevelt Water Conservation District, Lee Storey representing Verde River Ranch, LLC and Rio Rico, Charles Cahoy representing the City of Mesa, Scott Risley representing the Shills and Shield Ranch, Charlotte Benson representing City of Tempe, Sally Worthington representing Maricopa County, David Lujan representing Bella Vista Water Company and Pueblo Del Sol, Michael Neumann representing Josephine C. Leslie and Duane C. Wyles for the

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Verde Ditch Company. Special Master, George A. Schade, Jr. and his assistant, Kathy Dolge, are present.

Court Reporter, Steve King, is present.

In re: Motion for More Definite Statement filed by Steve Wene representing Verde River Ranch, LLC,

IT IS ORDERED denying the Motion.

Steve Wene addresses the Court in re: the Motion.

In re: the Motion to Dismiss filed by Douglas E. Brown representing NBJ Ranch Ltd. Partnership,

IT IS ORDERED denying the Motion.

Duane Wyles for Richard Mabery representing the Verde Ditch Company addresses the Court.

Byron Lewis representing SRP responds to questions directed to SRP by the Court.

Argument is presented by Duane Wyles, Anthony Fines, Michael Neumann and Scott Risley.

2:55 p.m. Court stands at recess.

3:05 p.m. Court reconvenes. Court Reporter, Steve King, is present.

Argument continues to the Court by Steve Wene, Douglas E. Brown and Byron Lewis.

The Court asked the parties to inform the Special Master's office if they desire to remain on the Court-approved mailing

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list for these matters. Parties may notify the Special Master's office by telephone, fax, e-mail, or mail.

IT IS ORDERED taking under advisement SRP's Motion to File Order to Show Cause.

3:25 p.m. Court stands at recess.

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A copy of this minute entry is mailed to all parties on the Court-approved W-1, W-2, W-3 and W-4 mailing list dated October 6, 2003, and the parties listed below.

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