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Contested Case No. W1-207

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

MINUTE ENTRY

The three Native American communities frequently referred to in this proceeding as the "Apache Tribes" and the entities designated the "Lower Gila Valley Water Users" ("LGWUs") request an extension of time to respond to the pending motions for summary disposition filed in connection with their objections to the request for approval of the Gila River Indian Community Water Rights Settlement Agreement and continuance of the hearing on these motions. When the hearing date was set, the Court made clear to the parties that it would not grant summary judgment on any request that required compliance with legitimate discovery requests. In response, the movants stated that their motions are grounded primarily if not exclusively on alleged legal bars to the Apache Tribes' and LGWU's objections. To the extent the Court concludes that the objectors require additional time to conduct discovery, or evaluate recently provided materials, it will deny immediate relief. In light of this commitment,

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IT IS ORDERED denying the requests for an extension and a continuance.

A copy of this order is mailed to all parties on the Court-approved mailing list for Contested Case No. W1-207.