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MARICOPA COUNTY

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Deputy

W-1, W-2, W-3, W-4 (Consolidated)
Contested Case No. W1-208

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

In re Proposed Tohono O'odham
Nation Water Rights Settlement
Special Proceeding

In re Report Concerning
Presentation and Service of Notice
of Settlement

MINUTE ENTRY

On July 11, 2006, the Court ordered the Settling Parties
to:

5. [P]rovide interested parties in the Gila River
Adjudication and the public with information about the
Settlement at a public meeting. The meeting will
include a statement that the meeting has been ordered
by the Court, a disclaimer indicating that the
interests of the parties to the Settlement ("Settling
Parties") may be adverse to the interests of other
parties in the Gila River Adjudication, a description
of the terms and conditions of the Settlement, and an
announcement of the date objections to the Settlement
must be filed. At the meeting, the Settling Parties
shall make copies of this Order (including
attachments) available to those persons who are
present...

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6. [S]erve by first-class mail a notice upon all claimants and all assignees and transferees of claimants, to the extent they appear in ADWR's records in the Gila River Adjudication, notifying them of the application to approve the proposed settlement involving the water rights within the Tucson Management Area of the of the [Tohono O'dham] Nation, the Allottees and the United States acting on behalf of the Nation and the Allottees; the pendency of this special proceeding; the time, date, and location of the informational meeting described in the preceding paragraph; and advising them where complete copies of the application for special proceedings and this Order may be found. ... The Settling Parties shall publish a copy of the Notice of Settlement in two newspapers of general circulation within the geographical area encompassed by the Gila River Adjudication.

Based on the foregoing,

IT IS ORDERED, that the Settling Parties shall file a report by May 9, 2007, describing actions taken to comply with these directives and the results.

A copy of this minute entry is sent to all persons on the Court-approved mailing list for Contested Case No. W1-208.