## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN CHAMBERS (X) IN OPEN COURT ()

## SPECIAL MASTER GEORGE A. SCHADE, JR. Presiding

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE DATE: August 19, 2009

W-1 (Salt) W-2 (Verde) W-3 (Upper Gila) W-4 (San Pedro) (Consolidated)

ORDER GRANTING THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO AMEND

STATEMENTS OF CLAIMANT

CONTESTED CASE NAME: None.

HSR INVOLVED: San Pedro River Hydrographic Survey Report.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The Special Master grants the request of the United States for an extension of time to file amendments to its statements of claimant for the Redfield Canyon Wilderness Area.

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On July 21, 2009, the United States requested an extension of time until December 31, 2011, "to complete the detailed data collection and analysis required [and] to file amendments to its federal reserved water rights" claim for the Redfield Canyon

Wilderness Area. No objections to the motion were received. The request is reasonable given the extent and nature of data the United States plans to obtain.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that on or before **December 31, 2011**, the United States shall file amendments to Statement of Claimant No. 39-14413, and other statements, to show the extent of its claims to federal reserved water rights for the Redfield Canyon Wilderness Area.

DATED: August 19, 2009.

/s/ George A. Schade, Jr.
GEORGE A. SCHADE, JR.
Special Master

On August 19, 2009, the original of the foregoing was delivered to the Clerk of the Maricopa County Superior Court for filing and distributing a copy to all persons listed on the Court approved mailing list for the Gila River Adjudication Nos. W-1, W-2, W-3, and W-4 (Consolidated) dated July 27, 2009.

/s/ Barbara K. Brown

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