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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF APACHE

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE
LITTLE COLORADO RIVER SYSTEM
AND SOURCE

Case No. CV 6417-300

ORDER GRANTING NAVAJO
NATION'S MOTION TO EXTEND
DEADLINE TO FILE AMENDED
STATEMENT OF CLAIMANT
AND
VACATING ORAL ARGUMENT

CONTESTED CASE NAME: *In re Navajo Reservation HSR*
DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: Amended Statements of Claimant due **October 7, 2020**. Telephonic oral argument set for May 29, 2020 at 1:30 p.m. is vacated.
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1 On May 12, 2020, the Navajo Nation filed a motion to extend the July 6, 2020 deadline for
2 filing an amended Statement of Claimant for historic, present, and future cultural, unique tribal,
3 recreational, fish, wildlife and conservation, mining, and heavy industrial/commercial water uses
4 on the Navajo Reservation. Due to COVID-19 outbreak on the Navajo Reservation and the
5 measures necessary to respond to the outbreak to protect the Navajo Nation, the Navajo Nation
6 represented that it would not be able to meet the July 6, 2020 deadline. Responses to the motion
7 have been filed by the Hopi Tribe, the United States, and the LCR Coalition stating that they have
8 no objection to the extension. The United States also requested that the deadline applicable to its
9 filing an amended Statement of Claimant for the Navajo Nation should be extended. No other
10 responses have been received. Accordingly, and for good cause shown,
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14 IT IS ORDERED granting the Navajo Nation's and the United States' motions and
15 extending the deadline for filing amended Statements of Claimant for historic, present, and future
16 cultural, unique tribal, recreational, fish, wildlife and conservation, mining, and heavy
17 industrial/commercial water uses on the Navajo Reservation until **October 7, 2020**.

18 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED vacating the oral argument on the Navajo Nation's Motion
19 set for May 29, 2020 at 1:30 p.m.
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SUSAN WARD HARRIS
Special Master

24 On May 29, 2020, the original of the foregoing was
25 mailed to the Clerk of the Apache County Superior
26 Court for filing and distributing a copy to all persons
27 listed on the Court approved mailing list for Case No.
CV6417-300.