

**No. 141, Original**

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**In the  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES**

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**STATE OF TEXAS,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO and  
STATE OF COLORADO,**

**Defendants.**

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**OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL MASTER**

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**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 4**

**June 22, 2015**

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For the purposes of the proceedings before the Special Master, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

### **1. Hearing on State of New Mexico's Motion to Dismiss**

The Special Master will hear oral argument on the State of New Mexico's Motion to Dismiss at 9:30 a.m. on August 19, 2015, in Courtroom C-467 of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, 500 Poydras Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

The State of New Mexico is allotted one hour to present oral argument. The State of Texas and the United States of America are each allotted thirty minutes to present oral argument. The State of New Mexico can reserve a portion of its hour for rebuttal.

The motions of *Amici Curiae* City of Las Cruces, New Mexico and El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1 are granted; each is allotted twenty minutes to present oral argument.

These times are guidelines that the parties and *amici* should use in preparing their oral arguments. If the Special Master deems it necessary at the hearing to provide any of the parties or *amici* with additional time in order to explore adequately the issues raised by the State of New Mexico's Motion to Dismiss, the Special Master will provide the parties or *amici* with such time.

### **2. Hearing on Elephant Butte Irrigation District's Motion to Intervene**

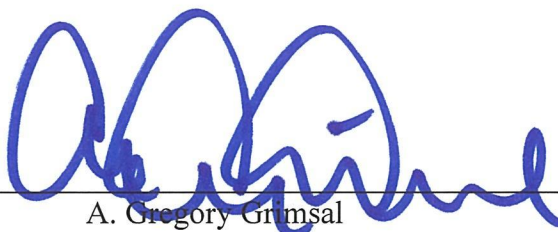
The Special Master will hear oral argument on Elephant Butte Irrigation District's Motion to Intervene at 9:30 a.m. on August 20, 2015, in a courtroom to be determined, of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, 500 Poydras Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Elephant Butte Irrigation District, the State of Texas, the State of New Mexico, and the United States of America are each allotted thirty minutes to present oral argument.

### **3. Requests for Modification or Supplementation**

Any requests for modification or supplementation of this Case Management Order should be received by the Special Master on or before **Friday, June 26, 2015**.

Dated: June 22, 2015.



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