

No. 141, Original

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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REQUEST FOR MODIFICATION OR SUPPLEMENTATION
OF CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 4
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In accordance with paragraph 3, Case Management Order 4, June 22, 2015, New Mexico respectfully submits this request for modification or supplementation of Case Management Order 4, stating as grounds therefore:

1. In accordance with the procedural comments of the Special Master in the June 11, 2015 telephonic status conference, New Mexico respectfully requests that either none of the amici be allowed to participate in oral argument, or that the total time allotted to amici be substantially reduced, so that all amici who filed briefs in the matter of New Mexico 's Motion to Dismiss the Complaints of the State of Texas and of the United States, and who requested the opportunity to participate in oral argument, may be accommodated. Three amici filed briefs in the matter before the Court and have filed requests to participate in oral argument: the City of Las Cruces New Mexico, El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, and the City of El Paso.
2. Providing each of these amici 20 minutes would allow the total argument time for amici, an hour, to overwhelm the proceedings with matters not necessarily directly in issue. New Mexico respectfully suggests that allowing each of these amici 5 to 10 minutes would be more than adequate to allow them to present whatever unique information they offer for the Court's consideration of the matter before the Court.

Respectfully Submitted this 26th day of June, 2015.



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