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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YAVAPAI

GEORGE W. HANCE, et al.,) No. P1300CV 4772

Plaintiffs,) **Division 1**

vs.)

WALES ARNOLD, et ux., et al.,) **REPORT ON SELECTION OF**
 Defendants.) **CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT**
) **FOR REVIEW OF VERDE DITCH**
) **COMPANY FINANCIAL RECORDS**
) **AND REQUEST FOR A CHANGE IN**
) **AUDIT YEAR**

_____)
 In the matter of THE VERDE DITCH)
 COMPANY,)
 _____)

The Verde Ditch Commissioners, through undersigned counsel, report to the Court that a Certified Public Accountant has been found willing to undertake the periodic review/audit of the financial records of the Verde Ditch Company. The Verde Ditch Company has budgeted for such examination. The exact amount to be paid will not be known until a preliminary inspection of the records, but it is anticipated that a review will cost less than the budgeted amount and an audit will cost more than the amount currently budgeted.

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Previously, the Court directed that the year for examination to be for the fiscal year 2013-2014. However, the Commissioners believe that it would better serve the Verde Ditch Company to have the Court direct that the review/audit be modified for the period ending September 30, 2015 because of the interest generated from all of the activities and hearings in fiscal year 2014-2015.

Wherefore the Commissioners respectfully request approval of the Master of the Verde Ditch for an audit/review ending September 30, 2015 in lieu of the previously selected year.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 28th day of January, 2016.

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The Honorable David L. Mackey
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Superior Court and Master of
the Verde Ditch

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