

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941-BB

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM

Section 1, Chama Mainstream

Acequia de los Gonzales

ORDER ON PRIORITY DATE OF WATER RIGHTS
UNDER ACEQUIA DE LOS GONZALES

THIS MATTER is before the Court following the April 11, 2011, *Motion for Order on Priority Date of Water Rights Under Acequia de los Gonzales* in Section 1 of the Rio Chama Stream System (Chama Mainstream) (Doc. No. 10,022).

The Court finds:

1. Pursuant to the *Amended Order on the Adjudication of Water right Priorities* (Doc. 3497, filed July 8, 1994), all known and unknown claimants of water rights under the Acequia de los Gonzales were served with a Notice and Order to Show Cause setting forth a priority date of 1734 for their water rights under this acequia. *See Certificate of Service* filed October 20, 1994 (Doc. No. 3526.A); *New Mexico's Certificate of Publication for Priority Date Notices and Orders to Show Cause* filed November 29, 1995 (Doc. No. 4413). The commissioners of the Acequia de los Gonzales (a community ditch) were served with a Notice and Order to Show Cause setting forth a priority date of 1734 for the water rights under this acequia. *See Certificate of Service* filed December 12, 1994 (Doc. No. 3979.33).

