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

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

NO. 6417

ANNELL HORNSELL, CLERK  
APACHE CO SUPERIOR COURT

OBJECTION TO THE FINAL  
HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY REPORT  
FOR THE HOPI RESERVATION  
(Deadline to file: June 15, 2016)

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OBJECTOR

Name Paul H. & Florence Ann Anspach  
Address PO Box 1922 Taylor, AZ 85939  
Telephone No. 928-536-2983  
Statement of Claimant No. 39- 95212

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DEPT OF WATER RESOURCES

STATEMENT OF OBJECTION

The water right attributes described in Chapter 5 of the Final Hopi Hydrographic Survey Report are listed below. I object to one or more of the proposed water right attributes for the factual and/or legal reasons stated below. A description of the evidence to support those reasons is also provided:

1. Type of Use Agricultural (Irrigation), Recreation, Mining
2. Legal Basis well rights of others registered with the state should not be impacted by the Hopi ~~registered~~ grandfathered rights
3. Water Sources groundwater & surface water
4. Point of Diversion Throughout the reservation
5. Place of Use Moenkopi Island, Hopi Partioned lands, Dist. 6
6. Date of Priority all
7. Quantity of Water Use Hopi water use should decrease with water availability along with others using water for the same purpose. thus we object to the 15,246 quantity listed on Table 5-1.

ATTACH ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS, INFORMATION OR DOCUMENTATION

VERIFICATION

STATE OF Arizona  
County of Navajo

I declare under penalty of perjury that I am a claimant or the duly authorized representative of a claimant. I have read the Statement of Objection and verify, swear, and affirm that the information contained is true based on my personal knowledge, or is believed to be true based on information and belief.

Signature of Objector or Representative

Paul Hankson Florence Ann Adasped  
Name

Po Box 1922 Taylor, AZ 85939  
Address

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.



Karen J. Hall  
Notary Public for the State of Arizona  
My Commission Expires 8/19/2017

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Jan., 2016, I hereby certify that the **original** Objection and two copies were filed with:

Clerk of the Superior Court  
Apache County  
70 West Third South  
St. Johns, AZ 85936

On this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Jan., 2016, I further certify that a true and correct copy of this Objection was sent by first class mail to:

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STATEMENT OF CLAIMANT FORM  
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LITTLE COLORADO RIVER WATERSHED ADJUDICATION  
SUPERIOR COURT OF APACHE COUNTY

1. Claimant Name: Paul H. & Florence Ann Anspach  
 Claimant Address: PO Box 1922 City Taylor  
 State: AZ Zip Code 85939 Telephone 928-536-2983

2. Basis of Claim:
- A.  Appropriation Right acquired prior to June 12, 1919. 1974 Water Rights Registration Act Registry No. \_\_\_\_\_
  - B.  Appropriation Right acquired after June 12, 1919. Application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_, or Certificate of Water Right No. \_\_\_\_\_
  - C.  Decreed water right. Principal litigants, court, date and case no.: \_\_\_\_\_
  - D.  Right to withdraw groundwater.
  - E.  Other, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Claimed Priority Date: 9-7-99 (month/day/year)

4. Source of Water:
- A.  Stream: name \_\_\_\_\_, tributary to \_\_\_\_\_
  - B.  Spring: name \_\_\_\_\_, tributary to \_\_\_\_\_
  - C.  Lake or Reservoir: name \_\_\_\_\_, tributary to \_\_\_\_\_
  - D.  Groundwater

5. Legal description of the Place of Use and the Point of Diversion: (attach additional sheet if required)  
 County Navajo, Section 6, Township 12 (N/S), Range 21 (E/W)  
 Legal Subdivision: (one of the following)  
 \_\_\_\_\_% of the Section; or  
 Assessor Book No. 205, Map No. 13, Parcel No. 014A; or  
 Subdivision Name \_\_\_\_\_ Block No. \_\_\_\_\_ Lot No. \_\_\_\_\_

6. If there are Irrigation, Stockpond or Other Uses supplied from the point of diversion, describe: yard/garden/tree irrigation

7. Means of Diversion:
- A.  Instream pump.
  - B.  Gravity flow into ditch, canal or pipeline.
  - C.  Well: Arizona State Land Department, Arizona Water Commission or Arizona Department of Water Resources Intent to Drill File No. 55-577171
  - D.  Other, describe \_\_\_\_\_

The Hopi should have no more right to Little Colorado River System waters than others living in that area have. They should have no "special" rights.

The recorded wells, and their associated water rights, properly recorded with the AZ Water Commission or the AZ Dept. of Water Resources, or other appropriate agencies should have priority rights to ground water.