

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

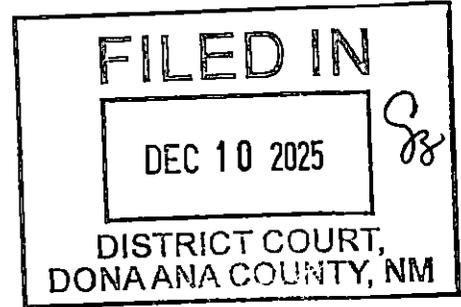
STATE OF NEW MEXICO *ex rel.*
OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ELEPHANT BUTTE IRRIGATION DISTRICT, *et al.*,

Defendants.



No. D-307-CV-888
Hon. James J. Wechsler
Judge Pro Tempore

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO'S STATUS REPORT
FOR THE DECEMBER 17, 2025, STATUS CONFERENCE**

Plaintiff, State of New Mexico, submits the following status report for the December 17, 2025 Status Conference. Counsel for the State, Justin French, Patrick Rostock, and Samuel Walter will attend via internet access.

Current adjudication statistics are provided in Table 1..

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of December 2025.

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Table 1. Lower Rio Grande Adjudication - Current Statistics

Prepared 12/10/2025

The statistics for this report are generated by computer reports based upon data entered for over 14,000 subfiles in the Lower Rio Grande hydrographic survey and, while they provide a clear indication of the progress of the adjudication, may not be precisely correct due to errors in data entry and the complexity of the computer reports.

Lower Rio Grande Adjudication		<u>1/6/2025</u>	<u>5/6/2025</u>	<u>9/9/2025</u>	<u>12/17/2025</u>
Total Subfiles		14,079	14,092	14,093	14,097
Total Claimants		18,725	18,758	18,784	18,799
Total Case Numbers		23,085	23,091	23,115	23,105
<u>Offers Sent and Subfiles Adjudicated</u>					
Total Subfiles Sent an Offer of Judgment		9,648 69%	9,687 69%	9,739 69%	9,764 69%
Subfiles Sent Revised Offer				4	2
Total Subfiles Adjudicated		7,557 54%	7,585 54%	7,626 54%	7,643 54%
Signed Subfile Orders		6,660 88%	6,686 88%	6,720 88%	6,738 88%
Default Orders		822 11%	824 11%	831 11%	830 11%
Implied-Consent Orders		75 1%	75 1%	75 1%	75 1%
<u>Mediation</u>					
Total Mediation Requests		695	694	694	694
Total Orders for Mediation		470	470	470	470
SFs with Mediation Order, Adjudicated		317	317	317	317
Currently in Mediation		0	0	0	0

Statistics by Section

	<u>1/6/2025</u>	<u>5/6/2025</u>	<u>9/9/2025</u>	<u>12/17/2025</u>
Rincon				
Total Subfiles	1,239	1239	1,239	1,240
Offers of Judgment Served	1,197 97%	1197 97%	1197 97%	1,198 97%
Subfile Orders Filed	1,067 86%	1067 86%	1067 86%	1,068 86%
Northern Mesilla				
Total Subfiles	5,907	5921	5922	5,923
Offers of Judgment Served	3,786 64%	3824 65%	3,869 65%	3,884 66%
Subfile Orders Filed	2,710 46%	2734 46%	2,769 47%	2,784 47%
Southern Mesilla				
Total Subfiles	5,519	5518	5,518	5,520
Offers of Judgment Served	3,482 63%	3483 63%	3,489 63%	3,498 63%
Subfile Orders Filed	2,706 49%	2710 49%	2,715 49%	2,715 49%
Outlying Area				
Total Subfiles	1,371	1371	1,371	1,371
Offers of Judgment Served	1,144 83%	1144 83%	1,145 84%	1,145 84%
Subfile Orders Filed	1,030 75%	1030 75%	1,032 75%	1,032 75%
Nutt Hockett				
Total Subfiles	43	43	43	43
Offers of Judgment Served	43 100%	43 100%	43 100%	43 100%
Subfile Orders Filed	43 100%	43 100%	43 100%	43 100%