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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Before Administrative Judges:

Thomas S. Moore, Presiding Officer Thomas D. Murphy, Special Assistant

In the Matter of

Hydro Resources, Inc. PO Box 15910 Rio Rancho, New Mexico 87174 Docket No. 40-8968-ML

ASLBP No. 95-706-01-ML

July 18, 2001

<u>ORDER</u>

The Presiding Officer will hold a short telephone conference with the parties to this proceeding on Wednesday, July 25, 2001, at 11 a.m. eastern daylight time to discuss a schedule and framework for settlement discussions. Counsel for all parties shall participate. To participate, counsel for each of the parties shall call 1-800-638-8081 (301-231-5539 for local callers) and enter passcode 0906# at a few minutes before 11 a.m. eastern daylight time on the date of the telephone conference.

In the event any party's counsel cannot participate in the July 25, 2001 telephone conference, counsel should inform the Presiding Officer by close of official NRC business hours Monday, July 23, 2001, by e-mail (<u>tsm2@nrc.gov</u>) or facsimile notice (301-415-5599) and

provide the Presiding Officer an alternative date and time during the week of July 30-August 3,

2001, acceptable to all other counsel for holding the conference.

It is so ORDERED.

By the Presiding Officer¹

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Thomas S. Moore ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland July 18, 2001

¹ Copies of this Order were sent this date by Internet e-mail or facsimile transmission, if available, to all participants or counsel for participants.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing LB ORDER DATED 07/18/01 have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, or through NRC internal distribution.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 18th day of July 2001