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RE: No. 04-9503 - State of Oklahoma v. U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, et al.

**MEDIATION CONFERENCE NOTICE  
AND BRIEFING EXTENSION**

Dear Counsel:

Pursuant to Rule 33.1, Rules of the Tenth Circuit, a mediation conference has been scheduled in this case. This office will initiate a **TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL** on Thursday, March 25, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME. Please allow at least two hours for the conference.

The purposes of the conference are to explore any possibilities for settlement and to resolve procedural problems. Counsel are expected to have consulted with their clients prior to the conference and to have as much authority as feasible regarding settlement and case management matters.

Counsel addressed above are understood to be the lawyers with primary responsibility for this case. Please contact this office **BY TELEPHONE IMMEDIATELY** if we need to notify different or additional lawyers or if you need to have the conference rescheduled because of an unavoidable conflict. Also, please notify this office if you think it would be helpful to suspend production of transcript until after the mediation conference.

Participation in the conference by cell phone is not permitted.

Pursuant to Rule 33.1, Rules of the Tenth Circuit, the deadline for filing appellant's brief is extended 15 days. The appellant's brief and appendix must be filed by April 8, 2004.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rose A. Giacinti".

Rose A. Giacinti  
Conference Administrator