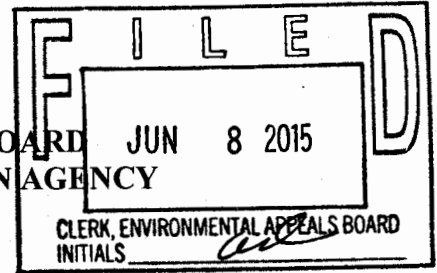


BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C.



In re:)
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Wind River Oil & Gas Permits) NPDES Appeal Nos. 15-02, 15-03, 15-04,
) and 15-05
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NPDES Permit Nos. WY-0020338,)
) WY-0024945, WY-0024953,)
) WY-0025232, WY-0025607)
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ORDER STAYING PROCEEDINGS TO ALLOW FOR ADR

The parties in the above-captioned matter, along with the Northern Arapaho Tribe and the Eastern Shoshone Tribe, have agreed to participate in the Environmental Appeals Board's Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") Program. In light of this agreement, the Board finds it appropriate to stay the proceedings to allow the ADR process to proceed. Judge Leslye M. Fraser will act as Settlement Judge and will be contacting the participants to schedule a conference call to discuss the ADR process. Each ADR participant shall provide a confidential issue summary, consisting of no more than 15 double-spaced pages summarizing the issues in dispute and the participant's position on those issues, directly to Judge Fraser by no later than July 24, 2015.

All proceedings in this matter are **STAYED** until August 7, 2015. Nevertheless, today's order does not change the filing deadlines established in the Board's May 18, 2015 Order Modifying Briefing Schedule. In accordance with the May 18, 2015 order, Petitioners WESCO Operating, Inc., Phoenix Production Co., Natural Resources Defense Council, and Public Employees for Environmental Responsibility must file supplements to their petitions for review (if any) by Wednesday, June 17, 2015, and EPA Region 8, Northern Arapaho Tribe, and the

Eastern Shoshone Tribe must file responses to the petitions and supplements (if any, for the Northern Arapaho Tribe and the Eastern Shoshone Tribe) by Friday, July 17, 2015.

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: June 8, 2015

Kathie A. Stein
Kathie A. Stein
Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing **Order Staying Proceedings to Allow for ADR** in the matter of *Wind River Oil & Gas Permits*, NPDES Appeal Nos. 15-02 to -05, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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