

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
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THE STATE OF NEVADA STATE ENGINEER;
AND THE STATE OF NEVADA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND
NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF
WATER RESOURCES,

Appellants,

vs.

EUREKA COUNTY, A POLITICAL
SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF NEVADA;
KENNETH F. BENSON, AN INDIVIDUAL;
DIAMOND CATTLE COMPANY, LLC, A
NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY;
MICHEL AND MARGARET ANN
ETCHEVERRY FAMILY, LP, A NEVADA
REGISTERED FOREIGN LIMITED
PARTNERSHIP; AND KOBEH VALLEY
RANCH, LLC,
Respondents.

Supreme Court No. 70157

District Court Case No.

CV1108155; CV1108156; CV1108157; CV1112
164; CV1112165; CV1202170

**NOTICE OF REFERRAL TO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM AND SUSPENSION
OF RULES**

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This notice is to inform you that this appeal may be assigned to the court's Settlement Program. See NRAP 16(a). The issuance of this notice automatically stays the time for filing a request for transcripts under NRAP 9, and for filing briefs under NRAP 31. See NRAP 16(a)(1).

The docketing statement must be filed and served within 20 days of the date of this notice. This timeline is not stayed by this notice.

DATE: April 14, 2016

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