#### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

OKLAHOMA WATER RESOURCES BOARD ) Plaintiff, ) v. ) UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al. ) Defendants. )

### NOTICE OF REMOVAL TO THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

The United States of America, through its undersigned attorneys, respectfully represents the following:

1. The United States of America; United States Department of the Interior; United States Bureau of Reclamation, an agency of the U.S. Department of the Interior; United States Army Corps of Engineers; the United States on behalf of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, a federally recognized Indian tribe; the United States on behalf of the Chickasaw Nation, a federally recognized Indian tribe; the United States on behalf of individual members of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma; and the United States on behalf of individual members of the Chickasaw Nation are named respondents in a civil action pending in the Oklahoma Supreme Court styled *Oklahoma Water Resources Board v. United States of America, et al.*, Case No. 110375. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1446 and Local Civil Rule 81.2, attached are copies of all process, pleadings, and orders served upon the above-named federal respondents in this action and a copy of the state court

docket sheet:

**Exhibit 1** – Notice of Original Jurisdiction Supreme Court Proceeding (filed in the Oklahoma Supreme Court on February 10, 2012 and served by mail on the Attorney General of the United States and the U.S. Attorney's Office, Western District of Oklahoma);

**Exhibit 2** – Application to Assume Original Jurisdiction and attached Petition of the Oklahoma Water Resources Board for a General Stream Adjudication in the Kiamichi, Muddy Boggy and Clear Boggy Basin Stream Systems;

Exhibit 3 – Brief in Support of Application to Assume Original Jurisdiction;

**Exhibit 4** – Order granting Petitioner's Application to Assume Original Jurisdiction (entered February 23, 2012); and

**Exhibit 5** – Docket Sheet from the Oklahoma Supreme Court (as of March 12, 2012).

2. This action is removable to this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1442(a)(1) as it

is an action against the United States of America and certain of its agencies. As the Oklahoma Water Resources Board (the "Board") correctly states in its Petition (pages 8, 16, 18) and Brief (page 5), the rights of the federal parties to waters in the three stream systems are based in federal law. The Petition (pages 7-16) and Brief (pages 5-6) also recognize that whether the United States has waived its sovereign immunity from suit pursuant to the McCarran Amendment, 43 U.S.C. § 666, is a question of federal law. The Brief explains (pages 2-4) that the Board filed the Petition in response to the claimed right of the Chickasaw Nation and Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma to regulate the water within their Treaty Territory, and specifically in response to the action the Nations filed in this

Court against the Governor of Oklahoma, the Board's Members and Executive Director, the City of Oklahoma and the Oklahoma City Water Utility Trust. Chickasaw Nation, et al. v. Fallin, et al., No. CIV-11-927-W (W.D. Okla. filed Aug. 18, 2011). In this previously filed case in this Court, the Nations assert rights based on treaties with the United States and federal statutes, and seek a declaration that the Board does not have the unilateral right to remove water from the Nations' Treaty Territory, among other declaratory and injunctive relief. The question whether the Oklahoma Supreme Court action satisfies the requirements of the McCarran Amendment has also been presented to this Court in the pending action.<sup>1/2</sup> The Board's Petition and Brief do not reveal any reason for initiating a general stream adjudication of the Kiamichi, Muddy Boggy and Clear Boggy basins (such as a water shortage) apart from the Board's desire to resolve the Nations' federal law-based claims, and thus suggest that the state-law legal questions and associated factual questions typically presented in a general stream adjudication could be avoided by resolution of the Nations' claims presented in its action in this Court. Removal will facilitate resolution of the common federal questions underlying both actions, thereby conserving judicial resources.

3. The removal of this action is timely under 28 U.S.C. § 1446(b).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Opening Brief in Support of the Oklahoma Water Resources Board's Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1), 12(b)(7), and 19, Dkt. No. 67 (filed Feb. 10, 2012), at 19; Plaintiff Chickasaw and Choctaw Nations' Motion for Partial Summary Judgment, Dkt. No. 72 (filed Feb. 14, 2012), at 58-68.

The United States gives notice that the above-referenced action, now pending in

the Oklahoma Supreme Court, is hereby removed to this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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