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Re: MT v. WY: Supreme Court of the United States No. 137
Response to Comments on the (Draft) Final Report of the Special Master

Special Master Thompson,

Thank you for permitting, but narrowing the scope of these responses to the parties' comments on the draft final report and decree. Wyoming does not object to Montana's suggested revisions to paragraphs B(7), D(1), D(2), and G(1). In doing so, Wyoming assumes that the suggested revision to paragraph G(1) would apply to either alternative, and subject to Wyoming's expressed preference for the alternative language. Wyoming would only add for the record its objection to Montana's proposed footnote three, which is speculative, unsupported by the record citations in the footnote, or the record as a whole.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "James Kaste".

James Kaste
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c: All Counsel