IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO Senior Judge Zita L. Weinshienk

Civil Action No. 04-cv-01382-ZLW-KLM

KENNETH E. PEPER,

Plaintiff,

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; MIKE JOHANNS, Secretary in his official capacity; FOREST SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; and DALE BOSWORTH, as Chief in his official capacity,

Defendants.

SPECIAL ORDER OF REFERENCE TO UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A) and (B) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(a) and (b), it is

ORDERED that this case is referred to Magistrate Judge Kristen L. Mix for purposes of issuing a Recommendation on all of Plaintiff's claims contained in his Second Amended Complaint (Doc. No. 51; Sep. 12, 2007).

DATED at Denver, Colorado this 5th day of November, 2009.

BY THE COURT:

Zita Leeson Weinsluenk

ZITA LEESON WEINSHIENK, Senior Judge United States District Court