

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO  
**Judge Philip A. Brimmer**

Civil Action No. 08-cv-02371-PAB

NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL and  
WILDERNESS WORKSHOP,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ED SCHAFER, et al.,

Defendants.

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**ORDER OF RECUSAL**

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This matter is before me on review of the file. One of my sisters is a partner at the law firm of Holland & Hart, counsel for intervenor defendant OXY USA Inc. For this reason, it would be inappropriate for me to preside over this case. Accordingly, I will recuse myself. It is therefore

ORDERED that the judge's file be returned to the clerk's office for the case to be reassigned by random draw.

DATED December 9, 2009.

BY THE COURT:

s/Philip A. Brimmer  
PHILIP A. BRIMMER  
United States District Judge