

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE COLVILLE)
 RESERVATION as the representative of)
 the JOSEPH BAND OF THE NEZ PERCE TRIBE,)
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 CHARLES E. WILLIAMS, JOSEPH REDTHUNDER AND)
 HARRY OWHI, as the representatives of)
 the JOSEPH BAND OF THE NEZ PERCE TRIBE,)
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 THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE COLVILLE)
 RESERVATION, as successor to the claims)
 of the JOSEPH BAND OF THE NEZ PERCE TRIBE,)
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 Plaintiffs,)
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 v.)
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 THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
)
 Defendant.)

Docket No. 186

FINAL AWARD

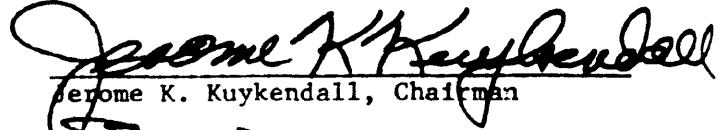
UPON JOINT MOTION for entry of final judgment filed by the parties herein on October 22, 1974, pursuant to a stipulation for entry of final judgment filed with said motion, and, further, upon the agreement between the parties that no review would be sought or appeal taken from said final judgment, the Commission considered the evidence presented, both oral and written, at a hearing held on October 31, 1974.

THE COMMISSION, having this date entered findings of fact, which are made part of this order, concludes as a matter of law that the proposed settlement of the plaintiffs' claims is equitable and just to both parties and that final judgment should be entered in accordance with the stipulation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the stipulation for entry of final judgment is hereby accepted, that the joint motion for entry of final judgment is hereby granted, and that the plaintiffs, for and on behalf of the Joseph Band of the Nez Perce Tribe, shall have and recover in

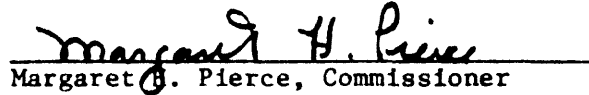
Docket 186 from the defendant the sum of seven hundred twenty five thousand dollars (\$725,000.00), subject to the terms and provisions set forth in the stipulation for entry of final judgment.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 31st day of October 1974.


Jerome K. Kuykendall, Chairman


John F. Vance, Commissioner


Richard W. Yarborough, Commissioner


Margaret H. Pierce, Commissioner


Brantley Blue, Commissioner