

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE NAVAJO TRIBE OF INDIANS,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Docket No. 229
	)	
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY DETERMINATION

UPON CONSIDERATION of defendant's motion for summary determination, filed on December 10, 1976, and plaintiff's response in opposition thereto, filed on January 18, 1977, defendant's reply, filed on January 21, 1977, and plaintiff's response to defendant's reply, filed on January 31, 1977, and in accordance with the opinion this day entered herein, the Commission concludes that defendant's motion should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that plaintiff's claim in this matter is limited to those aboriginal title lands of the Navajo Tribe to which the United States extinguished title pursuant to the Treaty of June 1, 1868, 15 Stat. 667, but which the United States did not subsequently return to the Navajo Tribe.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 2nd day of November 1977

  
Jerome K. Kuykendall, Chairman

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John T. Vance, Commissioner

  
Richard W. Yarbrough, Commissioner

  
Margaret H. Pierce, Commissioner

  
Brantley Blue, Commissioner