BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS,) Docket No. 27-E
Plaintiffs,)
ABSENTEE DELAWARE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA, DELAWARE NATION, ex rel., W. E. Exendine and Myrtl ^e Holder,) Docket No. 202))
Plaintiffs,)
v .)))
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Defendant.))

FINAL AWARD

An interlocutory order was entered herein on August 10, 1978, 42 Ind. Cl. Comm. 298, awarding the plaintiffs \$561,424.21, less such gratuitous offsets as defendant may be entitled under the provisions of the Indian Claims Commission Act. On August 14, 1978, counsel for defendant notified the Commission that, in order to expedite the entry of a final award herein, defendant will reserve for other docketed cases involving these plaintiffs any claim for gratuitous offsets against the interlocutory award herein. In such circumstances, the Commission will, upon motion <u>sua sponte</u>, enter a final award herein.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that, as a final award in full satisfaction of all claims against the defendant in Dockets 27-E and 202, plaintiffs do have and recover from defendant on behalf of the Delaware Tribe, as constituted in 1805, the sum of five hundred sixty-one thousand four hundred twenty-four dollars and twenty-one cents (\$561,424.21), and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any gratuitous offsets which defendant could have claimed as chargeable against the award herein be, and the same hereby are, reserved for defendant to claim in any other docketed case brought by these plaintiffs under the provisions of the Indian Claims Commission Act.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this _____17th day of August 1978.

Verøme K. Kuykendall, Chairman John T. Vance, Commissioner Richard W. Yarbopough, Commissioner anonh 0 Pierce, Commissioner Margaret H Brantley Ble . . Brantley Blue, Commissioner