

## BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE SIX NATIONS, et al.,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Docket No. 344
	)	
THE UNITED STATES,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

FINAL ORDER

Upon the findings of fact this day filed herein, which are made a part of this order, the Commission concludes as a matter of law:

1. The defendant is not guilty of any lack of fair and honorable dealings, within the contemplation of the fifth clause of Section 2 of the Indian Claims Commission Act of 1946 (25 U.S.C. 70a(5)), with respect to the cause of action identified herein as "Claim No. 1" and pertaining to the land identified herein as "Area I."

2. The said "Area I" was not taken from the plaintiff by the defendant.

3. The said "Area I" was never part of the public domain of the United States, but was at all material times within the chartered limits of, and a portion of, the State of Pennsylvania.

4. The defendant is not liable to the plaintiff for any loss which the plaintiff may have sustained in connection with the cause of action identified herein as "Claim No. 1" and pertaining to the land identified herein as "Area I."

5. The plaintiff did not have Indian title to the land identified herein as "Area I-A" and popularly known as the Erie Triangle.

6. The defendant is not liable to the plaintiff on the cause of action identified herein as "Claim No. 2," nor is the defendant liable to the plaintiff on the cause of action identified herein as "Claim No. 3," which Claim Nos. 2 and 3 pertain solely to the land identified herein as "Area I-A" and popularly known as the Erie Triangle.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that this suit, in its entirety, be, and it is hereby, dismissed.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 1st day of March, 1963.

Arthur V. Watkins  
Chief Commissioner

Wm. M. Holt  
Associate Commissioner

T. Harold Scott  
Associate Commissioner