

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE QUECHAN TRIBE OF THE FORT)	
YUMA RESERVATION, CALIFORNIA,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	Docket No. 319
)	
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

FINAL JUDGMENT

Upon the joint motion of the parties filed herein on July 6, 1965, for approval of a stipulation of settlement of the claim of the Quechan Tribe and entry of final judgment, filed herein on June 10, 1965, which stipulation is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this judgment; and evidence both oral and written in support of said motion having been received at a hearing held on said motion on July 7, 1965, and considered by the Commission; and additional findings of fact and an opinion having this day been made and entered herein on said matter and which are hereby made a part of this judgment; and it appearing that said stipulation of settlement of the claim of petitioner is fair and just to all the parties and has been duly approved by the Quechan Tribe of Indians and by the authorized representative of the Secretary of the Interior, the Commission concludes as a matter of law that the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, California, is entitled to recover of and from the defendant for the benefit of the Quechan Tribe of Indians the sum of \$520,000.00, but reserving to the United States the right to claim any offsets it may have against the Quechan Indians and have such offsets considered by this Commission in Quechan Tribe v. United States, Docket No. 320, from the date said offsets would have been allowable in this Docket No. 319.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Commission that the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, California, shall have and recover of the defendant for the benefit of the Quechan Tribe of Indians the sum of \$520,000.00.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 5th day of August, 1965.

/s/ Arthur V. Watkins
Chief Commissioner

/s/ Wm. M. Holt
Associate Commissioner

/s/ T. Harold Scott
Associate Commissioner