BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE SAC AND FOX TRIBE OF INDIANS OF OKLAHOMA, THE SAC AND FOX TRIBE OF MISSOURI, SAC AND FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA, ET AL.,

v.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

Docket No. 143

ORDER ALLOWING ATTORNEYS' FEE

THIS CAUSE came on to be heard upon the application of the attorneys for petitioners for the allowance of attorneys' fee in the amount of 10% of the Final Judgment entered by this Commission for the petitioners, The Sac and Fox Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma, The Sac and Fox Tribe of Missouri, and the Sac and Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa, for and on behalf of the Sac and Fox Nation, on May 19, 1965, and upon the response by letter of defendant stating that it did not object to the allowance of such fee, and

IT APPEARING to the Commission that the law firm of Mills and Garrett, under duly executed and approved contract (Department of Interior No. 14-20-0350-278); Schiff, Hardin, Waite, Dorschel & Britton, under duly executed and approved contract (Department of Interior No. 14-20-0200-1879); and Pritzker, Pritzker and Clinton, under duly executed and approved contract (Department of Interior No. 14-20-0200-1922), which contracts are currently in full force and effect, did represent said petitioners, and that said contracts provide that the attorneys for petitioners shall be compensated at the rate of ten per centum (10%) of any and all sums recovered or procured through their efforts for petitioners in this case, and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that said attorneys did recover for and on behalf of the Sac and Fox Nation as represented by said petitioners the net sum of $1,789,201.45 in the above-styled case, which recovery is evidenced by the Order of this Commission dated May 19, 1965, awarding a Final Judgment in the said net sum of $1,789,201.45, it is therefore
ORDERED that the law firms of Mills and Garrett; Schiff, Hardin, Waite, Dorschel & Britton; and Pritzker, Pritzker and Clinton, be, and they are hereby, in accordance with the above recited contracts and Section 15 of the Indian Claims Commission Act, awarded as attorneys' fee in the sum of $178,920.14, being 10% of the net Final Judgment awarded herein.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 14th day of October, 1965.

Arthur V. Watkins  
Chief Commissioner

Wm. M. Holt  
Associate Commissioner

T. Harold Scott  
Associate Commissioner