

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE IOWA TRIBE OF THE IOWA RESERVATION)	
IN KANSAS AND NEBRASKA,)	
THE IOWA TRIBE OF THE IOWA RESERVATION)	
IN OKLAHOMA, et al.,)	
OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA, et al.,)	
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.,)	
)	
Petitioners,)	
)	
v.)	Docket Nos. 138 and 339
)	
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER ALLOWING REIMBURSEMENT OF ATTORNEY EXPENSES

The Commission has before it the application of the law firm of Dykema, Wheat, Spencer, Goodnow and Trigg, attorneys for the petitioner, The Iowa Tribe of the Iowa Reservation in Kansas and Nebraska, for an order allowing reimbursement of expenses incurred in connection with the prosecution of the claims of the said petitioner in Docket Nos. 138 and 339. The defendant entered no objection to the said application after having had a copy thereof served upon it. A hearing on the said application was held before the Commission on June 8, 1965. The attorneys' fees were previously allowed by our order of May 18, 1965.

It appears that a final judgment was entered herein on March 22, 1965 in favor of the Iowa Tribe of the Iowa Reservation in Kansas and Nebraska and The Iowa Tribe of the Iowa Reservation in Oklahoma in the amount of \$1,372,265.50 (subject to the terms and provisions of a certain stipulation for entry of final judgment). It also appears that the

approved contract of the law firm of Dykema, Wheat, Spencer, Goodnow and Trigg provides for reimbursement of the firm out of such recovery of reasonable expenses incurred by it in the prosecution of the said petitioner's claims herein.

Subsequent to the hearing of June 8, 1965, the said law firm withdrew from its application certain expense amounts totaling \$38.10 expended for its benefit or the benefit of its members. At the same time, the said firm also withdrew from its application the amounts of certain expenses incurred in connection with the prosecution of claims of The Iowa Tribe of The Iowa Reservation in Kansas and Nebraska in other dockets than Docket Nos. 138 and 339. The latter amounts and their related vouchers are identified as follows:

<u>Voucher</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Relates to:</u>
A-17	\$ 141.39	Docket Nos. 158, 209, 231, and 153 (two-thirds of expenses totaling \$212.09 evidenced by voucher A-17)
B-123	13.72	Docket No. 79
"	23.32	Docket No. 79
"	14.28	Docket No. 158
"	.78	Docket No. 153
"	19.52	Docket No. 135
"	94.92	Docket Nos. 153, 209 and 231
"	2.15	Docket No. 79
B-131	3.67	Docket Nos. 153, 209 and 231
C-2	101.70	Docket No. 79 (one-half of expenses totaling \$203.40 evidenced by voucher C-2)
C-3	.49	Docket No. 79 (one-half of an expense of 98¢ evidenced by voucher C-3)

Withdrawn expense amounts relating to claims in other dockets, continued:

<u>Voucher</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Relates to:</u>
C-4	52.06	Docket No. 79 (one-half of an expense of \$104.12 evidenced by voucher C-4)
C-5	.38	Docket No. 79 (one-half of an expense of 76¢ evidenced by voucher C-5)
Subtotal	<u>468.38</u>	
B-181	68.91	Iowa valuation research
B-182	13.35	" "
B-184	12.25	Iowa valuation research project
B-187	33.33	Iowa valuation project
B-188	39.27	" "
B-189	42.57	" "
B-190	38.26	" "
B-191	48.28	" "
B-192	1.93	" "
B-193	2.04	" "
B-195	37.19	" "
B-198	46.50	" "
B-201	20.01	" "
B-204	31.86	" "
B-205	34.33	" "
B-210	28.53	" "
B-212	32.14	" "
B-214	<u>30.40</u>	" "
Subtotal	<u>561.15</u>	
Total	<u>\$1,029.53</u>	

After an adjustment for an overstatement in the amount of 8¢ in the total shown in the said application for the expenses included in Schedule B thereof, the said application, as originally submitted, is in the total amount of \$11,353.94. The withdrawal of the above mentioned expense amounts totaling \$38.10 and the above identified expense amounts totaling \$1,029.53 leaves a remaining balance of \$10,286.31. The Commission has found and concluded from the entire record herein that all of such balance is properly allowable out of the award herein.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED, that out of the above mentioned award of March 22, 1965, there shall be paid the sum of \$10,286.31 to the law firm of Dykema, Wheat, Spencer, Goodnow and Trigg in payment of reimbursable expenses incurred by said firm in the prosecution of the said petitioner's claims herein.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 18th day of July, 1966.

Arthur V. Watkins
Chief Commissioner

Wm. M. Holt
Associate Commissioner

T. Harold Scott
Associate Commissioner