

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE BLACKFEET AND GROS VENTRE TRIBES )  
 OF INDIANS, etc., )  
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 Petitioners, )  
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 THE ASSINIBOINE TRIBES OF INDIANS, )  
 Residing upon the Fort Belknap and )  
 Fort Peck Reservations, Montana, )  
 and THE SIOUX TRIBE OF THE FORT )  
 PECK RESERVATION, Montana, )  
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 Intervenor, )  
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 v. )  
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 THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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 Defendant. )

Docket No. 279-A

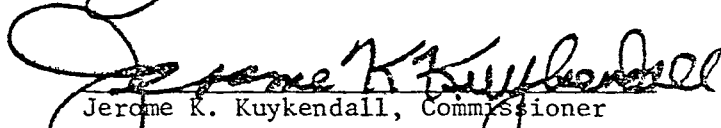
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FINAL JUDGMENT FOR THE BLACKFEET  
 AND GROS VENTRE TRIBES OF INDIANS


Upon the joint motion of the petitioners, the Blackfeet and Gros Ventre Tribes of Indians, and the United States, defendant, requesting the approval of this Commission of the compromise settlement by the parties of the consideration and offsets issues only, the joint motion having been duly presented to the Commission at a hearing held August 23, 1968, for the entry of final judgment in favor of the Blackfeet and Gros Ventre Tribes, all pursuant to a stipulation of settlement incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this judgment, and the Commission being fully advised in the premises, concludes and determines that the settlement is fair and just to the said parties; that the joint motion should be granted, the settlement approved and judgment entered herein accordingly.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Commission that final judgment be and is hereby entered in favor of the Blackfeet and Gros Ventre Tribes against the defendant for the sum of \$8,679,814.92, and the said Tribes shall have and recover said sum from the defendant.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1968.

  
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John T. Vance, Chairman

  
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Jerome K. Kuykendall, Commissioner

  
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Richard W. Yarbrough, Commissioner