

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

THE TEXAS-CHEROKEES, and ASSOCIATE)	
BANDS, on the relation of)	
W. W. Keeler, Homer L. Smith,)	
Frank M. Carr, Paul Johnson and)	
Joe Rogers, members of its)	
Executive Committee,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	
)	Docket No. 26
v.)	
)	
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER DENYING MOTIONS FOR RELIEF
FROM OPINION OF THE COMMISSION

UPON CONSIDERATION of the above-styled motions filed by the Alabama-Coushatta Tribes of the State of Texas, on February 1, 1971, and by the Coushatta Tribe of the State of Louisiana, on May 28, 1971, asking the Commission to vacate and set aside the opinion, findings of fact and order dismissing the claims herein, entered on December 28, 1953 (2 Ind. Cl. Comm. 516), and reported to Congress on May 25, 1954, pursuant to Section 21 of the Indian Claims Commission Act of August 13, 1946 (60 Stat. 1049, 1055), and the defendant's responses to said motions, filed on February 9, 1971, and June 11, 1971, and

UPON CONSIDERATION of Section 22(b) of the Indian Claims Commission Act (60 Stat. 1049, 1055) which is as follows:

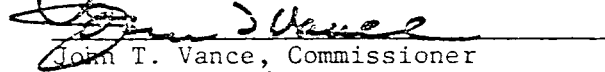
(b) A final determination against a claimant made and reported in accordance with this Act shall forever bar any further claim or demand against the United States arising out of the matter involved in the controversy.

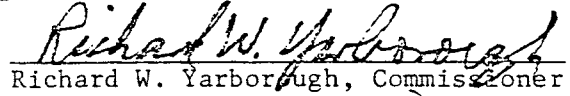
the Commission concludes that it no longer has jurisdiction of the subject matter of said claims and that the motions should be denied.

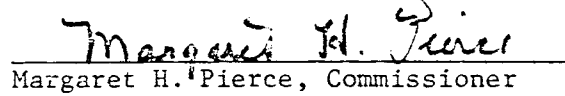
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the above-described motions be, and the same hereby are, denied.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 5th day of August, 1971.


Jerome K. Kuykendall, Chairman


John T. Vance, Commissioner


Richard W. Yarborough, Commissioner


Margaret H. Pierce, Commissioner

Brantley Blue, Commissioner