

BEFORE THE INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

PUEBLO OF LAGUNA, et al.,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	Docket No. 227
)	
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER ALLOWING ATTORNEYS' FEE

UPON CONSIDERATION of the petition for an award of attorneys' fee filed herein on July 11, 1971, by Rodney J. Edwards, Esquire, Attorney of Record for the plaintiffs herein on behalf of all attorneys having an interest therein, and the Commission's findings of fact entered this day, which findings are made a part of this order, the Commission concludes, in view of the valuable legal services rendered by said attorneys on behalf of the plaintiffs in the successful presentation and prosecution of their claim, that said attorneys have earned attorneys' fee in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the final judgment of \$900,000.00, and the attorneys are hereby awarded such sum as their fee.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that out of the funds appropriated to satisfy the aforementioned final judgment there be disbursed to the Attorney of Record, Rodney J. Edwards, for such distribution by him as is proper, the sum of \$90,000.00 as payment in full of the attorneys' fee for legal services rendered on behalf of the plaintiffs in this case.

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 18th day of August 1971.

Jerome K. Kuykendall
Jerome K. Kuykendall, Chairman

John T. Vance
John T. Vance, Commissioner

Richard W. Yarborough
Richard W. Yarborough, Commissioner

Margaret H. Pierce
Margaret H. Pierce, Commissioner

Brantley Blue
Brantley Blue, Commissioner