

## Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior

## § 137.1

of one-half of one percent per month or fraction thereof, from the due date so long as the delinquency continues.

### § 135.23 Refusal of water delivery.

The right is reserved to refuse the delivery of water to any landowner in the event of default in the payment of assessments, including penalties on account of delinquencies.

## PART 136—FORT HALL INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECT, IDAHO

Sec.

- 136.1 Repayment contracts.
- 136.2 Construction costs.
- 136.3 Repayment of construction costs.

AUTHORITY: Sec. 9, 46 Stat. 1063.

SOURCE: 22 FR 10645, Dec. 24, 1957, unless otherwise noted. Redesignated at 47 FR 13327, Mar. 30, 1982.

### § 136.1 Repayment contracts.

A rehabilitation program was established on the Fort Hall Unit of the Fort Hall Project in 1936. Based upon the estimated construction costs, contracts were signed by all non-Indian landowners within the project, including such landowners within the Little Indian Unit, now a part of the Fort Hall Unit. Under the terms of their contracts, the landowners agreed to repay to the Government their pro rata share, on an acreage basis, of all expenditures for construction and other necessary improvements for carrying out the approved program, payments not to exceed \$7.50 per acre, based upon an estimated expenditure of \$450,000.00 for a project then considered as covering approximately 60,000 acres.

### § 136.2 Construction costs.

The program of rehabilitation has now been completed at a cost of \$419,186.52. This amount, chargeable on an equal per acre basis against 60,000 acres, amounts to a rate of \$6.986 per acre, which rate is hereby determined to be the per acre cost to be repaid to the United States under the 1936 contracts.

### § 136.3 Repayment of construction costs.

Under the terms of the contracts, the landowners agreed to repay the construction cost in forty (40) equal annual installments. Therefore, the annual per acre installment is hereby fixed at seventeen and one-half cents (17½ cents) per acre, due and payable on December 1st of each year, the first payment being due on December 1, 1955. Under section 4 of the repayment contracts of the landowners and the act of March 10, 1928 (45 Stat. 210), the charges remain a lien against the lands until paid.

## PART 137—REIMBURSEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION COSTS, SAN CARLOS INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECT, ARIZONA

Sec.

- 137.1 Water supply.
- 137.2 Availability of water.
- 137.3 Construction charges.
- 137.4 Future charges.
- 137.5 Construction costs limited.
- 137.6 Power development.
- 137.7 Private ownership defined.
- 137.8 Indian lands excluded.

AUTHORITY: Sec. 5, 43 Stat. 476.

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### § 137.1 Water supply.

The engineering report dealt with in section 1 of the act of June 7, 1924 (43 Stat. 475) and other available records show that the storage capacity of the San Carlos reservoir created by the Coolidge Dam and the water supply therefor over a period of years will provide for the irrigation of only 80,000 acres of lands in Indian and public or private ownership within the San Carlos irrigation project, the balance of the water supply needed for the additional 20,000 acres of the project to be provided for by recaptured and return flow water and by means of pumping the underground supply. The cost of providing the proposed supply and of operating the works for this latter acreage to be equally distributed over the entire 100,000 acres of the project regardless of where the works are placed and operated.