Public Law 96-194
96th Congress

Joint Resolution

To validate the effectiveness of certain plans for the use or distribution of funds appropriated to pay judgments awarded to Indian tribes or groups.

Feb. 21, 1980
[S.J. Res. 108]

Whereas, pursuant to Public Law 93-134 (Act of October 19, 1973; 87 Stat. 466; 25 U.S.C. 1401), the Secretary of the Interior or his designee has submitted plans for the use or distribution of funds appropriated to pay judgments awarded to Indian tribes or groups; and

Whereas none of such plans have been disapproved by congressional action; and

Whereas a recent July 9, 1979, decision of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in the case of Seminole Indian Tribe of Florida versus Andrus has called into question the effectiveness and validity of those plans submitted to Congress under Public Law 93-134; and

Whereas it is the purpose of this resolution to validate the effectiveness of the plans (other than the plan involved in the Seminole decision and a plan involving the tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation which is the subject of pending litigation) which were submitted to the Congress pursuant to Public Law 93-134: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following plans for the use or distribution of funds submitted to the Congress pursuant to Public Law 93-134 are hereby declared to be valid and effective as of the dates indicated:

Indians, distribution of funds for judgments; validation of plans.

Tribe or group	Docket number(s)	Effective date
Washoe	ICC 288	September 25, 1974.
Seneca	ICC 342-A and 368-A	September 26, 1974.
Fort Berthold (Three Affiliated Tribes).	ICC 350-A, E, and H	October 2, 1974.
Paiute, Northern	ICC 87	October 10, 1974.
Nez Perce	ICC 175-B	October 10, 1974.
Cherokee, Eastern	ICC 282-A through L	October 10, 1974.
Ponca	ICC 322, 323, and 324	November 23, 1974.
Tuscarora	ICC 321	December 18, 1974.
Chippewa, Red Lake	ICC 189	February 3, 1975.
Sioux, Yankton	ICC 332-B	February 7, 1975.
Kikiallus	ICC 263	February 18, 1975.
Skagit, Lower	ICC 294	February 18, 1975.
Lummi	ICC 110	March 3, 1975.
Apache, Chiricahua	ICC 30 and 48 and 30-A and 48-A	March 16, 1975.
Sioux, Cheyenne River	ICC 114	March 16, 1975.
Iowa	ICC 135	March 24, 1975.
Ottawa, Oklahoma	ICC 304 and 305	June 17, 1975.
Pueblos de Jemez, Santa Ana, and Zia.	ICC 137	June 17, 1975.
Apache, Jicarilla	ICC 22-K	July 8, 1975.
Suquamish	ICC 132	September 14, 1975.
Winnebago	ICC 243, 244, and 245	October 30, 1975.
Cabazon	ICC 148	October 30, 1975.
Apache, Western	ICC 22-D	December 3, 1975.

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Cherokee	ICC 173-A	November 5, 1975.
Navajo	Ct. Cl. 49692	November 17, 1975.
Creek, Oklahoma	ICC 167-273	November 16, 1975.
Angoon	ICC 278-B	February 1, 1976.
Samish	ICC 261	December 10, 1975.
Swinomish	ICC 233	December 10, 1975.
Shawnee	ICC 334-B	March 5, 1976.
Mohave	ICC 283 and 295	April 12, 1976.
Chippewa, Pillager	ICC 144	April 28, 1976.
Yakima	ICC 161, 222, and 224	May 13, 1976.
Colville	ICC 161, 222, and 224	May 21, 1976.
Kiowa-Comanche-Apache	ICC 257 and 259-A	June 8, 1976.
Fort Berthold (Three Affiliated Tribes).	ICC 350-F	June 20, 1976.
Flathead (Confederated Salish and Kootenai).	Ct. Cl. 50233 No. 8 and No. 9	August 25, 1976.
Seneca	ICC 84; 342-B, C, and 368; 342-F and I.	January 29, 1977.
Six Nations and Stockbridge-Munsee	ICC 84 and 300-B, ICC 300	March 4, 1977.
Devils Lake Sioux	ICC 363	July 23, 1977.
Saginaw Chippewa	ICC 57	November 12, 1977.
Fort Berthold Three Affiliated Tribes	ICC 350-C and D	March 13, 1978.
Fort Mohave	ICC 295-A	November 12, 1977.
Potawatomi	ICC 15-K, 29-J, 217, 15-M, 29-K, and 146.	March 6, 1978.
Mescalero (Lipan)	ICC 22-C	April 9, 1978.
Taos Pueblo	ICC 357-A	April 10, 1978.
Colville-Nez Perce	ICC 186	May 1, 1978.
Creek	ICC 275	June 15, 1978.
Seneca Nation	ICC 342-G	February 1, 1979.
Lake Superior and Mississippi Chippewa.	ICC 18-C and 18-T	February 1, 1979.
Sisseton-Wahpeton	ICC 363 (1867 and 1872)	March 26, 1979.
Pyramid Lake	ICC 87-B	June 12, 1979.
Bois Forte Chippewa	ICC 18-D	June 5, 1979.
Caddo	ICC 226	September 17, 1979.
Goshute	ICC 326-B and J	October 19, 1979.
Nisqually	ICC 197	October 31, 1979.
Potawatomi, Prairie Band	ICC 15-K, 29-J, 217, 15-M, 29-K and 146.	September 7, 1979.

SEC. 2. The foregoing plans for the use or distribution of funds submitted to the Congress pursuant to Public Law 93-134 are hereby declared to have been validly submitted and are exempted from the submission deadline in section 2 of said Act and shall be effective as provided in section 5 of said Act.

25 USC 1402.
25 USC 1405.

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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

HOUSE REPORT No. 96-417 accompanying H.J. Res. 383 (Comm. on Interior and Insular Affairs).
SENATE REPORT No. 96-469 (Comm. on Indian Affairs).
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Dec. 14, considered and passed Senate.
Vol. 126 (1980): Feb. 5, considered and passed House.