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CHAPTER 2A—INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION

Claims Accruing After August 13, 1946

This chapter related only to claims accruing before Aug. 13, 1946. For jurisdiction of Indian claims against the United States accruing after that date, see section 1505 of Title 28, Judiciary and Judicial Procedure.

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§§ 70 to 70n–2. Omitted

Codification

The Indian Claims Commission terminated on Sept. 30, 1978, pursuant to section 70v of this title.

Section 70, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 1, 60 Stat. 1049, established Indian Claims Commission.

Section 70a, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 2, 60 Stat. 1050; Oct. 27, 1974, Pub. L. 93–494, § 2, 88 Stat. 1499, related to jurisdiction of claims considered by Commission.

Section 70b, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 3, 60 Stat. 1050; Apr. 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90–9, §§ 2, 3, 81 Stat. 11; Oct. 12, 1978, Pub. L. 95–453, 92 Stat. 1110, related to members of Commission.

Section 70c, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 4, 60 Stat. 1051, related to staff and oath of Commission.

Section 70d, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 5, 60 Stat. 1051, related to principal office of Commission.

Section 70e, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 6, 60 Stat. 1051; Apr. 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90–9, § 4, 81 Stat. 11; Mar. 30, 1972, Pub. L. 92–265, § 5, 86 Stat. 115, related to itemized vouchers and authorized appropriations for Commission.

Section 70f, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 7, 60 Stat. 1051, related to time of meetings of Commission.

Section 70g, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 8, 60 Stat. 1051, related to record of proceedings and public inspection of records of Commission.

Section 70h, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 9, 60 Stat. 1051, related to control of procedure of Commission.

Section 70i, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 10, 60 Stat. 1052, related to presentation of claims before Commission.

Section 70j, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 11, 60 Stat. 1052, related to forbidden transfer of suits in Court of Claims under prior Acts and offsets and counterclaims before Commission.

Section 70k, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 12, 60 Stat. 1052, related to limitation of time for presenting claims before Commission.

Section 70l, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 13, 60 Stat. 1052, related to notice to tribes, investigation of claims, and availability of data by Commission.

Section 70m, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 14, 60 Stat. 1052, related to information from governmental departments and official records as evidence before Commission.

Section 70n, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 15, 60 Stat. 1053, related to attorneys of claimants and representation of United States by Attorney General before Commission.

Section 70n–1, Pub. L. 88–168, § 1, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301; Pub. L. 89–592, Sept. 19, 1966, 80 Stat. 814; Pub. L. 93–37, § 2, May 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 73, related to revolving fund for expert assistance for preparation and trial of claims before Commission.

Section 70n–2, Pub. L. 88–168, § 2, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, related to inability of applicants to pay for assistance required and denial of loans in cases of unreasonable fees.

Indian Self-Determination Conflict of Interest Requirement Inapplicable to Commissioner Not in Office

Section 1 of Pub. L. 95–453 provided in part that section 105(j) of the Indian Self-Determination Act (section 450i (f) of this title) was not to apply to members of the Indian Claims Commission affected by Pub. L. 95–453 (which amended subsec. (c) of section 70b of this title).

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§ 70n-3. Repealed. Pub. L. 93-608, § 1(16), Jan. 2, 1975, 88 Stat. 1970

Section, Pub. L. 88-168, § 3, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, required a report to Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs of Senate and House of Representatives on every loan made under sections 70n-1 to 70n-7 of this title.

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§§ 70n-4 to 70v-3. Omitted

Codification

The Indian Claims Commission terminated on Sept. 30, 1978, pursuant to section 70v of this title.

Section 70n-4, Pub. L. 88-168, § 4, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, related to payment of interest and repayment from judgments.

Section 70n-5, Pub. L. 88-168, § 5, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, related to crediting to revolving fund of repayments and interest.

Section 70n-6, Pub. L. 88-168, § 6, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, related to liability of the United States.

Section 70n-7, Pub. L. 88-168, § 7, Nov. 4, 1963, 77 Stat. 301, prohibited approval of contingent fee contracts for witness before Commission.

Section 70o, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 16, 60 Stat. 1053, forbade a member of Congress from practicing before Commission.

Section 70p, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 17, 60 Stat. 1053, related to hearings by Commission.

Section 70q, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 18, 60 Stat. 1054; Apr. 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90-9, § 4, 81 Stat. 11, related to testimony of witnesses before Commission.

Section 70r, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 19, 60 Stat. 1054, related to final determinations of Commission.

Section 70s, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 20, 60 Stat. 1054; Sept. 8, 1960, Pub. L. 86-722, 74 Stat. 829; Mar. 13, 1978, Pub. L. 95-243, 92 Stat. 153, related to judicial review of questions or determinations of Commission.

Section 70t, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 21, 60 Stat. 1055, related to a report of determination of claim to Congress by Commission.

Section 70u, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 22, 60 Stat. 1055, related to payment of claim after final determination and an adverse determination as a bar to further claims against United States.

Section 70v, acts Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 23, 60 Stat. 1055; July 24, 1956, ch. 679, 70 Stat. 624; June 16, 1961, Pub. L. 87-48, 75 Stat. 92; Apr. 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90-9, § 1, 81 Stat. 11; Mar. 30, 1972, Pub. L. 92-265, § 1, 86 Stat. 114; Oct. 8, 1976, Pub. L. 94-465, § 2, 90 Stat. 1990, provided for dissolution of Commission.

Section 70v-1, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 27, as added Apr. 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90-9, § 5, 81 Stat. 11; amended Mar. 30, 1972, Pub. L. 92-265, §§ 2, 3, 86 Stat. 115, related to trial calendar of Commission.

Section 70v-2, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 28, as added Mar. 30, 1972, Pub. L. 92-265, § 4, 86 Stat. 115; amended Oct. 8, 1976, Pub. L. 94-465, § 3, 90 Stat. 1990, related to status reports to Congress by Commission.

Section 70v-3, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 29, as added July 20, 1977, Pub. L. 95-69, § 2, 91 Stat. 273; amended Apr. 2, 1982, Pub. L. 97-164, title I, § 149, 96 Stat. 46, related to cases transferred to United States Claims Court from Commission.

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§ 70w. Repealed. May 24, 1949, ch. 139, § 142, 63 Stat. 110

Section, act Aug. 13, 1946, ch. 959, § 24, 60 Stat. 1055, related to Indian claims accruing after Aug. 13, 1946. See section 1505 of Title 28, Judiciary and Judicial Procedure.