FOREIGN CLAIMS SETTLEMENT COMMISSION OF THE UNITED STATES WASHINGTON, D.C. 20579

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF

PHILIP MAYFIELD SUNDAY, II and MELBA CLEMISTINE SUNDAY

Claim No.CU -3326

Decision No.CU 4383

Under the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended

PROPOSED DECISION

Claimants, PHILIP MAYFIELD SUNDAY, II and MELBA CLEMISTINE SUNDAY, who owned stock interests in the Trans-Cuba Oil Company, assert a claim under Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, against the Government of Cuba because of its nationalization of said Company.

In our decision entitled the <u>Claim of D. R. Wimberly</u> (Claim No. CU-3417 which we incorporate herein by reference), we held that the properties owned or controlled by the Company were nationalized or otherwise taken by the Government of Cuba on November 23, 1959, and that this type of claim is compensable to an American national under the facts and conditions set forth therein. We need not again detail here the reasons or the method used in determining the value per share of \$0.1198.

On the basis of evidence in the record in the instant case, the Commission finds that these claimants come within the terms of the Wimberly decision; that they were American nationals at the requisite times; that each has been the owner of 100 shares of stock in the Trans-Cuba Oil Company since prior to November 23, 1959; and that each suffered a loss in the amount of \$11.98 within the meaning of Title V of the Act. Further, the Commission finds that the amount of loss sustained shall be increased by interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from November 23, 1959, the date of loss, to the date on which provisions are made for the settlement thereof. (See Wimberly, supra.)

CERTIFICATION OF LOSS

The Commission certifies that PHILIP MAYFIELD SUNDAY, II suffered a loss, a result of actions of the Government of Cuba, within the scope

Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as

ded, in the amount of Eleven Dollars and Ninety-Eight Cents

11.98) with interest at 6% per annum from November 23, 1959 to the te of settlement; and

The Commission certifies that MELBA CLEMISTINE SUNDAY suffered a loss, a result of actions of the Government of Cuba, within the scope

Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as mended, in the amount of Eleven Dollars and Ninety-Eight Cents

11.98) with interest at 6% per annum from November 23, 1959 to the te of settlement.

ted at Washington, D. C., d entered as the Proposed cision of the Commission

7 JAN 1970

Theodore Jaffe, Commissioner

Sidney Freidberg, Commissioner

NOTICE TO TREASURY: The above-referenced securities may not have been submitted to the Commission or if submitted, may have been returned; accordingly, no payment should be made until claimant establishes retention of the securities for the loss here certified.

The statute does not provide for the payment of claims against the Government of Cuba. Provision is only made for the determination by the Commission of the validity and amounts of such claims. Section 501 of the statute specifically precludes any authorization for appropriations for payment of these claims. The Commission is required to certify its findings to the Secretary of State for possible use in future negotiations with the Government of Cuba.

NOTICE: Pursuant to the Regulations of the Commission, if no objections are filed within 15 days after service or receipt of notice of this Proposed Decision, the decision will be entered as the Final Decision of the Commission upon the expiration of 30 days after such service or receipt of notice, unless the Commission otherwise orders. (FCSC Reg., 45 C.F.R. 531.5(e) and (g), as amended, 32 Fed. Reg. 412-13 (1967).)