

FOREIGN CLAIMS SETTLEMENT COMMISSION  
OF THE UNITED STATES  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF

The Estate of THERESA JENEY, Deceased  
c/o ELIZABETH TUSI  
12410 Forest Avenue  
Cleveland 20, Ohio

Against the Government of Hungary

Under the International Claims Settlement  
Act of 1949, as amended

Claim No. HUNG-20,006

Decision No. HUNG-1094

GPO 16-72128-1

FINAL DECISION

The Commission issued its Proposed Decision on this claim on May 14, 1958, a copy of which was duly served upon the Estate. No objections or request for a hearing having been filed within twenty days after such service and general notice of the Proposed Decision having been given by posting for thirty days, it is

ORDERED that such Proposed Decision be and the same is hereby entered as the Final Decision on this claim.

Dated at Washington, D. C.

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*Whitney Hilliland*

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*Harry B. Clay*  
COMMISSIONERS

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PROPOSED DECISION

This claim against the Government of Hungary under the provisions of Section 303 of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, was filed by THERESA JENEY prior to her death on April 26, 1956.

Section 303 of the Act provides for the receipt and determination by the Commission, in accordance with applicable substantive law, including international law, of the validity and amounts of claims of nationals of the United States against the Governments of Bulgaria, Hungary and Rumania.

Evidence of record indicates that the late THERESA JENEY, who became a naturalized citizen of the United States on December 18, 1925, died leaving as next of kin and as the person entitled to her estate, a sister residing in Budapest, who is not shown to be a national of the United States.

The Commission holds, in accordance with established principles of international law, that for an award under the Act, a claim must have been owned continuously by a United States national or nationals to the date of settlement. Thus, a claim which originally accrued to a

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United States national and which vested prior to settlement in a non-national, whether by inheritance or otherwise, is not compensable.

Accordingly, the Commission finds that this claim must be and it is hereby denied on the ground that it has not been established that it has been owned continuously to the date of settlement by nationals of the United States. The Commission finds it unnecessary to make determinations with respect to other elements of this claim.

Dated at Washington, D. C.

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**MAY 14 1958**

FOR THE COMMISSION:

*Donald G. Benn*

Donald G. Benn, Director  
Balkan Claims Division