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

In the Matter of the Claim of

MRS. RICHARD J. HUNT
134 Wheatland Avenue
Logansport, Indiana

Under Section 305 of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended

entered as the Final Decision on this claim.

Claim No. SOV-40,976

Decision No. SOV-1131

FINAL DECISION

The Commission issued its Proposed Decision on this claim on August 7, 1957 , a certified copy of which was duly served upon the claimant(s). 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

Washington 25, D. C.

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OMMISSIONERS

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AMENDED PROPOSED DECISION

The Commission, on December 19, 1956, issued its Proposed
Decision No. SOV-1131 denying the claim herein for the reasons set
forth in Proposed Decision No. SOV-230, In the Matter of the Claim
of Charles D. Siegel. On May 9, 1957, the Commission (Commissioner
Henry J. Clay dissenting), issued its Order No. SOV-230 vacating the
Proposed Decision In the Matter of the Claim of Charles D. Siegel,
and held that claims based on securities payable in currency other
than United States dollars, issued by predecessors of the Soviet
Government, are within the purview of Section 305 (a) (2) of the
International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

However, the record discloses, that this is a claim against the Soviet Government under Section 305 (a) (2) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, for a loss allegedly sustained by the owner of securities issued by the present Soviet Government and payable in currency other than United States dollars.

Section 305(a)(2) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended by Public Law 285, 84th Congress, provides for the receipt and determination by the Commission of the validity and amounts of claims of nationals of the United States against the Soviet Government, provided such claims arose prior to November 16, 1933.

The Commission's records reflect that the securities upon which this claim is based were issued by the present Soviet Government and were purchased by the claimant in 1935 and in 1940. Evidence submitted by the claimant indicates that coupons were paid as late as 1941. No evidence has been furnished to show, and the Commission is not aware, that such obligations were repudiated by the Soviet Government. In the absence of a repudiation, any claim based upon such securities would not have arisen until after November 16, 1933. Therefore, the Commission finds that this claim is not compensable under the Provisions of the Act and it is hereby, denied.

Other elements bearing upon eligibility and entitlement have not been considered.

Dated at Washington, D. C.

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FOR THE COMMISSION:

Joseph Stein, Director Soviet Claims Division

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Under Section 305(a) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended

PROPOSED DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

This claim is based upon the loss allegedly sustained by claimant(s) as the owner(s) of bond(s), payable in currency other than United States dollars, issued by a predecessor of the Soviet Government.

For the reasons specified in the attached Proposed Decision, No. SOV-230, In the Matter of the Claim of Charles D. Siegel (SOV-40,017), this claim is denied.

Dated at Washington, D. C.

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FOR THE COMMISSION:

Harold W. Matthews, Director Soviet Claims Division

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