

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF

ANNA PREKEL

Under the International Claims Settlement
Act of 1949, as amended

Claim No. G-3721

Decision No. G-1692

PROPOSED DECISION

This claim in the amount of \$15,000.00 against the Government of the German Democratic Republic, under Title VI of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended by Public Law 94-542 (90 Stat. 2509), is based upon the loss of agricultural property in Choren, German Democratic Republic.

The record indicates that claimant became a United States citizen on December 6, 1938.

Under section 602, Title VI of the Act the Commission is given jurisdiction as follows:

"The Commission shall receive and determine in accordance with applicable substantive law, including international law, the validity and amounts of claims by nationals of the United States against the German Democratic Republic for losses arising as a result of the nationalization, expropriation, or other taking of (or special measures directed against) property, including any rights or interests therein, owned wholly or partially, directly or indirectly, at the time by nationals of the United States whether such losses occurred in the German Democratic Republic or in East Berlin. . ."

The Commission has examined all the evidence including among other documents, a land record extract submitted by claimant, and concludes that at no time did claimant, ANNA PREKEL, have an ownership interest in the property for which a claim is made. Therefore, claimant did not own property which was nationalized, expropriated, or otherwise taken by the German Democratic Republic as required for compensation under section 602 of the Act.

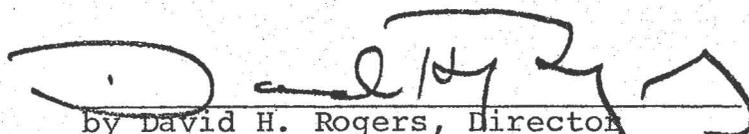
For the above cited reasons, the claim must be and hereby is denied.

The Commission finds it unnecessary to make determinations with respect to other elements of this claim.

Dated at Washington, D.C.
and entered as the Proposed
Decision of the Commission.

JAN 2 1980

For Presentation to the Commission


by David H. Rogers, Director
German Democratic Republic Claims
Division

This is a true and correct copy of the decision
of the Commission which was entered as the final
decision on SEP 10 1980


Executive Director

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, a Final Decision based upon the Proposed Decision will be issued upon approval by the Commission any time after the expiration of the 30 day period following such service or receipt of notice. (FCSC Reg., 45 C.F.R. 531.5 (e) and (g), as amended.)

At any time after Final Decision has been issued on a claim, or a Proposed Decision has become the Final Decision on a claim, but not later than 60 days before the completion date of the Commission's affairs in connection with this program, a petition to reopen on the ground of newly discovered evidence may be filed. (FCSC Reg., 45 C.F.R. 531.5 (1), as amended.)