

90TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2336

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 23, 1967

Mr. JACKSON (for himself and Mr. MAGNUSON) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Interior and
Insular Affairs

A BILL

To determine the respective rights and interests of the Confed-
erated Tribes of the Colville Reservation and the Yakima
Tribe of Indians of the Yakima Reservation and their con-
stituent tribal groups in and to a judgment fund on deposit
in the Treasury of the United States, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation,
4 acting through the chairman of its business council, and
5 the Yakima Tribe of Indians of the Yakima Reservation,
6 acting through the chairman of its tribal council, for and
7 on behalf of said tribes and each and all their constituent
8 tribal groups, and the Attorney General on behalf of the

1 United States, are each hereby authorized to commence or
2 defend in the United States Court of Claims an action against
3 each other making claims to a share in the funds that are
4 on deposit in the Treasury of the United States to pay a
5 judgment of the Indian Claims Commission dated April 5,
6 1965, in dockets numbered 161, 222, and 224, and the
7 interest on said funds; and jurisdiction is hereby conferred
8 upon said court to hear such claims and to render judgment
9 and decree thereon making such division of such funds and
10 the interest on such funds, as may be just and fair in law
11 and equity, between the Confederated Tribes of the Colville
12 Reservation and its constituent tribal groups on the one
13 hand, and the Yakima Tribe of Indians of the Yakima Reser-
14 vation and its constituent tribal groups on the other hand.

15 SEC. 2. The portion of such funds and the interest
16 thereon to which the Yakima Tribe of Indians of the Yakima
17 Reservation and its constituent tribal groups are entitled, as
18 determined by the court, shall be withdrawn from the ac-
19 count or accounts in which such funds are deposited, and
20 shall be redeposited in the account in the Treasury of the
21 United States to the credit of the Yakima Tribe of Indians of
22 the Yakima Reservation and may be advanced or expended
23 for any purpose that is authorized by the tribal governing
24 body of the Yakima Tribe of the Yakima Reservation and
25 approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

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By Mr. JACKSON and Mr. MAGNUSON

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