UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Administrative Order 85-12

IN RE	BIG CYPRESS NATIONAL PRESERVE)	FILD by ulp D.C.
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	ORDER APPOINTING ALTERNATE COMMISSIONERS PU FEDERAL RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE	JRSUART TO MAPCH

The Court entered an Order on February 12, 1985 appointing three Commissioners pursuant to the provisions of Rule 71A of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. That Order shall expire on March 12, 1987. Additional actions have been filed and may be filed in the future within the Big Cypress National Preserve project. The Court has carefully considered the reasons set forth in the above-mentioned Order and it is of the opinion that the interest of justice would be best served by appointing two alternate Commissioners under the same conditions as stated in the Order.

For all the foregoing reasons, it is now ORDERED:

1. That MILTON FREIDMAN and SAM I. SILVER be and they hereby are, appointed as Alternate Land Commissioners to fix the just compensation to be paid by the United States for each parcel of land involved in these actions and related actions to be filed in the future, except that the Court may, in its discretion, order that the compensation to be paid for any such parcel be determined by a jury, or in a proper case, by the Court.

- 2. That the Alternate Land Commissioners shall be compensated at the rate of \$50.00 per hour for time spent in hearings and preparing reports and \$30.00 per hour for time spent in travel status, provided that the maximum compensation shall not exceed \$263.36 per day and \$68,700.00 per annum, for all services performed until the expiration of this Order or further action by the Court.
- 3. That the Alternate Land Commissioners shall further be reimbursed, as authorized by law or regulations, per miles of travel, tolls, meals and lodging when away from their place of business or residence to their place of meeting or otherwise, in the course of the performance of their official duties.

The Commissioners shall serve under the terms and conditions stated in the Order of February 12, 1985 unless amended or modified by the Court.

This order shall be effective <u>March 13, 1985</u> and shall expire on <u>March 13, 1987</u> without further Order. DONE and ORDERED in chambers at the United States Courthouse, Federal Courthouse Square, Miami, Fla. this 19th day of March 1985. FOR THE COURT:

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