

**INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND WATER COMMISSION
UNITED STATES AND MEXICO**

Minute No. 272

Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua
October 24, 1986

INSTALLATION OF MONUMENT 13-R

The Commission met in the offices of the Mexican Section at Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua, at 10:00 a.m., on October 24, 1986, to consider the work undertaken by both Sections for the installation of International Monument No. 13-R, as replacement of Monument No. 13.

The Commission was informed on November 21, 1983, that Monument No. 13, installed by the Commission created by the Convention of July 29, 1882, was missing and that only the dislocated and overturned concrete base remained near the site where the monument was originally located.

The Commission considered that in accordance with the jurisdiction which was extended to it over the land boundary between the two countries by Article 2 of the Treaty of February 3, 1944, between the United States and Mexico, the Commission maintains surveillance of the international monuments that mark the international land boundary to assure their adequate location and their permanency and visibility from one monument to the next.


The Commission reviewed the joint report of Principal Engineers Jose S. Valdez of the United States Section and Luis Guzman del Castillo of the Mexican Section, dated September 3, 1986, on installation of Monument No. 13-R at the international boundary, and found the installation to conform with the provisions of Article 5 of the Treaty of February 2, 1848 and Article 1 of the Boundary Treaty of December 30, 1853.

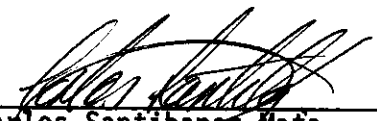
The Commission then adopted the following resolutions:

1. The "Joint Report of the Principal Engineers Relating to the Installation of International Boundary Monument No. 13-R", dated September 3, 1986, attached hereto and forming a part of this Minute, is approved.
2. The new monument will be designated Monument 13-R, and its installation is approved as a replacement for Monument No. 13 in accordance with the provisions of Article 5 of the Treaty of February 2, 1848 and Article 1 of the Boundary Treaty of December 30, 1853.
3. The location of the new Monument 13-R, determined by the Principal Engineers in their joint report, is approved so that the location data on Monument 13, installed under the Convention

of July 29, 1882, will be deleted from the location tables for the international land boundary monuments and the corresponding data for Monument No. 13-R will be noted.

The meeting adjourned.


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