MINUTE NO. 209

PORTION ALLOCABLE TO MEXICO OF COSTS OF
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE GROUP I LEVEES
ON THE COLORADO RIVER UPSTREAM FROM THE MORELOS DIVERSION DAM

The Commission met in the offices of the United States Section in El Paso, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on November 21, 1958, to consider the "Joint Report of the Principal Engineers with Respect to the Portion Allocable to Mexico of Costs of Operation and Maintenance of the Group I Levees on the Colorado River Upstream from the Morelos Diversion Dam." The English and Spanish texts of this report, submitted by Principal Engineers Joseph F. Friedkin and José G. Valenzuela under date of November 17, 1958, are attached hereeto and form part hereof.

The Commission reviewed the aforementioned Joint Report and found it to be in accordance with the provisions of Article 12(a) of the Water Treaty of 1944 and Minutes Nos. 195 and 208 adopted by the Commission on May 6, 1950, and November 14, 1958, respectively.

The Commission then adopted the following resolution:

"1. The 'Joint Report of the Principal Engineers with Respect to the Portion Allocable to Mexico of Costs of Operation and Maintenance of the Group I Levees on the Colorado River Upstream from the Morelos Diversion Dam,' submitted by Principal Engineers Joseph F. Friedkin and José G. Valenzuela under date of November 17, 1958, is approved.

"2. Subject to approval of this Minute by the two Governments, the portion allocable to Mexico of costs of operation and maintenance of Group I levees on the Colorado River Upstream from the Morelos Diversion Dam will be determined annually by the Commission in the manner proposed in the said Joint Report and payment of such portion will be made by check payable to the Treasurer of the United States of America transmitted through the Mexican Section to the United States Section."

The meeting then adjourned.

(signed) L. H. Hewitt
Commissioner of the United States

(signed) D. Herrera J.
Commissioner of Mexico

(signed) George H. Winters
Secretary of the United States Section

(signed) Fernando Rivas S.
Secretary of the Mexican Section