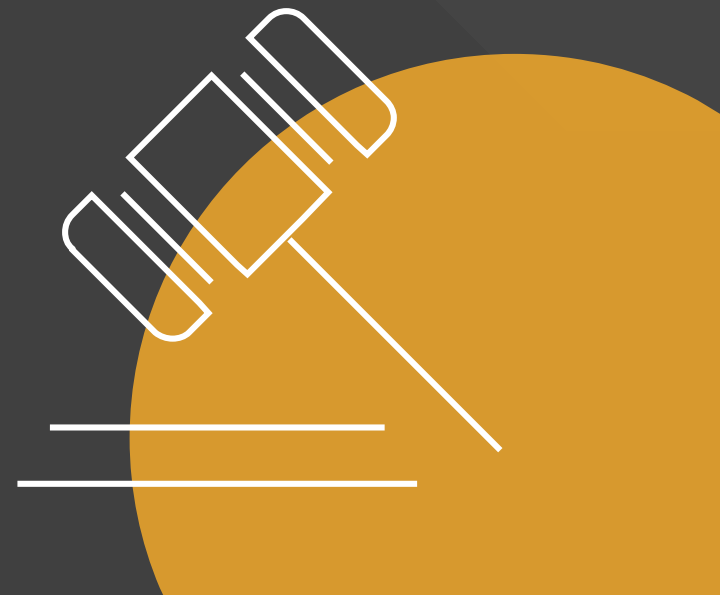


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Notable Cases from Jan. through Dec. 2019



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● **Allen v. United States**

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No. 17-17463

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

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Legal Topics: Federal Recognition

● **United States v. Harrington**

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No. 18-30141

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

December 24, 2019

● **Bay Mills Indian Community v. Whitmer**

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▲ **2019 WL 6824855**

No. 18-2259; 18-2302

United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit.

December 13, 2019

Legal Topics: IGRA; Michigan Indian Land Claims Settlement Act

● **Yurok Tribe v. Resighini Rancheria**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6770023**

No. 18-15309

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

December 12, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity

● **Rosales v. Dutschke**

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▲ **2019 WL 6745078**

No. 17-16967

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

December 11, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Gaming; Rule 19



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● **Fitisemanu v. United States**

▲ **2019 WL 6766502**

No. 1:18-cv-36

United States District Court, D. Utah.

December 12, 2019

Legal Topics: Birthright Citizenship

● **Swiger v. Rosette**

▲ **2019 WL 6649246**

Civil Action No. 19-CV-12014

United States District Court, E.D. Michigan,
Southern Division.

December 6, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity



NOVEMBER

● **McCoy v. Salish Kootenai College, Inc.**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6185959**

No. 18-35729

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

November 20, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity

● **Chegup v. Ute Indian Tribe of the Uintah and Ouray Reservation**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6220063**

No. 2:19-cv-00286-DAK

United States District Court, D. Utah.

November 21, 2019

Legal Topics: Banishment; Indian Civil Rights Act

● **Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes v. Lake County Board of Commissioners**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6173181**

No. CV 19-90-M-DLC

United States District Court, D. Montana.

November 20, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity; Trespassing

● **FMC Corporation v. Shoshone-Bannock Tribes**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6042469**

Nos. 17-35840, 17-35865

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

November 15, 2019

Legal Topics: Hazardous Waste Storage; Tribal Court Jurisdiction

● **Clements v. Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 6051104**

No. 2:19-CV-201-RMP

United States District Court, E.D. Washington.

November 15, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Jurisdiction



NOVEMBER

● **United States v. State of Washington**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5963052**

No. C70-9213RSM

United States District Court, W.D. Washington.

November 13, 2019

Legal Topics: Crab Fishing Regulations

● **New York v. Mountain Tobacco Company**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5792487**

Nos. 17-3198(L), 17-3222(XAP)

United States Court of Appeals, Second Circuit.

November 7, 2019

● **Seneca Nation of Indians v. State of New York**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5865450**

No. 19-CV-735S

United States District Court, W.D. New York.

November 8, 2019

Legal Topics: Class III Gaming Compact; Indian Gaming

● **Klamath Irrigation District, Shasta View Irrigation District v. United States Bureau of Reclamation**

▲ **2019 WL 5788303**

Nos. 1:19-cv-00451-CL; 1:19-cv-00531-CL

United States District Court, D. Oregon.

November 6, 2019

Legal Topics: Motions to Intervene



OCTOBER

● **Drake v. Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5653447**

No. CV-19-02957-PHX-MTL

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

October 31, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity; Americans with Disabilities Act

● **Boon-Bey v. Skwierawski**

▲ **2019 WL 5594924**

No. 19-CV-985-JPS

United States District Court, E.D. Wisconsin.

October 30, 2019

Legal Topics: Jurisdiction; Federal Recognition

● **Oneida Indian Nation v. US Department of the Interior**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5302822**

No. 18-2607

United States Court of Appeals, Second Circuit.

October 21, 2019

Legal Topics: Federal Recognition; Names

● **Johnson v. Oneida Nation Enters., LLC**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5091952**

No. 5:19-CV-853

United States District Court, N.D. New York.

October 11, 2019

Legal Topics: Title VII

● **Toahty v. Kimsey**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5104742**

No. 3:19-cv-01308-HZ

United States District Court, D. Oregon.

October 11, 2019

Legal Topics: Sexual Misconduct



OCTOBER

● **Lummi Tribe v. United States**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 5061386**

No. 2018-1720

United States Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit.

October 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Fiduciary Trust

● **Caddo Nation of Oklahoma v. Witchita and Affiliated Tribes**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4898669**

No. 18-6142

United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit.

October 4, 2019

Legal Topics: National Environmental Policy Act;
National Historic Preservation Act

● **The Indigenous American People Inhabiting the County of Wayne, Michigan v. Wayne County Municipal Corporation**

▲ **2019 WL 5061048**

No. 2:19-cv-12579-LJM-DRG

United States District Court, E.D. Michigan,
Southern Division.

October 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Land in Dispute



SEPTEMBER

● **Makah Indian Tribe v. Quileute Indian Tribe**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4751463**

No. 18-35369

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

September 30, 2019

Legal Topics: Boundary Dispute

● **Temple v. Roberts**

▲ **2019 WL 4773929**

No. CIV 15-5062-JLV

United States District Court, D. South Dakota, Western Division.

September 30, 2019

Legal Topics: Interior Board of Indian Appeals

● **Pueblo of Jemez v. United States**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4740604**

No. CIV 12-0800 JB/JHR

United States District Court, D. New Mexico.

September 27, 2019

Legal Topics: Cultural Resources; Trust Relationship

● **Fort McDermitt Paiute and Shoshone Tribe v. Azar**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4711401**

Civil Action No. 17-837 (TJK)

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

September 26, 2019

Legal Topics: Trust Relationship; Indian Health Service

● **Protect Our Communities Foundation v. Lacounte**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4582841**

No. 17-55647

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

September 23, 2019

Legal Topics: Wind Energy; Bald and Golden Eagles Protection Act



SEPTEMBER

● **Pit River Tribe v. Bureau of Land Management**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4546908**

No. 17-15616

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

September 19, 2019

● **Dakota Rural Action v. Noem**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4546908**

No. CIV 19-5026

United States District Court, D. South Dakota,
Western Division.

September 18, 2019

Legal Topics: Keystone XL Pipeline

● **United States v. Estate of Gallego**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4572805**

No. 17-5091

United States District Court, D. South Dakota,
Western Division.

September 20, 2019

Legal Topics: Housing and Community
Development Act

● **Irving D. Jumping Eagle v. Warren**

▲ **2019 WL 4572790**

CIV 18-4134

United States District Court, D. South Dakota,
Southern Division.

September 19, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Child Welfare Act

● **Benally v. Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation**

▲ **2019 WL 4451326**

No. CV-19-08026-PCT-SPL

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

September 17, 2019

Legal Topics: Navajo-Hopi Land Settlement Act of
1974



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● **Benally v. Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation**

▲ **2019 WL 4451326**

No. CV-19-08026-PCT-SPL

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

September 17, 2019

Legal Topics: Navajo-Hopi Land Settlement Act of 1974

● **Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe v. Terwilliger**

▲ **2019 WL 4452246**

No. 14-4171

United States District Court, D. South Dakota, Southern Division.

September 17, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Gaming and Regulatory Act

● **Ronald Oertwich v. Traditional Village of Togiak**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4345975**

No. 3:19-cv-00082 JWS

United States District Court, D. Alaska.

September 12, 2019

Legal Topics: Banishment; Tribal Sovereign Immunity

● **Yocha Dehe Wintun Naion v. Newsom**

▲ **2019 WL 4259755**

No. 2:19-cv-00025-JAM-AC

United States District Court, E.D. California.

September 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal-State Compacts

● **United States v. Neff**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4235218**

Nos. 18-2282 & 18-2539

United States Court of Appeals, Third Circuit.

September 6, 2019

Legal Topics: Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act; Indian Country Payday Lenders



SEPTEMBER

● **Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe v. Noem**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4229068**

No. 18-1271

United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

September 6, 2019

● **Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe v. Haeder**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4231360**

No. 18-2750

United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

September 6, 2019

● **Cherokee Nation v. Bernhardt**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4197483**

No. 17-7042, 17-7044

United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit.

September 5, 2019

● **Swinomish Indian Tribal Community v. Azar**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4261368**

No. 18-cv-1156

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

September 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Trust Relationship; Indian Health Service

● **United States of America v. Jeffrey Antonio**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4180406**

No. 18-2118

United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit.

September 4, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Pueblo Lands Act



AUGUST

● **Rosita George v. Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation**

▲ **2019 WL 4081144**

No. CV-17-08200-PCT-DLR

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

August 29, 2019

Legal Topics: Navajo-Hopi Settlement Act

● **USA, ex rel. Dalhstrom, State of Washington, ex rel. Dalhstrom v. Sauk-Suiattle Indian Tribe of Washington**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4082944**

Case No. C16-0052JLR

United States District Court, W.D. Washington.

August 29, 2019

Legal Topics: False Claims Act; Tribal Sovereignty

● **Spurr v. Pope**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 4009131**

No. 18-2174

United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit.

August 26, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Court Jurisdiction

● **Beam v. Naha**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3937390**

No. 18-15968

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

August 20, 2019

Legal Topics: Education; First Amendment

● **U.S. v. Begay**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3884261**

No. 14-10080

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

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AUGUST

● **Chemehuevi Indian Tribe v. McMahon**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3886168**

No. 17-56791

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

August 19, 2019

● **Navajo Nation v. U.S. Department of the Interior**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3997370**

No. CV-03-00507-PCT-GMS

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

August 23, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Water Rights; Federal Trust Relationship

● **Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe v. County of Mille Lacs, Minnesota**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3956494**

Case No. 17-cv-5155-SRN-LIB

United States District Court, D. Minnesota.

August 22, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Jurisdiction

● **Barbre v. Whitten**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3976518**

Case No. CIV 18-259-RAW-KEW

United States District Court, E.D. Oklahoma.

August 22, 2019

Legal Topics: Habeas Corpus; Indian Country Crimes Act

● **United States of America v. Kevin Vigil**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3881702**

Criminal No. 18-739-MV

United States District Court, D. New Mexico.

August 16, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Country Crimes Act; Major Crimes Act



AUGUST

● **Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians v. Whitmer**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3854299**

No. 1:15-cv-850

United States District Court, W.D. Michigan, Southern Division.

August 15, 2019

Legal Topics: Treaty Rights; Reservation Diminishment

● **Cook Inlet Tribal Council v. Mandregan**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3816573**

No. 14-cv-1835

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

August 14, 2019

Legal Topics: Trust Relationship; Indian Health Service

● **Big Sandy Rancheria Enterprises v. Becerra**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3803627**

No. 1:18-cv-00958-DAD-EPG

United States District Court, E.D. California.

August 13, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Taxation; California Tax Code

● **Brackeen v. Bernhardt**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3759491**

No. 18-11479

United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit.

August 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Child Welfare Act

● **Coeur d'Alene Tribe v. Hawks**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3756886**

No. 17-35755

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

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AUGUST

● **United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians v. F.C.C.**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3756373**

No. 18-1129

United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit.

August 9, 2019

Legal Topics: National Historic Preservation Act

● **Agua Caliente Tribe of Cupeno Indians v. Sweeney**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3676342**

No. 17-16838

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

August 7, 2019

Legal Topics: Federal Recognition

● **Yankton Sioux Tribe v. Bernhardt**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3753616**

Civil Action No. 03-01603

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

August 8, 2019

Legal Topics: Trust Relationship; Sovereign Immunity

● **Kodiak Oil & Gas Inc. v. Burr**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3540423**

Nos. 18-1824, 18-1856

United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

August 5, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Court Jurisdiction; Tribal Court Exhaustion Doctrine



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● **Brakebill v. Jaeger**

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▲ **2019 WL 3432470**

No. 18-1725

United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

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● **Dine Citizens Against Ruining Our Environment v. Bureau of Indian Affairs**

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No. 17-17320

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

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● **Landreth v. United States**

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▲ **2019 WL 3335012**

No. 18-476L

United States Court of Federal Claims.

July 24, 2019

Legal Topics: Land into Trust

● **Moody v. United States**

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▲ **2019 WL 3309394**

No. 2018-2227

United States Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit.

July 24, 2019

● **Johnson v. Oneida Nation Enterprise, LLC**

▲ **2019 WL 3321892**

No. 5:19-CV-853

United States District Court, N.D. New York.

July 24, 2019

Legal Topics: Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964



JULY

● **Emil Flute and Patricia Flute v. United States of America**

▲ **2019 WL 3325353**

No. 4:18-CV-04112-RAL

United States District Court, D. South Dakota, Southern Divison.

July 24, 2019

Legal Topics: Federal Torts Claims Act; Indian Health Services

● **Cedar Band of Paiutes v. US Department of Housing and Urban Development**

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▲ **2019 WL 3305919**

No. 4:19-cv-30-DN-PK

United States District Court, D. Utah.

July 23, 2019

Legal Topics: Federal Jurisdiction

● **Navajo Nation v. San Juan County**

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▲ **2019 WL 3121838**

No. 18-4005

United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit

July 16, 2019

Legal Topics: Voting Rights; Districts

● **Watso v. Lourey, et al.**

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▲ **2019 WL 3114047**

No. 18-1723

United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit

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Legal Topics: Indian Child Welfare Act

● **Dustin Lee MacLeod v. William Moritz**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3072098**

No. 18-cv-11653

United States District Court, E.D. Michigan, Southern Division

July 15, 2019

Legal Topics: Lands; Treaty Rights



JULY

● **Kalispel Tribe of Indians v. United States Department of the Interior**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 3037048**

No. 2:17-CV-0138-WFN

United States District Court, E.D. Washington

July 11, 2019

Legal Topics: Lands into Trust; Federal Trust Responsibility; Gaming

● **United States of America v. Paul Wollweber**

▲ **2019 WL 3017123**

No. 1-16-cr-04008-JCH-1

United States District Court, D. New Mexico

July 10, 2019

Legal Topics: Land Status; Enrollment

● **Williams v. Big Picture Loans, LLC**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2864341**

No. 18-1827

United States Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit.

July 3, 2019

● **Rosebud Sioux Tribe v. United States of America; Department of Health and Human Services**

▲ **2019 WL 2953259**

No. 3:16-CV-03038-RAL

United States District Court, D. South Dakota, Central Division.

July 9, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Health Care Improvement Act

● **Wilson and Franke, M.D. v. Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2870080**

No. 3:16-cv-00195-TMB

United States District Court, D. Alaska.

July 3, 2019

Legal Topics: Unlawful Termination; Financial Fraud



JUNE

● **Bell v. City of Lacey**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2578582**

No. 3:18-cv-05918-RBL

United States District Court, W.D. Washington,
at Tacoma.

June 24, 2019

Legal Topics: Sovereign Immunity,
Ex parte Young

● **Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe v. Ryan Zinke**

▲ **2019 WL 2569919**

No. 18-2242 (RMC)

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

June 21, 2019

Legal Topics: Land into Trust; Under Federal
Jurisdiction

● **Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe v. United States Department of Agriculture**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2394356**

4:19-CV-04094-KES

United States District Court, D. South Dakota,
Southern Division.

June 6, 2019

Legal Topics: Hemp Production

● **Pauma Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pauma and Yuima Reservation v. Unite Here International Union**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2358756**

No. 16-cv-2660-BAS-AGS

United States District Court, S.D. California

June 4, 2019

Legal Topics: National Labor Relations Board

● **Rincon Mushroom Corporation of America v. B.M, J.C., V.W., G.P., S.S., C.K., D.W., DOE CO., DOE I, DOE II**

▲ **2019 WL 2341376**

No. 09-cv-2330-WQH-JLB

United States District Court, S.D. California

June 3, 2019

Legal Topics: Exhaustion of Tribal Court Remedies



MAY

● **United States v. Smith**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2263344**

No. 17-30248

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

May 28, 2019

Legal Topics: Assimilative Crimes Act; Indian Country Crimes Act

● **Kim R. Jim v. Shiprock Associated Schools, Inc.**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 2285918**

No. CIV 17-1114 RB/JHR

United States District Court, D. New Mexico.

May 29, 2019

Legal Topics: Indian Tribe - Definition of

● **Standing Rock Sioux Tribe and Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe v. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and Dakota Access, LLC**

▲ **2019 WL 2028709**

No. 16-1534

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

May 8, 2019

Legal Topics: Oil & Gas Pipelines; Documents for Administrative Record

● **Diné Citizens Against Ruining Our Environment v. Bernhardt**

▲ **2019 WL 1999298**

No. 18-2089

United States District Court, Tenth Circuit.

May 7, 2019

● **Muscogee Creek Indian Freedman Band, Inc. v. David Bernhardt**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1992787**

No. 18-1705

United States District Court, District of Columbia.

May 6, 2019

Legal Topics: Exhaustion of Tribal Remedies
Related News: Freedman Citizenship Lawsuit Against Oklahoma Tribe Rejected (U.S. News) 5/10/19



APRIL

● **Stockbridge-Munsee Community v. Wisconsin**

▲ **2019 WL 1923403**

No. 17-cv-06478-RS

United States Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit.

April 30, 2019

Legal Topics: Gaming; Statute of Limitations; Sovereign Immunity

● **Gingras v. Think Finance, Inc.**

▲ **2019 WL 1780951**

Nos. 16-2019-cv (L); 16-2132-cv; 16-2135-cv; 16-2138-cv; 16-2140-cv (Con)

United States Court of Appeals, Second Circuit.

April 24, 2019

● **Duanna Knighton v. Cedarville Rancheria of Northern Paiute Indians**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1781404**

No. 17-15515

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

April 24, 2019

● **Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians v. Coachella Valley Water District**

▲ **2019 WL 2610965**

No. EDCV 13-00883 JGB

United States District Court, C.D. California.

April 19, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Water Rights - Groundwater

● **United States v. Jones**

▲ **2019 WL 1606317**

No. 18-2129

United States Court of Appeals, Tenth Circuit.

April 16, 2019



APRIL

● **James Clay and Audrey Osceola
v. Commissioner of Internal**

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April 24, 2019

● **Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa
Indians v. David Bernhardt**

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▲ **2019 WL 1789458**

No. 1:18-cv-02035 (TNM)

United States District Court,
District of Columbia.

April 24, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Sales Tax

● **Cain v. Salish Kootenai College, Inc.**

▲ **2019 WL 1643634**

CV-12-181-M-BMM

United States District Court, D. Montana,
Missoula Division.

April 16, 2019

Legal Topics: Tribal Colleges –
Arm-of-the-Tribe

● **Employers Mutual Casualty
Company v. Ethel B Branch**

■ **Materials via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1489121**

No. CV-18-08110-PCT-DWL

United States District Court, D. Arizona.

April 4, 2019

Legal Topics: Jurisdiction



MARCH

● **Chemehuevi Indian Tribe v. Newsom**

■ **Briefs via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1285060**

No. 17-55604

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

March 21, 2019

● **United States v. Cooley**

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▲ **2019 WL 1285055**

No. 17-30022

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

March 21, 2019

● **Texas v. Alabama-Coushatta Tribe of Texas**

■ **Briefs via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1199564**

No. 18-40116

United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit.

March 14, 2019

● **Knighton v. Cedarville Rancheria of Northern Paiute Indians**

■ **Briefs via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1145150**

No. 17-15515

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

March 13, 2019

● **Tolowa Nation v. United States of America**

▲ **2019 WL 1975442**

No. 17-cv-06478-RS

United States District Court, N.D. California.

March 12, 2019

Legal Topics: Federal Recognition



MARCH

● **Frank's Landing Indian Community v. National Indian Gaming Commission**

■ **Briefs via Turtle Talk**

▲ **2019 WL 1119912**

No. 17-35368

United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit.

March 12, 2019

● **LaBatte v. United States**

▲ **2019 WL 1417247**

No. 16-798C

United States Court of Federal Claims.

March 29, 2019

● **Pueblo of Isleta v. Michelle Lujan Grisham**

▲ **2019 WL 1429586**

No. 17-654 KG/KK

United States District Court, D. New Mexico.

March 30, 2019

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● **Peggy Fontenot v. Mike Hunter**

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