

Commodity Futures Trading Commission
CEA CASES

NAME: BENEDICT K. GOODMAN

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Commodity Exchange Authority

Washington 25, D. C.

ISSUANCE OF COMPLAINT -- CEA DOCKET NO. 105

(Administrative Hearing under the Commodity Exchange Act)

A complaint and notice of hearing has been signed by the Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, charging violation of the Commodity Exchange Act by:

Benedict K. Goodman

(Chicago, Illinois)

The complaint charges that the respondent exceeded the limit on speculative positions in soybean futures on the Chicago Board of Trade on 112 business days during the period from November 5, 1958, through April 20, 1959. The complaint also charges that the respondent failed to file 14 reports and failed to include all of his transactions and positions on 48 reports on certain days during the November 5, 1958 April 20, 1959, period. The respondent concealed his violations by carrying part of his positions in accounts carried in the name of the Library Plaza Corporation.

The issuance of a complaint under the Commodity Exchange Act does not constitute proof of violation of the law. Such violation is established only when the Judicial Officer of the Department has made a determination that the evidence substantiates allegations in the complaint. Complaints are filed in the Office of the Hearing Clerk of the Department of Agriculture and are a matter of public record. Pending disposition by the Judicial Officer, it is the policy of the Commodity Exchange Authority not to comment or elaborate on charges contained in complaints or to discuss evidence on which they are based.

A public hearing on the complaint is scheduled to be held before a referee at 10:00 a.m., local time, March 5, 1962, in Chicago, Illinois.

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