In the Matter of the Petition

of

EDWARD J. BURDETT, JR.

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING OF NOTICE OF DECISION BY (CERTIFIED) MAIL

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of Normal Income:
Taxes under Article(s) 16 of the
Tax Law for the (Year(s) 1954 and 1955:

State of New York County of Albany

MARTHA FUNARO

, being duly sworn, deposes and says that

she is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of age, and that on the 17th day of January , 1973, she served the within Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon EDWARD J.

BURDETT, JR. (representative of) the petitioner in the within

proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid

wrapper addressed as follows:

Edward J. Burdett, Jr. 50 South Munn Avenue East Orange, New Jersey

and by depositing same enclosed in a postpaid properly addressed wrapper in a (post office or official depository) under the exclusive care and custedy of the United States Post Office Department within the State of New York.

That deponent further says that the said addressee is the (representative of) petitioner herein and that the address set forth on said wrapper is the last known address of the (representative of the) petitioner.

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> EDWARD ROOK SECRETARY TO COMMISSION

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MILTON KOERNER

Albany, New York January 17, 1973

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Dear Mr. Burdett:

Please take notice of the of the State Tax Commission enclosed herewith.

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section(s) of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within from the date of this notice.

Any inquiries concerning the computation of tax due or refund allowed in accordance with this decision or concerning any other matter relative hereto may be addressed to the undersigned. These will be referred to the proper party for reply.

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HEARING OFFICER

cc: Petitioner's Representative Law Bureau STATE OF NEW YORK
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DETERMINATION

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The State Tax Commission hereby finds that:

1. By notice of additional assessment B-414534 dated April 9, 1958 related to the year 1954, the Department of Taxation and Finance disallowed \$5,000.00 out of the amount deducted by the taxpayer for husiness expenses as unsubstantiated and not ordinary and necessary expenses and disallowed further as unsubstantiated the amount of \$463.09 which had been deducted for medical expenses; and it assessed additional normal tax in the amount of \$275.29 on the total amount so disallowed. By notice of additional assessment B-569091 dated

March 17, 1959 related to the year 1955, the Department disallowed \$5,000.00 of the amount claimed for business expenses as unsubstantiated and excessive, and disallowed also as unsubstantiated the amount of \$898.51 deducted for medical expenses; and it assessed additional normal income taxes in the amount of \$157.45 on those amounts so disallowed.

- 2. The taxpayer was employed as a traveling salesman for three named employers; Color-Mail, Inc. and American Furniture Sales Company, both of Cleveland, Ohio, and Sam Herscovitz Company, Inc. of Chicago, Illinois.
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- 4. At an informal conference held with a representative of the Department on November 12, 1959, the taxpayer reportedly failed to exhibit bills or other documentary evidence to substantiate the business expenses claimed except for a portion of the hotel and transportation expenses, and failed to produce any further evidence to substantiate the medical expenses claimed.
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Upon the foregoing evidence the State Tax Commission hereby DETERMINES:

That the said additional assessments dated April 9, 1958 and March 17, 1959, assessing additional normal income taxes for the years 1954 and 1955, respectively, and further described in paragraph 1 hereof, were lawful and correct, and the said additional taxes are presently due and owing in the amounts of \$275.29 for the year 1954, and of \$157.45 for the year 1955, as of the said dates thereof, subject to interest, and to penalties if any,

And it is so ORDERED.

DATED: Albany, New York January 17, 1973 STATE TAX COMMISSION

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Subject tax payer passed away on February 10, 1970

at East Orange General Hospital. Therefore,

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