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In the Matter of the Petition

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LOUIS R. BODFISH & DOROTHY S. BODFISH

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

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article(s) 22 of the Tax Law for the Year(s) 1970

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 18thday of July , 1974 , she served the within

Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Louis R. & Dorothy S.

Bodfish (representative of) the petitioner in the within

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

wrapper addressed as follows: Mr. & Mrs. Louis R. Bodfish

c/o Evans Electroselenium Ltd.

Halstead, Essex, England

and by depositing same enclosed in a postpaid properly addressed wrapper in a (post office or official depository) under the exclusive care and custody 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.

Sworn to before me this

18th day of July , 1974.

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Dated: Albany, New York

July 18, 1974

Mr. & Mrs. Louis R. Bodfish c/o Evans Electroselenium Ltd. Halstead, Essex, England

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Bodfish:

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 4 Months 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.

Very truly yours,

L. Robert Leisner

Enc.

HEARING OFFICER

cc: Petitioner's Representative

Law Bureau

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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LOUIS R. BODFISH and DOROTHY S. BODFISH : DECISION

for Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1970.

Petitioners, Louis R. Bodfish and Dorothy S. Bodfish, petitioned for a redetermination of deficiencies in personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the year 1970.

The case was submitted for decision on information contained in the file.

ISSUES

- I. Were petitioners, Louis R. Bodfish and Dorothy S. Bodfish, domiciled in New York State for the year 1970?
- II. Were petitioners resident individuals of New York State in 1970 in accordance with the meaning and intent of section 605(a)(1) of the Tax Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioners, Louis R. Bodfish and Dorothy S. Bodfish, timely filed New York State income tax resident returns for the year 1970.
- 2. A Notice of Determination of deficiencies in personal income taxes for the year 1970 was issued on June 25, 1973, against the taxpayers under File No. 1-89852458.
- 3. The taxpayers petitioned for redetermination of the deficiencies.

- 4. On their 1970 New York State returns, petitioners did not include income received by Louis R. Bodfish while employed in Pakistan from February 5, 1970 to December 31, 1970. On June 25, 1973, the Income Tax Bureau issued a Statement of Audit Changes against petitioners imposing personal income tax on the income in Pakistan, on the grounds that petitioners had not changed their domicile and were residents of New York State for the entire year of 1970.
- 5. Petitioner, Louis R. Bodfish, worked for Corning Glass Works and resided in New York from 1955 to 1970. He worked as an engineer and manufacturing supervisor until appointed as a plant manager during his last five years in Corning. In February 1970, he became plant manager of Corning's Pakistan subsidiary. In July of 1970, his family joined him in Pakistan. Petitioners were in New York State for more than 30 days in 1970.
- 6. Petitioners sold their home in Corning, permitted their New York voting registration to lapse, and resigned from all clubs and associations in New York State of which they had been members.
- 7. Petitioners rented a home in Pakistan, due to prohibitive costs of building. They did not offer documentary or other evidence to indicate that they intended to become permanent residents of Pakistan.
- 8. In 1973, petitioners were transferred by Corning to the United Kingdom, where they purchased a home.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. That petitioners, Louis R. Bodfish and Dorothy S. Bodfish, were domiciled and spent more than 30 days in New York State in the year 1970. The petitioners were residents of New York State in 1970 under section 605(a)(1) of the Tax Law.

B. That the petition of Louis R. Bodfish and Dorothy S. Bodfish is denied and the Notice of Deficiency issued on June 25, 1973, is sustained.

DATED: Albany, New York

July 18, 1974

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