In the Matter of the Petition

of

EDWARD M. and THERESA RUDYS

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For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of **Personal Income**Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1969.

State of New York County of Albany

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STATE JAX COMMISSION

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DATED: Albany, New York
December 2, 1975

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Rudys Box 117 Sandia Park, New Mexico 870h7

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Rudys:

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

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section (3) 690 of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within the take 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 LEISHER HEARING OFFICER

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STATE OF NEW YORK

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DECISION

for Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1969.

Petitioners, Edward M. and Theresa Rudys, Box 117, Sandia Park, New Mexico 87047, petitioned for a redetermination of a deficiency in personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the year 1969.

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

ISSUES

- I. The first issue is whether expenses incurred in Albany were deductible as business expenses incurred while working away from home.
- II. The second issue is whether income reimbursement received for expenses incurred while working in Albany was taxable income.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioners, Edward M. and Thesesa Rudys, timely filed a New York State income tax resident return for the year 1969.
- 2. A Notice of Determination of deficiencies in personal income taxes for the year 1969 plus interest was issued on February 26, 1973, against the taxpayers under File No. 9-44662309.
- 3. The taxpayers petitioned for redetermination of the deficiencies.
- 4. Petitioner, Edward M. Rudys, was temporarily employed as a carpenter in Albany, New York, for a period of 26 weeks during the taxable year in question. His employer, Foster-Lipkins Corporation, reimbursed him in the sum of \$3,321.00 for employee businss expenses incurred during this period.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. Under U.S. Treasury Reg. sec. 1.274-5, petitioner,

Edward M. Rudys, has substantiated \$3,406.00 in employee

business expenses for the year 1969, since reimbursement

arrangements are deemed equivalent to substantiation and adequate

accounting to the employer, though no accounting is made, if

such allowance does not exceed \$44.00 per day or 15 cents per mile.

- B. Under I.R.C. Sec. 217, an employee need not include as gross income amounts received as reimbursement which are actually incurred, and amounts of actual expense over and above reimbursement is deductible from gross income.
- C. The taxpayers petition is sustained. It is determined that there are no deficiencies against petitioners in income tax for the year 1969.

DATED: Albany, New York December 2, 1975

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