In the Matter of the Petition

of

BERNARD P. SCULLY

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For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Revision of a Determination or a Refund of Personal Income : Taxes under Article(\$\text{XX}\) 22 of the Tax Law for the Year(s) *** Tax Law for the Year(s)

State of New York County of Albany

Marsina Donnini , 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 30th day of $J_{\rm UNE}$, 1977, she served the within

Notice of Decision

by (certified) mail upon Bernard P. Scully

by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed as follows: Mr. Bernard P. Scully
35 Convent Avenue
Yonkers, New York 10703

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 Postal Service within the State of New York.

Sworn to before me this

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30th day of June

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Marsina Donnini

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STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

TAX APPEALS BUREAU

STATE CAMPUS ALBANY, N.Y. 12227

June 30, 1977

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO

TELEPHONE: (518)457-1723

Mr. Bernard P. Scully 35 Convent Avenue Yonkers, New York 10703

Dear Mr. Scully:

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

Please take further notice that pursuant to

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

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. They will be referred to the proper party for reply.

Very truly yours,

FRANK J. PUCCIA

Supervisor of

cc: Peritioner's Representative Claims Hearings

Taxing Bureau's Representative:

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STATE OF NEW YORK

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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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 Years 1967 and 1968.

Petitioner, Bernard P. Scully, residing at 35 Convent Avenue, Yonkers, New York 10703, has filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the years 1967 and 1968 (File No. 13733).

A small claims hearing was held before William Valcarcel, Small Claims Hearing Officer, on September 16, 1976 at 1:15 p.m. at the offices of the State Tax Commission, Two World Trade Center, New York, New York. The petitioner appeared pro se. The Income Tax Bureau appeared by Peter Crotty, Esq. (I. A. Levy, Esq. of counsel).

ISSUE

Whether the petitioner was a nonresident of the State of New York for any part of 1968 and 1969.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The petitioner, Bernard P. Scully, timely filed New York State income tax resident returns for the years 1967 and 1968, wherein he subtracted on line four the salary income earned in Connecticut. The Income Tax Bureau issued a Notice of Deficiency on March 20, 1972 holding the income earned in Connecticut as fully taxable.
- 2. The petitioner was a resident of, and employed in the City of Yonkers, New York prior to September, 1967. He resided in and maintained a home inherited from his father.
- 3. From September, 1967 through June 30, 1968, petitioner was employed in Connecticut. During that time, he occupied a rented room in Connecticut.
- 4. The petitioner continued to maintain his home in Yonkers,
 New York and frequently returned there on weekends and on long
 holidays such as Easter and Christmas.
- 5. No attempt was ever made to sell his home in Yonkers, New York.
- 6. Although he rented a garage in Connecticut, his automobile remained registered in New York State.
- 7. On June 30, 1968, petitioner's one-year contract with his Connecticut employer expired and was not renewed. Attempts to

secure other employment in Connecticut were unsuccessful and as a result petitioner returned to his home in Yonkers, New York.

- 8. That petitioner, Bernard P. Scully, was a resident of New York State during the years 1967 and 1968, within the meaning and intent of section 605(a) of the Tax Law.
- 9. That petitioner's Connecticut salary income is taxable on his New York resident tax return in accordance with the meaning and intent of section 612(a) of the Tax Law.
- 10. That section 612(c) of the Tax Law does not provide for a modification reducing Federal adjusted gross income of a resident for salary earned outside of New York State.
- 11. That the deficiency for the year 1967 was not assessed within the period of limitation in accordance with section 683(b) of the Tax Law. In addition, since the Connecticut income was disclosed on the return in a manner adequate to apprise the Income Tax Bureau of its nature and amount, the Notice of Deficiency issued March 20, 1972 cannot be justified under section 683(d) of the Tax Law.
- 12. That the petition of Bernard P. Scully is granted to the extent that the tax liability for the year 1967 is cancelled.

The Income Tax Bureau is hereby directed to accordingly modify the Notice of Deficiency issued March 20, 1972; and, except as so granted, the petition is in all other respects denied.

DATED: Albany, New York

June 30, 1977

STATE TAX COMMISSION

PRESIDENT

COMMISSIONER

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