STATE OF NEW YORK STATE TAX COMMISSION Churchill P. I.470

In the Matter of the Petition

of

Arthur B. & Ruth P. Churchill

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) 1962

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

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State of New York County of Albany

Diane Farrington , 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 20thday of November , 1970, she served the within
Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Arthur B. &
Ruth P. Churchill (representative of) the petitioner in the within
proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid
wrapper addressed as follows: Arthur B. & Ruth P. Churchill
Village Road
Green Village, 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 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

20thday of November , 1970.

Deane Garrington

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Sworn to before me this

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Diane Larrington

STATE OF NEW YORK
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ARTHUR B. AND RUTH P. CHURCHILL

DECISION

for a Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1962

Taxpayers petitioned for a redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the year 1962. A formal hearing was held before Francis X. Boylan, Hearing Officer, in the offices of the State Tax Commission in the city of New York on May 13, 1970. Pursuant to permission granted this formal hearing, the attorney for the petitioners submitted a brief, in lieu of testimony, to be considered in conjunction with the record in reaching a decision of the issue. The petitioners appeared through John L. Cady, Esq. and the Income Tax Bureau was represented by Edward H. Best, Esq., (Albert J. Rossi, Esq. of counsel).

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The issue in this case is whether the taxpayer should be allowed a combination of working days and commission as the basis of allocation on salary and commission earned.
- 2. Taxpayer was an advertising executive, employed by a firm in New York and responsible for the campaigns of two clients; Scholl Mfg. Co. (an out-of-state company with no office in New York) and River Brand Rice Mills (a company maintaining a sales office in New York).
- 3. Taxpayer received \$20,000.00 salary plus commissions as a result of business done with the above two clients. On his 1962 return the taxpayer allocated his salary and commissions based on