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STATE OF NEW YORK STATE TAX COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition

of

Robert D. Larsen

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) 16 of the Tax Law for the (Year(s) 1960 :

State of New York County of Albany

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age, and that on the 30th day of November , 1970, she served the within
Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Caesar L. Pitassy

(representative of) the petitioner in the within

proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed as follows:

Caesar L. Pitassy
100 Broadway
New York, New York

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

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### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The applicant filed a New York Non-Resident tax return for the year 1960.
- 2. On October 20, 1961, the Department of Taxation and Finance issued additional assessment numbered B984866 for the year 1960 in the reduced amount of \$59.14. Taxpayer paid the assessment.

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4. Taxpayer has failed to plead or prove that any portion of the distributive share of partnership profits is derived from or connected with sources outside New York State. Therefore the entire distributive share is deemed to be derived from or connected with New York sources.

### DETERMINATION

A. The petitioner was a junior partner in the law firms of Royall, Koegel and Rogers and Royall, Koegel, Harris and Cashey; and his income was distribution out of the firms' net income derived from or connected with New York sources.

B. The assessment should be sustained, and the petition is denied.

DATED: Albany, New York
November 27, 1970

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NORMAN F. GALLMEN, ACTING PRESIDENT

A. BRUCE MANLEY MILTON KOERNER

Albany, New York

November 30, 1970

Robert D. Larsen 3558 Albemarle Street N.W. Washington, D.C.

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

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Please take further notice that pursuant to Section # 375 of the Tax Law any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within 90 Days after 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 relating hereto may be addressed to the undersigned. These will be referred to the proper party for reply.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence A. Newman HEARING OFFICER

cc Petitioner's Representative Law Bureau STATE OF NEW YORK
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