STATE OF NEW YORK STATE TAX COMMISSION

Levrand J. W.

In the Matter of the Petition

of

Jack M. & Sally Leonard

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

, being duly sworn, deposes and says that

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) 1960 - 1963 :

State of New York County of Albany

Janet Wright

she is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of age, and that on the 30th day of April , 1970 , she served the within Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Samuel Harmatz, CPA (representative of) the petitioner in the within proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid

wrapper addressed as follows: Samuel Harmatx, CPA
1800 N. Argyle Suite 400
Hollywood, California

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

30th day of April

, 1970

Marie Buckley

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STATE OF NEW YORK
STATE TAX COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application

of

JACK LEONARD and

SALLY ANN LEONARD, his wife

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or for a Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Years 1960, 1961, 1962 and 1963 DECISION

ON

DEFAULT

The petitioners having filed a petition for a redetermination of a deficiency or for a refund of personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the years 1960, 1961, 1962 and 1963 and a hearing having been duly scheduled on February 20, 1970, at the offices of the Department of Taxation and Finance at 80 Centre Street, New York, New York, before Francis X. Boylan, Esq., Hearing Officer, and the Department having appeared by E. H. Best, Counsel, (Solomon Sies, Esq. of counsel), and there having been no appearance on behalf of the petitioners, and the record having been duly examined and considered, the State Tax Commission hereby

FINDS:

- (1) The failure of any appearance on behalf of the petitioners at the scheduled hearing constituted a default.
- (2) By a notice of deficiency, dated January 4, 1965, and an attached statement of audit changes, the State Tax Commission notified petitioners that it determined that there were deficiencies of personal income taxes for the years 1960, 1961, 1962 and 1963.

As to the year 1960, there was a deficiency in the amount of \$1,699.72 together with a penalty of 5% (Tax Law § 685(b)) in the amount of \$85.00 and interest in the amount of \$379.51, to a total of \$2,164.23 for the said year as of the date of the said notice.

As to the year 1961, the deficiency was in the amount of \$4,590.42 with a penalty at 5% in the amount of \$229.51 and interest in the amount of \$749.52, to a total of \$5,569.45 for the said year as of the date of the said notice.

As to the year 1962, there was a deficiency in the amount of \$5,044.15 with a penalty of 5% in the amount of \$252.20 and interest in the amount of \$520.96, to a total of \$5,817.31 for the said year as of the date of the said notice.

As to the year 1963, the deficiency was in the amount of \$130.60, without penalty, and with interest in the amount of \$5.65, to a total of \$136.25 for the said year as of the date of the said notice.

These deficiencies were subject to future modification to conform with information that might be reported in any federal audit of the taxpayers' federal income tax returns for the said years, the statement of audit changes stated.

(3) Except as to the year 1963, the deficiencies asserted in each of years under consideration were based on reports of further income discovered to have been earned by petitioner, Jack Leonard, in the course of an audit and investigation of earnings of professional jockeys generally in this State. He was a professional jockey.

As to the year 1963, the deficiency asserted (\$130.60) resulted from the disallowance of \$1306.00 out of an amount of \$1,606.00 reported as expended for life insurance premiums, and taken by petitioners as a deduction or "adjustment" of reported income, in excess of the maximum (\$300) allowable.

(4) Petitioners by their representatives agreed to report to the Department the results of federal audits of their federal income tax returns for the years under consideration, but did not do so.

Accordingly, the State Tax Commission hereby DECIDES:

- (A) That the said determinations of deficiencies were not unlawful or incorrect.
- (B) That the said deficiencies set forth in paragraph 2 hereof are affirmed and constitute assessments of taxes as of the date of the said notice thereof. The said assessments are subject to further interest at 6% per annum until payment is made, as provided by Tax Law (§§ 684 and 685).

DATED: Albany, New York April 29, 1970

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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