In the Matter of the Petition

of

MARY KAPLAN

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Revision of a Determination or a Refund of Personal Income and Unincorporated Business : Taxes under Article(s) 22 & 23 of the Tax Law for the Year(s) XMXX RECTION : 1968 and 1969.

State of New York County of Albany

Bruce Batchelor , being duly sworn, deposes and says that the is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of age, and that on the 14th day of April , 1977, whe served the within Notice of Decision by (certified) mail upon Mary Kaplan

(representative of) the petitioner in the within proceeding,

by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed

Ms. Mary Kaplan

as follows:

433 Beach 127th Street

Belle Harbor, New York 11694

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.

That deponent further says that the said addressee is the (xepresentative of xexter) petitioner herein and that the address set forth on said wrapper is the last known address of the (xepresentative xextex) petitioner.

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(representative of) the petitioner in the within proceeding,
by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed
as follows:

Malcolm Richard, Esq.
80-57 215th Street

Hollis Hills, New York 11427

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.

That deponent further says that the said addressee is the (representative of the) petitioner herein and that the address set forth on said wrapper is the last known address of the (representative of the) petitioner.

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STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

TAX APPEALS BUREAU

STATE CAMPUS ALBANY, N.Y. 12227

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO

April 14, 1977

TELEPHONE: (518) 457-1723

Ms. Mary Kaplan 433 Beach 127th Street Bello Harbor, New York 11694

Dear Ms. Kaplan:

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

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section(s) 690 & 722 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.

Enc.

Supervising Tax Hearing Officer

cc: Petitioner's Representative:

Taxing Bureau's Representative:

STATE OF NEW YORK

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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DECISION

for Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income and Unincorporated Business Taxes Under Articles 22 and 23 of the Tax Law for the Years 1968 and 1969.

Petitioner, Mary Kaplan, residing at 433 Beach 127th Street, Belle Harbor, New York 11694, filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of personal income tax and unincorporated business taxes under Articles 22 and 23 of the Tax Law for the years 1968 and 1969. (File No. 00451).

A formal hearing was held before Nigel G. Wright, Hearing Officer, at the offices of the State Tax Commission, Two World Trade Center, New York, New York, on July 13, 1976 at 2:45 p.m. The petitioner appeared by Malcolm Richard, Esq. The Income Tax Bureau appeared by Peter Crotty, Esq. (Solomon Sies, Esq. of counsel).

ISSUE

Whether petitioner, Mary Kaplan, reported the sum of \$19,174.66 twice as income.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioner, Mary Kaplan, filed personal income tax returns and unincorporated business tax returns for 1968 and 1969.
- 2. On May 21, 1973, as the result of an audit, the Income Tax Bureau issued a Statement of Audit Changes against petitioner, Mary Kaplan, imposing additional personal income tax for 1968 and 1969 of \$299.00 and \$3,083.76, respectively. It also imposed additional unincorporated business tax for 1968 and 1969 of \$324.01 and \$1,456.27, respectively. This amounted to \$5,163.04, plus interest of \$997.60, for a total due of \$6,160.64. On May 21, 1973, the Income Tax Bureau accordingly issued a Notice of Deficiency against petitioner in said amount.
- 3. Petitioner, Mary Kaplan, was a wholesale dealer of candy and cigarettes within New York State for the years in issue. She contended that in December 1967, her supplier, J. Rosenberg and Sons, collected \$19,174.66 in candy and cigarette sales on petitioner's behalf which he gave to her in January 1968.
- 4. Petitioner, Mary Kaplan, submitted a record of deposits made in 1968 to her checking account. There was no deposit made in 1968 by petitioner large enough to absorb the sum in issue.
- 5. Petitioner, Mary Kaplan, offered no documentary or other substantial evidence to support her position.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. That the examination of petitioner, Mary Kaplan's books and records by the Income Tax Bureau was properly conducted, and the resultant findings as to the amount of additional personal income

and unincorporated business tax due for the years in issue were supported by substantial evidence. She failed to submit any documentary or other evidence to support her contention that the sum of \$19,174.66 was reported twice as income.

B. That the petition of Mary Kaplan is denied and the Notice of Deficiency issued May 21, 1973 is sustained.

DATED: Albany, New York April 14, 1977 STATE TAX COMMISSION

PRESIDENT

COMMISSIONER

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