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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 STATE TAX COMMISSION TAX APPEALS BUREAU ALBANY, NEW YORK 12227

September 13, 1976

Samuel I. & Bentrice C. Gold 926 Fast 23rd Street Brooklyn, New York 11210

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Gold:

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

You have now exhausted your right of review at the administrative level. Pursuant to section of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision by the State Tax Commission can only be instituted under Article 78 of the Civil Practice Laws and Rules, and must be commenced in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Albany County, within 4 Kenths from the date of this notice.

Inquiries concerning the computation of tax due or refund allowed in accordance with this decision may be addressed to the Deputy Commissioner and Counsel to the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance, Albany, New York 12227. Said inquiries will be referred to the proper authority for reply.

Sincerely

MICHAEL ALEXAMORR Supervising Tax Searing Officer

cc: Petitioner's Representative

Taxing Bureau's Representative

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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DECISION

for Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income Tax under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1970.

Petitioners, Samuel I. and Beatrice C. Gold, 926 East 23rd Street, Brooklyn, New York 11210, filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of personal income tax under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the year 1970 (File No. 13834).

A formal hearing was held before Harvey B. Baum, Hearing Officer, at the offices of the State Tax Commission, Two World Trade Center, New York, New York, on March 14, 1977 at 2:45 P.M. Petitioners appeared by Robert Taylor, Esq. The Income Tax Bureau appeared by Peter Crotty, Esq. (Aliza Schwadron, Esq., of counsel).

ISSUES

I. Whether certain items of capital gain incurred by petitioners are items of tax preference, thus subjecting said items to the Minimum Income Tax.

- II. Whether said items of capital gain were properly assessable in the tax year in question and, thus, subject to the Minimum Income Tax which became effective on January 1, 1970.
- III. Whether a portion of the income purportedly earned by a partnership (of which petitioner Samuel I. Gold was a partner) was earned outside New York State and, thus, not subject to New York income tax.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioners, Samuel I. Gold and Beatrice C. Gold, timely filed a New York State resident combined income tax return (Form IT-208) for 1970.
- 2. The Income Tax Bureau issued a Statement of Audit Changes to each petitioner on May 21, 1973 for 1970 in the sums of \$154.52 and \$5,455.68, respectively, plus interest. Accordingly, it timely issued a Notice of Deficiency therefor.
- 3. On August 16, 1973, petitioners, Samuel I. and Beatrice C. Gold, timely filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency for the taxable year 1970.
- 4. On his return, petitioner Samuel I. Gold indicated an excess of net long-term capital gain from the partnership for the fiscal year 1969-1970, over short-term capital loss amounting to \$383,900.00.
- 5. Petitioner Samuel I. Gold had allowable expenses under section 623(b) amounting to \$3,436.00 for 1970, adjusted gross income of \$14,456.00, a tax preference item of 50% of excess of

net long-term capital gain over net short-term capital loss amounting to \$191,950.00, and a specific deduction under section 622(c) as a married-individual-filing-jointly of \$10,000.00.

6. There is no proof in the record that any of the partnership income attributable to petitioner for the taxable year 1970 was earned from a source outside New York State. Further, as a New York State resident, petitioner Samuel I. Gold is taxed on the entire amount of his distributive share of the partnership income, wherever earned (Tax Law section 612, 617(b)).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- A. That the entire partnership income reported for the partnership's fiscal year 1969-1970 is taxable income for 1970, in accordance with section 702 of the Internal Rev. Code, which states that a partner's share of the income is fully reported for the taxable year in which the partnership year ends, regardless of when said income is actually received.
- B. That since there is no basis in the record for allocating the income earned outside New York State, it must be held that all income earned by the partnership is attributable to New York sources and, thus, fully taxable.
- C. That petitioner Samuel I. Gold did not properly compute the amount of Federal deductions properly deductible in arriving at New York taxable income, inasmuch as certain allowable expenses deductible on the Federal return are attributable to items of tax preference under section 622 of the Tax Law, thereby reducing the

itemized deductions allowable in arriving at New York taxable income. Petitioners properly applied the section 623(a) formula and properly arrived at the section 615(c)(4) modification sum, which is not a deduction for New York income tax purposes. The Income Tax Bureau's calculations were in all respects proper.

- D. That petitioner Samuel I. Gold was properly found to have imposed upon him a minimum income tax pursuant to Tax Law section 601-a, which was effective January 1, 1970 and which was properly applicable to partnership income earned by the end of the partnership year, regardless of when received (See Conclusion of Law "A", supra). The Minimum Income Tax was properly applied and assessed as the statutory percentage of the capital gain tax preference item (\$191,950.00), less the specific allowable deduction of \$10,000, under section 622. The Income Tax Bureau's calculations in this regard were entirely proper.
- E. That the petition of Samuel I. and Beatrice C. Gold is in all respects denied.

DATED: Albany, New York September 13, 1978 STATE TAX COMMISSION

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