In the Matter of the Petition

of

ESTATE OF ALVIN A. GATES T/A QUEENAIRE INN-CORTLAND VENDING AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING OF NOTICE OF DECISION BY (CERTIFIED) MAIL

SERVICE For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of Sales & Use Taxes under Article(s) 28 & 29 of the Tax Law for the (Year(s) Period December 1, 1965

through February 29, 1968.

State of New York County of Albany

Martha Funaro , being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of February , 19 74, she served the within age, and that on the 1st day of Estate of Alvin A. Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Gates, T/A. Queenaire Inn-Cortland Vending Servicerepresentative of) the petitioner in the within

proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid

Estate of Alvin A. Gates wrapper addressed as follows: T/A Queenaire Inn-Cortland Vending Service 4 Carroll Street

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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ESTATE OF ALVIN A. GATES-T/A QUEENAIRE INN-CORTLAND VENDING SERVICE

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

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of Sales & Use:
Taxes under Article(s) 28 & 29 of the
Tax Law for the (Year(s)) Period December 1, 1965
through February 29, 1968.

State of New York County of Albany

Martha Funaro , 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 1st day of February , 1974, she served the within

Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Marine Midland Trust

of Southern New York, (representative of) the petitioner in the within

Executors

proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid

wrapper addressed as follows: Marine Midland Trust Co. of Southern New York, Executors 84 Court Street Binghamton, New York 13902

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.

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ESTATE OF ALVIN A. GATES-T/A QUEENAIRE INN- AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING CORTLAND VENDING SERVICE

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For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Refund of Sales & Use Taxes under Article(s) 28 & 29 of the Tax Law for the (Year (s) Period December 1, 1965 through February 29, 1968.

State of New York County of Albany

Martha Funaro , 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 1st day of February , 19 74, she served the within Notice of Decision (or Determination) by (certified) mail upon Donald W. Yager, Esq.

(representative of) the petitioner in the within proceeding, by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed as follows: Donald W. Yager, Esq. 15 Church Street Cortland, New York 13045

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

1st day of February, , 1974



STATE OF NEW YORK

DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

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STATE TAX COMMISSION HEARING UNIT

EDWARD ROOK
SECRETARY TO
COMMISSION

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO

A. BRUCE MANLEY
MILTON KOERNER

Dated: Albany, New York February 1, 1974

Metate of Alvin A. Gates 2/A Queenaire Inn-Cortland Vending Service 4 Carrell Street Cortland, New York 13045

Gentlemen:

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

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section(s) 1128 & 1243 of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within from 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 relative hereto may be addressed to the undersigned. These will be referred to the proper party for reply.

Very truly yours,

L. Robert Leisner

Enc.

HEARING OFFICER

cc: Petitioner's Representative

Law Bureau

STATE OF NEW YORK

STATE TAX COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application

of

ESTATE OF ALVIN A. GATES
T/A QUEENAIRE INN-CORTLAND VENDING SERVICE

DETERMINATION

for a Revision of a Determination or for Refund of Sales and Use Taxes under Articles 28 and 29 of the Tax Law for the Period December 1, 1965 through February 29, 1968.

Applicants, Estate of Alvin A. Gates, T/A Queenaire Inn-Cortland Vending Service, applied for a revision of a determination or for refund of sales and use taxes under Articles 28 and 29 of the Tax Law for the period December 1, 1965 through February 29, 1968.

The case was submitted for decision on the information in the file and referred to by L. Robert Leisner, Hearing Officer.

The taxpayers were represented by Donald W. Yaher, Esq., and the Sales Tax Bureau was represented by Saul Heckelman, Esq.

ISSUE

Whether sales taxes were paid on coin operated amusement devices by the taxpayers and whether the same should be refunded.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The taxpayers, Estate of Alvin A. Gates, T/A Queenaire Inn-Cortland Vending Service, timely filed New York State sales and use tax returns for the period December 1, 1965 through February 29, 1968.

- 2. A denial of refund of sales and use taxes for the period in issue was issued on April 10, 1970, against the tax-payers under I.D. No. 71-32136-02.
- 3. The taxpayers applied for a revision of that determination.
- 4. The taxpayers applied for a refund of sales tax for coin operated amusement devices. Under <u>Bathrick Enterprises v. Murphy</u>, infra.
- 5. No sales tax was in fact collected and remitted for coin operated amusement devices by the location owner. All sales tax paid by the taxpayers, the coin machine operators, was for their portion of the sales receipts.
- 6. With respect to the taxpayers' claim, it appears that the amount claimed in each period was paid by the taxpayers, except for the period ended February 29, 1968, which is for an amount which is less, to wit \$597.70. A copy of the claim for refund is appended to this determination as Exhibit "A".

DETERMINATION

A. The taxpayers' claim for refund is granted for each period except for the period ended February 29, 1968, which is reduced to \$597.70. (See Appendix A) <u>Bathrick Enterprises v.</u>
Murphy, 27 A.D. 2d 215, 23 N.Y. 2d 664.

B. Pursuant to the Tax Law, interest shall be added to the total amount due until paid.

DATED: Albany, New York

February 1, 1974

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TAX & FINANCE STATE OF NEW YORK - DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE SALES TAX BUREAU STATE CAMPUS, ALBANY, N.Y. 12226

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APPLICATION FOR CREDIT OR REFUND OF STATE AND LOCAL SALES OR USE TAXO

Refer to:			₹₫
TYPE OR PRINT			
NAME OF CLAIMANT			IDENTIFICATION NO. (IF REGISTERED VENDOR)
Alvin H. Gates DBA Co	rtland Vending Service		71-32136-02
STREET ADDRESS			PERIOD COVERED BY CLAIM
4 Carroll Street			December 1965 to February 1968
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	REFUND CLAIMED
Cortland	New York	13045	\$ 7,445.65
NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE (IF ANY)			CREDIT CLAIMED
	Fate Racia JAN T.5 1969		\$
STREET ADDRESS	Claim No. 3276		IF CREDIT SHOWN ABOVE HAS ALREADY BEEN
		ZIP CODE	CLAIMED ON A RETURN, INDICATE
CITY	STATE	ZIF CODE	PERIOD

Give a full explanation below, including all facts on which your claim is based. Use additional sheets if necessary and submit all documents necessary to properly substantiate your claim.

Tork Sales Tax was paid on receipts from coin-operated amusement devices, such as automatic phonographs, bowling games and the like, and the Bathrick decision found these receipts to be non-taxable.

The receipts from these devices and the sales tax paid is shown below:

QUARTER ENDING	RECEIPTS	TAX	
February - 1966	\$27,589.40	\$711.65	•.
May - 1966	28,368.45	762.00	
August - 1966	27,905.80	774.00	
November - 1966	27,592.45	799.40	
February - 1967	27,787.05	780.30	
May - 1967	31,451.85	983 .30	
August - 1967	27,854.15	862.85	
November - 1967	28,351.95	860.25	
February - 1968	29,400.70	911.90	597,90
	appendix "A"	TOTAL \$7,745.65	

, the claimant named above, or partner, officer, or other authorized Alvin H. Gates representative of such claimant, do hereby make application for refund and/or credit of sales or use tax, pursuant to the New York State Tax Law, and certify that all New York State sales and use taxes, if any, for which this claim is filed, have been paid; that no portion of the tax has been refunded or credited to me by any vendor; and that this claim does not include any items for which refund or credit was previously received.

Owner

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM

APPEN DIX "A"