In the Matter of the Petition

of

SIDNEY GANS

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

For a Redetermination of a Deficiency or a Revision of a Determination or a Refund of Unincorporated Business Taxes under Article(s) 23 of the Tax Law for the Year(s) XXXX Rextod(s) 1970 and 1972.

State of New York County of Albany

catherine Steele , 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 24th day of September , 1976, she served the within Notice of Decision by (certified) mail upon Sidney Gans

(PEPERBENERALIZED (1) the petitioner in the within proceeding,
by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed
as follows:

Mr. Sidney Gans
66-35 Yellowstone Boulevard
Forest Hills, New York 11375

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.

Sworn to before me this

24th day of September, 1976

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Catherine Stelle



# STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

#### TAX APPEALS BUREAU

STATE CAMPUS ALBANY, N.Y. 12227

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO

September 24, 1976

TELEPHONE: (518)457-3850

Mr. Sidney Gans 66-35 Yellowstone Boulevard Forest Hills, New York 11375

Dear Mr. Gans:

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

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section(x) 722 of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within 4 months 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.

Fronk J. J.

Frank J. Puccia Supervisor of Small Claims Hearings

Taxing Bureau's Representative:

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STATE OF NEW YORK

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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DECISION

for a Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Unincorporated Business Taxes under Article 23 of the Tax Law for the Years 1970 and 1972.

Petitioner, Sidney Gans, 66-35 Yellowstone Boulevard, Forest Hills, New York 11375, filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of unincorporated business taxes under Article 23 of the Tax Law for 1970 and 1972 (File No. 2-25894583). A small claims hearing was held before William Valcarcel, Small Claims Hearing Officer, at the offices of the State Tax Commission, Two World Trade Center, New York, New York, on May 13, 1976, at 9:15 a.m. Petitioner appeared pro se. The Income Tax Bureau appeared by Peter Crotty, Esq., (William Fox, Esq., of counsel).

### ISSUE

Is the income received by the petitioner, Sidney Gans, from his activities as a sales representative subject to the unincorporated business tax?

# FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioner did not file an unincorporated business tax return for 1970 and 1972.
- 2. Upon audit, the Income Tax Bureau issued a deficiency holding the income from his activities as a sales representative subject to the unincorporated business tax.
- 3. Petitioner is a sales representative, representing several firms. He maintains his own sales office at 347 Fifth Avenue in New York City, where he displays his various lines of merchandise.
- 4. Petitioner is compensated totally on a commission basis, with no withholding of payroll taxes and no reimbursement of business expenses.
- 5. Petitioner had no division of time and effort between the various firms he represented. These firms did not control, nor required accountability, of his time and activities.

# CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. That the petitioner is subject to the unincorporated business tax within the meaning and intent of section 703 of Article 23 of the Tax Law.

B. That the petition of Sidney Gans is denied and the Notice of Deficiency issued February 25, 1976 is sustained.

DATED: Albany, New York

September 24, 1976

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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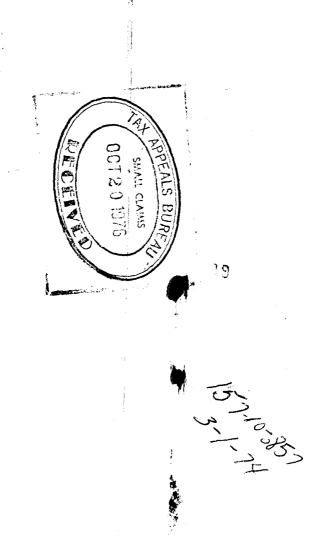
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Carmen Mottolese , being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of age, and that on the 28th day of October , 1976, she served the within Notice of Decision by (certified) mail upon Sidney Gans

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.

Sworn to before me this

28th day of October , 1976.

Carmen Mottolese