## IN THE OREGON TAX COURT MAGISTRATE DIVISION Property Tax

RONALD MEEDOM,	)
Plaintiffs,	) ) TC-MD 120735D
v.	)
WASHINGTON COUNTY ASSESSOR,	)
Defendant,	)
and	)
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, State of Oregon,	) )
Defendant-Intervenor.	) DECISION OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the court on its own motion to dismiss this case for lack of prosecution.

A case management conference was scheduled at 8:30 a.m. on December 17, 2012, to consider Plaintiff's appeal. On November 14, 2012, the court sent notice of the scheduled case management conference to Plaintiff at the address Plaintiff provided to the court. The notice was not returned as undeliverable. The notice advised that if Plaintiff did not appear, the court might dismiss the appeal.

On December 17, 2012, the court sent Plaintiff a letter which explained the importance of diligently pursuing an appeal. That letter was not returned as undeliverable. The letter advised that if Plaintiff did not provide a written explanation by December 31, 2012, for his failure to appear, the court would dismiss the appeal. As of this date, Plaintiff has not submitted a written response to the court explaining his failure to appear at the December 17, 2012, case

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management conference. Under such circumstances, the court finds the appeal must be dismissed for lack of prosecution. Now, therefore,

IT IS THE DECISION OF THIS COURT that the Complaint is dismissed.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of January 2013.

JILL A. TANNER
PRESIDING MAGISTRATE

If you want to appeal this Decision, file a Complaint in the Regular Division of the Oregon Tax Court, by <u>mailing</u> to: 1163 State Street, Salem, OR 97301-2563; or by <u>hand delivery</u> to: Fourth Floor, 1241 State Street, Salem, OR.

Your Complaint must be submitted within <u>60</u> days after the date of the Decision or this Decision becomes final and cannot be changed.

This document was signed by Presiding Magistrate Jill A. Tanner on January 8, 2013. The Court filed and entered this document on January 8, 2013.