IN THE OREGON TAX COURT MAGISTRATE DIVISION Income Tax

DYANA S. EIDE,)	
Plaintiff,)	TC-MD 070843B
v.)	
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,)	
State of Oregon,)	
Defendant.)	DECISION OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the court on Defendant's motion to dismiss (motion), filed December 10, 2007, as part of its Answer, requesting that the Complaint be dismissed.

A case management conference was held on February 5, 2008, to discuss Defendant's motion. Dyana S. Eide appeared on her own behalf. Linnea Wittekind, tax auditor, appeared for Defendant.

Defendant contends that Plaintiff filed her appeal 112 days after the date of the Notice of Deficiency Assessment (Notice), dated August 9, 2007. Plaintiff stated she was unaware of the filing deadline. During the conference, Plaintiff acknowledged that she postmarked her Complaint to the court November 29, 2007, which is more than 90 days after the date the Defendant's Notice became final. *See* ORS 305.280(2) (2005); *McDowell v. Dept. of Rev.*, TC-MD No 050812C (Nov 28, 2005) (citing ORS 305.280(2) and holding that taxpayer's appeal filed three days after the statutory deadline must be dismissed).

/// /// /// Because Plaintiff acknowledges that the Complaint was filed after the statutory deadline, the court grants Defendant's motion. Now, therefore,

IT IS THE DECISION OF THIS COURT that this matter be dismissed.

Dated this _____ day of May 2008.

JEFFREY S. MATTSON
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 hand delivery 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 Magistrate Jefffrey S. Mattson on May 2, 2008. The Court filed and entered this document on May 2, 2008.