## Oklahoma Tax Commission Meeting Minutes May 19, 2020

- 1. The regularly scheduled meeting of the Oklahoma Tax Commission convened at 1:30 p.m., on the above date, virtually. Notice of said meeting and the agenda therefor were posted in prominent public view at the Commission's principal office in Oklahoma City from and after 1:30 p.m. on May 18, 2020.
  - Chairman Prater called the meeting to order. Other members present were Vice-Chairman Jolley and Secretary-Member Burrage. Also present were Ernest Short, Counsel to the Commissioners and Joseph Gappa, General Counsel. (All members attending virtually.)
- 2. Vice-Chairman Jolley moved to approve the minutes of the regular commission meeting on May 12, 2020. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 3. There was no report from the Executive Director.
- 4. Chairman Prater moved that the Commission resolve into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing confidential taxpayer matters and proceedings. Vice-Chairman Jolley seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- An executive session was held, after which the Commission returned to open meeting.
- 5. Recommendations from Executive Session:
  - 1) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission deny a waiver request, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. X-18-345. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
  - 2) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission deny a request for reconsideration of Commission action taken in the matter on January 13, 2020, in Case No. 19-1386635. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
  - 3) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission deny a waiver request, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1218993. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.

- 4) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-half delinquent interest in the amount of \$608.25, upon payment of one-half delinquent interest, plus delinquent penalty, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1225675. Chairman Prater seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, abstain. The motion was declared adopted.
- 5) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-fourth delinquent interest in the amount of \$494.44, upon payment of three-fourths delinquent interest, plus underestimation interest, delinquent penalty, warrant penalty, filing fees and applicable collection fees, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1325831. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 6) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-half delinquent interest in the amount of \$917.49, upon payment of one-half delinquent interest, plus underestimation interest, delinquent penalty, warrant penalty, filing fees and applicable collection fees, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1355574. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 7) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-half delinquent interest in th amount of \$8,509.36, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1374659. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 8) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-fourth delinquent interest in the amount of \$1,003.08, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 20-1201948. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 9) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission deny a waiver request and refer matter for a forensic audit, in Case No. 20-1262442. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 10) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-half delinquent interest in the amount of \$1,450.60, upon payment of one-half delinquent interest, plus delinquent penalty, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 20-1276883. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded

- the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 11) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission cap the interest to the amount of tax and grant a waiver of one-half of the recalculated interest in the amount of \$7,241.54, upon payment of the remaining balance, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. 19-1355647. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 12) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a waiver of one-half delinquent interest in the amount of \$919.99, upon payment of one-half delinquent interest, plus delinquent penalty, warrant penalty, filing fees and applicable collection fees, as recommended by the Division, in Case No; 20-1247961. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 13) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission grant a partial release, as recommended by the Division, in Case No. PR-20-022. Chairman Prater seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 14) Vice-Chairman Jolley moved that the Commission adopt the Recommendation of Forfeiture and Destruction of the Administrative Hearing Officer, in Case Nos. FD-20-026-F through FD-20-050-F. Secretary-Member Burrage seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-Member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.
- 6. Amendments to Commission Order 2020-03-19-04 to correspond with IRS Notice 2020-23 was continued to May 26, 2020 meeting.
- 7. Discussion of Alvarez and Marsal Motor Vehicle report was tabled.
- 8. There was no report from Tax Policy and Research.
- 9. The Director of Internal Audit presented the "Management Review Disabled American Veteran's Sales Tax Exemption". After discussion, it was determined that additional information was needed in order to address the Management Response section of the report. Secretary-Member Burrage moved that the General Counsel prepare a report specifically addressing the "statutory requirements for the veteran's sales tax exemption refund" and that the matter be tabled pending receipt of the General Counsel's report. Chairman Prater seconded the motion. Chairman, aye; Vice-Chairman, aye; Secretary-member, aye. The motion was declared adopted.

- 10. There was no new business.
- 11. The meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED:

**Assistant Secretary** 

Charles T. Prater, Chairman

Clark Jolley, Vice-Chairman

Steve Burrage, Secretary-Member