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Honorable Paul Poirier
33 Abbott Avenue
Barre, VT 05641

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is a letter from Narcis that explains the problems that led to him having a tax delinquency.

The State assessed a lien upon his property estimating his tax they felt would be due. It was an excessive estimate because it was based on a year he sold his building and realized a gain. When he sold his house they seized the money. They admit they took much more money than he actual owed.

Narcis was also making payments to the State along the way which reduced his obligation further.

Sincerely,

Gary D. McQuesten
(802) 476-4181, Ext. 307

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Cc: Narcis Gosselin

Narcis J Gosselin
34 Deerfield Drive
Montpelier VT 05602-2129

IRS
Small Dollar Case Appeal
PO Box 400
Holtsville, NY 11742

July 18, 2011

I, Narcis J Gosselin, would like to file a small dollar case appeal regarding the IRS decision, dated June 17, 2011, referring to tax period Dec. 31, 2004. The disallowed Individual Income refund involved is in the amount of \$1191.00.

Although the 2004 individual income tax return was not filed until January 27, 2011; there were major financial and medical circumstances that surrounded the extremely untimely filing. During the fall of 2003, I personally experienced an accidental fall of approx 18' which left me with injuries close to death. After many months of recovery and physical therapy I was left permanently partially disabled. In December of same year I also experienced heart issues and had a stent inserted. As the president and "owner" of my restaurant and catering business these times were extremely difficult financially and business wise. At that time, my life companion, who also worked for me in the office, was left to try and carry the load both business wise and taking care of me while recuperating. During the year in question, 2004, she became quite ill herself and diagnosed with progressive relapsing multiple sclerosis.

With the two of us having major medical concerns and neither able to focus 100% on the business, financially personal and business finances started to become quite the disastrous situation. The business was experiencing difficult times also due to economy, everything was getting behind including state taxes and commercial mortgage. At the end of 2004 my business was formally closed and we have financially not recovered. With both of us now unemployed, trying to keep up both w/ personal and business debt both past and present was main day to day goal along w/ constant ongoing medical concerns for both of us. My companion at this time became totally disabled; her position required her to compile and maintain the business books and take care of filing income tax both personal and corporate. At this, as she agrees, she failed beyond acceptable limits. Both, mentally and physically trying to coordinate finances was a major struggle. The two of us were also in the position of handling legal issues with Chittenden Bank and State of VT Tax Dept. Unfortunately, the income tax returns found themselves placed on the back burner for the time being. Each time my companion started working on returns again it seems she became more and more confused and paperwork, files etc became scattered. Many times when I demanded we work on them together the two of us could not seem to gather everything and straighten out enough for me to bring to an accountant. As time passed it became more and more difficult mentally. At this time it became obvious that due to both of our permanent disabilities, neither myself nor my companion who I had originally entrusted, was mentally able nor physically able to comprehend and handle personal /corp. finances.

Please consider the above in regards to my appeal. I appreciate your consideration in this important matter. I also allow you to speak with my Ex-Life Companion, her information is as follows:

Nancy Lynne Davis
5 Short Street
Barre, VT 05641
802 661 4225

Sincerely,

Narcis J Gosselin