ILLINOIS INDEPENDENT

TAX TRIBUNAL

MASTERCARD INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES, Petitioner,	)	
v.	)	18 TT 52
	)	Judge Brian F. Barov
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, Respondent.	)	

ORDER

The petition in this matter has been accepted by the Tribunal. The Department's answer is stayed until further notice. The Department is to provide the audit file to the Petitioner. The Department should notify the Petitioner and this court of the assigned counsel's assignment by email. The initial status conference is set for July 10, 2018, at 9:45 a.m., by telephone. The Tax Tribunal will initiate the call to both parties.

At the initial status conference, the parties should be prepared to discuss: 1) the nature of the case; 2) factual and legal issues; 3) settlement potential and discussions to date, including whether the parties will engage in a settlement process with the Department; and 4) if the matter is not to undergo settlement consideration, the anticipated discovery and potential motions to be filed.

s/ *Brian Barov*
BRIAN F. BAROV
Administrative Law Judge

Date: May 14, 2018