

**ILLINOIS INDEPENDENT  
TAX TRIBUNAL**

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| BEST BUY STORES, L.P., | ) |                             |
| Petitioner,            | ) |                             |
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| v.                     | ) | 20 TT 67                    |
|                        | ) | Chief Judge James M. Conway |
| ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT    | ) |                             |
| OF REVENUE,            | ) |                             |
| Respondent.            | ) |                             |

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**ORDER**

The petition in this matter has been accepted by the Tax Tribunal. The Department's answer is stayed until further notice of Court. 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 September 3, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. (CST) 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/ James Conway  
JAMES M. CONWAY  
Chief Administrative  
Law Judge

Date: July 4, 2020