

**ILLINOIS INDEPENDENT
TAX TRIBUNAL**

ROBERET J. RIESBECK)	
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Petitioner,)	
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ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,)	
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Respondent.)	

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE’S MOTION FOR STAY

Respondent, Illinois Department of Revenue, (the “Department”) by and through its attorney, Michael Coveny, respectively requests that this Court enter an order staying the proceedings in this matter pursuant to § 1-67(b) of the Illinois Independent Tribunal Act and in support states as follows:

- 1) Petitioner’s Tribunal petition was received and file stamped by the Tribunal on July 24, 2020.
- 2) Per order entered on July 24, 2020, the Department’s answer was stayed until further notice of the Court.
- 3) Assistant Attorney General Robert Lynch from the Bankruptcy Unit of the Revenue Litigation Division of the Illinois Attorney General’s Office requested that the Department seek a stay this matter, pending the outcome of the underlying Chapter 11 bankruptcy petition of hhgregg, Inc., No. 17-0132-11 (S.D. Indiana).

- 4) Petitioner's attorney has represented that he does not oppose the stay. It is further in the interest of both parties and in the interest of justice to stay the civil proceedings in this matter pending the outcome of the foregoing Bankruptcy proceeding.

For the foregoing reasons, the Department requests that this Tribunal enter an order staying the proceedings pending the outcome of the Chapter 11 bankruptcy petition of hhgregg, Inc., No. 17-0132-11 (S.D. Indiana).

Respectfully submitted,

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