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September 16, 2016

DAVID CLARKE
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Dear David Clarke:

The Wisconsin Department of Revenue is required by law (sec. 71.78(2), Wis. Stats.) to release, upon written request, the amount of net Wisconsin income or franchise tax on tax returns filed by any individual or corporation. Only the net tax amount is released. The law prohibits the requester from seeing the actual tax return.

To obtain the net tax amount, the requester must pay a fee, prove his/her identity, sign a statement showing his/her name and address, and state the reason for the request.

The law further requires the department to notify the taxpayer whose net tax amount has been released, informing that person of the name and address of the requester and the reason given for the request.

This is to inform you that the "NET TAX" figure from one or more of your Wisconsin tax returns was released in accordance with state law as follows:

Name of requester: Daniel Bice
Representing (Agent for): Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
Requester's address: 2456 N. 65th St.
Wauwatosa, WI 53213

Net tax information released:	<u>Year</u>	<u>Net Tax</u>
	2013	\$ 7,611
	2014	\$12,481
	2015	No Record

If the taxpayer who is the subject of this request filed a joint return for the year involved, the net tax from that joint return will be disclosed, regardless of the fact that the requester may have identified only one spouse.

"No record" means we cannot find a record of the return being filed using the information provided to us. It should not be interpreted to mean that the taxpayer is a nonfiler. The return in question may be in process or not due yet because the taxpayer has an extension of time to file.

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The requester provided the following reason for his request. These are the requester's words, and not the words of the Wisconsin Department of Revenue:

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (608) 266-8772.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pat O'Connor Wahl".

Pat O'Connor Wahl, Chief
Individual Income Tax Section

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