

Important Notice

May 4, 2007

New York State Grants Relief for Certain Taxpayers in Albany, Dutchess, and Richmond Counties

President George W. Bush has declared the counties of Albany, Dutchess, and Richmond (Staten Island) as disaster areas due to the April 14-18, 2007 storm. As a result of this declaration, Acting Commissioner Barbara G. Billet has further postponed certain New York tax filing and payment deadlines for taxpayers who were directly affected by the April storm and related flooding that occurred in these counties beginning on April 14, 2007.

Accordingly, the relief described in Important Notice N-07-9, *Announcement Regarding the April Storm Affecting Orange, Rockland, and Westchester Counties*, also applies to taxpayers who were directly affected by the April storm and related flooding that occurred in the counties covered by this notice.

To view Important Notice N-07-9, visit the New York State Tax Department Web site (www.nystax.gov). For general tax information call 1 800 225-5829.