

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1) The State Board is an administrative body created pursuant to NRS 361.375.
- 2) The State Board is mandated to hear all appeals of property tax assessments pursuant to NRS 361.360 and NRS 361.400.
- 3) The Taxpayer and the Assessor were given adequate, proper and legal notice of the time and place of the hearing before the State Board, and the matter was properly noticed pursuant to the Open Meeting Law at NRS 241.020.
- 4) The subject property is a two-story, single family residence containing 7,794 square feet, built in 2002 and located on .38 acres on Spanish Hills Drive in Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada. See *Record*, SBE page 29, 31-33; *Tr.*, 6-4-13, p. 225, ll. 4-8.
- 5) The Clark County Board of Equalization (County Board) ordered that the total taxable value for the subject property of \$2,109,731 be reduced to \$1,700,851 for the 2013-2014 secured roll. See *Record*, SBE pages 17; 38-39; *Tr.* 6-4-13, p. 225, ll. 11-13.
- 6) The Taxpayer presented sufficient evidence to support a value different from that established by the County Board. The State Board found weight should be placed on the short sale of comparable property on Big Bluff Avenue for \$800,000. See *Tr.*, 6-4-13, p. 248, l. 18 through p. 250, l. 4.
- 7) The State Board found the taxable value of the subject property should be reduced to \$1,597,770 plus the common element or \$205 per square foot. See *Tr.*, 6-4-13, p. 253, l. 15 through p. 254, l. 17.
- 8) Any finding of fact above construed to constitute a conclusion of law is adopted as such to the same extent as if originally so denominated.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1) The Taxpayer timely filed a notice of appeal, and the State Board accepted jurisdiction to determine this matter. NRS 361.360.
- 2) The Taxpayer and the Assessor are subject to the jurisdiction of the State Board.
- 3) The State Board has the authority to determine the taxable values in the State. NRS 361.395.
- 4) The assessed value as adjusted by the State Board is 35% of taxable value as required by NRS 361.225.
- 5) The subject property is appraised, as adjusted, at the proper taxable value in accordance with NRS 361.227.
- 6) Any conclusion of law above construed to constitute a finding of fact is adopted as such to the same extent as if originally so denominated.

DECISION

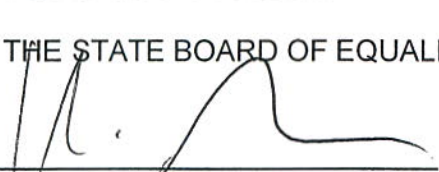
The Petition of the Taxpayer is granted based on the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law. The Clark County Comptroller is instructed to correct the assessment roll by adjusting the assessed valuation of the subject property as follows:

2013-2014 Secured Roll

Parcel Number	Taxable Value		Assessed Value	
	Established by County Board of Equalization	Revised By State Board	Established by County Board of Equalization	Revised by State Board
Land	\$170,000	\$170,000	\$59,500	\$59,500
Improvements	\$1,530,000	\$1,427,770	\$535,500	\$499,720
Common Element	\$851	\$851	\$298	\$298
Total	\$1,700,851	\$1,598,621	\$595,298	\$559,518

The Clark County Comptroller is instructed to certify the assessment roll of the county consistent with this decision.

BY THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION THIS 1 DAY OF AUGUST, 2013.



Christopher G. Nielsen, Secretary
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