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CHAPTER 565

ABATEMENT AND REFUNDS

Sec.

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§ 3801. Petition for abatement

An executor, administrator, trustee, grantee, donee, survivor or beneficiary aggrieved by the determination of the State Tax Assessor may within 90 days after the certification of any tax apply to the probate court in the county where the estate is being administered for the abatement of the tax determined or any part thereof and if the court adjudges that the tax or any part thereof was wrongly determined, it shall order an abatement of such part thereof as was determined without authority of law. Questions of law may be reported by the probate court to the Supreme Judicial Court sitting as a court of law. Upon a final decision ordering an abatement of any part of a tax determined, the determination of the State Tax Assessor shall be amended in accordance with the decree of the court.

R.S.1954, c. 155, § 33; 1961, c. 317, § 504.

§ 3802. Refunds

Whenever a devisee, legatee or heir refunds any portion of the property on which a tax has been paid by him or it is judicially determined that the whole or any part of such tax ought not to have been paid, said tax, or the due proportional part thereof, shall be refunded to him by the executor, administrator or trustee.

R.S.1954, c. 155, § 23.