

## **Agenda\* / Notice of Assessment Appeals Board**

### **Assessment Appeals Board 2 Hearing**

**Room 406, City Hall**

**Thursday, March 12, 2015**

**9:30 AM (ALL DAY)**

Under the California Constitution and applicable statutes, hearings of the Assessment Appeals Board are judicial proceedings. The decisions of Assessment Appeals Boards must be based exclusively on properly admitted evidence. Assessment Appeals Boards may not base any factual determinations necessary for their decisions on anything other than the aforementioned evidence. Information presented through public comment, unless properly admitted into evidence in compliance with the Revenue and Taxation code and the Property Tax Rules of the State Board of Equalization, is not evidence upon which Assessment Appeals Boards may base findings.

The Assessment Appeals Board Agenda packet and documents are available for review in Room 405 at City Hall. Each item on the Agenda may include the following documents: (1) An Application for Changed Assessment (2) Comparable Sale Information (3) Department or Agency Correspondence (4) Public Correspondence.

Public comment will be taken for items on the agenda, as well as items not on the agenda but under the jurisdiction of the Board. Each person wishing to speak on an item before the Board shall be permitted to be heard once for up to three minutes.

1) Public comment\* (For all items on the agenda, as well as items not on the agenda, but under the jurisdiction of the Board.)

2) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION:	2008-1473
APPLICANT:	CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP
PARCEL NO.:	2008204459
PARCEL ADDRESS:	0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER, #0600
TOPIC:	Personal Property / Fixtures
CURRENT ASSESSMENT:	\$4,828,715.00
APPLICANT'S OPINION:	\$2,400,000.00
TAXABLE YEAR:	2008
APPEAL TYPE:	Personal Property
ROLL TYPE:	REGULAR

3) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION:	2009-0589
APPLICANT:	CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP
PARCEL NO.:	2009900626
PARCEL ADDRESS:	
TOPIC:	Audit Under R&T Code Section 469
CURRENT ASSESSMENT:	\$4,846,719.00
APPLICANT'S OPINION:	\$4,794,785.00
TAXABLE YEAR:	2007
APPEAL TYPE:	Personal Property
ROLL TYPE:	2ND ESCAPE

- 4) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2009-3450  
 APPLICANT: CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2009205099  
 PARCEL ADDRESS:  
 TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$4,713,866.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$1,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2009  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 5) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2009-3655  
 APPLICANT: SEDGWICK, DETERT, MORAN & ARNOLD, LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2009200483  
 PARCEL ADDRESS:  
 TOPIC: Classification of Property is Incorrect  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$6,635,904.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$3,300,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2009  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 6) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2010-3296  
 APPLICANT: SEDGWICK DETERT MORAN & ARNOLD  
 PARCEL NO.: 2010208111  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0135 MAIN ST, #1400  
 TOPIC:  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$2,238,303.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$1,100,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2010  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 7) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2010-3298  
 APPLICANT: SEDGWICK DETERT MORAN & ARNOLD  
 PARCEL NO.: 2010200463  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER , #8TH FLR  
 TOPIC: Decline in Value  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$5,315,950.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$2,700,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2010  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR

- 8) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2010-4963  
 APPLICANT: CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2010204406  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER , #0600  
 TOPIC:  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$4,475,491.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$500,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2010  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 9) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2011-3865  
 APPLICANT: SEDGEWICK, DETERT, MORAN & ARNOLD LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2011200682  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER , #8TH FLR  
 TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$6,209,705.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$3,100,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2011  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 10) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2011-4606  
 APPLICANT: CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2011204955  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER , #0600  
 TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$2,844,013.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$200,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2011  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR
- 11) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:
- APPLICATION: 2012-3381  
 APPLICANT: CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP  
 PARCEL NO.: 2012203413  
 PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER, #0600  
 TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
 CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$2,727,356.00  
 APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$100,000.00  
 TAXABLE YEAR: 2012  
 APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
 ROLL TYPE: REGULAR

12) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2012-3826  
APPLICANT: SEDGWICK LLP  
PARCEL NO.: 2012200445  
PARCEL ADDRESS: 0001 MARKET STEUART TOWER , #8TH FLR  
TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$4,485,348.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$200,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2012  
APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
ROLL TYPE: REGULAR

13) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2013-1383  
APPLICANT: SEDGWICK LLP  
PARCEL NO.: 2013210427  
PARCEL ADDRESS:  
TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$4,251,781.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$1,000,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2013  
APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
ROLL TYPE: REGULAR

14) Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2013-1456  
APPLICANT: CLIFFORD CHANCE US LLP  
PARCEL NO.: 2013213603  
PARCEL ADDRESS:  
TOPIC: Personal Property / Fixtures  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$2,492,528.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$100,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2013  
APPEAL TYPE: Personal Property  
ROLL TYPE: REGULAR

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Paunawa: Ang mga kahilingan ay kailangang matanggap sa loob ng 48 oras bago mag miting upang matiyak na matutugunan ang mga hiling. Mangyaring tumawag kay Joy Lamug sa (415) 554-7712.

翻譯 必須在會議前最少四十八小時提出要求  
請電 (415) 554-7719

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