

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
COURT OF TAX APPEALS
QUEZON CITY

FIRST DIVISION

DIAGEO PHILIPPINES, INC.,

Petitioner,

CTA CASE NO. 8339

Members:

- versus -

ACOSTA, Chairperson
UY, and
FABON-VICTORINO, JJ.

THE COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL
REVENUE

Respondent.

Promulgated:

FEB 08 2012 ; 2:00 p.m.

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RESOLUTION

During the Pre-Trial Conference on January 13, 2012, only respondent's counsel Atty. Christopher Sandico appeared. Petitioner's counsel, Atty. Irish Krystel Salandanan failed to appear despite due notice.

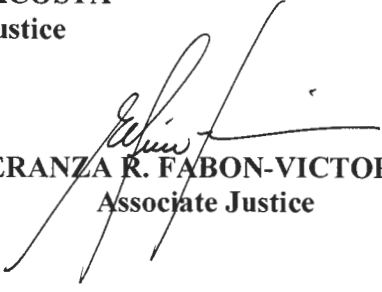
Considering that petitioner's counsel failed to appear in the said Pre-Trial Conference and to file the necessary Pre-Trial Brief, the motion of respondent's counsel to dismiss this case is hereby **GRANTED**.

WHEREFORE, the instant Petition for Review is hereby **DISMISSED** pursuant to Sections 4 and 5 of Rule 18 of the 1997 Rules of Civil Procedure.

SO ORDERED.


ERNESTO D. ACOSTA
Presiding Justice


ERLINDA P. UY
Associate Justice


ESPERANZA R. FABON-VICTORINO
Associate Justice