Public Hearing Local Law Introductory E of 2009 July 9, 2009

The Public Hearing on Local Law Introductory E of 2009 A Local Law maintaining the current rate of taxes on sales and uses of tangible personal property and on certain services, and on occupancy of hotel rooms and amusement charges, pursuant to Article 29 of the Tax Law of the State of New York was called to order by the Chair at 1:45 P.M. Seven Legislative members were present, Legislators Roberts and Sauerbrey being absent.

There were 9 people in attendance.

The Clerk read the legal notice as published in the official newspapers.

George Penney spoke. "I would suggest that your proposal for the 1% of tax on fuel sources is one of the most regressive of all taxes, tax on electricity, on fuel oil, even firewood, 1%. This is a tax on the poorest of the poor. I would suggest that you do not enact this portion of the tax. Thank you."

There being no further comments, the hearing was adjourned at 1:47 P.M.