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Interest and penalties on back taxes, how divided.

February 11, 1933

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Honorable Ted Frossard Prosecuting Attorney Cassville, Missouri

Dear Mr. Frossard:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated February 6, 1933, in which you inquire and state as follows:

"Would you please advise me as to how the interest on back taxes of more than one year is to be divided between the county and the state.

I have been consulted on this matter by the county collector and I would like to have your opinion before giving him my advice".

The accrued and collected penalties and interest on back taxes should be apportioned and divided as the respective amounts due the state and county bear to the whole amount of interest and penalties collected.

Very truly yours,

GILBERT LAMB Assistant Attorney General.

APPROVED:

Attorney General.

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