MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS
WESTERN DISTRICT

QUENTIN GABBERT,
RESPONDENT

vs.

STATE OF MISSOURI AND DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,
APPELLANTS

DOCKET NUMBER WD84168

DATE: NOVEMBER 2, 2021

Appeal from:

The Circuit Court of Randolph County, Missouri
The Honorable James M. Cooksey, Judge

Appellate Judges:

Division Three: Edward R. Ardini, Jr., Presiding Judge, Mark D. Pfeiffer., Judge and W. Douglas Thomson, Judge

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MISSOURI APPELLATE COURT OPINION SUMMARY

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The Director of Revenue of the State of Missouri appeals from the Circuit Court of Randolph County's denial of its motion for new trial/to set aside the judgment. In his two points, Director argues that the trial court erred in denying said motion because the judgment was void for lack of personal jurisdiction.

REVERSED AND REMANDED.

Division Three holds:

The trial court erred in denying Director's motion. Because the Director was not properly served process, and did not waive the lack of service, the trial court failed to obtain jurisdiction over the Director. As a result, the trial court's judgment was void.

Opinion by: W. Douglas Thomson, Judge Date: November 2, 2021

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