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Jury convicts Salt Lake man on 13 tax evasion counts

A 62-year old West Valley man was convicted Tuesday on 13 felony counts of tax evasion in 3rd District Court.

An 8-person jury found Dennis Kay Iverson guilty of seven second-degree felonies and six third-degree felonies for evading state income taxes, failing to file tax returns, and a pattern of unlawful activity.

Utah State Tax Commission investigators testified that Iverson has failed to file income taxes since 1994.

During a recent audit, Iverson claimed he sent certified promissory notes to pay balances and that “only silver and gold coins are considered lawful money.”

The Tax Commission said Iverson sent documents to the state contesting his tax liability and argued “the government cannot deal with natural persons and can only deal with fictitious corporate entities.”

He faces sentencing April 29, 2019.

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