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## CHAPTER 59

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Section 1. Article 32 of the tax law is REPEALED.

§ 2. Section 180 of the tax law is REPEALED.

§ 3. Section 181 of the tax law is REPEALED. § 4. Section 208 of the tax law, as added by chapter 415 of the laws of 1944, subdivision 1 as amended by chapter 576 of the laws of 1994, subdivision 1-A as amended by chapter 166 of the laws of 1991, subdivision 1-B as added by section 45 of part A and paragraph (k) of subdivision 9 as added by section 46 of part A of chapter 389 of the laws of 21 1997, subdivision 3, the opening paragraph, subparagraphs 6 and 11 of 22 paragraph (b), and the opening paragraph of paragraph (g) of subdivision 23 9 as amended and subdivision 8-B and subparagraph 3-a of paragraph (b) 24 of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 817 of the laws of 1987, subdivi-25 sion 4 as amended by section 1, subdivision 6 as amended by section 2 26 and subparagraph 2 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as amended by section 7 of part M of chapter 407 of the laws of 1999, subdivisions 5 28 and 7, paragraph (a) of subdivision 8-B, subparagraph 10 of paragraph (b) and paragraph (j) of subdivision 9 as amended, paragraph (d) of 30 subdivision 8-B and paragraph (c-1) of subdivision 9 as added and para-31 graphs (e) and (f) of subdivision 8-B as relettered by chapter 170 of 32 the laws of 1994, subdivisions 8 and 10 as amended by chapter 133 of the 33 laws of 1945, subdivision 8-A as added and subparagraph 1 of paragraph 34 (a) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 778 of the laws of 1972, 35 paragraph (b) of subdivision 8-A and paragraph (i) of subdivision 9 as 36 amended by chapter 779 of the laws of 1972, subdivision 9 as amended by 37 chapter 713 of the laws of 1961, paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as 38 amended by chapter 203 of the laws of 1962, subparagraphs 5, 9 and 10 of S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

1 paragraph (a) and subparagraphs 8 and 9 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 2 9 as amended by chapter 61 of the laws of 1989 and paragraph (f) of 3 subdivision 9 as separately amended by sections 278 and 347 of chapter 4 61 of the laws of 1989, clause (i) of subparagraph 5 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as amended by section 2 and subparagraph 20 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by section 3 of part C of chapter 25 of the laws of 2009, subparagraph 6 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 895 of the laws of 1975 and as renumbered by chapter 613 of the laws of 1976, subparagraph 7 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 10 9 as added by chapter 33 of the laws of 1978, subparagraph 8 of para-11 graph (a) and subparagraph 7 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as 12 amended by chapter 639 of the laws of 1986, subparagraph 11 of paragraph 13 (a) of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 15 of the laws of 1983, subpar-14 agraph 12 of paragraph (a), subparagraph 4-a of paragraph (b) and 15 subparagraph 2 of paragraph (h) of subdivision 9 as amended and subpara-16 graph 13 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 760 of 17 the laws of 1992, subparagraph 14 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as

18 added by section 101 and paragraphs (1) and (m) of subdivision 9 as added by section 102 of part A of chapter 56 of the laws of 1998, subparagraph 15 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as amended by section 1 of part ZZ of chapter 63 of the laws of 2003, subparagraph 16 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as added by section 1 of part K3, subparagraph 16 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by section 2 of part K3, subparagraph 17 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by 25 section 2 of part O3, and paragraphs (o), (p) and (q) of subdivision 9 as added by section 3 of part 03 of chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, 27 subparagraph 18 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 as added by section 3 of part C and paragraph (o) of subdivision 9 as amended by section 2 of part E of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, subparagraph 3 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 895 of the laws of 1975, 31 subparagraph 4 of paragraph (b) and subparagraph 4 of paragraph (f) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 190 of the laws of 1990, subparagraph 15 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 309 of the laws of 1996, subparagraph 18 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by section 21 of part H of chapter 1 of the laws of 2003, subparagraph 19 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 as added by section 1 of part HH1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, paragraphs (c-2) and (c-3) of 38 subdivision 9 as added by section 10 of part Y of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 as added by chapter 178 of the 39 laws of 1965, subparagraph 1 and clauses (B) and (C) of subparagraph 3 of paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 613 of the laws 41 42 of 1976, clause (A) of subparagraph 1 of paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 as separately amended by chapters 675 and 836 of the laws of 1977, clause (B) of subparagraph 1, clause (A) of subparagraph 2 and clause (A) of subparagraph 3 of paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 as amended by 45 chapter 675 of the laws of 1977, item 1 of clause (B) of subparagraph 1 of paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 972 of the laws 47 of 1984, clause (B) of subparagraph 2 of paragraph (g) of subdivision 9 48 as amended by chapter 365 of the laws of 1979, clause (C) of subparagraph 2 of paragraph (q) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 1005 of the laws of 1970, paragraph (h) of subdivision 9 as amended by chapter 606 of the laws of 1984, paragraph (n) of subdivision 9 as added by section 1 of part O of chapter 85 of the laws of 2002, subdivision 12 as added by chapter 828 of the laws of 1977, subdivision 19 as added by 55 chapter 681 of the laws of 1997, is amended to read as follows: 56

§ 208. Definitions. As used in this article: S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

1. The term "corporation" includes (a) an association within the meaning of paragraph three of subsection (a) of section seventy-seven hundred one of the internal revenue code (including a limited liability company), (b) a joint-stock company or association, (c) a publicly traded partnership treated as a corporation for purposes of the internal revenue code pursuant to section seventy-seven hundred four thereof and (d) any business conducted by a trustee or trustees wherein interest or ownership is evidenced by certificate or other written instrument. "DISC" and "former DISC" mean any corporation which meets the requirements of subsection (a) of section nine hundred ninety-two of the internal revenue code[+].

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1-A. The term "New York S corporation" means, with respect to any taxable year, a corporation subject to tax under this article for which an election is in effect pursuant to subsection (a) of section six 15 hundred sixty of this chapter for such year, any such year shall be denominated a "New York S year", and such election shall be denominated a "New York S election". The term "New York C corporation" means, with respect to any taxable year, a corporation subject to tax under this article which is not a New York S corporation, and any such year shall be denominated a "New York C year". The term "termination year" means any taxable year of a corporation during which the New York S election terminates on a day other than the first day of such year. The portion

23 of the taxable year ending before the first day for which such termi-24 nation is effective shall be denominated the "S short year", and the 25 portion of such year beginning on such first day shall be denominated 26 the "C short year". The term "New York S termination year" means any termination year which is not also an S termination year for federal purposes.

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1-B. The term "QSSS" means a corporation which is a qualified subchap-30 ter S subsidiary as defined in subparagraph (B) of paragraph three of subsection (b) of section thirteen hundred sixty-one of the internal 32 revenue code. The term "exempt QSSS" means a QSSS exempt from tax under 33 this article as provided in paragraph (k) of subdivision nine of this 34 section, or a QSSS described in subclause (i) of clause (B) of subpara-35 graph two of paragraph (k) of subdivision nine of this section, wherein 36 the parent corporation of the QSSS is subject to tax under this article, 37 and the assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the QSSS are 38 treated as the assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the parent 39 corporation. Where a QSSS is an exempt QSSS, then for all purposes under 40 this article:

- (a) the assets, liabilities, income, deductions, property, payroll, 42 receipts, capital, credits, and all other tax attributes and elements of 43 economic activity of the QSSS shall be deemed to be those of the parent corporation,
- (b) the stocks, bonds and other securities issued by, and any indebt-46 edness from, the QSSS shall not be [subsidiary,] investment or business capital of the parent corporation,
- (c) transactions between the parent corporation and the QSSS, includ-49 ing the payment of interest and dividends, shall not be taken into 50 account, and
  - (d) general executive officers of the QSSS shall be deemed to be general executive officers of the parent corporation.
  - 2. The term "taxpayer" means any corporation subject to tax under this
- 3. The term "subsidiary" means a corporation of which over fifty 56 percent of the number of shares of stock entitling the holders thereof A. 8559--D S. 6359--D

1 to vote for the election of directors or trustees is owned by the  $taxpayer[+]_{\cdot}$ 

- 4. The term ["subsidiary capital" means investments in the stock of subsidiaries and any indebtedness from subsidiaries, exclusive of accounts receivable acquired in the ordinary course of trade or business for services rendered or for sales of property held primarily for sale to customers, whether or not evidenced by written instrument, on which 8 interest is not claimed and deducted by the subsidiary for purposes of 9 taxation under article nine A, thirty two or thirty three of this chap-10 ter, provided, however, that, in the discretion of the commissioner, there shall be deducted from subsidiary capital any liabilities which are directly or indirectly attributable to subsidiary capital] "stock" means an interest in a corporation that is treated as equity for federal income tax purposes.
- 5. (a) The term "investment capital" means investments in  $stocks[_{7}$ bonds and other securities, corporate and governmental, that are held by the taxpayer for more than six consecutive months but are not held for sale to customers in the regular course of business, [exclusive of subsidiary capital or, if the taxpayer makes the election provided for in subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of subdivision five of section two hundred ten-A of this article, are not qualified financial instruments as described in subdivision five of section two hundred ten-A of this article. Stock in a corporation that is conducting a unitary business with the taxpayer, stock in a corporation that is included in a combined report with the taxpayer pursuant to the commonly owned group election in subdivision three of section two hundred ten-C of this article, and 27 stock issued by the taxpayer[, provided, however, that, in the

28 discretion of the commissioner, there shall not constitute investment capital. For purposes of this subdivision, if the taxpayer owns or controls, directly or indirectly, less than twenty percent of the voting power of the stock of a corporation, that corporation will be presumed to be conducting a business that is not unitary with the business of the taxpayer.

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- (b) There shall be deducted from investment capital any liabilities which are directly or indirectly attributable to investment capital [+ and provided, further, that investment]. If the amount of those liabilities exceeds the amount of investment capital, the amount of investment capital will be zero.
- (c) Investment capital shall not include any such investments the income from which is excluded from entire net income pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (c-1) of subdivision nine of this section, and that investment capital shall be computed without regard to liabilities directly or indirectly attributable to such investments, but only if air carriers organized in the United States and operating in the foreign country or countries in which the taxpayer has its major base of operations and in which it is organized, resident or headquartered (if not in the same country as its major base of operations) are not subject to any tax based on or measured by capital imposed by such foreign country or countries or any political subdivision thereof, or if taxed, are provided an exemption, equivalent to that provided for herein, from any tax based on or measured by capital imposed by such foreign country or 52 countries and from any such tax imposed by any political subdivision 53 thereof[+].
- (d) If a taxpayer acquires stock during the second half of its taxable 55 year and owns that stock on the last day of the taxable year, it will be presumed that the taxpayer held that stock for more than six consecutive

months during the taxable year. However, if the taxpayer does not in fact hold that stock for more than six consecutive months, the taxpayer must increase its total business capital in the immediately succeeding taxable year by the amount included in investment capital for that stock, net of any liabilities attributable to that stock computed as provided in paragraph (b) of this subdivision and must increase its business income in the immediately succeeding taxable year by the amount of income and net gains (but not less than zero) from that stock included in investment income, less any interest deductions directly or indirectly attributable to that stock, as provided in subdivision six of this section.

- (e) When income or gain from a debt obligation or other security cannot be apportioned to the state using the business allocation percentage as a result of United States constitutional principles, the debt obligation or other security will be included in investment capi-
- (f) For purposes of determining whether a taxpayer has held a security for more than six consecutive months, the commissioner shall take into account offsetting positions the taxpayer takes in such or similar securities.
- 6. (a) The term "investment income" means income, including capital gains in excess of capital losses, from investment capital, to the extent included in computing entire net income, less, [(a)] (i) in the discretion of the commissioner, any interest deductions allowable in computing entire net income which are directly or indirectly attributable to investment capital or investment income, and [ (b) such portion of any net operating loss deduction allowable in computing entire net income, as the investment income, before such deduction, bears to entire net income, before such deduction,] (ii) the taxpayer's loss, deduction and/or expense attributable to any transaction, or series of transactions, entered into to manage the risk of price changes or currency fluctuations with respect to any item of investment capital that is held

or to be held by the taxpayer, or the aggregate investment capital that is held or to be held by the taxpayer, if all of the risk, or all but a de minimis amount of the risk, is with respect to investment capital, provided, however, that in no case shall investment income exceed entire net income [+]. If the amount subtracted under subparagraph (i) or subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph or under both of those subparagraphs exceeds investment income, the excess of such amount over investment income must be added back to entire net income.

- (b) In lieu of subtracting from investment income the amount of those interest deductions, the taxpayer may elect to reduce its total investment income by forty percent. If the taxpayer makes this election, the taxpayer must also make the elections provided for in paragraphs (b) and (c) of subdivision six-a of this section. A taxpayer which does not make this election because it has no investment capital will not be precluded from making those other elections.
- (c) Investment income shall not include any amount treated as dividends pursuant to section seventy-eight of the internal revenue code.
- 6-a. (a) The term "other exempt income" means the sum of exempt CFC income and exempt unitary corporation dividends.
- (b) "Exempt CFC income" means the income required to be included in the taxpayer's federal gross income pursuant to subsection (a) of section 951 of the internal revenue code, received from a corporation that is conducting a unitary business with the taxpayer but is not included in a combined report with the taxpayer, less, in the discretion S. 6359--D

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- of the commissioner, any interest deductions directly or indirectly attributable to that income. In lieu of subtracting from its exempt CFC income the amount of those interest deductions, the taxpayer may elect to reduce its total exempt CFC income by forty percent. If the taxpayer makes this election, the taxpayer must also make the elections provided for in paragraph (b) of subdivision six of this section and paragraph (c) of this subdivision. A taxpayer which does not make this election because it has no exempt CFC income will not be precluded from making those other elections.
- (c) "Exempt unitary corporation dividends" means those dividends from a corporation that is conducting a unitary business with the taxpayer but is not included in a combined report with the taxpayer, less, in the discretion of the commissioner, any interest deductions directly or indirectly attributable to such income. Other than dividend income received from corporations that are taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or article thirty-three of this chapter or would be taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or article thirty-three of this chapter if subject to tax, in lieu of subtracting from this dividend income those interest deductions, the taxpayer may elect to reduce the total amount of this dividend income by forty percent. If the taxpayer makes this election, the taxpayer must also make the elections provided for in paragraph (b) of subdivision six of this section and paragraph (b) of this subdivision. A taxpayer which does not make this election because it has not received any exempt unitary corporation dividends or is precluded from making this election for dividends received from corporations taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or article thirty-three of this chapter or would be taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or article thirty-three of this chapter if subject to tax will not be precluded from making those other elections.
- (d) If the taxpayer attributes interest deductions to other exempt income and the amount subtracted exceeds other exempt income, the excess of the interest deductions over other exempt income must be added back to entire net income. In no case shall other exempt income exceed entire net income.
- (e) Other exempt income shall not include any amount treated as dividends pursuant to section seventy-eight of the internal revenue code.

7. (a) The term "business capital" means all assets, other than [subsidiary capital,] investment capital and stock issued by the taxpayer, less liabilities not deducted from [subsidiary or] investment capital [except that cash on hand and on deposit shall be treated as investment capital or as business capital as the taxpayer may elect]. Business capital shall include only those assets the income, loss or expense of which are properly reflected (or would have been properly reflected if not fully depreciated or expensed or depreciated or expensed to a nominal amount) in the computation of entire net income for the taxable year.

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- (b) Provided, however, "business capital" shall not include assets to the extent employed for the purpose of generating income which is excluded from entire net income pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (c-1) of subdivision nine of this section and shall be computed without 52 regard to liabilities directly or indirectly attributable to such assets, but only if air carriers organized in the United States and operating in the foreign country or countries in which the taxpayer has its major base of operations and in which it is organized, resident or 56 headquartered (if not in the same country as its major base of oper-S. 6359--D 10 A. 8559--D
- ations) are not subject to any tax based on or measured by capital imposed by such foreign country or countries or any political subdivi-3 sion thereof, or if taxed, are provided an exemption, equivalent to that 4 provided for herein, from any tax based on or measured by capital imposed by such foreign country or countries and from any such tax imposed by any political subdivision thereof  $[\div]$ .
- 8. The term "business income" means entire net income minus investment 8 income[; and other exempt income. In no event shall the sum of investment income and other exempt income exceed entire net income. If the taxpayer makes the election provided for in subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of subdivision five of section two hundred ten-A of this article, then all income from qualified financial instruments shall constitute business income.
  - 8-A. Provided, however, that with respect to a DISC or a former DISC, the following provisions shall apply:
  - (a) investments in the stocks, bonds or other securities of a DISC or any indebtedness from a DISC shall not be treated as [either subsidiary capital or investment capital under [subdivisions four or] subdivision five of this section,
- (b) any amounts deemed distributed from a DISC or a former DISC which 21 are taxable as dividends pursuant to subsection (b) of section nine 22 hundred ninety-five of the internal revenue code of nineteen hundred fifty-four shall be treated as business income, except any such amounts 24 from a former DISC attributable to amounts includible in a taxpayer's entire net income for a prior taxable year under subparagraph (B) of 26 paragraph (i) of subdivision nine of this section shall be excluded from entire net income,
  - (c) any gain recognized for federal income tax purposes on the disposition of stock in a DISC, and any gain recognized on the disposition of stock in a former DISC, includible in gross income as a dividend pursuant to subsection (c) of section nine hundred ninety-five of the internal revenue code of nineteen hundred fifty-four, shall be treated as business income, and
- (d) except as provided in paragraph (i) of subdivision nine of this 35 section, any actual distribution from a DISC or a former DISC shall be treated as business income except an actual distribution which for federal income tax purposes is treated as made out of "other earnings 38 and profits" under section nine hundred ninety-six of the internal revenue code of nineteen hundred fifty-four, in which case such actual 40 distribution shall be treated as [either subsidiary income or] invest-41 ment income under this article.
  - [8-B. (a) The term "minimum taxable income" shall mean the entire net

income of the taxpayer for the taxable year:

(1) increased by the amount of the federal items of tax preference set forth in section fifty seven of the internal revenue code (with the modifications set forth in paragraph (b) of this subdivision), which items of tax preference shall have the same meaning and be computed in the same manner as under section fifty-seven of the internal revenue code,

- (2) determined with the federal adjustments described in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, which adjustments shall have the same meaning and be computed in the same manner as under sections fifty-six and fifty-eight of the internal revenue code,
- (3) increased by the net operating loss deduction otherwise allowed under paragraph (f) of subdivision nine of this section, and
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(4) reduced, for taxable years beginning after nineteen hundred ninety-three, by the alternative net operating loss deduction, as defined in paragraph (d) of this subdivision.

(b) The federal items of tax preference referred to hereinabove shall be modified by deducting "tax-exempt interest" and "accelerated depreciation or amortization on certain property placed in service before January 1, 1987", as determined under paragraphs five and seven of subsection (a) of section fifty-seven of the internal revenue code.

(c) The adjustments referred to hereinabove shall be:

(1) "Depreciation" as determined under paragraph one of subsection (a) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code. For purposes of this subparagraph, the depreciation item of adjustment provided for here shall not include any amount attributable to property for which the tax benefits of the accelerated cost recovery system are not available under this article by reason of subparagraph ten of paragraph (b) of subdivision nine of this section;

(2) "Mining exploration and development costs" as determined under paragraph two of subsection (a) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code;

(3) "Treatment of certain long-term contracts" as determined under paragraph three of subsection (a) of section fifty six of the internal revenue code;

(4) "Installment sales of certain property" as determined under paragraph six of subsection (a) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code;

(5) "Circulation expenditures of personal holding companies" as determined under subparagraph (C) of paragraph two of subsection (b) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code;

(6) "Merchant marine capital construction funds" as determined under paragraph two of subsection (c) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code;

(7) "Disallowance of passive activity loss" as determined under subsection (b) of section fifty-eight of the internal revenue code; and

(8) "Adjusted basis", as it appears in paragraph seven of subsection (a) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code, but without taking into account the references therein to paragraph five of subsection (a) of section fifty-six of the internal revenue code.

(d) The term "alternative net operating loss deduction" means the net operating loss deduction allowed for the taxable year under paragraph (f) of subdivision nine of this section, except as provided herein.

(1) (A) The net operating loss for any year beginning after nineteen hundred eighty-nine which is included in determining such deduction shall be determined with the adjustments provided in subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, and shall be reduced by the items of tax preference determined under subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, attributable to such year. An item of tax preference shall be taken into account only to the extent such item increased the amount of the net operating loss for the taxable year under paragraph

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(B) In the case of loss years beginning before nineteen hundred ninety, the amount of the net operating loss which may be carried over to taxable years beginning after nineteen hundred eighty-nine shall be equal to an amount which may be carried from the loss year to the first taxable year of the taxpayer beginning after nineteen hundred eighty-55 nine.

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- (2) In determining the amount of such deduction, loss carryforwards and carrybacks shall, subject to the provisions of subparagraph five of paragraph (f) of subdivision nine of this section, be computed in the manner set forth in paragraph two of subsection (b) of section one hundred seventy-two of the internal revenue code, except that, for the reference therein to taxable income, there shall be substituted the phrase "ninety percent of minimum taxable income determined without regard to the alternative net operating loss deduction".
- (3) The amount of such deduction shall not exceed ninety percent of minimum taxable income determined without regard to such deduction, provided, however, the term "ninety percent" shall be read as "fortyfive percent" with respect to taxable years beginning in nineteen hundred ninety-four.
- (e) The tax commission may, whenever necessary in order to properly reflect the minimum taxable income of any taxpayer, determine the year or period in which any item of income or deduction shall be included, without regard to the method of accounting employed by the taxpayer.
- (f) If the period covered by a report under this article is other than the period covered by the report to the United States treasury department, the minimum taxable income shall be appropriately modified pursuant to regulations promulgated by the tax commission.]
- 9. The term "entire net income" means total net income from all sources, which shall be presumably the same as the entire taxable income [ (but not alternative minimum taxable income)], which, except as hereinafter provided in this subdivision,
- (i) [which] the taxpayer is required to report to the United States treasury department, or
- (ii) [which] the taxpayer would have been required to report to the United States treasury department if it had not made an election under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code, or
- (iii) [which] the taxpayer, in the case of a corporation which is exempt from federal income tax (other than the tax on unrelated business taxable income imposed under section 511 of the internal revenue code) but which is subject to tax under this article, would have been required to report to the United States treasury department but for such exemption, [except as hereinafter provided, and subject to any modification required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this article] or
- (iv) in the case of an alien corporation that under any provision of the internal revenue code is not treated as a "domestic corporation" as defined in section seven thousand seven hundred one of such code is effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business within the United States as determined under section 882 of the Internal Revenue Code.
  - (a) Entire net income shall not include:
- [(1) income, gains and losses from subsidiary capital which do not include the amount of a recovery in respect of any war loss except for such amounts from a former DISC which are treated as business income under subdivision eight-A of this section,
- (2) fifty percent of dividends (A) other than from subsidiaries, and (B) other than amounts treated as business income under subdivision eight-A of this section, on shares of stock which conform to the requirements of subsection (c) of section two hundred forty-six of the internal revenue code.

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(4) income and deductions with respect to amounts received from school districts and from corporations and associations, organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable or educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, for the operation of school buses,

- (5) (i) any refund or credit of a tax imposed under this article, article twenty-three, or former article thirty-two of this chapter, for which tax no exclusion or deduction was allowed in determining the taxpayer's entire net income under this article, article twenty-three, 10 or former article thirty-two of this chapter for any prior year, (ii) a 11 refund or credit of general corporation tax allowed by subdivision eleven of section 11-604 of the administrative code of the city of New York, or (iii) any refund or credit of a tax imposed under sections one 14 hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-three-a, one hundred eightyfour or one hundred eighty-four-a of this chapter, and
  - (6) any amount treated as dividends pursuant to section seventy-eight of the internal revenue code [and not otherwise deductible under subparagraphs one and two of this paragraph];
  - (7) that portion of wages and salaries paid or incurred for the taxable year for which a deduction is not allowed pursuant to the provisions of section two hundred eighty-C of the internal revenue code.
- [<del>(8)</del> in the case of a taxpayer who is separately or as a partner of a partnership doing an insurance business as a member of the New York 24 insurance exchange described in section six thousand two hundred one of 25 the insurance law, any item of income, gain, loss or deduction of such 26 business which is the taxpayer's distributive or pro rata share for federal income tax purposes or which the taxpayer is required to take 28 into account separately for federal income tax purposes.]
- (9) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, nineteen 30 hundred eighty-one, except with respect to property which is a qualified 31 mass commuting vehicle described in subparagraph (D) of paragraph eight of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code (relating to qualified mass commuting vehicles) and proper-34 ty of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other 35 than air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air 36 carriers) which is placed in service before taxable years beginning in 37 nineteen hundred eighty-nine, any amount which is included in the 38 taxpayer's federal taxable income solely as a result of an election made 39 pursuant to the provisions of such paragraph eight as it was in effect for agreements entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four;
- (10) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, nineteen 43 hundred eighty-one, except with respect to property which is a qualified mass commuting vehicle described in subparagraph (D) of paragraph eight of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code (relating to qualified mass commuting vehicles) and property of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other 48 than air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) which is placed in service before taxable years beginning in 50 nineteen hundred eighty-nine, any amount which the taxpayer could have 51 excluded from federal taxable income had it not made the election 52 provided for in such paragraph eight as it was in effect for agreements 53 entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four;
- (11) the amount deductible pursuant to paragraph (j) of this subdivi-55 sion; and

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(12) upon the disposition of property to which paragraph (j) of this subdivision applies, the amount, if any, by which the aggregate of the amounts described in subparagraph ten of paragraph (b) of this subdivi4 sion attributable to such property exceeds the aggregate of the amounts described in paragraph (j) of this subdivision attributable to such property; and

[(13) if the added tax provided for in either (i) former subdivision two of section one hundred eighty-two of this chapter (relating to real estate corporations) or (ii) former subdivision one-a of section two hundred nine of this chapter (relating to real estate corporations) has been imposed upon the taxpayer, any income which has been used in computing such tax.

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The amount deductible pursuant to paragraph (1) of this (14)[subsection] subdivision.

[(15) In the case of an attorney-in-fact, with respect to which a 16 mutual insurance company, which is an interinsurer or a reciprocal insurer and is subject to tax under subdivision (a) of section fifteen 18 hundred ten of this chapter, has made the election provided for under section eight hundred thirty-five of the Internal Revenue Code, an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the amounts paid or incurred by such interinsurer or reciprocal insurer in the taxable year to the attorney-in-fact over the deduction allowed to such interinsurer or reciprocal insurer with respect to amounts paid or incurred in the taxable year to the attorney-in-fact under subsection (b) of such section eight hundred thirty-five of the Internal Revenue Code.

(16) In the case of a taxpayer subject to the modification provided by subparagraph sixteen of paragraph (b) of this subdivision, the amount required to be recaptured pursuant to subsection (d) of section 179 of the internal revenue code with respect to property upon which such 30 modification was based.

(17) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, two thousand two, the amount deductible pursuant to paragraph (n-1) of this subdivision.

(18) the amount of income or gain included in federal taxable income of a taxpayer that is a partner in a qualified entity or is a qualified entity that is located both within and without a New York state innovation hot spot, to the extent that the income or gain is attributable to the operations of a qualified entity at or as part of the New York state innovation hot spot as provided in section thirty-eight of this chapter.

(19) the amount computed pursuant to paragraph (r), (s) or (t) of this subdivision, but only the amount determined pursuant to one of such paragraphs.

(b) Entire net income shall be determined without the exclusion, deduction or credit of:

(1) [the amount of any specific exemption or credit allowed in any law of the United States imposing any tax on or measured by the income of corporations, in the case of an alien corporation that under any provision of the internal revenue code is not treated as a "domestic corporation" as defined in section seven thousand seven hundred one of such code, (i) any part of any income from dividends or interest on any kind of stock, securities or indebtedness, but only if such income is treated as effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States pursuant to section 864 of the internal revenue code, (ii) any income exempt from federal taxable income under any treaty obligation of the United States, but only if such income would be S. 6359--D

treated as effectively connected in absence of such exemption provided that such treaty obligation does not preclude the taxation of such income by a state, or (iii) any income which would be treated as effec-4 tively connected if such income were not excluded from gross income pursuant to subsection (a) of section 103 of the internal revenue code;

(2) any part of any income from dividends or interest on any kind of stock, securities or indebtedness, [except as provided in clauses (1) and (2) of paragraph (a) hereof,

(3) taxes on or measured by profits or income paid or accrued to the 10 United States[7] or any of its possessions [or to any foreign country], territories or commonwealths, including taxes in lieu of any of the foregoing taxes otherwise generally imposed by [any foreign country or by] any possession, territory or commonwealth of the United States,

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(3-a) taxes on or measured by profits or income, or which include profits or income as a measure, paid or accrued to any other state of the United States, or any political subdivision thereof, or to the District of Columbia, including taxes expressly in lieu of any of the 18 foregoing taxes otherwise generally imposed by any other state of the 19 United States, or any political subdivision thereof, or the District of

(4) taxes imposed under this article and article thirty-two as in 22 effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen and sections one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-three-a, one hundred eightyfour and one hundred eighty-four-a of this chapter,

(4-a)(A) [the entire amount allowable as an exclusion or deduction for 26 stock transfer taxes imposed by article twelve of this chapter in determining the entire taxable income which the taxpayer is required to report to the United States treasury department but only to the extent that such taxes are incurred and paid in market making transactions, 30 (B) in those instances where a credit for the special additional mort-31 gage recording tax credit is allowed under  $[\frac{paragraph}{(a)}]$  subdivi-32 sion [ $\frac{\text{seventeen}}{\text{mine}}$ ] of section two hundred [ $\frac{\text{ten}}{\text{mine}}$ ] of this arti-33 cle, the amount allowed as an exclusion or deduction for the special 34 additional mortgage recording tax imposed by subdivision one-a of 35 section two hundred fifty-three of this chapter in determining the 36 entire taxable income which the taxpayer is required to report to the 37 United States treasury department, and  $[\frac{(C)}{C}]$  <u>(B)</u> unless the credit 38 allowed pursuant to subdivision [seventeen] nine of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this article is reflected in the computation of the gain 40 or loss so as to result in an increase in such gain or decrease of such 41 loss, for federal income tax purposes, from the sale or other disposi-42 tion of the property with respect to which the special additional mortgage recording tax imposed pursuant to subdivision one-a of section two 44 hundred fifty-three of this chapter was paid, the amount of the special 45 additional mortgage recording tax imposed by subdivision one-a of 46 section two hundred fifty-three of this chapter which was paid and which 47 is reflected in the computation of the basis of the property so as to 48 result in a decrease in such gain or increase in such loss for federal 49 income tax purposes from the sale or other disposition of the property 50 with respect to which such tax was paid.

(6) [in the discretion of the tax commission, any amount of interest directly or indirectly and any other amount directly or indirectly attributable as a carrying charge or otherwise to subsidiary capital or 54 to income, gains or losses from subsidiary capital any amount allowed as a deduction for the taxable year under section 172 of the internal S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 16

revenue code, including carryovers of deductions from prior taxable years.

[(7) in the case of a taxpayer who is separately or as a partner of a partnership doing an insurance business as a member of the New York insurance exchange described in section six thousand two hundred one of the insurance law, such taxpayer's distributive or pro rata share of the allocated entire net income of such business as determined under sections fifteen hundred three and fifteen hundred four of this chapter, provided however, in the event such allocated entire net income is a 10 loss, such taxpayer's distributive or pro rata share of such loss shall not be subtracted from federal taxable income in computing entire net income under this subdivision.

(8) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, nineteen 14 hundred eighty-one, except with respect to property which is a qualified

15 mass commuting vehicle described in subparagraph (D) of paragraph eight 16 of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal 17 revenue code (relating to qualified mass commuting vehicles) and proper-18 ty of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other 19 than air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air 20 carriers) which is placed in service before taxable years beginning in 21 nineteen hundred eighty-nine, any amount which the taxpayer claimed as a 22 deduction in computing its federal taxable income solely as a result of 23 an election made pursuant to the provisions of such paragraph eight as 24 it was in effect for agreements entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four;

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(9) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-one, except with respect to property which is a qualified 28 mass commuting vehicle described in subparagraph (D) of paragraph eight of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code (relating to qualified mass commuting vehicles) and property of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other 32 than air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air 33 carriers) which is placed in service before taxable years beginning in 34 nineteen hundred eighty-nine, any amount which the taxpayer would have 35 been required to include in the computation of its federal taxable 36 income had it not made the election permitted pursuant to such paragraph eight as it was in effect for agreements entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four;

(10) in the case of property placed in service in taxable years begin-40 ning before nineteen hundred ninety-four, for taxable years beginning 41 after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-one, except with 42 respect to property subject to the provisions of section two hundred 43 eighty-F of the internal revenue code, property subject to the 44 provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue 45 code which is placed in service in this state in taxable years beginning 46 after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-four and property 47 of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other than 48 air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) which is placed in service before taxable years beginning in nineteen hundred [eight nine] eighty-nine, the amount allowable as a deduction determined under section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code;

(11) upon the disposition of property to which paragraph (j) of this 54 subdivision applies, the amount, if any, by which the aggregate of the 55 amounts described in such paragraph (j) attributable to such property S. 6359--D 17 A. 8559--D

exceeds the aggregate of the amounts described in subparagraph ten of this paragraph attributable to such property.

- (15) Real property taxes paid on qualified agricultural property and deducted in determining federal taxable income, to the extent of the amount of the agricultural property tax credit allowed under subdivision [twenty-two] eleven of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this article.
- (16) In the case of a taxpayer which is not an eligible farmer as defined in paragraph (b) of subdivision [twenty-two] eleven of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this article, the amount of any deduction 10 claimed pursuant to section 179 of the internal revenue code with respect to a sport utility vehicle which is not a passenger automobile 12 as defined in paragraph 5 of subsection (d) of section 280F of the internal revenue code.
- (17) for taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, two thousand two, in the case of qualified property described in paragraph two of subsection k of section 168 of the internal revenue code, other than qualified resurgence zone property described in paragraph (q) of this subdivision, and other than qualified New York Liberty Zone property described in paragraph two of subsection b of section 1400L of the 20 internal revenue code (without regard to clause (i) of subparagraph (C)

21 of such paragraph), which was placed in service on or after June first, 22 two thousand three, the amount allowable as a deduction under section 167 of the internal revenue code.

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- (18) Premiums paid for environmental remediation insurance, as defined in section twenty-three of this chapter, and deducted in determining federal taxable income, to the extent of the amount of the environmental remediation insurance credit allowed under such section twenty-three and subdivision [thirty-five] nineteen of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this article.
- (19) The amount of any deduction allowed pursuant to section one hundred ninety-nine of the internal revenue code.
- (20) The amount of any federal deduction for taxes imposed under article twenty-three of this chapter.
- (20-a) The amount of any federal deduction for the excise tax on telecommunication services to the extent such taxes are used as the basis of the calculation of the tax-free NY area excise tax on telecommunication services credit allowed under subdivision forty-four of section two hundred ten-B of this article.
- (21) The amount of any federal deduction for real property taxes to the extent such taxes are used as the basis of the calculation of the real property tax credit for manufacturers allowed under subdivision forty-three of section two hundred ten-B of this article.
- (c) Entire net income shall include income within and without the United States;
- (c-1)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this article, in the 46 case of a taxpayer which is a foreign air carrier holding a foreign air 47 carrier permit issued by the United States department of transportation 48 pursuant to section four hundred two of the federal aviation act of nineteen hundred fifty-eight, as amended, and which is qualified under 50 subparagraph two of this paragraph, entire net income shall not include, 51 and shall be computed without the deduction of, amounts directly or 52 indirectly attributable to, (i) any income derived from the interna-53 tional operation of aircraft as described in and subject to the 54 provisions of section eight hundred eighty-three of the internal revenue 55 code, (ii) income without the United States which is derived from the 56 operation of aircraft, and (iii) income without the United States which S. 6359--D
- is of a type described in subdivision (a) of section eight hundred 2 eighty-one of the internal revenue code except that it is derived from 3 sources without the United States. Entire net income shall include 4 income described in clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of this subparagraph in 5 the case of taxpayers not described in the previous sentence.
- (2) A taxpayer is qualified under this subparagraph if air carriers organized in the United States and operating in the foreign country or countries in which the taxpayer has its major base of operations and in which it is organized, resident or headquartered (if not in the same 10 country as its major base of operations) are not subject to any income 11 tax or other tax based on or measured by income or receipts imposed by 12 such foreign country or countries or any political subdivision thereof, or if so subject to such tax, are provided an exemption from such tax equivalent to that provided for herein.
- (c-2) Adjustments by qualified public utilities. (1) In the case of a 16 taxpayer which is a qualified public utility, entire net income shall be computed with the adjustments set forth in this paragraph.
- (2) Definitions. (A) Qualified public utility. The term "qualified 19 public utility" means a taxpayer which: (i) on December thirty-first, 20 nineteen hundred ninety-nine, was subject to the ratemaking supervision 21 of the state department of public service, and (ii) for the year ending on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, was subject to tax under former section one hundred eighty-six of this chapter.
- (B) Transition property. The term "transition property" means property 25 placed in service by the taxpayer before January first, two thousand,

26 for which a depreciation deduction is allowed under section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code.

- (3) Federal depreciation disallowed. With respect to transition property, the deduction for federal income tax purposes for depreciation shall not be allowed.
- (4) New York depreciation. With respect to transition property, a deduction shall be allowed for the depreciation expense shown on the books and records of the taxpayer for the taxable year and determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

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- (5) Regulatory assets. A deduction shall be allowed for amounts recognized as expense on the books and records of the taxpayer for the taxable year, which amounts were recognized as expense for federal income 38 tax purposes in a taxable year ending on or before December thirty-39 first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, where: (A) such amounts represent 40 expenditures which, when made, were charged to a deferred debit account or similar asset account on the books and records of the taxpayer, and 42 where (B) the recognition of expense on the books and records of the 43 taxpayer is matched by revenue stemming from a procedure or adjustment 44 allowing the recovery of such expenditures, and where (C) such revenue is recognized for federal income tax purposes in the taxable year.
- (6) Basis for gain or loss. (A) Recognition transactions. (i) General rule - book basis. Except as provided in subclause (ii) of this clause, 48 where transition property is sold or otherwise disposed of in the taxa-49 ble year in a transaction of the type requiring recognition of gain or 50 loss for federal income tax purposes, the basis for determining the 51 amount of such gain or loss under this article shall be the cost of the 52 property less the accumulated depreciation on the property determined on 53 the books and records of the taxpayer in accordance with generally 54 accepted accounting principles.
- (ii) Qualified gain New York basis. Where a sale or disposition 56 described in subclause (i) of this clause results in recognition of gain S. 6359--D 19

1 for federal income tax purposes, and where either (I) such recognition occurs in a taxable year ending after nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before two thousand ten, or (II) such recognition is with respect to a 4 nuclear electric generating facility, the basis for determining the amount of such gain under this article shall be the cost of the property less the aggregate of the New York depreciation deductions on the property determined under subparagraph four of this paragraph.

- (iii) No conversion of gain to loss. In the event that the basis 9 determined under subclause (ii) of this clause results in determination 10 of a loss on the sale or disposition of the property, no gain or loss shall be recognized under this article with respect to such sale or disposition.
- (B) Nonrecognition transactions. (i) Carryover basis. (I) where tran-14 sition property is disposed of ("original disposition") in a transaction of a type requiring deferral of recognition of gain or loss for federal 16 income tax purposes, and where (II) there is a subsequent recognition of gain or loss for federal income tax purposes ("clause B gain or loss"), 18 the amount of which is determined by reference, in whole or in part, to the basis of such transition property ("underlying transition property"), then (III) the amount of such clause B gain or loss under this article shall be adjusted as provided in subclause (ii) or (iii) of this 22 clause.
- (ii) General rule book basis adjustment. Except as provided in 24 subclause (iii) of this clause, the amount of clause B gain shall be reduced, or the amount of clause B loss increased, by the amount by 26 which the book basis of the underlying transition property on the date of original disposition (determined using the provisions of subclause (i) of clause (A) of this subparagraph) exceeds the federal income tax basis of such property on such date.
  - (iii) Qualified gain New York basis adjustment. Where clause B gain

31 either (I) occurs in a taxable year ending after nineteen hundred nine-32 ty-nine and before two thousand ten, or (II) is with respect to a nucle-33 ar electric generating facility, the amount of such gain under this 34 article shall be reduced, but not below zero, by the amount by which the 35 New York basis of the underlying transition property on the date of original disposition (determined using the provisions of subclause (ii) of clause (A) of this subparagraph) exceeds the federal income tax basis of such property on such date.

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- (iv) Application to replacement property and transferee taxpayers. 40 This clause shall apply whether the clause B gain or loss: (I) is with respect to either transition property or depreciable property the basis of which is determined by reference to transition property, or (II) is 43 recognized by either a qualified public utility or by a taxpayer which 44 is a transferee of transition property (whether or not such transferee is a qualified public utility, notwithstanding subparagraph one of this paragraph).
  - (c-3) Depreciation adjustments by qualified power producers and pipeline companies. (1) In the case of a qualified taxpayer, entire net income shall be computed with the depreciation adjustments set forth in this paragraph.
  - (2) Definitions. (A) Qualified taxpayer. The term "qualified taxpayer" means a qualified power producer or a qualified pipeline.
- (B) Qualified power producer. The term "qualified power producer" 54 means a taxpayer which: (i) on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred 55 ninety-nine, was not subject to the ratemaking supervision of the state 56 department of public service, and (ii) for the year ending on December S. 6359--D 20 A. 8559--D

1 thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, was subject to tax under former section one hundred eighty-six of this chapter on account of its 3 being principally engaged in the business of supplying electricity.

- (C) Qualified pipeline. The term "qualified pipeline" means a taxpayer which: (i) on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, was subject to the ratemaking supervision of either the federal energy regulatory commission or the state department of public service, and (ii) for the year ending on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetynine, was subject to tax under sections one hundred eighty-three and one 10 hundred eighty-four of this chapter on account of its being principally engaged in the business of pipeline transmission.
- (D) Transition property. The term "transition property" means property 13 placed in service by a qualified taxpayer before January first, two 14 thousand, for which a depreciation deduction is allowed under section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code.
  - (3) Federal depreciation disallowed. With respect to transition property, the deduction for federal income tax purposes for depreciation shall not be allowed.
- (4) New York depreciation. With respect to transition property, a 20 deduction shall be allowed for the depreciation expense computed as provided in this subparagraph. (A) All transition property shown on the books and records of the taxpayer on January first, two thousand shall 23 be treated as a single asset placed in service on such date. The New York basis for purposes of computing the depreciation deduction on such 25 single asset shall be the net book value of such transition property 26 determined on the first day of the federal taxable year ending in two thousand (or on the date any such property is placed in service, if 28 later) adjusted as provided in clause (B) of this subparagraph.
  - (B) If transition property is sold or otherwise disposed of, the New York basis of the single asset shall be reduced on the date of such sale or disposition by the amount of the adjusted federal tax basis of such property on such date.
- (C) The New York depreciation deduction allowed for any taxable year with respect to such single asset shall be computed using the straightline method, a twenty-year life, and a salvage value of zero.

(D) For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "net book value" means cost reduced by accumulated depreciation shown on the books and records of the taxpayer and determined, in the case of a qualified power producer, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles; and in the case of a qualified pipeline, in accordance with the taxpayer's regulatory reports filed with the federal energy regulatory commission or state department of public service.

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- (d) The [tax commission] commissioner may, whenever necessary in order properly to reflect the entire net income of any taxpayer, determine the year or period in which any item of income or deduction shall be included, without regard to the method of accounting employed by the taxpayer[+].
- (e) The entire net income of any bridge commission created by act of congress to construct a bridge across an international boundary means its gross income less the expense of maintaining and operating its properties, the annual interest upon its bonds and other obligations, and the annual charge for the retirement of such bonds or obligations at maturity[+].
- [(f) A net operating loss deduction shall be allowed which shall be presumably the same as the net operating loss deduction allowed under 56 section one hundred seventy-two of the internal revenue code, or which S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

would have been allowed if the taxpayer had not made an election under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code, except that in every instance where such deduction is allowed under this article:

- (1) any net operating loss included in determining such deduction shall be adjusted to reflect the inclusions and exclusions from entire net income required by paragraphs (a), (b) and (g) hereof,
- (2) such deduction shall not include any net operating loss sustained during any taxable year beginning prior to January first, nineteen hundred sixty one, or during any taxable year in which the taxpayer was not subject to the tax imposed by this article,
- (3) such deduction shall not exceed the deduction for the taxable year allowed under section one hundred seventy-two of the internal revenue code, or the deduction for the taxable year which would have been allowed if the taxpayer had not made an election under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code,
- (4) in the case of a New York S corporation, such deduction shall not include any net operating loss sustained during a New York C year or during a New York S year beginning prior to nineteen hundred ninety, and in the case of a New York C corporation, such deduction shall not include any net operating loss sustained during a New York S year, provided, however, a New York S year shall be treated as a taxable year for purposes of determining the number of taxable years to which a net operating loss may be carried back or carried forward, and
- (5) the net operating loss deduction allowed under section one hundred seventy-two of the internal revenue code shall for purposes of this paragraph be determined as if the taxpayer had elected under such section to relinquish the entire carryback period with respect to net operating losses, except with respect to the first ten thousand dollars of each of such losses, sustained during taxable years ending after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred eighty-nine.
- (g) For taxable years commencing prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-seven, at the election of the taxpayer, a deduction shall be allowed for expenditures paid or incurred during the taxable year for the construction, reconstruction, erection or improvement of either industrial waste treatment facilities or air pollution control facilities, or, with respect to taxable years beginning on or after January first, nineteen hundred seventy-seven and before January first, nineteen hundred eighty-one, industrial waste treatment controlled process facilities or air pollution controlled process facilities.
  - (1) (A) (1) The term "industrial waste treatment facilities" shall

mean facilities for the treatment, neutralization or stabilization of industrial waste and other wastes (as the terms "industrial waste" and "other wastes" are defined in section 17-0105 of the environmental conservation law) from a point immediately preceding the point of such treatment, neutralization or stabilization to the point of disposal, including the necessary pumping and transmitting facilities.

(2) The term "industrial waste treatment controlled process facility" shall mean such portion of the cost of an industrial production facility designed for the purpose of obviating the need for industrial waste treatment facilities as defined in item one of this clause as shall exceed the cost of an industrial production facility of equal production capacity which if constructed would require industrial waste treatment facilities to meet emission standards in compliance with the provisions of the environmental conservation law and the codes, rules, regulations, permits or orders issued pursuant thereto but only to the extent of the cost of such industrial waste treatment facilities.

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(B) (1) The term "air pollution control facilities" shall mean facilities which remove, reduce, or render less noxious air contaminants emitted from an air contamination source (as the terms "air contaminant" and "air contamination source" are defined in section 19-0107 of the environmental conservation law) from a point immediately preceding the point of such removal, reduction or rendering to the point of discharge of air, meeting emission standards as established by the department of environmental conservation, but excluding such facilities installed for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable and excluding those facilities which rely for their efficacy on dilution, dispersion or assimilation of air contaminants in the ambient air after emission. Such term shall further include flue gas desulfurization equipment and attendant sludge disposal facilities, fluidized bed boilers, precombustion coal cleaning facilities or other facilities that conform with this subdivision and which comply with the provisions of the state acid deposition control act set forth in title nine of article nineteen of the environmental conserva-

(2) The term "air pollution controlled process facility" shall mean such portion of the cost of an industrial production facility designed for the purpose of obviating the need for air pollution control facilities as defined in item one of this clause as shall exceed the cost of an industrial production facility of equal productive capacity which if constructed would require air pollution control facilities to inert emission standards as established pursuant to title three of article nineteen of the environmental conservation law but only to the extent of the cost of such air pollution control facilities.

(2) However, such deduction shall be allowed only

(A) with respect to tangible property which is depreciable, pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code, having a situs in this state and used in the taxpayer's trade or business, the construction, reconstruction, erection or improvement of which, in the case of industrial waste treatment facilities, is initiated on or after January first, nineteen hundred sixty-five or which, in the case of air pollution control facilities, is initiated on or after January first, nineteen hundred sixty-six, or which in the case of industrial waste treatment controlled process facilities or air pollution controlled process facilities is initiated on and after January first, nineteen hundred seventy-seven, and

(B) on condition that such facilities have been certified by the state commissioner of environmental conservation or his designated representative, pursuant to section 19-0309 of the environmental conservation law, as complying with applicable provisions of the environmental conservation law, the public health law, the state sanitary code and codes, rules, regulations, permits or orders issued pursuant thereto,

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(C) on condition that entire net income for the taxable year and all succeeding taxable years be computed without any deductions for such expenditures or for depreciation or amortization of the same property other than the deductions allowed by this paragraph (g), except to the extent that the basis of the property may be attributable to factors other than such expenditures, or in case a deduction is allowable pursuant to this paragraph for only a part of such expenditures, on condition that any deduction allowed for federal income tax purposes for such expenditures or for depreciation or amortization of the same property be S. 6359-D

proportionately reduced in computing entire net income for the taxable year and all succeeding taxable years, and

(D) where the election provided for in paragraph (d) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this chapter has not been exercised in respect to the same property.

(3) (A) If expenditures in respect to an industrial waste treatment facility, an air pollution control facility, an industrial waste treatment controlled process facility or an air pollution controlled process facility have been deducted as provided herein and if within ten years from the end of the taxable year in which such deduction was allowed such property or any part thereof is used for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable, the taxpayer shall report such change of use in its report for the first taxable year during which it occurs, and the tax commission may recompute the tax for the year or years for which such deduction was allowed and any carryback or carryover year, and may assess any additional tax resulting from such recomputation within the time fixed by paragraph nine of subsection (c) of section ten hundred eighty-three of this chapter.

(B) If a deduction is allowed as herein provided for expenditures paid or incurred during any taxable year on the basis of a temporary certificate of compliance issued pursuant to the environmental conservation law and if the taxpayer fails to obtain a permanent certificate of compliance upon completion of the facilities with respect to which such temporary certificate was issued, the taxpayer shall report such failure in its report for the taxable year during which such facilities are completed, and the tax commission may recompute the tax for the year or years for which such deduction was allowed and any carryback or carry over year, and may assess any additional tax resulting from in such recomputation within the time fixed by paragraph nine of subsection (c) of section ten hundred eighty-three.

(C) If a deduction is allowed as herein provided for expenditures paid or incurred during any taxable year in respect to an air pollution control facility on the basis of a certificate of compliance issued pursuant to the environmental conservation law and the certificate is revoked pursuant to subdivision three of section 19-0309 of the environmental conservation law, the tax commission may recompute the tax for the year or years for which the facility is not or was not in compliance with the applicable provisions of the environmental conservation law, the state sanitary code or codes, rules, regulations, permits or orders promulgated pursuant thereto, and for which a deduction was allowed, as well as for any carryback or carryover year to which such deduction was carried, and may assess any additional tax resulting from such recomputation within the time fixed by paragraph nine of subsection (c) of section ten hundred eighty-three.

(4) In any taxable year when property is sold or otherwise disposed of, with respect to which a deduction has been allowed pursuant to this paragraph, such deduction shall be disregarded in computing gain or loss, and the gain or loss on the sale or other disposition of such property shall be the gain or loss entering into the computation of entire taxable income which the taxpayer is required to report to the

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(h) If the period covered by a report under this article is other than the period covered by the report to the United States treasury department,

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- (1) except as provided in subparagraph two hereof, entire net income shall be determined by multiplying the taxable income reported to such department (as adjusted pursuant to the provisions of this article) by 4 the number of calendar months or major parts thereof covered by the 5 report under this article and dividing by the number of calendar months 6 or major parts thereof covered by the report to such department. If it shall appear that such method of determining entire net income does not 8 properly reflect the taxpayer's income during the period covered by the report under this article, the [tax commission] commissioner shall be 10 authorized in its discretion to determine such entire net income solely 11 on the basis of the taxpayer's income during the period covered by its report under this article[+].
- (2) [in] In the case of a New York S termination year, an equal portion of entire net income shall be assigned to each day of such year. The portion of such entire net income thereby assigned to the S short year and the C short year shall be included in the respective reports for the S short year and the C short year under this article. However, 18 where paragraph three of subsection (s) of section six hundred twelve of 19 this chapter applies, the portion of such entire net income assigned to 20 the S short year and the C short year shall be determined under normal 21 tax accounting rules.
- (i) With respect to a DISC which during any taxable year or reporting 23 year (1) received more than five percent of its gross sales from the sale of inventory or other property which it purchased from its stock-25 holders, (2) received more than five percent of its gross rentals from 26 the rental of property which it purchased or rented from its stockholders or (3) received more than five percent of its total receipts other 28 than sales and rentals from its stockholders, the following provisions shall apply.
  - (A) For any taxable year in which sub-paragraph (B) of this paragraph is in effect and not rendered invalid, a DISC meeting the above test shall be exempt from all taxes imposed by this article.
- (B) Supplemental to the provisions of subdivision five of section two 34 hundred eleven of this article, any taxpayer required to compute a tax under this article, which during the taxable year being reported was a 36 stockholder in any DISC meeting the test prescribed in this paragraph, shall for any taxable year ending after December thirty-first, nineteen 38 hundred seventy-one adjust each item of its receipts, expenses, assets 39 and liabilities, as otherwise computed under this article, by adding 40 thereto its attributable share of each such DISC's receipts, expenses, 41 assets and liabilities as reportable by each such DISC to the United 42 States Treasury Department for its annual reporting period ending during 43 the current taxable year of such taxpayer; provided, however, (1) that 44 all transactions between the taxpayer and each such DISC shall be elimi-45 nated from the taxpayer's adjusted receipts, expenses, assets and 46 liabilities; (2) that the taxpayer's entire net income as otherwise computed under this section, shall be reduced by subtracting the amount 48 of the deemed distribution of current income, if any, from each such 49 DISC already included in the entire net income of such taxpayer by 50 virtue of having been included in its entire taxable income for that 51 taxable year as reported to the United States Treasury Department; and (3) that in the event this paragraph should be rendered invalid, all 53 DISC's and their stockholders taxable hereunder shall be taxed instead under the remaining portions of this article.
- (j) in the case of property placed in service in taxable years begin-56 ning before nineteen hundred ninety-four, for taxable years beginning S. 6359--D 25 A. 8559--D

1 after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-one, except with 2 respect to property subject to the provisions of section two hundred 3 eighty-F of the internal revenue code and property subject to the 4 provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue 5 code which is placed in service in this state in taxable years beginning 6 after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-four, and provided 7 a deduction has not been excluded from entire net income pursuant to subparagraph eight of paragraph (b) of this subdivision, a taxpayer 9 shall be allowed with respect to property which is subject to the 10 provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue 11 code the depreciation deduction allowable under section one hundred 12 sixty-seven of the internal revenue code as such section would have 13 applied to property placed in service on December thirty-first, nineteen 14 hundred eighty. This paragraph shall not apply to property of a taxpayer principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (other than air freight 16 forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) which is 17 placed in service before taxable years beginning in nineteen hundred eighty-nine. 19

- (k) QSSS. (1) New York S corporation. In the case of a New York S corporation which is the parent of a qualified subchapter S subsidiary (QSSS) with respect to a taxable year:
  - (A) where the QSSS is not an excluded corporation,
- (i) in determining the entire net income of such parent corporation, all assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the QSSS shall be treated as assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the parent corporation, and
- (ii) the QSSS shall be exempt from all taxes imposed by this article, and  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{SSS}}$
- (B) where the QSSS is an excluded corporation, the entire net income of the parent corporation shall be determined as if the federal QSSS election had not been made.
- (2) New York C corporation. In the case of a New York C corporation which is the parent of a QSSS with respect to a taxable year:
  - (A) where the QSSS is a taxpayer,

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- (i) in determining the entire net income of such parent corporation, all assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the QSSS shall be treated as assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the parent corporation, and
- (ii) the QSSS shall be exempt from all taxes imposed by this  $% \left( \frac{1}{2}\right) =\frac{1}{2}\left( \frac{1}{2}\right) +\frac{1}{2}\left( \frac{1}$ 
  - (B) where the QSSS is not a taxpayer,
- (i) if the QSSS is not an excluded corporation, the parent corporation may make a QSSS inclusion election to include all assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the QSSS as assets, liabilities, income and deductions of the parent corporation, and
- (ii) in the absence of such election, or where the QSSS is an excluded corporation, the entire net income of the parent corporation shall be determined as if the federal QSSS election had not been made.
- (3) Non-New York S corporation not excluded. In the case of an S corporation which is not a taxpayer and not an excluded corporation, and which is the parent of a QSSS which is a taxpayer, the shareholders of the parent corporation shall be entitled to make the New York S election under subsection (a) of section six hundred sixty of this chapter.
- 54 (A) For any taxable year for which such election is in effect, the 55 parent corporation shall be subject to tax under this article as a New S. 6359--D 26 A. 8559--D

1 York S corporation, and the provisions of clause (A) of subparagraph one 2 of this paragraph shall apply.

3 (B) For any taxable year for which such election is not in effect, the 4 QSSS shall be a New York C corporation, and the entire net income of the 5 QSSS shall be determined as if the federal QSSS election had not been

6 made. For purposes of such determination, the taxable year of the parent corporation shall constitute the taxable year of the QSSS, excluding, 8 however, any portion of such year during which the QSSS is not a taxpay-

(4) S corporation excluded. In the case of an S corporation which is an excluded corporation and which is the parent of a QSSS which is a taxpayer, the QSSS shall be a New York C corporation and the provisions of clause (B) of subparagraph three of this paragraph shall apply.

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- (5) Excluded corporation. The term "excluded corporation" means a corporation subject to tax under sections one hundred eighty-three 16 through one hundred eighty-six, inclusive, or article [thirty-two or] thirty-three of this chapter, or a foreign corporation not taxable by 18 this state which, if it were taxable, would be subject to tax under any 19 of such sections or [articles] article.
- (6) Taxpayer. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "taxpayer" 21 means a parent corporation or QSSS subject to tax under this article, determined without regard to the provisions of this paragraph.
  - (7) QSSS inclusion election. The election under subclause (i) of clause (B) of subparagraph two of this paragraph shall be effective for the taxable year for which made and for all succeeding taxable years of the corporation until such election is terminated. An election or termination shall be made on such form and in such manner as the commissioner may prescribe by regulation or instruction.
- (1) Emerging technology investment deferral. In the case of any sale of a qualified emerging technologies investment held for more than thirty-six months and with respect to which the taxpayer elects the applica-32 tion of this paragraph, gain from such sale shall be recognized only to 33 the extent that the amount realized on such sale exceeds the cost of any 34 qualified emerging technologies investment purchased by the taxpayer during the three hundred sixty-five-day period beginning on the date of 36 such sale, reduced by any portion of such cost previously taken into account under this paragraph. For purposes of this paragraph the following shall apply:
- (1) A qualified investment is stock of a corporation or an interest, other than as a creditor, in a partnership or limited liability company that was acquired by the taxpayer as provided in Internal Revenue Code § 42 1202(c)(1)(B), except that the reference to the term "stock" in such section shall be read as "investment," or by the taxpayer from a person who had acquired such stock or interest in such a manner.
- (2) A qualified emerging technology investment is a qualified invest-46 ment, that was held by the taxpayer for at least thirty-six months, in a company defined in paragraph (c) of subdivision one of section thirtyone hundred two-e of the public authorities law or an investment in a partnership or limited liability company that is taxed as a partnership 50 to the extent that such partnership or limited liability company invests in qualified emerging technology companies.
- (3) For purposes of determining whether the nonrecognition of gain 53 under this subsection applies to a qualified emerging technologies 54 investment that is sold, the taxpayer's holding period for such invest-55 ment and the qualified emerging technologies investment that is S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

purchased shall be determined without regard to Internal Revenue Code §

(m) Amounts deferred. The amount deferred under paragraph (1) of this subdivision shall be added to entire net income when the reinvestment in the New York qualified emerging technology company which qualified a taxpayer for such deferral is sold.

[ (n) Qualified gas transportation contracts.

(1) Any tax paid under this article allocable to receipts attributable to a "qualified gas transportation contract" shall be deemed to have 9 10 been paid under article nine of this chapter for all purposes of law for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand, computed as hereinafter provided, if all of the following conditions are met:

(i) For periods ending prior to January first, two thousand, the taxpayer paid the franchise tax due under section one hundred eightyfour of this chapter.

(ii) For the taxable year, all of the receipts from the pipeline transportation of natural gas attributable to the taxpayer and included in the taxpayer's entire net income (without regard to this paragraph) are solely from the transportation of natural gas for wholesale customers and commercial retail customers.

(iii) The taxpayer's franchise tax liability under this article for the taxable year (computed without regard to this paragraph) is determined under paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article, and such tax liability (without regard to this paragraph) is greater than the liability the taxpayer would have incurred under sections one hundred eighty-three and one hundred eighty-four of this chapter (as such sections existed on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine) based on the same taxable period.

(iv) The taxpayer is a party to a "qualified gas transportation contract," as defined herein.

(2) The provisions of this paragraph shall apply only for the taxable years during which such qualified gas transportation contract is in full force and effect, and shall apply only to the receipts of the taxpayer less any expenses of the taxpayer (but not less than zero), during the taxable year, to the extent included in entire net income, which are attributable to any such qualified gas transportation contracts. Provided, further, in any event, the characterization hereunder shall expire and be of no further force and effect for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen.

(3) The term "qualified gas transportation contract" shall mean a service agreement for the transportation of natural gas for an end-user which is a qualified cogeneration facility with a rated capacity of one thousand megawatts or more, which (i) was entered into before January first, two thousand, and was in full force and effect and binding on the parties thereto as of such date, (ii) as originally executed, was for a term of at least twenty years, and (iii) the terms of which prohibit the pass-through to such customer of the franchise tax imposed under this article, while allowing the recovery of the gross earnings tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-four of this chapter. A contract shall not qualify as a qualified gas transportation contract if there is: (i) any renewal or extension of an otherwise qualified gas transportation contract occurring on or after January first, two thousand, or (ii) any material amendment to, or supplementation of, an otherwise qualified gas transportation contract on or after such date. Such renewal, extension, or material amendment or supplementation shall have the same force and S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

effect of terminating the characterization hereunder as if the qualifying contract had expired by its own terms.

(e) [n-1] For taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, two thousand two, in the case of qualified property described in paragraph two of subsection k of section 168 of the internal revenue code, other than qualified resurgence zone property described in paragraph (q) of this subdivision, and other than qualified New York Liberty Zone property described in paragraph two of subsection b of section 1400L of the internal revenue code (without regard to clause (i) of subparagraph (C) of such paragraph), which was placed in service on or after June first, two thousand three, a taxpayer shall be allowed with respect to such property the depreciation deduction allowable under section 167 of the internal revenue code as such section would have applied to such property had it been acquired by the taxpayer on September tenth, two thousand one.

(o) Related members expense add back. (1) Definitions. (A) Related

17 member. "Related member" means a related person as defined in subpara-18 graph (c) of paragraph three of subsection (b) of section four hundred sixty-five of the internal revenue code, except that "fifty percent" shall be substituted for "ten percent".

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- (B) Effective rate of tax. "Effective rate of tax" means, as to any 22 state or U.S. possession, the maximum statutory rate of tax imposed by the state or possession on or measured by a related member's net income 24 multiplied by the apportionment percentage, if any, applicable to the related member under the laws of said jurisdiction. For purposes of this 26 definition, the effective rate of tax as to any state or U.S. possession 27 is zero where the related member's net income tax liability in said 28 jurisdiction is reported on a combined or consolidated return including 29 both the taxpayer and the related member where the reported transactions 30 between the taxpayer and the related member are eliminated or offset. 31 Also, for purposes of this definition, when computing the effective rate of tax for a jurisdiction in which a related member's net income is eliminated or offset by a credit or similar adjustment that is dependent 34 upon the related member either maintaining or managing intangible prop-35 erty or collecting interest income in that jurisdiction, the maximum 36 statutory rate of tax imposed by said jurisdiction shall be decreased to reflect the statutory rate of tax that applies to the related member as effectively reduced by such credit or similar adjustment.
- (C) Royalty payments. Royalty payments are payments directly connected to the acquisition, use, maintenance or management, ownership, sale, exchange, or any other disposition of licenses, trademarks, copyrights, 42 trade names, trade dress, service marks, mask works, trade secrets, 43 patents and any other similar types of intangible assets as determined 44 by the commissioner, and include amounts allowable as interest 45 deductions under section one hundred sixty-three of the internal revenue 46 code to the extent such amounts are directly or indirectly for, related to or in connection with the acquisition, use, maintenance or manage-48 ment, ownership, sale, exchange or disposition of such intangible assets.
- (D) Valid Business Purpose. A valid business purpose is one or more 51 business purposes, other than the avoidance or reduction of taxation, which alone or in combination constitute the primary motivation for some 53 business activity or transaction, which activity or transaction changes 54 in a meaningful way, apart from tax effects, the economic position of 55 the taxpayer. The economic position of the taxpayer includes an increase S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

in the market share of the taxpayer, or the entry by the taxpayer into new business markets.

- (2) Royalty expense add backs. (A) Except where a taxpayer is included in a combined report with a related member pursuant to [subdivision four of section two hundred [eleven] ten-C of this article, for the purpose of computing entire net income or other applicable taxable basis, a taxpayer must add back royalty payments directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred in connection with one or more direct or indirect transactions with one or more related members during the taxable year to 10 the extent deductible in calculating federal taxable income.
- (B) Exceptions. (i) The adjustment required in this paragraph shall not apply to the portion of the royalty payment that the taxpayer establishes, by clear and convincing evidence of the type and in the form 14 specified by the commissioner, meets all of the following requirements: (I) the related member was subject to tax in this state or another state 16 or possession of the United States or a foreign nation or some combination thereof on a tax base that included the royalty payment paid, 18 accrued or incurred by the taxpayer; (II) the related member during the same taxable year directly or indirectly paid, accrued or incurred such 20 portion to a person that is not a related member; and (III) the trans-21 action giving rise to the royalty payment between the taxpayer and the 22 related member was undertaken for a valid business purpose.

(ii) The adjustment required in this paragraph shall not apply if the 24 taxpayer establishes, by clear and convincing evidence of the type and in the form specified by the commissioner, that: (I) the related member was subject to tax on or measured by its net income in this state or another state or possession of the United States or some combination thereof; (II) the tax base for said tax included the royalty payment paid, accrued or incurred by the taxpayer; and (III) the aggregate effective rate of tax applied to the related member in those jurisdictions is no less than eighty percent of the statutory rate of tax that 32 applied to the taxpayer under section two hundred ten of this article 33 for the taxable year.

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(iii) The adjustment required in this paragraph shall not apply if the 35 taxpayer establishes, by clear and convincing evidence of the type and 36 in the form specified by the commissioner, that: (I) the royalty payment was paid, accrued or incurred to a related member organized under the laws of a country other than the United States; (II) the related 39 member's income from the transaction was subject to a comprehensive 40 income tax treaty between such country and the United States; (III) the 41 related member was subject to tax in a foreign nation on a tax base that 42 included the royalty payment paid, accrued or incurred by the taxpayer; 43 (IV) the related member's income from the transaction was taxed in such country at an effective rate of tax at least equal to that imposed by 45 this state; and (V) the royalty payment was paid, accrued or incurred 46 pursuant to a transaction that was undertaken for a valid business purpose and using terms that reflect an arm's length relationship.

(iv) The adjustment required in this paragraph shall not apply if the 49 taxpayer and the commissioner agree in writing to the application or use 50 of alternative adjustments or computations. The commissioner may, in his or her discretion, agree to the application or use of alternative adjustments or computations when he or she concludes that in the absence of such agreement the income of the taxpayer would not be properly reflected.

(p) For taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, two thou-56 sand two, upon the disposition of property to which paragraph  $[\frac{\bullet}{\bullet}]$ S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

(n-1) of this subdivision applies, the amount of any gain or loss includible in entire net income shall be adjusted to reflect the inclusions and exclusions from entire net income pursuant to subparagraph seventeen of paragraph (a) and subparagraph seventeen of paragraph (b) of this subdivision attributable to such property.

(q) For purposes of paragraphs  $[\frac{(\bullet)}{(\bullet)}]$  (n-1) and (p) of this subdivision, qualified resurgence zone property shall mean qualified property described in paragraph two of subsection k of section 168 of the internal revenue code substantially all of the use of which is in the resurgence zone, as defined below, and is in the active conduct of a trade or 11 business by the taxpayer in such zone, and the original use of which in the resurgence zone commences with the taxpayer after December thirty-13 first, two thousand two. The resurgence zone shall mean the area of New York county bounded on the south by a line running from the intersection of the Hudson River with the Holland Tunnel, and running thence east to 16 Canal Street, then running along the centerline of Canal Street to the intersection of the Bowery and Canal Street, running thence in a south-18 easterly direction diagonally across Manhattan Bridge Plaza, to the 19 Manhattan Bridge and thence along the centerline of the Manhattan Bridge 20 to the point where the centerline of the Manhattan Bridge would inter-21 sect with the easterly bank of the East River, and bounded on the north  $22\,$  by a line running from the intersection of the Hudson River with the 23 Holland Tunnel and running thence north along West Avenue to the intersection of Clarkson Street then running east along the centerline of 25 Clarkson Street to the intersection of Washington Avenue, then running 26 south along the centerline of Washington Avenue to the intersection of 27 West Houston Street, then east along the centerline of West Houston 28 Street, then at the intersection of the Avenue of the Americas continu-29 ing east along the centerline of East Houston Street to the easterly 30 bank of the East River.

- (r) Subtraction modification for qualified residential loan portfolios. (1) (A) A taxpayer that is either a thrift institution as defined in subparagraph three of this paragraph or a qualified community bank as defined in subparagraph two of paragraph (s) of this subdivision and maintains a qualified residential loan portfolio as defined in subparagraph two of this paragraph shall be allowed as a deduction in computing entire net income the amount, if any, by which (i) thirty-two percent of its entire net income determined without regard to this paragraph exceeds (ii) the amounts deducted by the taxpayer pursuant to sections 166 and 585 of the Internal Revenue Code less any amounts included in federal taxable income as a result of a recovery of a loan.
- (B) (i) If the taxpayer is in a combined report under section two hundred ten-C of this article, this deduction will be computed on a combined basis. In that instance, the entire net income of the combined reporting group for purposes of this paragraph shall be multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the average total assets of all the thrift institutions and qualified community banks included in the combined report and the denominator of which is the average total assets of all the corporations included in the combined report.
- (ii) Measurement of assets. (I) Total assets are those assets that are properly reflected on a balance sheet, computed in the same manner as is required by the banking regulator of the taxpayers included in the combined return.
- (II) Assets will only be included if the income or expenses of which are properly reflected (or would have been properly reflected if not fully depreciated or expensed, or depreciated or expensed to a nominal S. 6359--D

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- amount) in the computation of the combined group's entire net income for the taxable year. Assets will not include deferred tax assets and intangible assets identified as "goodwill".
- (III) Tangible real and personal property, such as buildings, land, machinery, and equipment shall be valued at cost. Leased assets will be valued at the annual lease payment multiplied by eight. Intangible property, such as loans and investments, shall be valued at book value exclusive of reserves.
- (IV) Intercorporate stockholdings and bills, notes and accounts receivable, and other intercorporate indebtedness between the corporations included in the combined report shall be eliminated.
- (V) Average assets are computed using the assets measured on the first day of the taxable year, and on the last day of each subsequent quarter of the taxable year or month or day during the taxable year.
- (2) Qualified residential loan portfolio. (A) A taxpayer maintains a qualified residential loan portfolio if at least sixty percent of the amount of the total assets at the close of the taxable year of the thrift institution or qualified community bank consists of the assets described in items (i) through (xii) of this clause, with the application of the rule in item (xiii). If the taxpayer is a member of a combined group, the determination of whether there is a qualified residential loan portfolio will be made by aggregating the assets of the thrift institutions and qualified community banks that are members of the combined group.

## Assets:

- (i) cash, which includes cash and cash equivalents including cash items in the process of collection, deposit with other financial institutions, including corporate credit unions, balances with federal reserve banks and federal home loan banks, federal funds sold, and cash and cash equivalents on hand. Cash shall not include any balances serving as collateral for securities lending transactions;
  - (ii) obligations of the United States or of a state or political

subdivision thereof, and stock or obligations of a corporation which is an instrumentality or a government sponsored enterprise of the United States or of a state or political subdivision thereof;

(iii) loans secured by a deposit or share of a member;

- (iv) loans secured by an interest in real property which is (or from the proceeds of the loan, will become) residential real property or real property used primarily for church purposes, loans made for the improvement of residential real property or real property used primarily for church purposes, provided that for purposes of this item, residential real property shall include single or multi-family dwellings, facilities in residential developments dedicated to public use or property used on a nonprofit basis for residents, and mobile homes not used on a transient basis;
- (v) property acquired through the liquidation of defaulted loans described in item (iv) of this clause;
- (vi) any regular or residual interest in a REMIC, as such term is defined in section 860D of the internal revenue code, but only in the proportion which the assets of such REMIC consist of property described in any of the preceding items of this clause, except that if ninety-five percent or more of the assets of such REMIC are assets described in items (i) through (v) of this clause, the entire interest in the REMIC shall qualify;
- 55 (vii) any mortgage-backed security which represents ownership of a 56 fractional undivided interest in a trust, the assets of which consist S. 6359--D

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  - primarily of mortgage loans, provided that the real property which serves as security for the loans is (or from the proceeds of the loan, will become) the type of property described in item (iv) of this clause and any collateralized mortgage obligation, the security for which consists primarily of mortgage loans that maintain as security the type of property described in item (iv) of this clause;
  - (viii) certificates of deposit in, or obligations of, a corporation organized under a state law which specifically authorizes such corporation to insure the deposits or share accounts of member associations;
  - (ix) loans secured by an interest in educational, health, or welfare institutions or facilities, including structures designed or used primarily for residential purposes for students, residents, and persons under care, employees, or members of the staff of such institutions or facilities;
  - (x) loans made for the payment of expenses of college or university education or vocational training;
  - (xi) property used by the taxpayer in support of business which consists principally of acquiring the savings of the public and investing in loans; and
  - (xii) loans for which the taxpayer is the creditor and which are wholly secured by loans described in item (iv) of this clause.
  - (xiii) The value of accrued interest receivable and any loss-sharing commitment or other loan guaranty by a governmental agency will be considered part of the basis in the loans to which the accrued interest or loss protection applies.
  - (B) At the election of the taxpayer, the percentage specified in clause (A) of this subparagraph shall be applied on the basis of the average assets outstanding during the taxable year, in lieu of the close of the taxable year. The taxpayer can elect to compute an average using the assets measured on the first day of the taxable year and on the last day of each subsequent quarter, or month or day during the taxable year. This election may be made annually.
  - (C) For purposes of item (iv) of clause (A) of this subparagraph, if a multifamily structure securing a loan is used in part for nonresidential use purposes, the entire loan is deemed a residential real property loan if the planned residential use exceeds eighty percent of the property's planned use (measured, at the taxpayer's election, by using square

footage or gross rental revenue, and determined as of the time the loan
is made).

- (D) For purposes of item (iv) of clause (A) of this subparagraph, loans made to finance the acquisition or development of land shall be deemed to be loans secured by an interest in residential real property if there is a reasonable assurance that the property will become residential real property within a period of three years from the date of acquisition of such land; but this sentence shall not apply for any taxable year unless, within such three year period, such land becomes residential real property. For purposes of determining whether any interest in a REMIC qualifies under item (vi) of clause (A) of this subparagraph, any regular interest in another REMIC held by such REMIC shall be treated as a loan described in a preceding item under principles similar to the principle of such item (vi), except that is such REMICs are part of a tiered structure, they shall be treated as one REMIC for purposes of such item (vi).
- (3) For purposes of this paragraph, a "thrift institution" is a savings bank, a savings and loan association, or other savings institution chartered and supervised as such under federal or state law.
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- (s) Subtraction modification for community banks and small thrifts.

  (1) A taxpayer that is a qualified community bank as defined in subparagraph two of this paragraph or a small thrift institution as defined in subparagraph two-a of this paragraph shall be allowed a deduction in computing entire net income equal to the amount computed under subparagraph three of this paragraph.
- (2) To be a qualified community bank, a taxpayer must satisfy the following conditions.
- (A) It is a bank or trust company organized under or subject to the provisions of article three of the banking law or a comparable provision of the laws of another state, or a national banking association.
- (B) The average value during the taxable year of the assets of the taxpayer, or the assets of the combined reporting group of the taxpayer under section two hundred ten-C of this article, must not exceed eight billion dollars.
- (2-a) To be a small thrift institution, a taxpayer must satisfy the following conditions.
- (A) It is a savings bank, a savings and loan association, or other savings institution chartered and supervised as such under federal or state law.
- (B) The average value during the taxable year of the assets of the taxpayer, or the assets of the combined reporting group of the taxpayer under section two hundred ten-C of this article, must not exceed eight billion dollars.
  - (3) (A) The subtraction modification shall be computed as follows:
- (i) Multiply the taxpayer's net interest income from loans during the taxable year by a fraction, the numerator of which is the gross interest income during the taxable year from qualifying loans and the denominator of which is the gross interest income during the taxable year from all loans.
- (ii) Multiply the amount determined in clause (i) by fifty percent. This product is the amount of the deduction allowed under this paragraph.
- (B) (i) Net interest income from loans shall mean gross interest income from loans less gross interest expense from loans. Gross interest expense from loans is determined by multiplying gross interest expense by a fraction, the numerator of which is the average total value of loans owned by the thrift institution or community bank during the taxable year and the denominator of which is the average total assets of the thrift institution or community bank during the taxable year.
- (ii) Measurement of assets. (I) Total assets are those assets that are properly reflected on a balance sheet, computed in the same manner as is

required by the banking regulator of the taxpayers included in the combined return.

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- (II) Assets will only be included if the income or expenses of which are properly reflected (or would have been properly reflected if not fully depreciated or expensed, or depreciated or expensed to a nominal amount) in the computation of the taxpayer's entire net income for the taxable year. Assets will not include deferred tax assets and intangible assets identified as "goodwill".
- (III) Tangible real and personal property, such as buildings, land, machinery, and equipment shall be valued at cost. Leased assets will be valued at the annual lease payment multiplied by eight. Intangible property, such as loans and investments, shall be valued at book value exclusive of reserves.

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- (IV) Average assets are computed using the assets measured on the first day of the taxable year, and on the last day of each subsequent quarter of the taxable year or month or day during the taxable year.
- (C) A qualifying loan is a loan that meets the conditions specified in subclause (i) of this clause and subclause (ii) of this clause.
- (i) The loan is originated by the qualified community bank or small thrift institution or purchased by the qualified community bank or small thrift institution immediately after its origination in connection with a commitment to purchase made by the bank or thrift institution prior to the loan's origination.
- (ii) The loan is a small business loan or a residential mortgage loan, the principal amount of which loan is five million dollars or less, and either the borrower is located in this state as determined under section two hundred ten-A of this article and the loan is not secured by real property, or the loan is secured by real property located in New York.
- (iii) A loan that meets the definition of a qualifying loan in a prior taxable year (including years prior to the effective date of this paragraph) remains a qualifying loan in taxable years during and after which such loan is acquired by another corporation in the taxpayer's combined reporting group under section two hundred ten-C of this article.
- (t) A small thrift institution or a qualified community bank, as defined in paragraph (s) of this subdivision, that maintained a captive REIT on April first, two thousand fourteen shall utilize a REIT subtraction equal to one hundred sixty percent of the dividends paid deductions allowed to that captive REIT for the taxable year for federal income tax purposes and shall not be allowed to utilize the subtraction modification for qualified residential loan portfolios under paragraph (r) of this subdivision or the subtraction modification for community banks and small thrifts under paragraph (s) of this subdivision in any tax year in which such thrift institution or community bank maintains that captive REIT.
- 10. The term "calendar year" means a period of twelve calendar months (or any shorter period beginning on the date the taxpayer becomes subject to the tax imposed by this article) ending on the thirty-first day of December, provided the taxpayer keeps its books on the basis of such period or on the basis of any period ending on any day other than the last day of a calendar month, or provided the taxpayer does not keep books, and includes, in case the taxpayer changes the period on the basis of which it keeps its books from a fiscal year to a calendar year, the period from the close of its last old fiscal year up to and including the following December thirty-first. The term "fiscal year" means a period of twelve calendar months (or any shorter period beginning on the date the taxpayer becomes subject to the tax imposed by this article) ending on the last day of any month other than December, provided the taxpayer keeps its books on the basis of such period, and includes, in case the taxpayer changes the period on the basis of which it keeps it books from a calendar year to a fiscal year or from one fiscal year to another fiscal year, the period from the close of its last old calendar

49 or fiscal year up to the date designated as the close of its new fiscal vear.

51 11. The term "tangible personal property" means corporeal personal property, such as machinery, tools, implements, goods, wares and merchandise, and does not mean money, deposits in banks, shares of 54 stock, bonds, notes, credits or evidences of an interest in property and 55 evidences of debt.

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- 12. The term elected or appointed officer shall include the chairman, president, vice-president, secretary, assistant secretary, treasurer, assistant treasurer, comptroller, and also any other officer, irrespec-4 tive of his title, who is charged with and performs any of the regular 5 functions of any such officer, unless the total compensation of such officer is derived exclusively from the receipt of commissions. A director shall be considered an elected or appointed officer only if he performs duties ordinarily performed by an officer.
  - [19. The term "fulfillment services" shall mean any of the following services performed by an entity on its premises on behalf of a purchas-
  - (a) the acceptance of orders electronically or by mail, telephone, telefax or internet;
  - (b) responses to consumer correspondence or inquiries electronically or by mail, telephone, telefax or internet;
    - (c) billing and collection activities; or

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- (d) the shipment of orders from an inventory of products offered for sale by the purchaser.
- § 5. Subdivisions 1, 2, 2-a, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of section 209 of the tax law, subdivisions 1 and 6 as amended by chapter 817 of the laws of 1987, subdivision 2 as amended by chapter 75 of the laws of 1998, subdivision 2-a as added by chapter 340 of the laws of 1998, subdivision 4 as amended by section 27 of part S of this act, subdivisions 5 and 7 as amended by section 2 of part FF-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, and subdivision 8 as added by section 1 of part 0 of chapter 61 of the laws of 2006, are amended to read as follows:
- 1. (a) For the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, or of doing business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in this state in a corporate or organized capacity, or of maintaining an office in this state, or of deriving receipts from activity in this state, for all or any part of each of its fiscal or calendar years, every domestic or foreign corporation, except corporations specified in 33 subdivision four of this section, shall annually pay a franchise tax, upon the basis of its [entire net] business income base, or upon such other basis as may be applicable as hereinafter provided, for such 36 fiscal or calendar year or part thereof, on a report which shall be filed, except as hereinafter provided, on or before the fifteenth day of March next succeeding the close of each such year, or, in the case of a corporation which reports on the basis of a fiscal year, within two and one-half months after the close of such fiscal year, and shall be paid as hereinafter provided.
  - (b) A corporation is deriving receipts from activity in this state if it has receipts within this state of one million dollars or more in the taxable year. For purposes of this section, the term "receipts" means the receipts that are subject to the apportionment rules set forth in section two hundred ten-A of this article, and the term "receipts within this state" means the receipts included in the numerator of the apportionment factor determined under section two hundred ten-A of this article. For purposes of this paragraph, receipts from processing credit card transactions for merchants include merchant discount fees received by the corporation.
  - (c) A corporation is doing business in this state if (i) it has issued credit cards to one thousand or more customers who have a mailing address within this state as of the last day of its taxable year, (ii)

locations in this state to whom the corporation remitted payments for credit card transactions during the taxable year, or (iii) the sum of the number of customers described in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph plus the number of locations covered by its contracts described in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph equals one thousand or more. As used in this subdivision, the term "credit card" includes bank, credit, travel and entertainment cards.

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- (d) (i) A corporation with less than one million dollars but at least ten thousand dollars of receipts within this state in a taxable year that is part of a combined reporting group under section two hundred ten-C of this article is deriving receipts from activity in this state if the receipts within this state of the members of the combined reporting group that have at least ten thousand dollars of receipts within this state in the aggregate meet the threshold set forth in paragraph (b) of this subdivision.
- (ii) A corporation that does not meet any of the thresholds set forth in paragraph (c) of this subdivision but has at least ten customers, or locations, or customers and locations, as described in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, and is part of a combined reporting group under section two hundred ten-C of this article that is doing business in this state if the number of customers, locations, or customers and locations, within this state of the members of the combined reporting group that have at least ten customers, locations, or customers and locations, within this state in the aggregate meets any of the thresholds set forth in paragraph (c) of this subdivision.
- (e) At the end of each year, the commissioner shall review the cumulative percentage change in the consumer price index. The commissioner shall adjust the receipt thresholds set forth in this subdivision if the consumer price index has changed by ten percent or more since January first, two thousand fifteen, or since the date that the thresholds were last adjusted under this subdivision. The thresholds shall be adjusted to reflect that cumulative percentage change in the consumer price index. The adjusted thresholds shall be rounded to the nearest one thousand dollars. As used in this paragraph, "consumer price index" means the consumer price index for all urban consumers (CPI-U) available form the bureau of labor statistics of the United States department of labor. Any adjustment shall apply to tax periods that begin after the adjustment is made.
- (f) If a partnership is doing business, employing capital, owning or leasing property in this state, maintaining an office in the state, or deriving receipts from activity in this state, any corporation that is a partner in such partnership shall be subject to tax under this article as described in the regulations of the commissioner.
- 2. A foreign corporation shall not be deemed to be doing business, employing capital, owning or leasing property, or maintaining an office in this state, or deriving receipts from activity in this state, for the purposes of this article, by reason of (a) the maintenance of cash balances with banks or trust companies in this state, or (b) the ownership of shares of stock or securities kept in this state, if kept in a safe deposit box, safe, vault or other receptacle rented for the 51 purpose, or if pledged as collateral security, or if deposited with one or more banks or trust companies, or brokers who are members of a recog-53 nized security exchange, in safekeeping or custody accounts, or (c) the 54 taking of any action by any such bank or trust company or broker, which is incidental to the rendering of safekeeping or custodian service to such corporation, or (d) the maintenance of an office in this state by S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

2 ees of the corporation if the corporation otherwise is not doing business in this state, and does not employ capital or own or lease property in this state, or (e) the keeping of books or records of a corporation in this state if such books or records are not kept by employees of such corporation and such corporation does not otherwise do business, employ capital, own or lease property or maintain an office in this state, or (f) [the use of fulfillment services of a person other than an affiliated person and the ownership of property stored on the premises of such person in conjunction with such services, or (g) any combination of the foregoing activities. [For purposes of this subdivision, persons are affiliated persons with respect to each other where one of such persons has an ownership interest of more than five percent, whether 14 direct or indirect, in the other, or where an ownership interest of more than five percent, whether direct or indirect, is held in each of such persons by another person or by a group of other persons which are affiliated persons with respect to each other. The term "person" in the preceding sentence and in paragraph (f) of this subdivision shall have the meaning ascribed thereto by subdivision (a) of section eleven hundred one of this chapter.

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2-a. An alien corporation shall not be deemed to be doing business, employing capital, owning or leasing property, or maintaining an office in this state, for the purposes of this article, if its activities in this state are limited solely to (a) investing or trading in stocks and securities for its own account within the meaning of clause (ii) of 26 subparagraph (A) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of section eight hundred sixty-four of the internal revenue code or (b) investing or 28 trading in commodities for its own account within the meaning of clause (ii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of section 30 eight hundred sixty-four of the internal revenue code or (c) any combination of activities described in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subdivision. An alien corporation that under any provision of the internal revenue code is not treated as a "domestic corporation" as defined in section seven thousand seven hundred one of such code and has no effectively connected income for the taxable year pursuant to clause (iv) of the opening paragraph of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article shall not be subject to tax under this article for that <u>taxable year.</u> For purposes of this [subdivision] <u>article</u>, an alien corporation is a corporation organized under the laws of a country, or any political subdivision thereof, other than the United States, or organized under the laws of a possession, territory or commonwealth of the United States.

4. Corporations liable to tax under sections one hundred eighty-three to one hundred eighty-four-a, inclusive, corporations taxable under [articles thirty-two and ] article thirty-three of this chapter, any trust company organized under a law of this state all of the stock of which is owned by not less than twenty savings banks organized under a law of this state, [bank holding companies filing a combined return in 49 accordance with subsection (f) of section fourteen hundred sixty-two of 50 **this chapter,**] a captive REIT or a captive RIC filing a combined return under [either subsection (f) of section fourteen hundred sixty-two or] subdivision (f) of section fifteen hundred fifteen of this chapter, and 53 housing companies organized and operating pursuant to the provisions of 54 article two or article five of the private housing finance law and hous-55 ing development fund companies organized pursuant to the provisions of S. 6359--D 38 A. 8559--D

article eleven of the private housing finance law shall not be subject to tax under this article.

5. For any taxable year of a real estate investment trust as defined in section eight hundred fifty-six of the internal revenue code in which such trust is subject to federal income taxation under section eight hundred fifty-seven of such code, such trust shall be subject to a tax computed under either paragraph (a) [, (c)] or (d) of subdivision one of

8 section two hundred ten of this chapter, whichever is [greatest] 9 greater, and shall not be subject to any tax under article [thirty-two 10 or article] thirty-three of this chapter except for a captive REIT 11 required to file a combined return under [subdivision (f) of section 12 **fourteen hundred sixty-two or**] subdivision (f) of section fifteen 13 hundred fifteen of this chapter. In the case of such a real estate 14 investment trust, including a captive REIT as defined in section two of 15 this chapter, the term "entire net income" means "real estate investment 16 trust taxable income" as defined in paragraph two of subdivision (b) of section eight hundred fifty-seven (as modified by section eight hundred 18 fifty-eight) of the internal revenue code plus the amount taxable under 19 paragraph three of subdivision (b) of section eight hundred fifty-seven 20 of such code, subject to the [modification modifications required by 21 subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article [{other than the modification required by subparagraph two of paragraph (a) thereof) including the modifications required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this article].

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- 6. For any taxable year of a DISC, not exempt from tax under paragraph (i) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article, the taxes imposed by subdivision one of this section shall be computed only under either paragraph (b) or (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter, whichever is greater[, and paragraph (e) of such subdivision].
- 7. For any taxable year, beginning on or after January first, nineteen 32 hundred eighty of a regulated investment company, as defined in section eight hundred fifty-one of the internal revenue code, in which such 34 company is subject to federal income taxation under section eight 35 hundred fifty-two of such code, such company shall be subject to a tax computed under either paragraph (a) [--(e)] or (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter, whichever is [greatest] greater, and shall not be subject to any tax under article [thirty-two 39 or article] thirty-three of this chapter except for a captive RIC required to file a combined return under [subdivision (f) of section 41 **fourteen hundred sixty-two or**] subdivision (f) of section fifteen 42 hundred fifteen of this chapter. In the case of such a regulated investment company, including a captive RIC as defined in section two of this chapter, the term "entire net income" means "investment company taxable income" as defined in paragraph two of subdivision (b) of section eight 46 hundred fifty-two, as modified by section eight hundred fifty-five, of the internal revenue code plus the amount taxable under paragraph three 48 of subdivision (b) of section eight hundred fifty-two of such code subject to the [modification modifications required by subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this chapter[, other than the modification required by subparagraph two of paragraph (a) and by paragraph (f) thereof, including the modification required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this chapter].
- 8. For any taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand six, a corporation that is no longer doing business, employing 56 capital, or owning or leasing property, or deriving receipts from activ-S. 6359--D 39

ity in this state in a corporate or organized capacity that has filed a 2 final tax return with the department for the last tax year it was doing 3 business and has no outstanding tax liability for such final tax return or any tax return for prior tax years shall be exempt from all taxes imposed by paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article for tax years following the last year such corporation was doing business.

- § 6. Section 209-A of the tax law is REPEALED.
- § 7. The section heading and subdivision 1 of section 209-B of the tax 10 law, the section heading as amended by chapter 11 of the laws of 1983and subdivision 1 as amended by section 4 of part A of chapter 59 of the 12 laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:

[Temporary metropolitan | Metropolitan transportation business tax surcharge. 1. (a) For the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, or of doing business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in a corporate or organized capacity, or of maintaining an office, or of deriving receipts from activity in the metropolitan commuter transportation district, for all or any part of its taxable year, there is hereby imposed on every corporation, other than a New York S corporation, subject to tax under section two hundred nine of this article, or any receiver, referee, trustee, assignee or other fiduciary, or any officer or agent appointed by any court, who conducts the business of any such corporation, [for the taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-two but ending before December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen, a tax surcharge, in addition to the tax imposed under section two hundred nine of this article, to be computed at the rate of [eighteen percent of the tax imposed under such section two hundred nine for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, and at the rate of seventeen percent of the tax imposed under such section for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending on or after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three  $\underline{\text{and before January first, two thousand fifteen}}$  after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article[+ provided, however, that], at the rate of twenty-five and six-tenths percent of the tax imposed under such section for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen before the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, and at the rate determined by the commissioner pursuant to paragraph (f) of this subdivision of the tax imposed under such section, for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen before the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article. However, such [rates] rate of tax surcharge shall be applied only to that portion of the tax imposed under section two hundred nine of this article [after] before the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article which is attributable to the taxpayer's business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district; and provided, further, [that the tax surcharge imposed by this section shall not be imposed upon any tampayer for more than four hundred thirty-two months. Provided however, that for taxable years commencing on or after July first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight, such surcharge shall be calculated as if the tax imposed under section two hundred ten of this article were imposed under the law in effect for taxable years commencing on or after July first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven and before July first, nineteen S. 6359--D

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hundred ninety-eight. Provided however, that for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand seven, such surcharge shall be calculated using the highest of the tax bases imposed pursuant to paragraphs (a), (b), (c) or (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article and the amount imposed under paragraph (e) of subdivision one of such section two hundred ten, for the taxable year; and, provided further that, if such highest amount is the tax base imposed under paragraph (a), (b) or (c) of such subdivision, then the surcharge shall be computed as if the tax rates and limitations under such paragraph were the tax rates and limitations under such paragraph in effect for taxable years commencing on or after July first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven and before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight] the surcharge computed on a combined report shall include a surcharge on the fixed dollar minimum tax for each member of the combined group subject to the surcharge under this subdivision.

(b) A corporation is deriving receipts from activity in the metropolitan commuter transportation district if it has receipts within the

metropolitan commuter transportation district of one million dollars or more in a taxable year. For purposes of this section, the term "receipts" means the receipts that are subject to the apportionment rules set forth in section two hundred ten-A of this article, and the term "receipts within the metropolitan commuter transportation district" means the receipts included in the numerator of the apportionment factor determined under subdivision two of this section. For purposes of this paragraph, receipts from processing credit card transactions for merchants include merchant discount fees received by the corporation.

- (c) A corporation is doing business in the metropolitan commuter transportation district if (i) it has issued credit cards to one thousand or more customers who have a mailing address within the metropolitan commuter transportation district as of the last day of its taxable year, (ii) it has merchant customer contracts with merchants and the total number of locations covered by those contracts equals one thousand or more locations in the metropolitan commuter transportation district to whom the corporation remitted payments for credit card transactions during the taxable year, or (iii) the sum of the number of customers described in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph plus the number of locations covered by its contracts described in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph equals one thousand or more. As used in this paragraph, the term "credit card" includes bank, credit, travel and entertainment cards.
- (d) (i) A corporation with less than one million dollars but at least ten thousand dollars of receipts within the metropolitan commuter transportation district in a taxable year that is part of a combined reporting group under section two hundred ten-C of this article is deriving receipts from activity in the metropolitan commuter transportation district if the receipts within the metropolitan commuter transportation district of the members of the combined reporting group that have at least ten thousand dollars of receipts within the metropolitan commuter transportation district in the aggregate meet the threshold set forth in paragraph (b) of this subdivision.
- (ii) A corporation that does not meet any of the thresholds set forth in paragraph (c) of this subdivision but has at least ten customers, or locations, or customers and locations, as described in paragraph (c), and is part of a combined reporting group under section two hundred ten-C of this article that is doing business in the metropolitan commuter transportation district if the number of customers, locations, or S. 6359-D

customers and locations, within the metropolitan commuter transportation district of the members of the combined reporting group that have at least ten customers, locations, or customers and locations, within the metropolitan commuter transportation district in the aggregate meets any of the thresholds set forth in paragraph (c) of this subdivision.

- (e) At the end of each year, the commissioner shall review the cumulative percentage change in the consumer price index. The commissioner shall adjust the receipt thresholds set forth in this subdivision if the consumer price index has changed by ten percent or more since the January first, two thousand fifteen or since the date that the thresholds were last adjusted under this subdivision. The thresholds shall be adjusted to reflect that cumulative percentage change in the consumer price index. The adjusted thresholds shall be rounded to the nearest one thousand dollars. As used in this paragraph, "consumer price index" means the consumer price index for all urban consumers (CPI-U) available from the bureau of labor statistics of the United States department of labor. Any adjustment shall apply to tax periods that begin after the adjustment is made.
- (f) The commissioner shall determine the rate of tax for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen by adjusting the rate for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen as

necessary to ensure that the receipts attributable to such surcharge, as impacted by the chapter of the laws of two thousand fourteen which added this paragraph, will meet and not exceed the financial projections for state fiscal year two thousand sixteen-two thousand seventeen, as reflected in state fiscal year two thousand fifteen-two thousand sixteen enacted budget. The commissioner shall annually determine the rate thereafter using the financial projections for the state fiscal year that commences in the year for which the rate is to be set as reflected in the enacted budget for the fiscal year commencing on the previous April first.

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- Subdivision 2 of section 209-B of the tax law, as amended by § 8. chapter 11 of the laws of 1983, paragraph (a) as amended by chapter 760 of the laws of 1992 and subparagraph 2 of paragraph (b) as amended by section 3 of part K of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
- 2. The portion of the taxpayer's business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district shall be determined by multiplying the tax imposed under section two hundred nine of this article before the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article by a percentage to be determined as follows:
- (a) ascertaining the percentage which the average value of the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property, whether owned or rented to it, within the metropolitan commuter transportation district during the period covered by its report bears to the average value of all the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property, whether owned or rented to it, within the state during such period; provided that the term "value of the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property" shall [have the same meaning as is ascribed to that term by subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten | mean the adjusted bases of such properties for federal income tax purposes (except that in the case of rented property such value shall mean the product of (i) eight and (ii) the gross rents payable for the rental of such property during the taxable year); provided, however, that the taxpayer may make a one-time, revocable election to use fair market A. 8559--D S. 6359--D

value as the value of all of its real and tangible personal property, provided that such election is made on or before the due date for filing a report under section two hundred eleven for the taxpayer's first taxable year commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and provided that such election shall not apply to any taxable year with respect to which the taxpayer is included on a combined report unless each of the taxpayers included on such report has made such an election which remains in effect for such year;

- (b) ascertaining the percentage [which the receipts of the taxpayer, computed on the cash or accrual basis according to the method of accounting used in the computation of its entire net income, arising during such period from:
- (1) sales of its tangible personal property where shipments are made to points within the metropolitan commuter transportation district,
- (2) services performed within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, provided, however, that (i) in the case of a taxpayer engaged in the business of publishing newspapers or periodicals, receipts arising from sales of advertising contained in such newspapers and periodicals shall be deemed to arise from services performed within the metropolitan commuter transportation district to the extent that such newspapers and periodicals are delivered to points within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, (ii) receipts from an investment company from the sale of management, administration or distribution services to such investment company shall be deemed to arise from services performed within the metropolitan commuter transportation 26 district to the extent set forth in subparagraph six of paragraph (a) of 27 subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this chapter (except

that references in such subparagraph six to the state shall be deemed, for purposes of application to this clause, to be references to the metropolitan commuter transportation district), (iii) in the case of taxpayers principally engaged in the activity of air freight forwarding acting as principal and like indirect air carriage receipts arising from such activity shall arise from services performed within the metropolitan commuter transportation district as follows: one hundred percent of such receipts if both the pickup and delivery associated with such receipts are made in the metropolitan commuter transportation district and fifty percent of such receipts if either the pickup or delivery associated with such receipts is made in the metropolitan commuter transportation district, and (iv) in the case of a taxpayer which is a registered securities or commodities broker or dealer, the receipts specified in subparagraph nine of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this article shall be deemed to arise from services performed within the metropolitan commuter transportation district to the extent set forth in such subparagraph nine (except that references in such subparagraph nine to the state shall be deemed, for purposes of the application of this clause, to be references to the metropolitan commuter transportation district),

(3) rentals from property situated and royalties from the use of patents or copyrights within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, and receipts from the sales of rights for closed-circuit and cable television transmissions of an event (other than events occurring on a regularly scheduled basis) taking place within the metropolitan commuter transportation district as a result of the rendition of services by employees of the corporation, as athletes, entertainers or performing artists, but only to the extent that such receipts are S. 6359-D

attributable to such transmissions received or exhibited within the metropolitan communter transportation district, and

- (4) all other business receipts earned within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, bear to the total amount of the taxpayer's receipts, similarly computed, arising during such period from all sales of its tangible personal property, services, rentals, royalties, receipts from the sales of rights for closed-circuit and cable television transmissions and all other business transactions, within the state; of the taxpayer's receipts within the metropolitan commuter transportation district pursuant to the method prescribed in section two hundred ten-A of this article, except that
- (i) the numerator of the apportionment fraction under such section two hundred ten-A shall be the denominator of the apportionment fraction under this paragraph,
- (ii) the numerator of the apportionment fraction under this paragraph shall be determined by applying the rules in such section two hundred ten-A relating to the numerator of the apportionment fraction as if those rules referenced the metropolitan commuter transportation district rather than this state,
- (iii) to the extent that a provision in such section two hundred ten-A provides that eight percent of the receipts specified in that provision should be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction, nine-ty percent of such eight percent amount shall be considered within the metropolitan commuter transportation district and one hundred percent of such eight percent amount shall be considered to be within the state, and
- (iv) to the extent that a provision in such section two hundred ten-A of this article provides that the receipts specified in that provision shall not be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction under such section two hundred ten-A, such receipts shall not be included in determining the portion of the taxpayer's business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district;
  - (c) ascertaining the percentage of the total wages, salaries and other

34 personal service compensation, similarly computed, during such period, 35 of employees within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, 36 except general executive officers, to the total wages, salaries and other personal service compensation, similarly computed, during such period, of all the taxpayer's employees within the state, except general executive officers; and

- (d) adding together the percentages so determined and dividing the result by the number of percentages.
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- § 10. Subdivisions 2-a and 2-b of section 209-B of the tax law are REPEALED.
- § 11. Subdivisions 3 and 5 of section 209-B of the tax law, subdivision 3 as amended by chapter 11 of the laws of 1983 and subdivision 5 as amended by chapter 166 of the laws of 1991, are amended to read as follows:
- 3. A corporation shall not be deemed to be doing business, employing capital, owning or leasing property, or maintaining an office, or deriving receipts from activity in the metropolitan commuter transportation 52 district, for the purposes of this section, by reason of (a) the mainte-53 nance of cash balances with banks or trust companies in the metropolitan 54 commuter transportation district, or (b) the ownership of shares of 55 stock or securities kept in the metropolitan commuter transportation 56 district, if kept in a safe deposit box, safe, vault or other receptacle S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

1 rented for the purpose, or if pledged as collateral security, or 2 deposited with one or more banks or trust companies, or brokers who are 3 members of a recognized security exchange, in safekeeping or custody 4 accounts, or (c) the taking of any action by any such bank or trust 5 company or broker, which is incidental to the rendering of safekeeping 6 or custodian service to such corporation, or (d) the maintenance of an office in the metropolitan commuter transportation district by one or more officers or directors of the corporation who are not employees of the corporation if the corporation otherwise is not doing business in the metropolitan commuter transportation district, and does not employ capital or own or lease property in the metropolitan commuter transpor-12 tation district, or (e) the keeping of books or records of a corporation 13 in the metropolitan commuter transportation district if such books or 14 records are not kept by employees of such corporation and such corpo-15 ration does not otherwise do business, employ capital, own or lease 16 property or maintain an office in the metropolitan commuter transportation district, or (f) any combination of the foregoing activities.

5. The provisions concerning reports under [section] sections two hundred ten-C and two hundred eleven shall be applicable to this section, except that for purposes of an automatic extension for six 21 months for filing a report covering the tax surcharge imposed by this 22 section, such automatic extension shall be allowed only if a taxpayer 23 files with the commissioner an application for extension in such form as 24 said commissioner may prescribe by regulation and pays on or before the 25 date of such filing in addition to any other amounts required under this 26 article, either ninety percent of the entire tax surcharge required to be paid under this section for the applicable period, or not less than the tax surcharge shown on the taxpayer's return for the preceding taxa-29 ble year, if such preceding taxable year was a taxable year of twelve 30 months; provided, however, that in no event shall such amount be less than the product of the following three amounts: (1) the tax surcharge rate in effect for the taxable year pursuant to subdivision one of this section, (2) the fixed dollar minimum applicable to such taxpayer as determined under paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter for the taxable year, and (3) the percentage determined under subdivision two of this section for the preceding taxable year, unless the taxpayer was not subject to the tax surcharge imposed 38 pursuant to this section with respect to such year, in which case such

39 percentage shall be deemed to be one hundred percent. The tax surcharge imposed by this section shall be payable to the commissioner in full at the time the report is required to be filed, and such tax surcharge or the balance thereof, imposed on any taxpayer which ceases to exercise its franchise or be subject to the tax surcharge imposed by this section shall be payable to the commissioner at the time the report is required to be filed, provided such tax surcharge of a domestic corporation which 45 continues to possess its franchise shall be subject to adjustment as the 47 circumstances may require; all other tax surcharges of any such taxpay-48 er, which pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this section would otherwise be payable subsequent to the time such report is required to 50 be filed, shall nevertheless be payable at such time. All of the 51 provisions of this article presently applicable are applicable to the tax surcharge imposed by this section.

§ 12. Subdivision 1 of section 210 of the tax law, as added by chapter 54 817 of the laws of 1987, the opening paragraph as amended by section 1 of part D and paragraph (g) as amended by section 2 of part A of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, paragraph (a) as amended by section 2 of part N S. 6359--D 4.5

1 of chapter 60 of the laws of 2007, subparagraph 2 of paragraph (b) as amended by section 1 of part GG-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, subparagraph 3 of paragraph (b) as added by section 2 of part Z of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (c) as amended by section 2 of part C and subparagraph 5 of paragraph (d) as added by section 3 of part C of chapter 56 of the laws of 2011, subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) as amended by section 1 of part C of chapter 56 of the laws of 2011, subparagraph (vii) as added by section 1 of part Z of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (c) as added by section 3 of part Z of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, 10 subparagraph 6 of paragraph (d) as added by section 4 of part Z of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, paragraph (b) as amended by section 1 of part GG1, subparagraph 3 of paragraph (d) as amended by section 3 of part AA1, subparagraph 4 of paragraph (d) as added by section 2 of part AA1 and subparagraph 1 of paragraph (g) as amended by section 4 of part AA1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, paragraph (c) as amended by section 10 of part A and subparagraph 1 of paragraph (d) as amended by section 12 of part A of chapter 56 of the laws of 1998, paragraph (d) as amended by chapter 760 of the laws of 1992, paragraph (e) as amended by section 1 of part P of chapter 407 of the laws of 1999, and paragraph (f) as amended by section 2 of part E of chapter 61 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:

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1. The tax imposed by subdivision one of section two hundred nine of this chapter shall be: (A) in the case of each taxpayer other than a New York S corporation or a qualified homeowners association, the [sum of (1) the highest of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (a), (b), [(e)] and (d) of this subdivision [and (2) the amount prescribed in paragraph (e) of this subdivision], (B) in the case of each New York S corporation, the amount prescribed in paragraph  $[\frac{(g)}{(g)}]$  of this subdivision, and (C) in the case of a qualified homeowners association, the [sum of (1) the] highest of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (a)  $[\tau]$ and (b) [and (c)] of this subdivision [and (2) the amount prescribed in paragraph (e) of this subdivision ]. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "qualified homeowners association" means a homeowners association, as such term is defined in subsection (c) of section five hundred twenty-eight of the internal revenue code without regard to subparagraph (E) of paragraph one of such subsection (relating to elections to be taxed pursuant to such section), which has no homeowners association taxable income, as such term is defined in subsection (d) of such section. 40 Provided, however, that in the case of a small business taxpayer (other than a New York S corporation) as defined in paragraph (f) of this 42 subdivision, for taxable years beginning before January first, two thou-43 sand sixteen, if the amount prescribed in such paragraph (b) is higher

than the amount prescribed in such paragraph (a) solely by reason of the application of the rate applicable to small business taxpayers, then with respect to such taxpayer the tax referred to in the previous sentence shall be [ $\frac{\text{the sum of (1) the highest}}{\text{the amounts}}$ ]  $\frac{\text{higher}}{\text{the amounts}}$  of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (a) [ $\frac{\text{re}}{\text{the amount prescribed in paragraph (e) of this subdivision}}$ ].

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(a) [Entire net] Business income base. [For taxable years beginning before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of nine percent of the taxpayer's entire net income base. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before July first, two thousand, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of eight and one-half percent of the taxpayer's entire net S. 6359-D

income base. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand and before July first, two thousand one, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of eight percent of the taxpayer's entire net income base. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand one and before January first, two thousand seven, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of seven and one-half percent of the taxpayer's entire net income base.] For taxable years beginning [on or after] before January first, two thousand [seven] sixteen, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of seven and one-tenth percent of the taxpayer's [entire net] business income base. For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be six and one-half percent of the taxpayer's business income base. The taxpayer's [entire net] business income base shall mean the portion of the taxpayer's [entire net] business income allocated within the state as hereinafter provided[ - subject to any modification required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of this section]. However, in the case of a small business taxpayer, as defined in paragraph (f) of this subdivision, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed pursuant to subparagraph (iv) of this paragraph and in the case of a manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of this paragraph, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed pursuant to subparagraph (vi) of this paragraph.

[(i) if the entire net income base is not more than two hundred thousand dollars, (1) for taxable years beginning before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, the amount shall be eight percent of the entire net income base; (2) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before July first, two thousand three, the amount shall be seven and one-half percent of the entire net income base; and (3) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand three and before January first, two thousand five, the amount shall be 6.85 percent of the entire net income base;

(ii) if the entire net income base is more than two hundred thousand dollars but not over two hundred ninety thousand dollars, (1) for taxable years beginning before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, the amount shall be the sum of (a) sixteen thousand dollars, (b) nine percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred thousand dollars and (c) five percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars; (2) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before July first, two thousand, the amount shall be the sum of (a) fifteen thousand dollars, (b) eight and one-half percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred thousand dollars and (c) five percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars; (3) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand and before July first, two thousand one, the amount shall be the sum of (a) fifteen thousand dollars, (b) eight percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred

thousand dollars and (c) two and one-half percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars; (4) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand one and before July first, two thousand three, the amount shall be seven and 53 one-half percent of the entire net income base; and (5) for taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand three and before 55 January first, two thousand five, the amount shall be the sum of (a) thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars, (b) 7.5 percent of the excess S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

of the entire net income base over two hundred thousand dollars and (c) 3.25 percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars;

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(iii) for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand five and ending before January first, two thousand seven, if the entire net income base is not more than two hundred ninety thousand dollars the amount shall be six and one-half percent of the entire net income base; if the entire net income base is more than two hundred ninety thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars the amount shall be the sum of (1) eighteen thousand eight hundred fifty dollars, (2) seven and one-half percent of the excess of the entire net income base over two hundred ninety thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars and (3) seven and onequarter percent of the excess of the entire net income base over three hundred fifty thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars;

(iv) for taxable years beginning [on or after] before January first, 18 two thousand [seven] sixteen, if the [entire net] business income base is not more than two hundred ninety thousand dollars the amount shall be six and one-half percent of the [entire net] business income base; if the [entire net] business income base is more than two hundred ninety thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars the amount shall be the sum of (1) eighteen thousand eight hundred fifty dollars, (2) seven and one-tenth percent of the excess of the [entire net] business income base over two hundred ninety thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars and (3) four and thirtyfive hundredths percent of the excess of the [entire net] business income base over three hundred fifty thousand dollars but not over three hundred ninety thousand dollars;

- (v) if the taxable period to which [subparagraphs (i), (ii), (iii), and subparagraph (iv) of this paragraph [apply] applies is less than twelve months, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed as follows:
- (A) Multiply the [entire net] business income base for such taxpayer by twelve;
- (B) Divide the result obtained in (A) by the number of months in the taxable year;
- (C) Compute an amount pursuant to [subparagraphs (i) and (ii)] subparagraph (iv) as if the result obtained in (B) were the taxpayer's [entire net] business income base;
- (D) Multiply the result obtained in (C) by the number of months in the taxpayer's taxable year;
  - (E) Divide the result obtained in (D) by twelve.
- (vi) for taxable years beginning on or after January [thirty-first] first, two thousand [seven] fourteen, the amount prescribed by this paragraph for a taxpayer which is a qualified New York manufacturer, shall be computed at the rate of [six and one-half (6.5)] zero percent of the taxpayer's [entire net] business income base. [For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twelve and before January first, two thousand fifteen, the amount prescribed by this paragraph for a taxpayer which is an eligible qualified New York manufacturer shall be computed at the rate of three and one-quarter (3.25) percent 53 of the taxpayer's entire net income base.] The term "manufacturer" shall

54 mean a taxpayer which during the taxable year is principally engaged in 55 the production of goods by manufacturing, processing, assembling, refin-56 ing, mining, extracting, farming, agriculture, horticulture, floricul-S. 6359--D

1 ture, viticulture or commercial fishing. However, the generation and 2 distribution of electricity, the distribution of natural gas, and the production of steam associated with the generation of electricity shall 4 not be qualifying activities for a manufacturer under this subparagraph. 5 Moreover, the combined group shall be considered a "manufacturer" for 6 purposes of this subparagraph only if the combined group during the taxable year is principally engaged in the activities set forth in this 8 paragraph, or any combination thereof. A taxpayer or a combined group 9 shall be "principally engaged" in activities described above if, during 10 the taxable year, more than fifty percent of the gross receipts of the 11 taxpayer or combined group, respectively, are derived from receipts from the sale of goods produced by such activities. In computing a combined group's gross receipts, intercorporate receipts shall be eliminated. A 13 14 "qualified New York manufacturer" is a manufacturer which has property in New York which is described in [clause (A) of subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of] subdivision [twelve of this section] one of section two hundred ten-B of this article and either (I) the adjusted basis of 17 18 such property for federal income tax purposes at the close of the taxable year is at least one million dollars or (II) all of its real and 19 20 personal property is located in New York. [In addition, a "qualified New 21 York manufacturer" means a taxpayer which is defined as a qualified emerging technology company under paragraph (c) of subdivision one of 23 section thirty-one hundred two-e of the public authorities law regardless of the ten million dollar limitation expressed in subparagraph one of such paragraph (c). The commissioner shall establish quidelines and 26 criteria that specify requirements by which a manufacturer may be clas-27 sified as an eligible qualified New York manufacturer. Criteria may include but not be limited to factors such as regional unemployment, the economic impact that manufacturing has on the surrounding community, population decline within the region and median income within the region 30 in which the manufacturer is located. In establishing these guidelines 31 32 and criteria, the commissioner shall endeavor that the total annual cost 33 of the lower rates shall not exceed twenty-five million dollars.] A 34 taxpayer or, in the case of a combined report, a combined group, that does not satisfy the principally engaged test may be a qualified New 36 York manufacturer if the taxpayer or the combined group employs during the taxable year at least two thousand five hundred employees in manu-37 facturing in New York and the taxpayer or the combined group has property in the state used in manufacturing, the adjusted basis of which for 39 40 federal income tax purposes at the close of the taxable year is at least 41 one hundred million dollars.

(vii) For a taxpayer that is defined as a qualified [New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of this paragraph, | emerging technology company under paragraph (c) of subdivision one of section thirty-one hundred two-e of the public authorities law regardless of the ten million dollar limitation expressed in subparagraph one of such paragraph (c) the rate at which the tax is computed in effect for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand thirteen and before January first, two thousand fourteen for such qualified [New York manufacturers] emerging technology companies shall be reduced by nine and two-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fourteen and before January first, two thousand fifteen, twelve and three-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on 54 or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen, fifteen and four-tenths percent for taxable years 56 commencing on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before S. 6359--D 49 A. 8559--D

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January first, two thousand eighteen, and twenty-five percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eighteen.

- (viii) (A) In computing the business income base, taxpayers shall be allowed both a prior net operating loss conversion subtraction under this subparagraph and a net operating loss deduction under subparagraph (ix) of this paragraph. The prior net operating loss conversion subtraction computed under this subparagraph shall be applied against the business income base before the net operating loss deduction computed under subparagraph (ix) of this paragraph.
  - (B) Prior net operating loss conversion subtraction.
  - Definitions.

- (I) "Base year" means the last taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand fourteen and before January first, two thousand fifteen.
- (II) "Unabsorbed net operating loss" means the unabsorbed portion of net operating loss as calculated under paragraph (f) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article or subsection (k-1) of section fourteen hundred fifty-three of this chapter as such sections were in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, that was not deductible in previous taxable years and was eligible for carryover on the last day of the base year subject to the limitations for deduction under such sections, including any net operating loss sustained by the taxpayer during the base year.
- (III) "Base year BAP" means the taxpayer's business allocation percentage as calculated under paragraph (a) of subdivision three of this section for the base year, or the taxpayer's allocation percentage as calculated under section fourteen hundred fifty-four of this chapter for purposes of calculating entire net income for the base year, as such sections were in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (IV) "Base year tax rate" means the taxpayer's tax rate for the base year as calculated under this paragraph or subsection (a) of section fourteen hundred fifty-five of this chapter, as such provisions were in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (2) The prior net operating loss conversion subtraction shall be calculated as follows:
- (I) The taxpayer shall first calculate the tax value of its unabsorbed net operating loss for the base year. The value is equal to the product of (I) the amount of the taxpayer's unabsorbed net operating loss, (II) the taxpayer's base year BAP, and (III) the taxpayer's base year tax rate.
- (II) The product determined under item (I) of this subclause is then divided by six and one-half percent, or in the case of a qualified New York manufacturer, five and seven-tenths percent. This result shall equal the taxpayer's prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool.
- (III) The taxpayer's prior net operating loss conversion subtraction for the taxable year shall equal one-tenth of its net operating loss conversion subtraction pool plus any amount of unused prior net operating loss conversion subtraction from preceding taxable years. Provided, however, the prior net operating loss conversion subtraction of a small business corporation, as defined in paragraph (f) of this subdivision, as of the last day of the base year, shall not be subject to the one-tenth limitation in the previous sentence.
- (IV) In lieu of the subtraction described in item (III) of this subclause, if the taxpayer so elects, the taxpayer's prior net operating loss conversion subtraction for the tax years beginning on or after S. 6359--D

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January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand seventeen shall equal in each year, not more than one-half of its net operating loss conversion subtraction pool. The taxpayer shall make such election on its return for the tax year beginning on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand

sixteen by the due date for such return (determined with regard to extensions).

- (3) Combined groups. (I) Where a taxpayer was properly included or required to be included in a combined report for the base year pursuant to section two hundred eleven of this article or a combined return under section fourteen hundred sixty-two of this chapter, as such sections were in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, and the members of the combined group for the base year are the same as the members of the combined group for the taxable year immediately succeeding the base year, the combined group shall calculate its prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool using the combined group's total unabsorbed net operating loss, base year BAP, and base year tax rate.
- (II) If a combined group includes additional members in the taxable year immediately succeeding the base year that were not included in the combined group during the base year, each base year combined group and each taxpayer that filed separately in the base year but is included in the combined group in the taxable year succeeding the base year shall calculate its prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool, and the sum of the pools shall be the combined prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool of the combined group.
- (III) If a taxpayer was properly included in a combined report for the base year and files a separate report in a subsequent taxable year, then the amount of remaining prior net operating loss conversion subtraction allowed to the taxpayer filing such separate report shall be proportionate to the amount that such taxpayer contributed to the prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool on a combined basis, and the remaining prior net operating loss conversion subtraction allowed to the remaining members of the combined group shall be reduced accordingly.
- (IV) If a taxpayer filed a separate report for the base year and is properly included in a combined report in a subsequent taxable year, then the prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pool of the combined group shall be increased by the amount of the remaining net operating loss conversion subtraction allowed to the taxpayer at the time the taxpayer is properly included in the combined group.
- (4) The prior net operating loss conversion subtraction may be used to reduce the taxpayer's tax on allocated business income to the higher of the tax on the capital base under paragraph (b) of this subdivision or the fixed dollar minimum under paragraph (d) of this subdivision. Any amount of unused subtraction shall be carried forward to subsequent tax year or years until tax years beginning on or after January first, two thousand thirty-six. Such amount carried forward shall not be subject to the one-tenth limitation for the subsequent tax year or years. However, if the taxpayer elects to compute its prior net operating loss conversion subtraction pursuant to item (IV) of subclause two of this clause, the taxpayer shall not carry forward any amount of such subtraction beyond its tax year beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand seventeen.
- (ix) Net operating loss deduction. In computing the business income base, a net operating loss deduction shall be allowed. A net operating loss deduction is the amount of net operating loss or losses from one or S. 6359--D

more taxable years that are carried forward to a particular income year. A net operating loss is the amount of a business loss incurred in a particular tax year multiplied by the apportionment factor for that year as determined under section two hundred ten-A of this article. The maximum net operating deduction that is allowed in a taxable year is the amount that reduces the taxpayer's tax on allocated business income to the higher of the tax on the capital base or the fixed dollar minimum. Such deduction and loss are determined in accordance with the following:

(1) Such net operating loss deduction is not limited to the amount

(1) Such net operating loss deduction is not limited to the amount allowed under section one hundred seventy-two of the internal revenue

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- (2) Such net operating loss deduction shall not include any net operating loss incurred during any taxable year beginning prior to January first, two thousand fifteen, or during any taxable year in which the taxpayer was not subject to the tax imposed by this article.
- (3) A taxpayer that files as part of a federal consolidated return but on a separate basis for purposes of this article must compute its deduction and loss as if it were filing on a separate basis for federal income tax purposes.
- (4) A net operating loss may be carried forward to each of the twenty taxable years following the taxable year of the loss. A net operating loss may be carried back to each of the three taxable years preceding the taxable year of the loss; provided, however no loss can be carried back to a tax year prior to a tax year beginning on or after January, first, two thousand fifteen. A taxpayer must apply both of these limitations in computing such net operating loss deduction.
- (5) Such net operating loss deduction shall not include any net operating loss incurred during a New York S year; provided, however, a New York S year must be treated as a taxable year for purposes of determining the number of taxable years to which a net operating loss may be carried forward.
- (6) Where there are two or more allocated net operating losses, or portions thereof, carried forward to be deducted in one particular tax year from allocated business income, the earliest allocated loss incurred must be applied first.
- (b) Capital base. (1) The [amount prescribed by this paragraph for taxable years beginning before January first, two thousand eight shall be computed at .178 percent for each dollar of the taxpayer's total business and investment capital, or the portion thereof allocated within the state as hereinafter provided. For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eight, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at .15 percent for each dollar of the taxpayer's total business [and investment] capital, or the portion thereof allocated within the state as hereinafter provided for taxable years beginning before January first, two thousand sixteen. However, in the case of a cooperative housing corporation as defined in the internal revenue code, the applicable rate shall be .04 percent until taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty. rate of tax for subsequent tax years shall be as follows: .125 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand seventeen; .100 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand seventeen and before January first, two thousand eighteen; .075 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand S. 6359--D

eighteen and before January first, two thousand nineteen; .050 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand nineteen and before January first, two thousand twenty; .025 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty and before January first, two thousand twenty-one; and zero percent for years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty-one. The rate of tax for a qualified New York manufacturer for tax years subsequent to taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen shall be .106 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand seventeen, .085 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand seventeen and before January first, two thousand eighteen; .056 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eighteen and before January first, two thousand nineteen; .038

percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand nineteen and before January first, thousand twenty; .019 percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty and before January first, two thousand twenty-one; and zero percent for years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty-one. In no event shall the amount prescribed by this paragraph exceed three hundred fifty thousand dollars for qualified New York manufacturers and for all other taxpayers [tem] five million dollars [for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eight but before January first, two thousand eleven and one million dollars for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eleven].

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(2) For purposes of subparagraph one of this paragraph, the term "manufacturer" shall mean a taxpayer which during the taxable year is principally engaged in the production of goods by manufacturing, processing, assembling, refining, mining, extracting, farming, agriculture, horticulture, floriculture, viticulture or commercial fishing. Moreover, for purposes of computing the capital base in a combined report, the combined group shall be considered a "manufacturer" for purposes of this subparagraph only if the combined group during the taxable year is principally engaged in the activities set forth in this subparagraph, or any combination thereof. A taxpayer or a combined group shall be "principally engaged" in activities described above if, during the taxable year, more than fifty percent of the gross receipts of the taxpayer or combined group, respectively, are derived from receipts from the sale of goods produced by such activities. In computing a combined group's gross 42 receipts, intercorporate receipts shall be eliminated. A "qualified New 43 York manufacturer" is a manufacturer that has property in New York that 44 is described in [clause (A) of subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of] subdivision [twelve of this section] one of section 210-B of this article and either (i) the adjusted basis of that property for federal income tax purposes at the close of the taxable year is at least one million dollars or (ii) all of its real and personal property is located in New York. In addition, a "qualified New York manufacturer" means a taxpayer that is defined as a qualified emerging technology company under paragraph (c) of subdivision one of section thirty-one hundred two-e of the public authorities law regardless of the ten million dollar limitation expressed in subparagraph one of such paragraph. A taxpayer or, in the case of a combined report, a combined group, that does not satisfy the principally engaged test may be a qualified New York manufacturer if the taxpayer or the combined group employs during the S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

taxable year at least two thousand five hundred employees in manufacturing in New York and the taxpayer or the combined group has property in the state used in manufacturing, the adjusted basis of which for federal income tax purposes at the close of the taxable year is at least one hundred million dollars.

[(3) For a qualified New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph two of this paragraph, the rate at which the tax is computed in effect for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand thirteen and before January first, two thousand fourteen shall be reduced by nine and two-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fourteen and before January first, two thousand fifteen, twelve and three-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen, fifteen and four-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand eighteen, and twenty-five percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eighteen.

(c) Minimum taxable income bases. (i) For taxable years beginning after nineteen hundred eighty-six and before nineteen hundred eightynine, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of three and one-half percent of the taxpayer's pre-nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income base. For taxable years beginning in nineteen hundred eighty-nine, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of five percent of the taxpayer's pre-nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income base. A "taxpayer's pre-nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income base" shall mean the portion of the taxpayer's entire net income allocated within the state as hereinafter provided, subject to any modification required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of this section;

(ii) (A) For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand seven, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of one and one-half percent of the taxpayer's minimum taxable income base. The "taxpayer's minimum taxable income base" shall mean the portion of the taxpayer's minimum taxable income allocated within the state as hereinafter provided, subject to any modifications required by paragraphs (d) and (e) of subdivision three of this section.

(B) For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twelve and before January first, two thousand fifteen, the amount prescribed by this paragraph for an eligible qualified New York manufacturer shall be computed at the rate of seventy-five hundredths (.75) percent of the taxpayer's minimum taxable income base. For purposes of this clause, the term "eligible qualified New York manufacturer" shall have the same meaning as in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision.

(iii) For a qualified New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, the rate at which the tax is computed in effect for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand thirteen and before January first, two thousand fourteen for qualified New York manufacturers shall be reduced by nine and two tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen, twelve and three-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen, fifteen and four tenths percent for taxable years

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commencing on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand eighteen, and twenty-five percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eighteen.

- (d) Fixed dollar minimum. (1) The [amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be for a taxpayer which during the taxable year has:
- (A) a gross payroll of six million two hundred fifty thousand dollars or more, one thousand five hundred dollars;
- (B) a gross payroll of less than six million two hundred fifty thousand dollars but more than one million dollars, four hundred twenty-five dollars;
- (C) a gross payroll of no more than one million dollars but more than five hundred thousand dollars, three hundred twenty-five dollars;
- (D) a gross payroll of no more than five hundred thousand dollars but more than two hundred fifty thousand dollars, two hundred twenty-five dollars;
- (E) a gross payroll of two hundred fifty thousand dollars or less (except as prescribed in clause (F) of this subparagraph), one hundred dollars;
- (F) a gross payroll of one thousand dollars or less, with total receipts within and without this state of one thousand dollars or less, and the average value of the assets of which are one thousand dollars or less, eight hundred dollars.
  - (2) For purposes of this paragraph:
- (A) gross payroll shall be the same as the total wages, salaries and other personal service compensation of all the taxpayer's employees,

26 within and without this state, as defined in subparagraph three of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of this section, except that general 28 executive officers shall not be excluded.

(B) total receipts shall be the same as receipts within and without this state as defined in subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of this section.

(C) average value of the assets shall be the same as prescribed by subdivision two of this section without reduction for liabilities.

(3) If the taxable year is less than twelve months, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be reduced by twenty-five percent if the period for which the taxpayer is subject to tax is more than six months but not more than nine months and by fifty percent if the period 38 for which the taxpayer is subject to tax is not more than six months. Provided, however, that in determining the amount of gross payroll and total receipts for purposes of subparagraph one of this paragraph, where the taxable year is less than twelve months, the amount of each shall be determined by dividing the amount of each with respect to the taxable year by the number of months in such taxable year and multiplying the result by twelve. If the taxable year is less than twelve months, the amount of New York receipts for purposes of subparagraph four of this paragraph is determined by dividing the amount of the receipts for the taxable year by the number of months in the taxable year and multiplying the result by twelve.

(4) Notwithstanding subparagraphs one and two of this paragraph, for 50 taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eight, the] amount prescribed by this paragraph for New York S corporations 52 will be determined in accordance with the following table:

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53 If New York receipts are:
                                          The fixed dollar minimum tax is:
   not more than $100,000
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   more than $100,000 but not over $250,000
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   more than $250,000 but not over $500,000
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    more than $500,000 but not over $1,000,000
    more than $1,000,000 but not over $5,000,000
                                                       $1,000
   more than $5,000,000 but not over $25,000,000
                                                       $3,000
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   Over $25,000,000
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6 Otherwise the amount prescribed by this paragraph will be determined in accordance with the following table:]

Provided further, the amount prescribed by this paragraph for a qualified New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph

10 (a) of this subdivision, and a qualified emerging technology company

11 under paragraph (c) of subdivision one of section thirty-one hundred

12 two-e of the public authorities law regardless of the ten million dollar

limitation expressed in subparagraph one of such paragraph (c) will be

determined in accordance with the following tables:

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    If New York receipts are:
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    more than $250,000 but not over $500,000
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    more than $500,000 but not over $1,000,000
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    more than $1,000,000 but not over $5,000,000
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    more than $5,000,000 but not over $25,000,000
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    Over $25,000,000
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25 For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2015 and before January

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The fixed dollar minimum tax is:
   If New York receipts are:
    not more than $100,000
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    more than $100,000 but not over $250,000
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    more than $250,000 but not over $500,000
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    more than $500,000 but not over $1,000,000
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    more than $1,000,000 but not over $5,000,000
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    more than $5,000,000 but not over $25,000,000
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    Over $25,000,000
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                                                         $4,385
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   For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2016 and before January
   1, 2018:
   If New York receipts are:
                                            The fixed dollar minimum tax is:
    not more than $100,000
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    more than $100,000 but not over $250,000
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    more than $250,000 but not over $500,000
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    more than $500,000 but not over $1,000,000
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    more than $1,000,000 but not over $5,000,000
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    more than $5,000,000 but not over $25,000,000
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    Over $25,000,000
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   For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018:
                                            The fixed dollar minimum tax is:
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   not more than $100,000
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    more than $100,000 but not over $250,000
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    more than $250,000 but not over $500,000
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                                                         $ 375
    more than $500,000 but not over $1,000,000
    more than $1,000,000 but not over $5,000,000
                                                         $1,125
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    more than $5,000,000 but not over $25,000,000
    Over $25,000,000
                                                         $3,750
   Otherwise the amount prescribed by this paragraph will be determined in
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   accordance with the following table:
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   not more than $100,000
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    more than $500,000,000 but not over $1,000,000,000
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    Over $1,000,000,000
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22 For purposes of this paragraph, New York receipts are the receipts
   [computed in accordance with subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of subdi-
24 vision three of this included in the numerator of the apportionment
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   factor determined under section two hundred ten-A for the taxable year.
    (2) If the taxable year is less than twelve months, the amount of New
   York receipts is determined by dividing the amount of the receipts for
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   the taxable year by the number of months in the taxable year and multi-
   plying the result by twelve. In the case of a termination year of a New
   York S corporation, the sum of the tax computed under this paragraph for
   the S short year and for the C short year shall not be less than the
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   amount computed under this paragraph as if the corporation were a New
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[(5) For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twelve and before January first, two thousand fifteen, the amounts prescribed in subparagraphs one and four of this paragraph as the fixed dollar minimum tax for an eligible qualified New York manufacturer shall be one-half of the amounts stated in those subparagraphs. For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "eligible qualified New York manufacturer" shall have the same meaning as in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision.

(6) For a qualified New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, the amounts prescribed in subparagraphs one and four of this paragraph in effect for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand thirteen and before January first, two thousand fourteen for qualified New York manufacturers shall be reduced by nine and two-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fourteen and before January first, two thousand fifteen, twelve and three-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand sixteen, fifteen and four-tenths percent for taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand sixteen and before January first, two thousand eighteen, and S. 6359--D 57 A. 8559--D

twenty-five percent for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eighteen.

- (e) Subsidiary capital base. (1) The amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be computed at the rate of nine-tenths of a mill for each dollar of the portion of the taxpayer's subsidiary capital allocated within the state as hereinafter provided.
- (2) For purposes of this paragraph, the amount of such subsidiary capital, prior to allocation, shall be reduced by the applicable percentage of the taxpayer's (i) investments in the stock of, and any indebtedness from, subsidiaries subject to tax under section one hundred eighty-six of this chapter (but only to the extent such indebtedness is included in subsidiary capital), and (ii) investments in the stock of, and any indebtedness from, subsidiaries subject to tax under article thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter (but only to the extent such indebtedness is included in subsidiary capital). For purposes of clause (i) of this subparagraph, the applicable percentage shall be thirty percent for taxable years beginning in two thousand, and one hundred percent for taxable years beginning after two thousand. For purposes of clause (ii) of this subparagraph, the applicable percentage shall be one hundred percent for taxable years beginning after nineteen hundred ninety-nine.
- (f) For purposes of this section, the term "small business taxpayer" shall mean a taxpayer (i) which has an entire net income of not more than three hundred ninety thousand dollars for the taxable year; (ii) [which constitutes a small business as defined in section 1244(c)(3) of internal revenue code (without regard to the second sentence of subparagraph (A) thereof) as of the last day of the taxable year] the aggregate amount of money and other property received by the corporation for stock, as a contribution to capital, and as paid-in surplus, does not exceed one million dollars; [and] (iii) which is not part of an affiliated group, as defined in section 1504 of the internal revenue code, unless such group, if it had filed a report under this article on a combined basis, would have itself qualified as a "small business taxpayer" pursuant to this subdivision; and (iv) which has an average number of individuals, excluding general executive officers, employed full-time in the state during the taxable year of one hundred or fewer. If the taxable period to which subparagraph (i) of this paragraph applies is less than twelve months, entire net income under such subparagraph shall be placed on an annual basis by multiplying the entire net income by 40 twelve and dividing the result by the number of months in the period.

For purposes of subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, the amount taken into account with respect to any property other than money shall be the 43 amount equal to the adjusted basis to the corporation of such property 44 for determining gain, reduced by any liability to which the property was 45 subject or which was assumed by the corporation. The determination under the preceding sentence shall be made as of the time the property was 46 47 received by the corporation. For purposes of subparagraph (iii) of this section, "average number of individuals, excluding general executive 48 officers, employed full-time" shall be computed by ascertaining the 49 50 number of such individuals employed by the taxpayer on the thirty-first 51 day of March, the thirtieth day of June, the thirtieth day of September 52 and the thirty-first day of December during each taxable year or other applicable period, by adding together the number of such individuals 53 ascertained on each of such dates and dividing the sum so obtained by 54 the number of such dates occurring within such taxable year or other 55 56 applicable period. An individual employed full-time means an employee in S. 6359--D

a job consisting of at least thirty-five hours per week, or two or more employees who are in jobs that together constitute the equivalent of a job at least thirty-five hours per week (full-time equivalent). Full-time equivalent employees in the state includes all employees regularly connected with or working out of an office or place of business of the taxpayer within the state.

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(g) New York S corporations. (1) General. The amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be, in the case of each New York S corporation, (i) the higher of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (a) and (d) of this subdivision (other than the amount prescribed in the final clause of subparagraph one of that paragraph (d)) (ii) reduced by the article twenty-two tax equivalent; provided, however, that the amount thus determined shall not be less than the lowest of the amounts prescribed in subparagraph one of that paragraph (d) (applying the provisions of subparagraph three of that paragraph as necessary). Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of this paragraph, in taxable years beginning in two thousand three and before two thousand eight, the amount prescribed by this paragraph shall be the amount prescribed in subparagraph one of that paragraph (d) (applying the provisions of subparagraph three of that paragraph as necessary) and applying the calculation of that amount in the case of a termination year as set forth in subparagraph four of this paragraph as necessary. In taxable years beginning in two thousand eight and thereafter, the amount prescribed by this paragraph is the amount prescribed in subparagraph four of that paragraph (d) (applying the provisions of subparagraph three of that paragraph as necessary) and applying the calculation of that amount in the case of a termination year as set forth in subparagraph four of this paragraph as necessary.

(2) Article twenty-two tax equivalent. For taxable years beginning before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.875 percent. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before July first, two thousand, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.525 percent. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand and before July first, two thousand one, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.175 percent. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand one and before July first, two thousand three, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 6.85 percent. For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand three, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.1425 percent.

(3) Small business taxpayers. Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraphs one and two of this paragraph, in the case of a New York S corporation which is a small business taxpayer, as defined in paragraph (f) of this subdivision, the following provisions shall apply:

(A) For taxable years beginning before July first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.875 percent.

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(B) For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and before July first, two thousand three, the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision, as referred to in subparagraph one of this paragraph, shall be computed by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.5 percent, and the article twenty-two tax equivalent under paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall be computed as follows:

(i) if the entire net income base is not more than two hundred thousand dollars, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.45 percent;

(ii) if the entire net income base is more than two hundred thousand dollars but not over two hundred ninety thousand dollars, the article twenty-two tax equivalent shall be computed as the sum of (I) fourteen thousand nine hundred dollars, (II) six and eighty-five hundredths percent of the first fifty thousand dollars in excess of the entire net income base over two hundred thousand dollars, and (III) three and eighty-five hundredths percent of the excess, if any, of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars.

(C) For taxable years beginning after June thirtieth, two thousand three, the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision, as referred to in subparagraph one of this paragraph, shall be computed by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.5 percent, and the article twenty two tax equivalent under paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall be computed as follows:

(i) if the entire net income base is not more than two hundred thousand dollars, the article twenty-two tax equivalent is the amount computed under paragraph (a) of this subdivision by substituting for the rate therein the rate of 7.4725 percent;

(ii) if the entire net income base is more than two hundred thousand dollars but not over two hundred ninety thousand dollars, the article twenty-two tax equivalent shall be computed as the sum of (I) fourteen thousand nine hundred forty-five dollars, (II) 7.1425 percent of the first fifty thousand dollars in excess of the entire net income base over two hundred thousand dollars, and (III) 5.4925 percent of the excess, if any, of the entire net income base over two hundred fifty thousand dollars.

(4) Termination year. In the case of a termination year, the tax for the S short year shall be computed under this paragraph without regard to the fixed dollar minimum tax prescribed in paragraph (d) of this subdivision, and the tax for the C short year shall be computed under the opening paragraph of this subdivision without regard to the fixed dollar minimum tax prescribed under such paragraph (d), but in no event shall the sum of the tax for the S short year and the tax for the C short year be less than the fixed dollar minimum tax under paragraph (d) of this subdivision computed as if the corporation were a New York C corporation for the entire taxable year.

§ 13. Subdivision 1-c of section 210 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 1043 of the laws of 1981, the opening paragraph and paragraph (a) as amended by chapter 817 of the laws of 1987, and paragraph (b) as amended by section 12 of part Y of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is

2 amended to read as follows:

1-c. The computations specified in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of this section shall not apply to the first two taxable years of a taxpayer which, for one or both such years, is a small business [concern. A small business concern:

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(a) is a taxpayer which is a small business corporation as defined in paragraph three of subsection (c) of section twelve hundred forty-four of the internal revenue code (without regard to the second sentence of subparagraph (A) thereof) as of the last day of the taxable year,

(b) is not a corporation over fifty percent of the number of shares of stock of which entitling the holders thereof to vote for the election of directors or trustees is owned by a taxpayer which (1) is subject to tax under this article; section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-five of article nine; article thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter, and (2) does not qualify as a small business corporation as defined in paragraph three of subsection (c) of section twelve hundred forty-four of the internal revenue code (without regard to the second sentence of subparagraph (A) thereof) as of the last day of its taxable year ending within or with the taxable year of the taxpayer,

(c) is not a corporation which is substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity (or entities) taxable, or previously taxable, under this article; section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, one hundred eighty-five or one hundred eighty-six of article nine; article thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter; article twenty-three of this chapter or which would have been subject to tax under such article twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty) or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two of this chapter, and

(d) at least ninety percent of the assets of such corporation (valued at original cost) were located and employed in this state during the taxable year and eighty percent of the employees of such corporation (as ascertained within the meaning and intent of subparagraph three of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of this section) were principally employed in this state during the taxable year taxpayer as defined in paragraph (f) of subdivision one of this section.

- § 14. Subdivision 2 of section 210 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 760 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:
- 2. The amount of [subsidiary capital,] investment capital and business capital shall each be determined by taking the average value of the assets included therein (less liabilities deductible therefrom pursuant to the provisions of subdivisions [four,] five and seven of section two hundred eight), and, if the period covered by the report is other than a period of twelve calendar months, by multiplying such value by the number of calendar months or major parts thereof included in such period, and dividing the product thus obtained by twelve. For purposes of this subdivision, real property and marketable securities shall be valued at fair market value and the value of personal property other than marketable securities shall be the value thereof shown on the books and records of the taxpayer in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.
- § 15. Subdivisions 3, 3-a, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12-A, 12-B, 12-C, 12-D, 12-E, 12-F, 12-G, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 21-a, 22, 23, 23-a, 24, 25, 25-a, 26, 26-a, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47 of section 210 of the tax law are REPEALED.
- § 15-a. Section 210 of the tax law is amended by adding a new subdivision 3 to read as follows:
- 3. A corporation that is a partner in a partnership shall compute tax under this article using the aggregate method as defined in the regu-

lations of the commissioner, unless another method for computing such tax is required or allowed by such regulations. Under the aggregate method, a corporation that is a partner in a partnership is viewed as having an undivided interest in the partnership's assets, liabilities, and items of receipts, income, gain, loss and deduction. Under the aggregate method, the corporation that is a partner in a partnership is treated as participating in the partnership's transactions and activities.

- § 16. The tax law is amended by adding a new section 210-A to read as follows:
- § 210-A. Apportionment. 1. General. Business income and capital shall be apportioned to the state by the apportionment factor determined pursuant to this section. The apportionment factor is a fraction, determined by including only those receipts, net income, net gains, and other items described in this section that are included in the computation of the taxpayer's business income for the taxable year. The numerator of the apportionment fraction shall be equal to the sum of all the amounts required to be included in the numerator pursuant to the provisions of this section and the denominator of the apportionment fraction shall be equal to the sum of all the amounts required to be included in the denominator pursuant to the provisions of this section.
- 2. Sales of tangible personal property, electricity, and real property. (a) Receipts from sales of tangible personal property where shipments are made to points within the state or the destination of the property is a point in the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from sales of tangible personal property where shipments are made to points within and without the state or the destination is within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (b) Receipts from sales of electricity delivered to points within the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from sales of electricity delivered to points within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (c) Receipts from sales of tangible personal property and electricity that are traded as commodities as described in section 475 of the internal revenue code are included in the apportionment fraction in accordance with clause (I) of subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of subdivision five of this section.
- (d) Net gains (not less than zero) from the sales of real property located within the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Net gains (not less than zero) from the sales of real property located within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- 3. Rentals and royalties. (a) Receipts from rentals of real and tangible personal property located within the state are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from rentals of real and tangible personal property located within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (b) Receipts of royalties from the use of patents, copyrights, trademarks, and similar intangible personal property within the state are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts of royalties from the use of patents, copyrights, trademarks and similar intangibles within and without the state are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. A patent, copyright, trademark or similar S. 6359-D

intangible property is used in the state to the extent that the activities thereunder are carried on in the state.

(c) Receipts from the sales of rights for closed-circuit and cable television transmissions of an event (other than events occurring on a

regularly scheduled basis) taking place within the state as a result of the rendition of services by employees of the corporation, as athletes, entertainers or performing artists are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction to the extent that such receipts are attributable to such transmissions received or exhibited within the state. Receipts from all sales of rights for closed-circuit and cable television transmissions of an event are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.

- 4. Digital products. (a) For purposes of determining the apportionment fraction under this section, the term "digital product" means any property or service, or combination thereof, of whatever nature delivered to the purchaser through the use of wire, cable, fiber-optic, laser, microwave, radio wave, satellite or similar successor media, or any combination thereof. Digital product includes, but is not limited to, an audio work, audiovisual work, visual work, book or literary work, graphic work, game, information or entertainment service, storage of digital products and computer software by whatever means delivered. The term "delivered to" includes furnished or provided to or accessed by. A digital product does not include legal, medical, accounting, architectural, research, analytical, engineering or consulting services provided by the taxpayer.
- (b) Receipts from the sale of, licence to use, or granting of remote access to digital products within the state, determined according to the hierarchy of methods set forth in subparagraphs one through four of paragraph (c) of this subdivision, shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from the sale of, license to use, or granting of remote access to digital products within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. The taxpayer must exercise due diligence under each method described in paragraph (c) of this subdivision before rejecting it and proceeding to the next method in the hierarchy, and must base its determination on information known to the taxpayer or information that would be known to the taxpayer upon reasonable inquiry. If the receipt for a digital product is comprised of a combination of property and services, it cannot be divided into separate components and is considered to be one receipt regardless of whether it is separately stated for billing purposes. The entire receipt must be allocated by this hierarchy.
- (c) Hierarchy of sourcing methods. (1) The customer's primary use location of the digital product;
- (2) The location where the digital product is received by the customer, or is received by a person designated for receipt by the customer;
- (3) The apportionment fraction determined pursuant to this subdivision for the preceding taxable year for such digital product; or
- (4) The apportionment fraction in the current taxable year for those digital products that can be sourced using the hierarchy of sourcing methods in subparagraphs one and two of this paragraph.
- 5. Financial transactions. (a) Financial instruments. A financial instrument is a "qualified financial instrument" if it is marked to market under section 475 or section 1256 of the internal revenue code, provided that loans secured by real property shall not be qualified financial instruments. A financial instrument is a "nonqualified financial instrument" if it is not a qualified financial instrument.

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(1) Fixed percentage method for qualified financial instruments. In determining the inclusion of receipts and net gains from qualified financial instruments in the apportionment fraction, taxpayers may elect to use the fixed percentage method described in this subparagraph for qualified financial instruments. The election is irrevocable, applies to all qualified financial instruments, and must be made on an annual basis on the taxpayer's original, timely filed return. If the taxpayer elects the fixed percentage method, then all income, gain or loss, from qualified financial instruments constitutes business income, gain or loss. If

the taxpayer does not elect to use the fixed percentage method, then receipts and net gains are included in the apportionment fraction in accordance with the customer sourcing method described in subparagraph two of this paragraph. Under the fixed percentage method, eight percent of all net income (not less than zero) from qualified financial instruments is included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. All net income (not less than zero) from qualified financial instruments is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.

- (2) Customer sourcing method. Receipts and net gains from qualified financial instruments, in cases where the taxpayer did not elect to use the fixed percentage method described in subparagraph one of this paragraph, and from nonqualified financial instruments are included in the apportionment fraction in accordance with this subparagraph. For purposes of this paragraph, an individual is deemed to be located in the state if his or her billing address is in the state. A business entity is deemed to be located in the state if its commercial domicile is located in the state.
- (A) Loans. (i) Receipts constituting interest from loans secured by real property located within the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts constituting interest from loans secured by real property located within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (ii) Receipts constituting interest from loans not secured by real property shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction if the borrower is located in the state. Receipts constituting interest from loans not secured by real property, whether the borrower is located within or without the state, shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (iii) Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of loans secured by real property are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as provided in this subclause. The amount of net gains from the sale of loans secured by real property included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the net gains by a fraction the numerator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from sales of loans secured by real property located within the state and the denominator of which is the gross proceeds from sales of loans secured by real property within and without the state. Gross proceeds shall be determined after the deduction of any cost incurred to acquire the loans but shall not be less than zero. Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of loans secured by real property within and without the state are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (iv) Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of loans not secured by real property are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as provided in this subclause. The amount of net gains from the sale of loans not secured by real property included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the net gains by a fraction, the numerator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from S. 6359-D

sales of loans not secured by real property to purchasers located within the state and the denominator of which is the amount of gross receipts from sales of loans not secured by real property to purchasers located within and without the state. Gross proceeds shall be determined after the deduction of any cost incurred to acquire the loans but shall not be less than zero. Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of loans not secured by real property are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.

(B) Federal, state, and municipal debt. Receipts constituting interest and net gains from sales of debt instruments issued by the United States, any state, or political subdivision of a state shall not be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts constituting interest and net gains (not less than zero) from sales of debt instruments issued by the United States and the state of New York

or its political subdivisions shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Fifty percent of the receipts constituting interest and net gains (not less than zero) from sales of debt instruments issued by other states or their political subdivisions shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.

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(C) Asset backed securities and other government agency debt. Eight percent of the interest income from asset backed securities or other securities issued by government agencies, including but not limited to securities issued by the Government National Mortgage Association (GNMA), the Federal National Mortgage Association (FNMA), the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (FHLMC), or the Small Business Administration, or asset backed securities issued by other entities shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Eight percent of the net gains (not less than zero) from (i) sales of asset backed securities or other securities issued by government agencies, including but not limited to securities issued by GNMA, FNMA, or FHLMC, the Small Business Administration, or (ii) sales of other asset backed securities that are sold through a registered securities broker or dealer or through a licensed exchange, shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. The amount of net gains (not less than zero) from sales of other asset backed securities not referenced in subclause (i) or (ii) of this clause included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying such net gains by a fraction, the numerator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from such sales to purchasers located in the state and the denominator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from such sales to purchasers located within and without the state. Receipts constituting interest from asset backed securities and other securities referenced in this clause and net gains (not less than zero) from sales of asset backed securities and other securities referenced in this clause are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Gross proceeds shall be determined after the deduction of any cost to acquire the securities but shall not be less than zero.

(D) Corporate bonds. Receipts constituting interest from corporate bonds are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction if the commercial domicile of the issuing corporation is in the state. Eight percent of the net gains (not less than zero) from sales of corporate bonds sold through a registered securities broker or dealer or through a licensed exchange is included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. The amount of net gains (not less than zero) from other sales of corporate bonds included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying such net gains by a fraction, the S. 6359-D

numerator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from such sales to purchasers located in the state and the denominator of which is the amount of gross proceeds from sales to purchasers located within and without the state. Receipts constituting interest from corporate bonds, whether the issuing corporation's commercial domicile is within or without the state, and net gains (not less than zero) from sales of corporate bonds to purchasers within and without the state are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Gross proceeds shall be determined after the deduction of any cost to acquire the bonds but shall not be less than zero.

(E) Reverse repurchase agreements and securities borrowing agreements. Eight percent of net interest income (not less than zero) from reverse repurchase agreements and securities borrowing agreements shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Net interest income (not less than zero) from reverse repurchase agreements and securities borrowing agreements is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Net interest income from reverse repurchase agreements and securities borrowing agreements is determined for purposes of this subdivision after the deduction of the interest expense from the

taxpayer's repurchase agreements and securities lending agreements but cannot be less than zero. For this calculation, the amount of such interest expense is the interest expense associated with the sum of the value of the taxpayer's repurchase agreements where it is the seller/borrower plus the value of the taxpayer's securities lending agreements where it is the securities lender, provided such sum is limited to the sum of the value of the taxpayer's reverse repurchase agreements where it is the purchaser/lender plus the value of the taxpayer's securities lending agreements where it is the securities borrower.

- (F) Federal funds. Eight percent of the net interest (not less than zero) from federal funds is included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. The net interest (not less than zero) from federal funds is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Net interest from federal funds is determined after deduction of interest expense from federal funds.
- (G) Dividends and net gains from sales of stock or partnership interests. Dividends from stock, net gains (not less than zero) from sales of stock and net gains (not less than zero) from the sale of partnership interests are not included in either the numerator or denominator of the apportionment fraction unless the commissioner determines pursuant to subdivision eleven of this section that inclusion of such dividends and net gains (not less than zero) is necessary to properly reflect the business income or capital of the taxpayer.
- (H) Other financial instruments. (i) Receipts constituting interest from other financial instruments shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction if the payor is located in the state. Receipts constituting interest from other financial instruments, whether the payor is within or without the state, are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (ii) Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of other financial instruments and other income (not less than zero) from other financial instruments where the purchaser or payor is located in the state are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction, provided that, if the purchaser or payor is a registered securities broker or dealer or the transaction is made through a licensed exchange, then eight percent of the net gains (not less than zero) or other income (not less than S. 6359--D
- zero) is included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Net gains (not less than zero) from sales of other financial instruments and other income (not less than zero) from other financial instruments are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (I) Physical commodities. Net income (not less than zero) from sales of physical commodities are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as provided in this subparagraph. The amount of net income from sales of physical commodities included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the net income from sales of physical commodities by a fraction, the numerator of which is the amount of receipts from sales of physical commodities actually delivered to points within the state or, if there is no actual delivery of the physical commodity, sold to purchasers located in the state, and the denominator of which is the amount of receipts from sales of physical commodities actually delivered to points within and without the state or sold to purchasers located within and without the state. Net income (not less that zero) from sales of physical commodities is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Net income (not less than zero) from sales of physical commodities is determined after the deduction of the cost to acquire or produce the physical commodities.
- (b) Other receipts from broker or dealer activities. Receipts of a registered securities broker or dealer from securities or commodities broker or dealer activities described in this paragraph shall be deemed

to be generated within the state as described in subparagraphs one through eight of this paragraph. Receipts from such activities generated within the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from such activities generated within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "securities" shall have the same meaning as in section 475(c)(2) of the internal revenue code and the term "commodities" shall have the same meaning as in section 475(e)(2) of the internal revenue code.

- (1) Receipts constituting brokerage commissions derived from the execution of securities or commodities purchase or sales orders for the accounts of customers shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address in the records of the taxpayer of the customer who is responsible for paying such commissions is within the state.
- (2) Receipts constituting margin interest earned on behalf of brokerage accounts shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address in the records of the taxpayer of the customer who is responsible for paying such margin interest is within the state.
- (3) (A) Receipts constituting fees earned by the taxpayer for advisory services to a customer in connection with the underwriting of securities for such customer (such customer being the entity that is contemplating issuing or is issuing securities) or fees earned by the taxpayer for managing an underwriting shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address in the records of the taxpayer of such customer who is responsible for paying such fees is within the state.
- (B) Receipts constituting the primary spread of selling concession from underwritten securities shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the customer is located in the state.
- (C) The term "primary spread" means the difference between the price paid by the taxpayer to the issuer of the securities being marketed and the price received from the subsequent sale of the underwritten securities at the initial public offering price, less any selling concession S. 6359--D

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- and any fees paid to the taxpayer for advisory services or any manager's fees, if such fees are not paid by the customer to the taxpayer separately. The term "public offering price" means the price agreed upon by the taxpayer and the issuer at which the securities are to be offered to the public. The term "selling concession" means the amount paid to the taxpayer for participating in the underwriting of a security where the taxpayer is not the lead underwriter.
- (4) Receipts constituting account maintenance fees shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address in the record of the taxpayer of the customer who is responsible for paying such account maintenance fees is within the state.
- (5) Receipts constituting fees for management or advisory services, including fees for advisory services in relation to merger or acquisition activities, but excluding fees paid for services described in paragraph (d) of this subdivision, shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address in the records of the taxpayer of the customer who is responsible for paying such fees is within the state.
- (6) Receipts constituting interest earned by the taxpayer on loans and advances made by the taxpayer to a corporation affiliated with the taxpayer but with which the taxpayer is not permitted or required to file a combined report pursuant to section two hundred ten-C of this article shall be deemed to arise from services performed at the principal place of business of such affiliated corporation.
- (7) If the taxpayer receives any of the receipts enumerated in subparagraphs one through four of this paragraph as a result of a securities correspondent relationship such taxpayer has with another broker or dealer with the taxpayer acting in this relationship as the clearing firm, such receipts shall be deemed to be generated within the state to extent set forth in each of such subparagraphs. The amount of such

receipts shall exclude the amount the taxpayer is required to pay to the correspondent firm for such correspondent relationship. If the taxpayer receives any of the receipts enumerated in subparagraphs one through four of this paragraph as as result of a securities correspondent relationship such taxpayer has with another broker or dealer with the taxpayer acting in this relationship as the introducing firm, such receipts shall be deemed to be generated within the state to the extent set forth in each of such subparagraphs.

- (8) If, for purposes of subparagraphs one, two, clause (A) of subparagraph three, four, or five of this paragraph the taxpayer is unable from its records to determine the mailing address of the customer, eight percent of the receipts is included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction.
- (c) Receipts from credit card and similar activities. Receipts relating to the bank, credit, travel and entertainment card activities described in this paragraph shall be deemed to be generated within the state as described in subparagraphs one through four of this paragraph. Receipts from such activities generated within the state shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction. Receipts from such activities generated within and without the state shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (1) Receipts constituting interest, and fees and penalties in the nature of interest, from bank, credit, travel and entertainment card receivables shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address of the card holder in the records of the taxpayer is in the state;

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- (2) Receipts from service charges and fees from such cards shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the mailing address of the card holder in the records of the taxpayer is in the state; and
- (3) Receipts from merchant discounts shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the merchant is located within the state. In the case of a merchant with locations both within and without New York state, only receipts from merchant discounts attributable to sales made from locations within New York state are allocated to New York state. It shall be presumed that the location of the merchant is the address of the merchant shown on the invoice submitted by the merchant to the taxpayer.
- (4) Receipts from credit card authorization processing, and clearing and settlement processing received by credit card processors shall be deemed to be generated within the state if the location where the credit card processor's customer accesses the credit card processor's network is located within the state. The amount of all other receipts received by credit card processors not specifically addressed in subdivisions one through nine of this section deemed to be generated within the state shall be determined by multiplying the total amount of such other receipts by the average of (i) eight percent and (ii) the percent of its New York access points. The percent of New York access points is the number of locations in New York from which the credit card processor's customers access the credit card processor's network divided by the total number of locations in the United States where the credit card processor's network.
- (d) Receipts from certain services to investment companies. Receipts received from an investment company arising from the sale of management, administration or distribution services to such investment company are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. The portion of such receipts included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction (such portion referred to herein as the New York portion) shall be determined as provided in this paragraph.
- (1) The New York portion shall be the product of the total of such receipts from the sale of such services and a fraction. The numerator of that fraction is the sum of the monthly percentages (as defined herein-

after) determined for each month of the investment company's taxable year for federal income tax purposes which taxable year ends within the taxable year of the taxpayer (but excluding any month during which the investment company had no outstanding shares). The monthly percentage for each such month is determined by dividing the number of shares in the investment company that are owned on the last day of the month by shareholders that are located in the state by the total number of shares in the investment company outstanding on that date. The denominator of the fraction is the number of such monthly percentages.

(2) (A) For purposes of this paragraph, an individual, estate or trust is deemed to be located in the state if his, her or its mailing address on the records of the investment company is in the state. A business entity is deemed to be located in the state if its commercial domicile is located in the state.

(B) For purposes of this paragraph, the term "investment company" means a regulated investment company, as defined in section 851 of the internal revenue code, and a partnership to which section 7704(a) of the internal revenue code applies (by virtue of section 7704(c)(3) of such code) and that meets the requirements of section 851(b) of such code. The preceding sentence shall be applied to the taxable year for federal income tax purposes of the business entity that is asserted to constist. 6359--D

tute an investment company that ends within the taxable year of the taxpayer.

- (C) For purposes of this paragraph the term "receipts from an investment company" includes amounts received directly from an investment company as well as amounts received from the shareholders in such investment company, in their capacity as such.
- (D) For purposes of this paragraph, the term "management services" means the rendering of investment advice to an investment company, making determinations as to when sales and purchases of securities are to be made on behalf of an investment company, or the selling or purchasing of securities constituting assets of an investment company, and related activities, but only where such activity or activities are performed pursuant to a contract with the investment company entered into pursuant to section 15(a) of the federal investment company act of nineteen hundred forty, as amended.
- (E) For purposes of this paragraph, the term "distribution services" means the services of advertising, servicing investor accounts (including redemptions), marketing shares or selling shares of an investment company, but, in the case of advertising, servicing investor accounts (including redemptions) or marketing shares, only where such service is performed by a person who is (or was, in the case of a closed end company) also engaged in the service of selling such shares. In the case of an open end company, such service of selling shares must be performed pursuant to a contract entered into pursuant to section 15(b) of the federal investment company act of nineteen hundred forty, as amended.
- (F) For purposes of this paragraph, the term "administration services" includes clerical, accounting, bookkeeping, data processing, internal auditing, legal and tax services performed for an investment company but only if the provider of such service or services during the taxable year in which such service or services are sold also sells management or distribution services, as defined hereinabove, to such investment company.
- (e) For purposes of this subdivision, a taxpayer shall use the following hierarchy to determine the commercial domicile of a business entity, based on the information known to the taxpayer or information that would be known upon reasonable inquiry: (i) the location of the treasury function of the business entity; (ii) the seat of management and control of the business entity; and (iii) the billing address of the business entity in the taxpayer's records. The taxpayer must exercise due diligence before rejecting a method in this hierarchy and proceeding to the next

method.

- (f) For purposes of this subdivision, the term "registered securities broker or dealer" means a broker or dealer registered as such by the securities and exchange commission or a broker or dealer registered as such by the commodities futures trading commission, and shall include an OTC derivatives dealer as defined under regulations of the securities and exchange commission at title 17, part 240, section 3b-12 of the code of federal regulations (17 CFR 240.3b-12).
- 6. Receipts from railroad and trucking business. Receipts from the conduct of a railroad business (including surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car or sleeping car business) or a trucking business are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as follows. The amount of receipts from the conduct of a railroad business or a trucking business included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the amount of receipts from such business by a fraction, the S. 6359-D
- numerator of which is the miles in such business within the state during the period covered by the taxpayer's report and the denominator of which is the miles in such business within and without the state during such period. Receipts from the conduct of the railroad business or a trucking business are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- 7. Receipts from aviation services. (a) Air freight forwarding. Receipts of a taxpayer from the activity of air freight forwarding acting as principal and like indirect air carrier receipts arising from such activity shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as follows: one hundred percent of such receipts if both the pickup and delivery associated with such receipts are made in the state and fifty percent of such receipts if either the pickup or delivery associated with such receipts is made in this state. Such receipts, whether the pickup or delivery associated with the receipts is within or without the state, shall be included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (b) Other aviation services. (1) (A) The portion of receipts of a taxpayer from aviation services (other than services described in paragraph (a) of this subdivision) to be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction shall be determined by multiplying its receipts from such aviation services by a percentage which is equal to the arithmetic average of the following three percentages:
- (i) the percentage determined by dividing sixty percent of the aircraft arrivals and departures within this state by the taxpayer during the period covered by its report by the total aircraft arrivals and departures within and without this state during such period; provided, however, arrivals and departures solely for maintenance or repair, refueling (where no debarkation or embarkation of traffic occurs), arrivals and departures of ferry and personnel training flights or arrivals and departures in the event of emergency situations shall not be included in computing such arrival and departure percentage; provided, further, the commissioner may also exempt from such percentage aircraft arrivals and departures of all non-revenue flights including flights involving the transportation of officers or employees receiving air transportation to perform maintenance or repair services or where such officers or employees are transported in conjunction with an emergency situation or the investigation of an air disaster (other than on a scheduled flight); provided, however, that arrivals and departures of flights transporting officers and employees receiving air transportation for purposes other than specified above (without regard to remuneration) shall be included in computing such arrival and departure percentage;
- (ii) the percentage determined by dividing sixty percent of the revenue tons handled by the taxpayer at airports within this state during such period by the total revenue tons handled by it at airports within

and without this state during such period; and

(iii) the percentage determined by dividing sixty percent of the taxpayer's originating revenue within this state for such period by its total originating revenue within and without this state for such period.

(B) As used herein the term "aircraft arrivals and departures" means the number of landings and takeoffs of the aircraft of the taxpayer and the number of air pickups and deliveries by the aircraft of such taxpayer; the term "originating revenue" means revenue to the taxpayer from the transportation or revenue passengers and revenue property first received by the taxpayer either as originating or connecting traffic at airports; and the term "revenue tons handled" by the taxpayer at S. 6359--D

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airports means the weight in tons of revenue passengers (at two hundred pounds per passenger) and revenue cargo first received either as originating or connecting traffic or finally discharged by the taxpayer at airports;

- (2) All such receipts of a taxpayer from aviation services described in this paragraph are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- 8. Receipts from sales of advertising. (a) The amount of receipts from sales of advertising in newspapers or periodicals included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the total of such receipts by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of newspapers and periodicals delivered to points within the state and the denominator of which is the number of newspapers and periodicals delivered to points within and without the state. The total of such receipts from sales of advertising in newspapers or periodicals is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (b) The amount of receipts from sales of advertising on television or radio included in the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the total of such receipts by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of viewers or listeners within the state and the denominator of which is the number of viewers or listeners within and without the state. The total of such receipts from sales of advertising on television and radio is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- (c) The amount of receipts from sales of advertising not described in paragraph (a) or (b) of this subdivision that is furnished, provided or delivered to, or accessed by the viewer or listener through the use of wire, cable, fiber-optic, laser, microwave, radio wave, satellite or similar successor media or any combination thereof, included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the total of such receipts by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of viewers or listeners within the state and the denominator of which is the number of viewers or listeners within and without the state. The total of such receipts from sales of advertising described in this paragraph is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
- 9. Receipts from transportation or transmission of gas through pipes. Receipts from the transportation or transmission of gas through pipes are included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction as follows. The amount of receipts from the transportation or transmission of gas through pipes included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined by multiplying the total amount of such receipts by a fraction, the numerator of which is the taxpayer's transportation units within the state and the denominator of which is the taxpayer's transportation unit is the transportation of one cubic foot of gas over a distance of one mile. The total amount of receipts from the transportation or transmission of gas through pipes is included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction.
  - 10. (a) Receipts from other services and other business receipts.

Receipts from services not addressed in subdivisions one through nine of this section and other business receipts not addressed in such subdivisions shall be included in the numerator of the apportionment fraction if the location of the customer is within the state. Such receipts from customers within and without the state are included in the denominator of the apportionment fraction. Whether the receipts are included in the S. 6359-D

numerator of the apportionment fraction is determined according to the hierarchy of method set forth in paragraph (b) of this subdivision. The taxpayer must exercise due diligence under each method described in such paragraph (b) before rejecting it and proceeding to the next method in the hierarchy, and must base its determination on information known to the taxpayer or information that would be known to the taxpayer upon reasonable inquiry.

- (b) Hierarchy of methods. (1) The benefit is received in this state;
- (2) Delivery destination;

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- (3) The apportionment fraction for such receipts within the state determined pursuant to this subdivision for the preceding taxable year; or
- (4) The apportionment fraction in the current taxable year determined pursuant to this subdivision for those receipts that can be sourced using the hierarchy of sourcing methods in subparagraphs one and two of this paragraph.
- 11. If it shall appear that the apportionment fraction determined pursuant to this section does not result in a proper reflection of the taxpayer's business income or capital within the state, the commissioner is authorized in his or her discretion to adjust it, or the taxpayer may request that the commissioner adjust it, by (a) excluding one or more items in such determination, (b) including one or more other items in such determination, or (c) any other similar or different method calculated to effect a fair and proper apportionment of the business income and capital reasonably attributed to the state. The party seeking the adjustment shall bear the burden of proof to demonstrate that the apportionment fraction determined pursuant to this section does not result in a proper reflection of the taxpayer's business income or capital within the state and that the proposed adjustment is appropriate.
- $\S$  17. The tax law is amended by adding a new section 210-B to read as follows:
- § 210-B. Credits. 1. Investment tax credit (ITC). (a) A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article. The amount of the credit shall be the percent provided for hereinbelow of the investment credit base. The investment credit base is the cost or other basis for federal income tax purposes of tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, described in paragraph (b) of this subdivision, less the amount of the nonqualified nonrecourse financing with respect to such property to the extent such financing would be excludible from the credit base pursuant to section 46(c)(8) of the internal revenue code (treating such property as section thirty-eight property irrespective of whether or not it in fact constitutes section thirty-eight property). If, at the close of a taxable year following the taxable year in which such property was placed in service, there is a net decrease in the amount of nonqualified nonrecourse financing with respect to such property, such net decrease shall be treated as if it were the cost or other basis of property described in paragraph (b) of this subdivision acquired, constructed, reconstructed or erected during the year of the decrease in the amount of nonqualified nonrecourse financing. In the case of a combined report the term investment credit base shall mean the sum of the investment credit base of each corporation included on such report. The percentage to be used to compute the credit allowed pursuant to this subdivision shall be five percent with respect to the first three hundred fifty million dollars of

ment credit base in excess of three hundred fifty million dollars, except that in the case of research and development property at the option of the taxpayer the applicable percentage shall be nine.

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(b) (i) A credit shall be allowed under this subdivision with respect to tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, which are: depreciable pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code, have a useful life of four years or more, are acquired by purchase as defined in section one hundred seventy-nine (d) of the internal revenue code, have a situs in this state and are (A) principally used by the taxpayer in the production of goods by manufacturing, processing, assembling, refining, mining, extracting, farming, agriculture, horticulture, floriculture, viticulture or commercial fishing, (B) industrial waste treatment facilities or air pollution control facilities, used in the taxpayer's trade or business, (C) research and development property, or (D) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's trade or business as a broker or dealer in connection with the purchase or sale (which shall include but not be limited to the issuance, entering into, assumption, offset, assignment, termination, or transfer) of stocks, bonds or other securities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or of commodities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (e) of the Internal Revenue Code, (E) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's trade or business of providing investment advisory services for a regulated investment company as defined in section eight hundred fifty-one of the Internal Revenue Code, or lending, loan arrangement or loan origination services to customers in connection with the purchase or sale (which shall include but not be limited to the issuance, entering into, assumption, offset, assignment, termination, or transfer) of securities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, (F) originally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's business as an exchange registered as a national securities exchange within the meaning of sections 3(a)(1) and 6(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or a board of trade as defined in section 1410(a)(1) of the New York Not-for-Profit Corporation Law or as an entity that is wholly owned by one or more such national securities exchanges or boards of trade and that provides automation or technical services thereto, or (G) principally used as a qualified film production facility including qualified film production facilities having a situs in an empire zone designated as such pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law, where the taxpayer is providing three or more services to any qualified film production company using the facility, including such services as a studio lighting grid, lighting and grip equipment, multi-line phone service, broadband information technology access, industrial scale electrical capacity, food services, security services, and heating, ventilation and air conditioning. Provided, however, a taxpayer shall not be allowed the credit provided by clauses (D), (E) and (F) of this subparagraph unless (i) eighty percent or more of the employees performing the administrative and support functions resulting from or related to the qualifying uses of such equipment are located in this state or (ii) the average number of employees that perform the administrative and support functions resulting from or related to the qualifying uses of such equipment and are located in this state during the taxable year for which the credit is claimed is equal to or greater than ninety-five percent of the average number of employees that perform these functions and are located in this state during S. 6359--D

the thirty-six months immediately preceding the year for which the credit is claimed, or (iii) the number of employees located in this state

during the taxable year for which the credit is claimed is equal to or greater than ninety percent of the number of employees located in this state on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight or, if the taxpayer was not a calendar year taxpayer in nineteen hundred ninetyeight, the last day of its first taxable year ending after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight. If the taxpayer becomes subject to tax in this state after the taxable year beginning in nineteen hundred ninety-eight, then the taxpayer is not required to satisfy the employment test provided in the preceding sentence of this subparagraph for its first taxable year. For purposes of clause (iii) of this subparagraph the employment test will be based on the number of employees located in this state on the last day of the first taxable year the taxpayer is subject to tax in this state. If the uses of the property must be aggregated to determine whether the property is principally used in qualifying uses, then either each affiliate using the property must satisfy this employment test or this employment test must be satisfied through the aggregation of the employees of the taxpayer, its affiliated regulated broker, dealer, and registered investment adviser using the property. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "goods" shall not include electricity.

- (ii) For purposes of this paragraph, the following definitions shall apply--
- (A) Manufacturing shall mean the process of working raw materials into wares suitable for use or which gives new shapes, new quality or new combinations to matter which already has gone through some artificial process by the use of machinery, tools, appliances and other similar equipment. Property used in the production of goods shall include machinery, equipment or other tangible property which is principally used in the repair and service of other machinery, equipment or other tangible property used principally in the production of goods and shall include all facilities used in the production operation, including storage of material to be used in production and of the products that are produced.
- (B) Research and development property shall mean property which is used for purposes of research and development in the experimental or laboratory sense. Such purposes shall not be deemed to include the ordinary testing or inspection of materials or products for quality control, efficiency surveys, management studies, consumer surveys, advertising, promotions, or research in connection with literary, historical or similar projects.
- (C) Industrial waste treatment facilities shall mean property constituting facilities for the treatment, neutralization or stabilization of industrial waste and other wastes (as the terms "industrial waste" and "other wastes" are defined in section 17-0105 of the environmental conservation law) from a point immediately preceding the point of such treatment, neutralization or stabilization to the point of disposal, including the necessary pumping and transmitting facilities, but excluding such facilities installed for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable.
- (D) Air pollution control facilities shall mean property constituting facilities which remove, reduce, or render less noxious air contaminants emitted from an air contamination source (as the terms "air contaminant" and "air contamination source" are defined in section 19-0107 of the environmental conservation law) from a point immediately preceding the S. 6359--D

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point of such removal, reduction or rendering to the point of discharge of air, meeting emission standards as established by the department of environmental conservation, but excluding such facilities installed for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable and excluding those facilities which rely for their efficacy on dilution, dispersion or assimilation of air contaminants in the ambient air after emission. Such term shall further

include flue gas desulfurization equipment and attendant sludge disposal facilities, fluidized bed boilers, precombustion coal cleaning facilities or other facilities that conform with this subdivision and which comply with the provisions of the state acid deposition control act set forth in title nine of article nineteen of the environmental conservation law.

(E) The terms "qualified film production facility" and "qualified film production company" shall have the same meaning as in section twenty-four of this chapter.

(iii) However, such credit shall be allowed with respect to industrial waste treatment facilities and air pollution control facilities only on condition that such facilities have been certified by the state commissioner of environmental conservation or his designated representative, pursuant to subdivision one of section 17-0707 or subdivision one of section 19-0309 of the environmental conservation law, as complying with applicable provisions of the environmental conservation law, the public health law, the state sanitary code and codes, rules, regulations, permits or orders issued pursuant thereto.

(c) A taxpayer shall not be allowed a credit under this subdivision with respect to tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, which it leases to any other person or corporation except where a taxpayer leases property to an affiliated regulated broker, dealer, registered investment adviser, national securities exchange or board of trade (or other entity described in clause (F) of subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision) that uses such property in accordance with clause (D), (E) or (F) of subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision. For purposes of the preceding sentence, any contract or agreement to lease or rent or for a license to use such property shall be considered a lease. Provided, however, in determining whether a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit under this subdivision with respect to such property, any election made with respect to such property pursuant to the provisions of paragraph eight of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code, as such paragraph was in effect for agreements entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four, shall be disregarded. For purposes of this paragraph, the use of a qualified film production facility by a qualified film production company shall not be considered a lease of such facility to such company.

(d) Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the higher of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (c) and (d) of subdivision one of this section. However, if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount, any amount of credit allowed for a taxable year commencing prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-seven and not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years but in no event shall such credit be carried over to S. 6359-D

taxable years commencing on or after January first, two thousand two, and any amount of credit allowed for a taxable year commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-seven and not deductible in such year may be carried over to the fifteen taxable years next following such taxable year and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years. In lieu of such carryover, any such taxpayer which qualifies as a new business under paragraph (j) of this subdivision may elect to treat the amount of such carryover as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section ten hundred eighty-six of this chapter, provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section ten hundred eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

(e) (1) With respect to property which is depreciable pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code but is not subject to the provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of such code and which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the months of useful life. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of its useful life, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. Provided, however, if such property is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use after it has been in qualified use for more than twelve consecutive years, it shall not be necessary to add back the credit as provided in this subparagraph. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the months of useful life. For purposes of this subparagraph, useful life of property shall be the same as the taxpayer uses for depreciation purposes when computing his federal income tax liability.

- (2) Except with respect to that property to which subparagraph four of this paragraph applies, with respect to three-year property, as defined in subsection (e) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code, which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to thirty-six. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of thirty-six months, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to thirty-six.
- (3) Except with respect to that property to which subparagraph four of this paragraph applies, with respect to property subject to the provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code, other than three-year property as defined in subsection (e) of such section one hundred sixty-eight which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to sixty. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use S. 6359--D

prior to the end of sixty months, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to sixty.

(4) With respect to any property to which section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code applies, which is a building or a structural component of a building and which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the total number of months over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the period over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code, the difference between the credit taken and the credit

allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. Provided, however, if such property is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use after it has been in qualified use for more than twelve consecutive years, it shall not be necessary to add back the credit as provided in this subparagraph. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the total number of months over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code.

- (5) For purposes of this paragraph, property (i) which is described in subparagraph two, three or four of this paragraph, and (ii) which is subject to subparagraph eleven of paragraph (a) of subdivision nine and subparagraph ten of paragraph (b) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this chapter, shall be treated as property which is depreciable pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code but is not subject to section one hundred sixty-eight of such code.
- (6) For purposes of this paragraph, where a credit is allowed with respect to an air pollution control facility on the basis of a certificate of compliance issued pursuant to the environmental conservation law and the certificate is revoked pursuant to subdivision three of section 19-0309 of the environmental conservation law, such revocation shall constitute a disposal or cessation of qualified use, unless such facility is described in clause (A) or (C) of subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision. Also for purposes of this subparagraph, the use of an air pollution control facility or an industrial waste treatment facility for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable shall constitute a cessation of qualified use, unless such facility is described in clause (A) or (C) of subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision.
- (7) For taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-seven, the amount required to be added back pursuant to this paragraph shall be augmented by an amount equal to the product of such amount and the underpayment rate of interest (without regard to compounding), set by the commissioner of taxation and finance pursuant to subsection (e) of section one thousand ninety-six, in effect on the last day of the taxable year.

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- (8) If, as of the close of the taxable year, there is a net increase with respect to the taxpayer in the amount of nonqualified nonrecourse financing (within the meaning of section 46(c) (8) of the internal revenue code) with respect to any property with respect to which the credit under this subdivision was limited based on attributable nonqualified nonrecourse financing, then an amount equal to the decrease in such credit which would have resulted from reducing, by the amount of such net increase, the cost or other basis taken into account with respect to such property must be added back in such taxable year. The amount of nonqualified nonrecourse financing shall not be treated as increased by reason of a transfer of (or agreement to transfer) any evidence of an indebtedness if such transfer occurs (or such agreement is entered into) more than one year after the date such indebtedness was incurred.
- (9) (A) Where property with respect to which credit has been allowed under this subdivision is disposed of by transfer to the taxpayer in a qualified transaction, and such disposition requires, pursuant to this paragraph (without regard to this subparagraph) that such credit be decreased (where the disposition occurs in the taxable year in which the property is placed in service by the transferor) or that a portion of such credit be added back by the transferor, then clause (B) or clause (C) of this subparagraph shall apply.
  - (B) If the taxpayer and the transferor jointly elect, at such time and

24 <u>in such manner as the commissioner may prescribe</u>, the following shall apply:

- (i) such portion shall not be required to be added back by the transferor,
- (ii) the amount of unused credit shall not be deducted from tax otherwise due by the transferor on any return (including an amended return), and shall not be so deducted as part of any audit adjustment or any other determination, and
- (iii) the amount of unused credit shall be treated as an amount of credit of the taxpayer under this subdivision carried forward by the taxpayer to its taxable year in which such transfer occurred, as if the credit allowed to the transferor with respect to such property had originally been allowed to the taxpayer both as to amount and first date of qualified use, and as if the period of qualified use by the transferor prior to the transfer had been a period of such use by the taxpayer. Any amount of credit treated as carried forward to the taxable year pursuant to this subparagraph shall be applied as provided in clause (H) of this subparagraph.
- (C) If the taxpayer and the transferor do not make the election described in clause (B) of this subparagraph, then the amount of credit required pursuant to this paragraph to be added back by the transferor shall be treated as an amount of credit of the taxpayer under this subdivision to be carried forward by the taxpayer to its taxable year in which such transfer occurred, as if the credit allowed to the transferor with respect to such property had originally been allowed to the taxpayer both as to amount and first date of qualified use, and as if the period of qualified use by the transferor prior to the transfer had been a period of such use by the taxpayer. Any amount of credit treated as carried forward to the taxable year pursuant to this subparagraph shall be applied as provided in clause (H) of this subparagraph.
- (D) The term "qualified transaction" shall mean a transaction which is a reorganization described in section 368(a)(1)(D) of the internal revenue code, wherein (i) substantially all of the assets of the S. 6359--D

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- transferor necessary to continue the operation of a division or divisions of the transferor are transferred to the taxpayer in a transaction to which section 351 of such code applies, and (ii) stock or securities of the taxpayer held by the transferor are distributed pursuant to section 355 of such code.
- (E) The term "unused credit" shall mean the amount of credit shown as carried forward to the transaction year on the transferor's tax return for its taxable year immediately preceding the transaction year with respect to the property described in clause (A) of this subparagraph.
- $\underline{\mbox{(F)}}$  The term "transaction year" means the taxable year in which the qualified transaction occurs.
- (G) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, in the case of allowance of credit pursuant to this subparagraph to a taxpayer the commissioner shall have the authority to reveal to the taxpayer any information, with respect to the credit of the transferor, which is the basis for the denial in whole or in part of the credit claimed by such taxpayer.
- (H) Where a credit is allowed to a taxpayer pursuant to this subparagraph, the taxpayer may treat the amount of such credit as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section ten hundred eighty-six of this chapter, provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section ten hundred eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon. Such credit shall be allowed against the tax imposed by this article with respect to the second succeeding taxable year next following the transaction year, provided that not more than one-fourth of the amount of such credit may be applied by the taxpayer, whether to reduce tax otherwise due or to be treated as an overpayment to be credited or refunded,

with respect to such second succeeding taxable year and each of the next three taxable years following such second succeeding taxable year.

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- (f) For purposes of paragraph (d) of this subdivision, a new business shall include any corporation, except a corporation which:
- (1) over fifty percent of the number of shares of stock entitling the holders thereof to vote for the election of directors or trustees is owned or controlled, either directly or indirectly, by a taxpayer subject to tax under this article; section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-five of article nine; or article thirty-three of this chapter; or
- (2) is substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity (or entities) taxable, or previously taxable, under this article; section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, former section one hundred eighty-five or former section one hundred eighty-six of article nine; article thirty-two of this chapter as such article was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen; article thirty-three of this chapter; article twenty-three of this chapter or which would have been subject to tax under such article twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty) or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two of this chapter whereby the intent and purpose of this paragraph and paragraph (d) of this subdivision with respect to refunding of credit to new business would be evaded; or
- (3) has been subject to tax under this article or former article thirty-two of this chapter for more than five taxable years (excluding short taxable years).
- 2. Employment Incentive Credit (EIC). (a) (i) Application of credit.

  Where a taxpayer is allowed a credit under subdivision one of this
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section, other than at the optional rate applicable to research and development property, the taxpayer shall be allowed a credit for each of the two years next succeeding the taxable year for which the credit under such subdivision one is allowed with respect to such property, whether or not deductible in such taxable year or in subsequent taxable years pursuant to paragraph (d) of such subdivision one. Provided, however, that the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year shall be allowed only if the average number of employees during such taxable year is at least one hundred one percent of the average number of employees during the employment base year. The employment base year shall be the taxable year immediately preceding the taxable year for which the credit under such subdivision one is allowed except that if the taxpayer was not subject to tax and did not have a taxable year immediately preceding the taxable year for which the credit under such subdivision one of this section is allowed, the employment base year shall be the taxable year in which the credit under such subdivision one

(ii) Amount of credit. The amount of the credit allowed under this subdivision shall be as set forth in the following table:

Credit allowed under this 20 Average number of employees during the 21 taxable year expressed as a percentage subdivision expressed as a 22 of average employees in employment percentage of the applicable 23 base years investment credit basis 24 Less than 102% 1.5% At least 102% and less than 103% 25 **2**왕 26 2.5% At least 103%

(b) Average number of employees. The average number of employees in a taxable year shall be computed by ascertaining the number of employees within the state, except general executive officers, employed by the taxpayer on the thirty-first day of March, the thirtieth day of June, the thirtieth day of September and the thirty-first day of December in the taxable year, by adding together the number of employees ascertained on each of such dates and dividing the sum so obtained by the number of

such above mentioned dates occurring within the taxable year. However, with respect to the employment base year, there shall be excluded therefrom any employee with respect to whom a credit provided for under subdivision six of this section is claimed, for the taxable year, based on employment within a zone equivalent area designated as such pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law.

- (c) Carryover. In no event shall the credit herein provided for be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax payable to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the fifteen taxable years immediately following such taxable year and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
- 3. Empire zone investment tax credit (EZ-ITC). (a) A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as herein provided, against the tax imposed by this article if the taxpayer has been certified pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law. The amount of the credit shall be ten percent of the cost or other basis for federal income tax purposes of tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, described in S. 6359--D
- paragraph (b) of this subdivision, which is located within an empire zone designated as such pursuant to article eighteen-B of such law, but only if the acquisition, construction, reconstruction or erection of such property occurred or was commenced on or after the date of such designation and prior to the expiration thereof. Provided, however, that in the case of an acquisition, construction, reconstruction or erection which was commenced during such period and continued or completed subsequently, such credit shall be ten percent of the portion of the cost or other basis for federal income tax purposes attributable to such period, which portion shall be ascertained by multiplying such cost or basis by a fraction the numerator of which shall be the expenditures paid or incurred during such period for such purposes and the denominator of which shall be the total of all expenditures paid or incurred for such acquisition, construction, reconstruction or erection.
- (b) Qualified property. A credit shall be allowed under this subdivision with respect to tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, which
- (i) are depreciable pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code,
  - (ii) have a useful life of four years or more,
- (iii) are acquired by purchase as defined in section one hundred seventy-nine (d) of the internal revenue code,
- (iv) have a situs in an empire zone designated as such pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law, and
- (v) are (A) principally used by the taxpayer in the production of goods by manufacturing, processing, assembling, refining, mining, extracting, farming, agriculture, horticulture, floriculture, viticulture or commercial fishing,
- 29 (B) industrial waste treatment facilities or air pollution control 30 facilities used in the taxpayer's trade or business,
  - (C) research and development property,
  - (D) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's trade or business as a broker or dealer in connection with the purchase or sale (which shall include but not be limited to the issuance, entering into, assumption, offset, assignment, termination, or transfer) of stocks, bonds or other securities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or of commodities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (e) of the Internal Revenue Code,

(E) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's trade or business of providing investment advisory services for a regulated investment company as defined in section eight hundred fifty-one of the Internal Revenue Code, or lending, loan arrangement, or loan origination services to customers in connection with the purchase or sale (which shall include but not be limited to the issuance, entering into, assumption, offset, assignment, termination or transfer) of securities as defined in section four hundred seventy-five (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code,

- (E-1) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's trade or business of providing investment advisory services or the service of managing investment portfolios to achieve specific investment objectives for accounts over one million dollars of accredited investors (as that term is defined in rule 501 of regulation D of the Securities Act of 1933), if the taxpayer satisfies the following criteria:
- (I) the taxpayer is a regulated broker or dealer or an affiliate of a regulated broker or dealer,

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- (II) the taxpayer is registered as an investment adviser under section two hundred three of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended, and
- (III) at least one client of the taxpayer is a regulated investment company as defined in section eight hundred fifty-one of the internal revenue code that has assets of one hundred million dollars, or
- (F) principally used in the ordinary course of the taxpayer's business as an exchange registered as a national securities exchange within the meaning of sections 3(a)(1) and 6(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or a board of trade as defined in subdivision one of paragraph (a) of section fourteen hundred ten of the not-for-profit corporation law or as an entity that is wholly owned by one or more such national securities exchanges or boards or trade and that provides automation or technical services thereto.
- (vi) For purposes of clauses (D), (E), (E-1) and (F) of subparagraph (v) of this paragraph, property purchased by a taxpayer affiliated with a regulated broker, dealer, registered investment adviser, national securities exchange or board of trade is allowed a credit under this subdivision if the property is used by its affiliated regulated broker, dealer, registered investment adviser or national securities exchange or board of trade in accordance with this subdivision. For purposes of determining if the property is principally used in qualifying uses, the uses by the taxpayer described in clauses (D), (E) and (E-1) of subparagraph (v) of this paragraph may be aggregated. In addition, the uses by the taxpayer, its affiliated regulated broker, dealer and registered investment adviser under any of those clauses may be aggregated. Provided, however, a taxpayer shall not be allowed the credit provided by clauses (D), (E), (E-1) and (F) of subparagraph (v) of this paragraph unless
- (I) eighty percent or more of the employees performing the administrative and support functions resulting from or related to the qualifying uses of such equipment are located in this state, or
- (II) the average number of employees that perform the administrative and support functions resulting from or related to the qualifying uses of such equipment and are located in this state during the taxable year for which the credit is claimed is equal to or greater than ninety-five percent of the average number of employees that perform these functions and are located in this state during the thirty-six months immediately preceding the year for which the credit is claimed, or
- (III) the number of employees located in this state during the taxable year for which the credit is claimed is equal to or greater than ninety percent of the number of employees located in this state on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight or, if the taxpayer was not a calendar year taxpayer in nineteen hundred ninety-eight, the last day

of its first taxable year ending after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight. If the taxpayer becomes subject to tax in this state after the taxable year beginning in nineteen hundred ninety-eight, then the taxpayer is not required to satisfy the employment test provided in the preceding sentence of this subparagraph for its first taxable year.

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(vii) For the purposes of clause (III) of subparagraph (vi) of this paragraph the employment test will be based on the number of employees located in this state on the last day of the first taxable year the taxpayer is subject to tax in this state. If the uses of the property must be aggregated to determine whether the property is principally used in qualifying uses, then either each affiliate using the property must S. 6359--D

satisfy this employment test or this employment test must be satisfied through the aggregation of the employees of the taxpayer, its affiliated regulated broker, dealer, and registered investment adviser using the property.

(viii) For the purpose of this subdivision, the term "goods" shall not include electricity.

- (ix) For purposes of this subdivision, "manufacturing" shall mean the process of working raw materials into wares suitable for use or which gives new shapes, new quality or new combinations to matter which already has gone through some artificial process by the use of machinery, tools, appliances and other similar equipment. Property used in the production of goods shall include machinery, equipment or other tangible property which is principally used in the repair and service of other machinery, equipment or other tangible property used principally in the production of goods and shall include all facilities used in the production operation, including storage of material to be used production and of the products that are produced. For purposes of this subdivision, the terms "research and development property", "industrial waste treatment facilities", and "air pollution control facilities" shall have the meanings ascribed thereto by clauses (B), (C) and (D), respectively, of subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (b) of subdivision one of this section, and the provisions of subparagraph (v) of such paragraph (b) shall apply.
- (c) Nonqualified property. A taxpayer shall not be allowed a credit under this subdivision with respect to any tangible personal property and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, which it leases to any other person or corporation except where a taxpayer leases property to an affiliated regulated broker, dealer, registered investment adviser, national securities exchange or board of trade or other entity described in clause (F) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision that uses such property in accordance with clause (D), (E), (E-1) or (F) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision. For purposes of the preceding sentence, any contract or agreement to lease or rent or for a license to use such property shall be considered a lease. Provided, however, in determining whether a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit under this subdivision with respect to such property, any election made with respect to such property pursuant to the provisions of paragraph eight of subsection (f) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code, as such paragraph was in effect for agreements entered into prior to January first, nineteen hundred eighty-four, shall be disregarded.
- (d) Carryover. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not

deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years. In lieu of such carryover, any such taxpayer which qualifies as a new business under paragraph (f) of subdivision one of this section may elect, on its report for its taxable year with respect to which such credit is allowed, to treat fifty percent of the amount of such carry-over as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance S. 6359-D

with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. In addition, any taxpayer which is approved as the owner of a qualified investment project or a significant capital investment project pursuant to subdivision (w) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law, on its report for its taxable year with respect to which such credit is allowed, in lieu of such carryover, may elect to treat fifty percent of the amount of such carryover which is attributable to the credit allowed under this subdivision for property which is part of such project as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, such owner shall be allowed such refund for a maximum of ten taxable years with respect to such qualified investment project and each significant capital investment project, starting with the first taxable year in which property comprising such project is placed in service. Provided, further, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

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- (d-1) Any carryover of a credit from prior taxable years will not be allowed if an empire zone retention certificate is not issued pursuant to subdivision (w) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law to the empire zone enterprise which is the basis of the credit.
- (e) At the option of the taxpayer, the taxpayer may choose to claim the credit described in paragraph (a) of this subdivision for property which also qualifies for the credit provided under subdivision one of this section. A taxpayer shall not be allowed a credit under this subdivision with respect to any property described in paragraph (a) of this subdivision if a credit is taken pursuant to subdivision one of this section.
- (f) Recapture. (i) With respect to property which is depreciable pursuant to section one hundred sixty-seven of the internal revenue code but is not subject to the provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of such code and which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the months of useful life. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of its useful life, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. Provided, however, if such property is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use after it has been in qualified use for more than twelve consecutive years, it shall not be necessary to add back the credit as provided in this subparagraph. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the months of useful life. For purposes of this subparagraph, useful life of property shall be the same as the taxpayer uses for depreciation purposes when computing his federal income tax liability.
- (ii) Except with respect to that property to which subparagraph (iv) of this paragraph applies, with respect to three-year property, as defined in subsection (e) of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code, which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be

months of qualified use bear to thirty-six. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of thirty-six months, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to thirty-six.

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(iii) Except with respect to that property to which subparagraph (iv) of this paragraph applies, with respect to property subject to the provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight of the internal revenue code other than three-year property as defined in subsection (e) of such section one hundred sixty-eight which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to sixty. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of sixty months, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to sixty.

(iv) With respect to any property to which section one hundred sixtyeight of the internal revenue code applies, which is a building or a structural component of a building and which is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the taxable year in which the credit is to be taken, the amount of the credit shall be that portion of the credit provided for in this subdivision which represents the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the total number of months over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code. If property on which credit has been taken is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use prior to the end of the period over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code, the difference between the credit taken and the credit allowed for actual use must be added back in the year of disposition. Provided, however, if such property is disposed of or ceases to be in qualified use after it has been in qualified use for more than twelve consecutive years, it shall not be necessary to add back the credit as provided in this subparagraph. The amount of credit allowed for actual use shall be determined by multiplying the original credit by the ratio which the months of qualified use bear to the total number of months over which the taxpayer chooses to deduct the property under the internal revenue code.

(v) For purposes of this paragraph, disposal or cessation of qualified use shall not be deemed to have occurred solely by reason of the termination or expiration of an empire zone's designation as such.

(vi) (A) For purposes of this paragraph, the decertification of a business enterprise with respect to an empire zone shall constitute a disposal or cessation of qualified use of the property on which the credit was taken which is located in the zone to which the decertification applies, on the effective date of such decertification.

(B) Where a business enterprise has been decertified based on a finding pursuant to clause one, two, or five of subdivision (a) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law, the amount required to be added back by reason of this paragraph shall be (I) the amount of credit, with respect to the property which is disposed of or S. 6359-D

tax otherwise due under this article for all prior taxable years, reduced (but not below zero) by (II) the credit allowed for actual use. For purposes of this subparagraph, the attribution to specific property of credit amounts deducted from tax shall be established in accordance with the date of placement in service of such property in the empire zone.

(C) In no event shall the amount of the credit allowed pursuant to this subdivision be rendered, solely by reason of clause (A) of this subparagraph, less than the amount of the credit to which the taxpayer would otherwise be entitled under subdivision one of this section.

(D) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subdivision, in the case of a business enterprise which has been decertified, any amount of credit allowed with respect to the property of such business enterprise located in the zone to which the decertification applies which is carried over pursuant to paragraph (d) of this subdivision shall not be carried over beyond the seventh taxable year next following the taxable year with respect to which the credit provided for in this subdivision was allowed.

(vii) For purposes of this paragraph, where a credit is allowed with respect to an air pollution control facility on the basis of a certificate of compliance issued pursuant to the environmental conservation law and the certificate is revoked pursuant to subdivision three of section 19-0309 of the environmental conservation law, such revocation shall constitute a disposal or cessation of qualified use, except with respect to property contained in or comprising such facility which is described in clause (A), (B), or (C) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision other than as part of or comprising an air pollution control facility. Also for purposes of this paragraph, the use of an air pollution control facility or an industrial waste treatment facility for the primary purpose of salvaging materials which are usable in the manufacturing process or are marketable shall constitute a cessation of qualified use, except with respect to property contained in or comprising such facility which is described in clause (A) or (C) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision.

(viii) Except as provided in this subparagraph, this paragraph shall not apply to a credit allowed by this subdivision to a taxpayer that is a partner in a partnership in the case of manufacturing property; provided, at the time such property was placed in service by such partnership in an empire zone the basis for federal income tax purposes for such property (or a project that includes such property) equaled or exceeded three hundred million dollars and such partner owned its partnership interest for at least three years from the date such property was placed in service. If such property ceases to be in qualified use after it is placed in service, this paragraph shall apply to such partner in the year such property ceases to be in qualifying use.

(ix) If a taxpayer, which is approved by the commissioner of economic development as the owner of a qualified investment project or a significant capital investment project pursuant to subdivision (w) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law, fails to (A) create at least the minimum number of jobs at such project as required by the provisions of subdivision (s) or (t) of section nine hundred fifty-seven and subdivision (w) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law or (B) place in service property comprising such qualified investment project or significant capital investment project with a basis for federal income tax purposes equaling or exceed
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ing the applicable minimum required basis as provided in such subdivision (s) or (t), whichever is relevant, by the last day of the fifth taxable year following the taxable year in which a credit is first allowed under this subdivision for the property which comprises such qualified investment project or such significant capital investment project, the total amount of the credit allowed under this subdivision

for all taxable years with respect to the property which comprises such project which has been refunded to such taxpayer shall be added back in such taxable year.

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- (g) Notwithstanding the expiration of the empire zones program under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law, a taxpayer that is certified as a qualified investment project pursuant to such article eight-B on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed certified under such article eighteen-B for purposes of this subdivision for the remainder of the taxable year in which the expiration occurred and for the next succeeding nine taxable years. In addition, the areas designated as empire zones in which the taxpayer is certified as a qualified investment project on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed empire zones for purposes of this subdivision for the remainder of the taxable year in which the expiration occurred and for the next succeeding nine taxable years.
- (h) Notwithstanding the expiration of the empire zones program under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law and except as provided in paragraph (g) of this subdivision, a taxpayer that is certified as an empire zone business pursuant to such article eighteen-B on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zone program expired shall continue to be deemed certified under such article eighteen-B for purposes of this subdivision until April first, two thousand fourteen. In addition, the areas designated as empire zones in which the taxpayer is certified as an empire zone business on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed empire zones for purposes of this subdivisions until April first, two thousand fourteen.
- 4. Empire zone employment incentive credit (EZ-EIC). (a) Application of credit. Where a taxpayer is allowed a credit under subdivision three of this section, the taxpayer shall be allowed a credit for each of the three years next succeeding the taxable year for which the credit under such subdivision three is allowed, with respect to such property, whether or not deductible in such taxable year or in subsequent taxable years pursuant to paragraph (d) of such subdivision three, of thirty percent of the credit allowable under such subdivision three; provided, however, that the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year shall only be allowed if the average number of employees employed by the taxpayer in the empire zone, designated pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law, in which such property is located during such taxable year is at least one hundred one percent of the average number of employees employed by the taxpayer in such empire zone, during the taxable year immediately preceding the taxable year for which the credit under such subdivision three is allowed and provided, further, that if the taxpayer was not subject to tax and did not have a taxable year immediately preceding the taxable year for which the credit under subdivision three of this section is allowed, the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year shall be allowed if the average number of employees employed in such empire zone in such taxable year is at least one hundred one percent of the average number of such employees S. 6359--D

during the taxable year in which the credit under such subdivision three is allowed.

(b) Average number of employees. The average number of employees employed in an empire zone in a taxable year shall be computed by ascertaining the number of such employees within such zone except general executive officers, employed by the taxpayer on the thirty-first day of March, the thirtieth day of June, the thirtieth day of September and the thirty-first day of December in the taxable year, by adding together the number of employees ascertained on each of such dates and dividing the sum so obtained by the number of such above-mentioned dates occurring within the taxable year.

(c) Carryover. In no event shall the credit herein provided for be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax payable to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years. In lieu of such carryover, any such taxpayer, which is approved as the owner of a qualified investment project or a significant capital investment project pursuant to subdivision (v) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law, may elect, on its report for its taxable year with respect to which such credit is allowed, to treat fifty percent of the amount of such carryover as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, in the case of such owner of a qualified investment project or a significant capital investment project, only fifty percent of the amount of such carryover which is attributable to the credit allowed under this subdivision with respect to property which is part of such project shall be allowed to be credited or refunded and such owner shall be allowed such credit or refund only for those taxable years in which such owner would be allowed a credit or refund of the empire zone investment tax credit pursuant to paragraph (d) of subdivision three of this section. Provided, further, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

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- (c-1) Any carryover of a credit from prior taxable years will not be allowed if an empire zone retention certificate is not issued pursuant to subdivision (w) of section nine hundred fifty-nine of the general municipal law to the empire zone enterprise which is the basis of the credit.
- (d) Notwithstanding the expiration of the empire zones program under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law, a taxpayer that is certified as a qualified investment project pursuant to such article eighteen-B on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed certified under such article eighteen-B for purposes of this subdivision for the remainder of the taxable year in which the expiration occurred and for the next succeeding nine taxable years. In addition, the areas designated as empire zones in which the taxpayer is certified as a qualified investment project on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed empire zones for purposes of S. 6359-D

this subdivision for the remainder of the taxable year in which the expiration occurred and for the next succeeding nine taxable years.

- (e) Notwithstanding the expiration of the empire zones program under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law and except as provided in paragraph (d) of this subdivision, a taxpayer that is certified as an empire zone business pursuant to such article eighteen-B on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired shall continue to be deemed in the empire zone in which the taxpayer was certified as an empire zone business on the day immediately preceding the day the empire zones program expired for each of the three years next succeeding the taxable year for which the credit under subdivision three of this section is allowed.
- 5. QEZE credit for real property taxes. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer which is a qualified empire zone enterprise shall be allowed a credit for eligible real property taxes, to be computed as provided in section fifteen of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.

(b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

- 6. QEZE tax reduction credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer which is a qualified empire zone enterprise shall be allowed a QEZE tax reduction credit, to be computed as provided in section sixteen of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, this paragraph shall not apply to a taxpayer with a zone allocation factor of one hundred percent.
- 7. Qualified emerging technology company employment credit. (a) Application of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article, provided:
- (i) the taxpayer is a qualified emerging technology company pursuant to the provisions of section thirty-one hundred two-e of the public authorities law; and
- (ii) the average number of individuals employed full time by the taxpayer in New York state during the taxable year is at least one hundred one percent of the taxpayer's base year employment. For the purposes of this subdivision, "base year employment" means the average number of individuals employed full-time by the taxpayer in the state during the three taxable years immediately preceding the first taxable year in which the credit is claimed. Where the taxpayer provided full-time employment within the state during only a portion of such three-year period, then the first effective date for the company to take advantage of this credit shall be the next year following the first full S. 6359-D
- taxable year that the company had full-time employment in New York state. For the purposes of this paragraph the term "three years" shall be deemed to refer instead to the prior year's full-time employment after the first year and the average of the first eight quarters of employment after the first two taxable years in New York state.
- (b) Credit limitation. The credit shall be allowed only in the first taxable year in which the credit is claimed and in each of the next two taxable years, provided that the conditions of paragraph (a) of this subdivision are satisfied in each taxable year.
- (c) Average number of individuals employed full-time. For the purposes of this subdivision, average number of individuals employed full-time shall be computed by adding the number of such individuals employed by the taxpayer at the end of each quarter during each taxable year or other applicable period and dividing the sum so obtained by the number of such quarters occurring within such taxable year or other applicable period; provided however, except that in computing base year employment, there shall be excluded therefrom any employee with respect to whom a credit provided for under subdivision six of this section is claimed for the taxable year.
- (d) Amount of credit. The amount of the credit shall equal the product of one thousand dollars times the number of individuals employed full-time by the taxpayer in the taxable year that are in excess of one

hundred percent of the taxpayer's base year employment.

 (e) Carryover. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

- 8. Qualified emerging technology company capital tax credit. (a) Amount of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article. The amount of the credit shall be equal to one of the following percentages, per each qualified investment in a qualified emerging technology company as defined in section thirty-one hundred two-e of the public authorities law, made during the taxable year, and certified by the commissioner, either:
- (1) ten percent of qualified investments in qualified emerging technology companies, except for investments made by or on behalf of an owner of the business, including, but not limited to, a stockholder, partner or sole proprietor, or any related person, as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph three of subsection (b) of section four hundred sixty-five of the internal revenue code, and provided, however, that the taxpayer certifies to the commissioner that the qualified investment will not be sold, transferred, traded, or disposed of during the four years following the year in which the credit is first claimed; or
- (2) twenty percent of qualified investments in qualified emerging technology companies, except for investments made by or on behalf of an owner of the business, including, but not limited to, a stockholder, partner or sole proprietor, or any related person, as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph three of subsection (b) of section four hundred S. 6359-D

sixty-five of the internal revenue code, and provided, however, that the taxpayer certifies to the commissioner that the qualified investment will not be sold, transferred, traded, or disposed of during the nine years following the year in which the credit is first claimed.

- (b) Qualified investment. "Qualified investment" means the contribution of property to a corporation in exchange for original issue capital stock or other ownership interest, the contribution of property to a partnership in exchange for an interest in the partnership, and similar contributions in the case of a business entity not in corporate or partnership form in exchange for an ownership interest in such entity. The total amount of credit allowable to a taxpayer under this provision for all years, taken in the aggregate, shall not exceed one hundred fifty thousand dollars in the case of investments made pursuant to subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of this subdivision and shall not exceed three hundred thousand dollars in the case of investments made pursuant to subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of this subdivision.
- (c) Carryover. In no event shall the credit and carryover of such credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year, in the aggregate, reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter. However, if the amount of credit or carryovers of such credit, or both, allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, or if any part of the credit or carryovers of such credit may not be deducted from the tax otherwise due by reason of the final sentence of this paragraph, any amount of credit or carryovers of such credit thus not deductible in

such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the tax for such year or years. In addition, the amount of such credit, and carryovers of such credit to the taxable year, deducted from the tax otherwise due may not, in the aggregate, exceed fifty percent of the tax imposed under section two hundred nine of this article computed without regard to any credit provided for by this section.

- (d) Recapture. (1) Where a taxpayer sells, transfers or otherwise disposes of corporate stock, a partnership interest or other ownership interest arising from the making of a qualified investment which was the basis, in whole or in part, for the allowance of the credit provided for under subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, or where an investment which was the basis for such allowance is, in whole or in part, recovered by such taxpayer, and such disposition or recovery occurs during the taxable year or within forty-eight months from the close of the taxable year with respect to which such credit is allowed, the taxpayer shall add back, with respect to the taxable year in which the disposition or recovery described above occurred, the required portion of the credit originally allowed.
- (2) Where a taxpayer sells, transfers or otherwise disposes of corporate stock, a partnership interest or other ownership interest arising from the making of a qualified investment which was the basis, in whole or in part, for the allowance of the credit provided for under subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, or where an investment which was the basis for such allowance is in any manner, in whole or in part, recovered by such taxpayer, and such disposition or recovery occurs during the taxable year or within one hundred eight months from the close of the taxable year with respect to which such credit is allowed, the taxpayer shall add back, with respect to the taxable year S. 6359-D
- in which the disposition or recovery described in subparagraph one of this paragraph occurred the required portion of the credit originally allowed.
- (3) The required portion of the credit originally allowed shall be the product of (A) the portion of such credit attributable to the property disposed of and (B) the applicable percentage.
  - (4) The applicable percentage shall be:

- (A) for credits allowed pursuant to subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of this subdivision:
- (i) one hundred percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs within the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed or within twelve months of the end of such taxable year,
- (ii) seventy-five percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than twelve but not more than twenty-four months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed,
- (iii) fifty percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than twenty-four months but not more than thirty-six months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed, or
- (iv) twenty-five percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than thirty-six months but not more than forty-eight months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed; or
- (B) for credits allowed pursuant to subparagraph two of paragraph (a) of this subdivision:
- (i) one hundred percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs within the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed or within twelve months of the end of such taxable year,
- (ii) eighty percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than twelve but not more than forty-eight months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed,
- (iii) sixty percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than forty-eight months but not more than seventy-two months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed,

(iv) forty percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than seventy-two months but not more than ninety-six months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed, or

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(v) twenty percent, if the disposition or recovery occurs more than ninety-six months but not more than one hundred eight months after the end of the taxable year with respect to which the credit is allowed.

9. Credit for the special additional mortgage recording tax. Application of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be credited against the tax imposed by this article, equal to the amount of the special additional mortgage recording tax paid by the taxpayer pursuant to the provisions of subdivision one-a of section two hundred fiftythree of this chapter or mortgages recorded. Provided, however, no credit shall be allowed with respect to a mortgage of real property principally improved or to be improved by one or more structures containing in the aggregate not more than six residential dwelling units, each dwelling unit having its own separate cooking facilities, where the real property is located in one or more of the counties comprising the metropolitan commuter transportation area. Provided further, however, no credit shall be allowed with respect to a mortgage of real property principally improved or to be improved by one or more structures containing in the aggregate not more than six residential dwelling units, each dwelling unit having its own separate cooking facilities, where the real property is located in the county of Erie.

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(b) Carryover. In no event shall the credit herein provided for be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax payable to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. If, however, the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year, including any credit carried over from a prior taxable year, reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.

10. Credit for servicing certain mortgages. (a) General. Every taxpayer meeting the requirements of the state of New York mortgage agency applicable to the servicing of mortgages acquired by such agency pursuant to the state of New York mortgage agency act, which shall have entered into a contract with the state of New York mortgage agency to service mortgages acquired by such agency pursuant to the state of New mortgage agency act, shall have credited to it annually an amount equal to two and ninety-three one hundredths per centum of the total principal and interest collected by the taxpayer during its taxable year on each such mortgage secured by a lien on real estate improved by a one-family to four-family residential structure and an amount equal to the interest collected by the taxpayer during its taxable year on each such mortgage secured by a lien on real property improved by a structure occupied as the residence of five or more families living independently of each other, multiplied by a fraction the denominator of which shall be the interest rate payable on the mortgage (computed to five decimal places) and the numerator of which shall be .00125 in the case of such a mortgage acquired by such agency for less than one million dollars, and .00100 in the case of such a mortgage acquired by such agency for one million dollars or more. In no event shall the credit allowed under this subdivision reduce the tax to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. In computing such tax credit for the servicing of mortgages on one-family to four-family residential structures, the taxpayer shall not be entitled to credit for the collection of curtailment or payments in discharge of any such mortgage. For the purposes of this subdivision,

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- (B) in reduction of the unpaid principal balance of the mortgage; in the absence of clear evidence to the contrary, amounts paid in excess of the monthly constant due during the month of collection shall be deemed to be in reduction of the unpaid principal balance of the mortgage; and
- (ii) "monthly constant" shall mean the amount of principal and interest which is due and payable according to the mortgage documents on each periodic payment date.
- 11. Agricultural property tax credit. (a) General. In the case of a taxpayer which is an eligible farmer or an eligible farmer who has paid taxes pursuant to a land contract, there shall be allowed a credit for the allowable school district property taxes. The term "allowable school district property taxes" means the school district property taxes paid during the taxable year on qualified agricultural property, subject to the acreage limitation provided in paragraph (e) of this subdivision and the income limitation provided in paragraph (f) of this subdivision.

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- (b) Eligible farmer. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "eligible farmer" means a taxpayer whose federal gross income from farming for the taxable year is at least two-thirds of excess federal gross income. The term "eligible farmer" also includes a corporation other than the taxpayer of record for qualified agricultural land which has paid the school district property taxes on such land pursuant to a contract for the future purchase of such land; provided that such corporation has a federal gross income from farming for the taxable year which is at least two-thirds of excess federal gross income; and provided further that, in determining such income eligibility, a taxpayer may, for any taxable year, use the average of such federal gross income from farming for that taxable year and such income for the two consecutive taxable years immediately preceding such taxable year. Excess federal gross income means the amount of federal gross income from all sources for the taxable year in excess of thirty thousand dollars. For the purposes of this paragraph, payments from the state's farmland protection program, administered by the department of agriculture and markets, shall be included as federal gross income from farming for otherwise eligible farmers.
- (c) School district property taxes. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "school district property taxes" means all property taxes, special ad valorem levies and special assessments, exclusive of penalties and interest, levied for school district purposes on the qualified agricultural property owned by the taxpayer.
- (d) Qualified agricultural property. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "qualified agricultural property" means land located in this state which is used in agricultural production, and land improvements, structures and buildings (excluding buildings used for the taxpayer's residential purpose) located on such land which are used or occupied to carry out such production. Qualified agricultural property also includes land set aside or retired under a federal supply management or soil conservation program or land that at the time it becomes subject to a conservation easement met the requirements under this paragraph.
- (e) Acreage limitation. (i) Eligible taxes. In the event that the qualified agricultural property owned by the taxpayer includes land in excess of the base acreage as provided in this paragraph, the amount of school district property taxes eligible for credit under this subdivision shall be that portion of the school district property taxes which bears the same ratio to the total school district property taxes paid during the taxable year, as the acreage allowable under this paragraph bears to the entire acreage of such land.
- (ii) Allowable acreage. The allowable acreage is the sum of the base acreage set forth below and fifty percent of the incremental acreage. The incremental acreage is the excess of the entire acreage of qualified

agricultural land owned by the taxpayer over the base acreage. Except as provided in subparagraph (iii) of this paragraph, the base acreage is three hundred fifty acres.

 The total base acreage may be increased by any acreage enrolled or participating during the taxable year in a federal environmental conservation acreage reserve program pursuant to title three of the federal agriculture improvement and reform act of nineteen hundred ninety-six.

(iii) Base acreage of related persons. Where the taxpayer and one or more related persons each own qualified agricultural property on the first day of March of any year, the base acreage under subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph shall be divided equally and allotted among the taxpayer and such related persons, and the taxpayer's base acreage for S. 6359--D

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the taxable year which includes such March first shall be limited to its allotted share. Provided, however, if the taxpayer and all such related persons consent (at such time and in such manner as the commissioner may prescribe) to an unequal division, the taxpayer's base acreage for such taxable year shall be limited to its allotted share under such unequal division.

- (iv) Related persons. (A) For purposes of subparagraph (iii) of this paragraph, the term "related person" means:
- (I) a corporation subject to tax under this article, where the taxpayer and the corporation are members of the same controlled group, as defined in section 267(f) of the internal revenue code;
- (II) an individual, partnership, estate or trust, where more than fifty percent in value of the outstanding stock of the taxpayer is owned, directly or indirectly, by or for such individual, partnership, estate or trust or by or for the grantor of such trust;
- (III) a corporation subject to tax under this article, or a partner-ship, estate or trust, if the same person owns more than fifty percent in value of the outstanding stock of the taxpayer and more than fifty percent in value of the outstanding stock of the corporation, or more than fifty percent of the capital or profits interest in the partner-ship, or more than fifty percent of the beneficial interest in the estate or trust;
- (IV) a partnership, estate or trust of which the taxpayer owns, directly or indirectly, more than fifty percent of the capital, profits or beneficial interest.
- (B) In determining whether a person is a related person within the meaning of this subparagraph:
- (I) stock owned, directly or indirectly, by or for a corporation, partnership, estate or trust shall be considered as being owned proportionately by or for its shareholders, partners or beneficiaries;
- (II) an individual shall be considered as owning the stock owned, directly or indirectly, by or for his spouse;
- (III) stock constructively owned by a person by reason of the application of item (I) of this clause shall, for the purpose of applying item (I) or (II) of this clause, be treated as actually owned by such person.
- (f) Income limitation. (i) In the event that the modified entire net income of the taxpayer exceeds two hundred thousand dollars, the allowable school district property taxes under paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall be the eligible taxes under subparagraph (i) of paragraph (e) of this subdivision reduced by the product of the amount of such eligible taxes and a percentage, such percentage to be determined by multiplying one hundred percent by a fraction, the numerator of which is the lesser of one hundred thousand dollars or the excess of the taxpayer's modified entire net income over two hundred thousand dollars and the denominator of which is one hundred thousand dollars. For purposes of the preceding sentence, the term "eligible taxes", where the acreage limitation of paragraph (e) of this subdivision does not apply, shall mean the total school district property taxes paid during the taxable year.

(ii) The term "modified entire net income" means the entire net income for the taxable year reduced by the amount of principal paid on farm indebtedness during the taxable year. The term "farm indebtedness" means debt incurred or refinanced which is secured by farm property, where the proceeds of the debt are disbursed for expenditures incurred in the business of farming.

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- (g) Carryover. In no event shall the credit provided herein be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax payable to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. If, however, the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years. Provided, however, in lieu of carrying over the unused portion of such credit, the taxpayer may elect to treat such unused portion as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter except that no interest shall be paid on such overpayment.
- (h) Nonqualified use. (i) No credit in conversion year. In the event that qualified agricultural property is converted by the taxpayer to nonqualified use, credit under this subdivision shall not be allowed with respect to such property for the taxable year of conversion (the conversion year).
- (ii) Credit recapture. If the conversion by the taxpayer of qualified agricultural property to nonqualified use occurs during the period of the two taxable years following the taxable year for which the credit under this subdivision was first claimed with respect to such property, the credit allowed with respect to such property for the taxable years prior to the conversion year must be added back in the conversion year. Where the property converted includes land, and where the conversion is of only a portion of such land, the credit allowed with respect to the property converted shall be determined by multiplying the entire credit under this subdivision for the taxable years prior to the conversion year by a fraction, the numerator of which is the acreage converted and the denominator of which is the entire acreage of such land owned by the taxpayer immediately prior to the conversion.
- (iii) Exception to recapture. Subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph shall not apply to the conversion of property where the conversion is by reason of involuntary conversion, within the meaning of section one thousand thirty-three of the internal revenue code.
- (iv) Conversion to nonqualified use. For purposes of this paragraph, a sale or other disposition of qualified agricultural property alone shall not constitute a conversion to a nonqualified use.
- (i) Special rules. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "federal gross income from farming" shall include gross income from the production of maple syrup, cider, Christmas trees derived from a managed Christmas tree operation whether dug for transplanting or cut from the stump, or from a commercial horse boarding operation as defined in subdivision thirteen of section three hundred one of the agriculture and markets law, or from the sale of wine from a licensed farm winery as provided for in article six of the alcoholic beverage control law, or from the sale of cider from a licensed farm cidery as provided for in section fifty-eight-c of the alcoholic beverage control law.
- (j) Election to deem gross income of New York C corporation to shareholders. For purposes of this subdivision, federal gross income from farming shall be zero for any taxable year of a New York C corporation for which the election under paragraph nine of subsection (n) of section six hundred six of this chapter is in effect.
  - 12. Credit for employment of persons with disabilities. (a) Allowance

inafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article, for employing within the state a qualified employee.

(b) Qualified employee. A qualified employee is an individual:

- (1) who is certified by the education department, or in the case of an individual who is blind or visually handicapped, by the state agency responsible for provision of vocational rehabilitation services to the blind and visually handicapped: (i) as a person with a disability which constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment and (ii) as having completed or as receiving services under an individualized written rehabilitation plan approved by the education department or other state agency responsible for providing vocational rehabilitation services to such individual; and
- (2) who has worked on a full-time basis for the employer who is claiming the credit for at least one hundred eighty days or four hundred hours.
- (c) Amount of credit. Except as provided in paragraph (d) of this subdivision, the amount of credit shall be thirty-five percent of the first six thousand dollars in qualified first-year wages earned by each qualified employee. "Qualified first-year wages" means wages paid or incurred by the taxpayer during the taxable year to qualified employees which are attributable, with respect to any such employee, to services rendered during the one-year period beginning with the day the employee begins work for the taxpayer.
- (d) Credit where federal work opportunity tax credit applies. With respect to any qualified employee whose qualified first-year wages under paragraph (c) of this subdivision also constitute qualified first-year wages for purposes of the work opportunity tax credit for vocational rehabilitation referrals under section fifty-one of the internal revenue code, the amount of credit under this subdivision shall be thirty-five percent of the first six thousand dollars in qualified second-year wages earned by each such employee. "Qualified second-year wages" means wages paid or incurred by the taxpayer during the taxable year to qualified employees which are attributable, with respect to any such employee, to services rendered during the one-year period beginning one year after the employee begins work for the taxpayer.
- (e) Carryover. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter. However, if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years, and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
- (f) Coordination with federal work opportunity tax credit. The provisions of section fifty-one and fifty-two of the internal revenue code, as such sections applied on October first, nineteen hundred ninety-six, that apply to the federal work opportunity tax credit for vocational rehabilitation referrals shall apply to the credit under this subdivision to the extent that such sections are consistent with the specific provisions of this subdivision, provided that in the event of a conflict the provisions of this subdivision shall control.
- 13. Credit for purchase of an automated external defibrillator. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article, for the purchase, other than for resale, of an automated external defibrillator, as such S. 6359--D

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term is defined in section three thousand-b of the public health law.

The amount of credit shall be the cost to the taxpayer of automated

external defibrillators purchased during the taxable year, such credit not to exceed five hundred dollars with respect to each unit purchased. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter.

- 14. Credit for purchase of long-term care insurance. (a) General. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article equal to twenty percent of the premium paid during the taxable year for long-term care insurance. In order to qualify for such credit, the taxpayer's premium payment must be for the purchase of or for continuing coverage under a long-term care insurance policy that qualifies for such credit pursuant to section one thousand one hundred seventeen of the insurance law.
- (b) Carryover. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. If, however, the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
- 15. Low-income housing credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article with respect to the ownership of eligible low-income buildings, computed as provided in section eighteen of this chapter.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit and carryovers of such credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not, in the aggregate, reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit or carryovers of such credit, or both, allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit or carryovers of such credit thus not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the tax for such year or years.
- (c) Credit recapture. For provisions requiring recapture of credit, see subdivision (b) of section eighteen of this chapter.
- 16. Green building credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section nineteen of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Carryovers. The credit and carryovers of such credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not, in the aggregate, reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit or carryovers of such credit, or both, allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit or carryovers of such credit thus not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the tax for such year or years.

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- 17. Brownfield redevelopment tax credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section twenty-one of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of

subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credits allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

- 18. Remediated brownfield credit for real property taxes for qualified sites. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer which is a developer of a qualified site shall be allowed a credit for eligible real property taxes, to be computed as provided in subdivision (b) of section twenty—two of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article. For purposes of this subdivision, the terms "qualified site" and "developer" shall have the same meaning as set forth in paragraphs two and three, respectively, of subdivision (a) of section twenty-two of this chapter.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 19. Environmental remediation insurance credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section twenty-three of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credits allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 20. Empire state film production credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer who is eligible pursuant to section twenty-four of this chapter shall be allowed a credit to be computed as provided in such section twenty-four against the tax imposed by this article.

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(b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, the excess shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

21. Security training tax credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section twenty-six of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.

- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter. However, if the amount of credits allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 22. Conservation easement tax credit. (a) Credit allowed. In the case of a taxpayer who owns land that is subject to a conservation easement held by a public or private conservation agency, there shall be allowed a credit for twenty-five percent of the allowable school district, county and town real property taxes on such land. In no such case shall the credit allowed under this subdivision in combination with any other credit for such school district, county and town real property taxes under this section exceed such taxes.
- (b) Conservation easement. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "conservation easement" means a perpetual and permanent conservation easement as defined in article forty-nine of the environmental conservation law that serves to protect open space, scenic, natural resources, biodiversity, agricultural, watershed and/or historic preservation resources. Any conservation easement for which a tax credit is claimed under this subdivision shall be filed with the department of environmental conservation, as provided for in article forty-nine of the environmental conservation law and such conservation easement shall comply with the provisions of title three of such article, and the provisions of subdivision (h) of section 170 of the internal revenue code. Dedications of land for open space through the execution of conservation easements for the purpose of fulfilling density requirements to obtain subdivision or building permits shall not be considered a conservation easement under this subdivision.
- (c) Land. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "land" means a fee simple title to real property located in this state, with or without improvements thereon; rights of way; water and riparian rights; easements; privileges and all other rights or interests of any land or description in, relating to or connected with real property, excluding buildings, structures, or improvements.

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- (d) Public or private conservation agency. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "public or private conservation agency" means any state, local, or federal governmental body; or any private not-for-profit charitable corporation or trust which is authorized to do business in the state of New York, is organized and operated to protect land for natural resources, conservation or historic preservation purposes, is exempt from federal income taxation under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code, and has the power to acquire, hold and maintain land and/or interests in land for such purposes.
- (e) Credit limitation. The amount of the credit that may be claimed by a taxpayer pursuant to this subsection shall not exceed five thousand dollars in any given year.
- (f) Application of the credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable

year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of the credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter, except that, no interest shall be paid thereon.

- 23. Empire state commercial production credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer that is eligible pursuant to provisions of section twenty-eight of this chapter shall be allowed a credit to be computed as provided in such section against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, fifty percent of the excess shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon. The balance of such credit not credited or refunded in such taxable year may be carried over to the immediately succeeding taxable year and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year. The excess, if any, of the amount of credit over the tax for such succeeding year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- (c) Expiration of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision shall not be applicable to taxable years beginning on or after December thirty-first, two thousand seventeen.
- 24. Biofuel production credit. (a) General. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section twenty-eight of this chapter added as part X of chapter sixty-two of the laws of two thousand six, against the tax imposed by this article. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount S. 6359--D

prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon. The tax credit allowed pursuant to this section shall apply to taxable years beginning before January first, two thousand twenty.

25. Clean heating fuel credit. (a) General. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article. Such credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, shall be allowed for bioheat, used for space heating or hot water production for residential purposes within this state purchased before January first, two thousand seventeen. Such credit shall be \$0.01 per percent of biodiesel per gallon of bioheat, not to exceed twenty cents per gallon, purchased by such taxpayer.

(b) Definitions. For purposes of this subdivision, the following definitions shall apply:

(i) "Biodiesel" shall mean a fuel comprised exclusively of mono-alkyl esters of long chain fatty acids derived from vegetable oils or animal fats, designated B100, which meets the specifications of American Society of Testing and Materials designation D 6751.

- (ii) "Bioheat" shall mean a fuel comprised of biodiesel blended with conventional home heating oil, which meets the specifications of the American Society of Testing and Materials designation D 396 or D 975.
- (c) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 26. Credit for rehabilitation of historic properties. (a) Application of credit. (i) For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand ten, and before January first, two thousand twenty, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article, in an amount equal to one hundred percent of the amount of credit allowed the taxpayer for the same taxable year with respect to a certified historic structure under subsection (c) (2) of section 47 of the internal revenue code with respect to a certified historic structure located within the state. Provided, however, the credit shall not exceed five million dollars.
- (ii) For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand twenty, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article, in an amount equal to thirty percent of the amount of credit allowed the taxpayer for the same taxable year with respect to a certified historic structure under S. 6359-D
- subsection (c)(3) of section 47 of the internal revenue code with respect to a certified historic structure located within the state. Provided, however, the credit shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars.
- (B) If the taxpayer is a partner in a partnership or a shareholder in a New York S corporation, then the credit caps imposed in subparagraph (A) of this paragraph shall be applied at the entity level, so that the aggregate credit allowed to all the partners or shareholders of each such entity in the taxable year does not exceed the credit cap that is applicable in that taxable year.
- (b) Tax credits allowed pursuant to this subdivision shall be allowed in the taxable year that the qualified rehabilitation is placed in service under section 167 of the federal internal revenue code.
- (c) If the credit allowed the taxpayer pursuant to section 47 of the internal revenue code with respect to a qualified rehabilitation is recaptured pursuant to subsection (a) of section 50 of the internal revenue code, a portion of the credit allowed under this subsection must be added back in the same taxable year and in the same proportion as the federal credit.
- (d) The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be recredited or refunded

in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.

- (e) To be eligible for the credit allowable under this subdivision, the rehabilitation project shall be in whole or in part located within a census tract which is identified as being at or below one hundred percent of the state median family income as calculated as of January first of each year using the most recent five year estimate from the American community survey published by the United States Census bureau.
- 27. Credits of New York S corporations. (a) General. Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, no carryover of credit allowable in a New York C year shall be deducted from the tax otherwise due under this article in a New York S year, and no credit allowable in a New York S year, or carryover of such credit, shall be deducted from the tax imposed by this article. However, a New York S year shall be treated as a taxable year for purposes of determining the number of taxable years to which a credit may be carried over under this section. Notwithstanding the first sentence of this subdivision, however, the credit for the special additional mortgage recording tax shall be allowed as provided in subdivision fifteen of this section, and the carryover of any such credit shall be determined without regard to whether the credit is carried from a New York C year to a New York S year or vice-versa.
- 29. Hire a vet credit. (a) Allowance of credit. For taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand fifteen and before January first, two thousand seventeen, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in this subdivision, against the tax imposed by this article, for hiring and employing, for not less than one year and for not less than thirty-five hours each week, a qualified S. 6359-D

veteran within the state. The taxpayer may claim the credit in the year in which the qualified veteran completes one year of employment by the taxpayer. If the taxpayer claims the credit allowed under this subdivision, the taxpayer may not use the hiring of a qualified veteran that is the basis for this credit in the basis of any other credit allowed under this article.

- (b) Qualified veteran. A qualified veteran is an individual:
- (1) who served on active duty in the United States army, navy, air force, marine corps, coast guard or the reserves thereof, or who served in active military service of the United States as a member of the army national guard, air national guard, New York guard or New York naval militia; who was released from active duty by general or honorable discharge after September eleventh, two thousand one;
- (2) who commences employment by the qualified taxpayer on or after January first, two thousand fourteen, and before January first, two thousand sixteen; and
- (3) who certifies by signed affidavit, under penalty of perjury, that he or she has not been employed for thirty-five or more hours during any week in the one hundred eighty day period immediately prior to his or her employment by the taxpayer.
- (c) Employer prohibition. An employer shall not discharge an employee and hire a qualifying veteran solely for the purpose of qualifying for this credit.
- (d) Amount of credit. The amount of the credit shall be ten percent of the total amount of wages paid to the qualified veteran during the veteran's first full year of employment. Provided, however, that, if the qualified veteran is a disabled veteran, as defined in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section eighty-five of the civil service law, the amount of the credit shall be fifteen percent of the total amount of wages paid to the qualified veteran during the veteran's first full year of employment. The credit allowed pursuant to this subdivision shall not exceed in any taxable year, five thousand dollars for any qualified

veteran and fifteen thousand dollars for any qualified veteran who is a
disabled veteran.

- (e) Carryover. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following three years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
- 30. Alternative fuels and electric vehicle recharging property credit.

  (a) General. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, against the tax imposed by this article for alternative fuel vehicle refueling and electric vehicle recharging property placed in service during the taxable year.
- (b) Alternative fuel vehicle refueling property and electric vehicle recharging property. The credit under this subdivision for alternative fuel vehicle refueling property and electric vehicle recharging property shall equal for each installation of property the lesser of five thousand dollars or fifty percent of the cost of any such property:
  - (i) which is located in this state;

- (ii) which constitutes alternative fuel vehicle refueling property or electric vehicle recharging property; and
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- (iii) for which none of the cost has been paid for from the proceeds of grants, including grants from the New York state energy research and development authority or the New York power authority.
- (c) Definitions. (i) The term "alternative fuel vehicle refueling property" means all of the equipment needed to dispense any fuel at least eighty-five percent of the volume of which consists of one or more of the following: natural gas, liquified natural gas, liquified petroleum, or hydrogen.
- (ii) The term "electric vehicle recharging property" means all of the equipment needed to convey electric power from the electric grid or another power source to an onboard vehicle energy storage system.
- (d) Carryovers. In no event shall the credit under this subdivision be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax payable to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
- (e) Credit recapture. If, at any time before the end of its recovery period, alternative fuel vehicle refueling or electric vehicle recharging property ceases to be qualified, a recapture amount must be added back in the year in which such cessation occurs.
- (i) Alternative fuel vehicle refueling property or electric vehicle recharging property ceases to be qualified if:
- (I) the property no longer qualifies as alternative fuel vehicle refueling property or electric vehicle recharging property; or
- (II) fifty percent or more of the use of the property in a taxable year is other than in a trade or business in this state; or
- (III) the taxpayer receiving the credit under this subdivision sells or disposes of the property and knows or has reason to know that the property will be used in a manner described in clauses (I) and (II) of this subparagraph.
- (ii) Recapture amount. The recapture amount is equal to the credit allowable under this subdivision multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the total recovery period for the property minus the number

of recovery years prior to, but not including, the recapture year, and the denominator of which is the total recovery period.

- (f) Termination. The credit allowed by paragraph (b) of this subdivision shall not apply in taxable years beginning after December thirty-first, two thousand seventeen.
- 31. Excelsior jobs program credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer will be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section thirty-one of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year may not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year will be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of S. 6359-D
- subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest will be paid thereon.
  - 32. Empire state film post production credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer who is eligible pursuant to section thirty-one of this chapter shall be allowed a credit to be computed as provided in such section thirty-one against the tax imposed by this article.
  - (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Provided, however, that if the amount of the credit allowable under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, fifty percent of the excess shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon. The balance of such credit not credited or refunded in such taxable year may be a carryover to the immediately succeeding taxable year and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year. The excess, if any, of the amount of the credit over the tax for such succeeding year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid ther-
  - 33. Temporary deferral nonrefundable payout credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in subdivision one of section thirty-four of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
  - (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for that year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year may be carried over to the following year or years and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.
  - 34. Temporary deferral refundable payout credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in subdivision two of section thirty-four of this chapter, against the

tax imposed by this article.

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(b) Application of credit. In no event shall the credit under this subdivision be allowed in an amount which will reduce the tax to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. If, however, the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter, provided however, that no interest shall be paid thereon.

35. Economic transformation and facility redevelopment program tax credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit,

to be computed as provided in section thirty-five of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.

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(b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year may not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year will be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest will be paid thereon.

36. New York youth works tax credit. (a) A taxpayer that has been certified by the commissioner of labor as a qualified employer pursuant to section twenty-five-a of the labor law shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article equal to (i) five hundred dollars per month for up to six months for each qualified employee the employer employs in a full-time job or two hundred fifty dollars per month for up to six months for each qualified employee the employer employs in a part-time job of at least twenty hours per week or ten hours per week when the qualified employee is enrolled in high school full-time, (ii) one thousand dollars for each qualified employee who is employed for at least an additional six months by the qualified employer in a full-time job or five hundred dollars for each qualified employee who is employed for at least an additional six months by the qualified employer in a part-time job of at least twenty hours per week or ten hours per week when the qualified employee is enrolled in high school full-time, and (iii) an additional one thousand dollars for each qualified employee who is employed for at least an additional year after the first year of the employee's employment by the qualified employer in a full-time job or five hundred dollars for each qualified employee who is employed for at least an additional year after the first year of the employee's employment by the qualified employer in a part-time job of at least twenty hours per week or ten hours per week when the qualified employee is enrolled in high school full-time. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "qualified employee" shall have the same meaning as set forth in subdivision (b) of section twenty-five-a of the labor law. The portion of the credit described in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph shall be allowed for the taxable year in which the wages are paid to the qualified employee, and the portion of the credit described in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph shall be allowed in the taxable year in which the additional six month period ends.

(b) The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year may not reduce the tax due for that year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of the credit allowed under this subdi-

vision for any taxable year reduces the tax to that amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit not deductible in that taxable year will be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, no interest will be paid thereon.

(c) The taxpayer may be required to attach to its tax return its certificate of eligibility issued by the commissioner of labor pursuant S. 6359--D

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to section twenty-five-a of the labor law. In no event shall the taxpayer be allowed a credit greater than the amount of the credit listed on the certificate of eligibility. Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, the commissioner and the commissioner's designess may release the names and addresses of any taxpayer claiming this credit and the amount of the credit earned by the taxpayer. Provided, however, if a taxpayer claims this credit because it is a member of a limited liability company or a partner in a partnership, only the amount of credit earned by the entity and not the amount of credit claimed by the taxpayer may be released.

- 37. Empire state jobs retention program credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer will be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section thirty-six of this chapter, against the taxes imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year will not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year will be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest will be paid thereon.
- 38. Credit for companies who provide transportation to individuals with disabilities. (a) Allowance and amount of credit. A taxpayer, who provides a taxicab service as defined in section one hundred fortyeight-a of the vehicle and traffic law, or a livery service as defined in section one hundred twenty-one-e of the vehicle and traffic law, shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in this subdivision, against the tax imposed by this article. The amount of the credit shall be equal to the incremental cost associated with upgrading a vehicle so that it is accessible by individuals with disabilities as defined in paragraph (b) of this subdivision. Provided, however, that such credit shall not exceed ten thousand dollars per vehicle. For purposes of this subdivision, purchases of new vehicles that are initially manufactured to be accessible for individuals with disabilities and for which there is no comparable make and model that does not include the equipment necessary to provide accessibility to individuals with disabilities, the credit shall be ten thousand dollars per vehicle.
- (b) Definition. The term "accessible by individuals with disabilities" shall, for the purposes of this subdivision, refer to a vehicle that complies with federal regulations promulgated pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act applicable to vans under twenty-two feet in length, by the federal Department of Transportation, in Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, parts 37 and 38, and by the federal Architecture and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board, in Code of Federal Regulations, title 36, section 1192.23, and the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards, Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, part 57.
- (c) Application of credit. In no event shall the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduce the tax due for such year

to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one
of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of
credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the
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tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be carried over to the following year or years, and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.

- 39. Beer production credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section thirty-seven of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article. In no event shall the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 40. Minimum wage reimbursement credit. (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be computed as provided in section thirty-eight of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article.
- (b) Application of credit. The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year may not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year will be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest will be paid thereon.
- 41. The tax-free NY area tax elimination credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit to be computed as provided in section forty of this chapter, against the tax imposed by this article. Unless the taxpayer has a tax-free NY area allocation factor of one hundred percent, the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 42. Alternative base credit. (a) If the tax imposed on a taxpayer by subdivision one of section two hundred nine of this article is the amount prescribed in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article, the taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed under this article equal to the amount of tax paid to another state computed on a tax base identical to the tax base prescribed in such paragraph (b). If the tax imposed on a taxpayer by subdivision one of section two hundred nine of this article is the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two

hundred ten of this article, the taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed under this article equal to the amount of tax paid to another state computed on a tax base identical to the tax base prescribed in such paragraph (d).

(b) In no event shall the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. However, if the amount of credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year reduces the tax to such amount or if the taxpayer otherwise pays tax based on the fixed dollar minimum amount, any amount of credit thus not deductible in such taxable year shall be carried over to the following year or years, and may be deducted from the taxpayer's tax for such year or years.

- 43. Real property tax credit for manufacturers. (a) A qualified New York manufacturer, as defined in subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article, will be allowed a credit equal to twenty percent of the real property tax it paid during the taxable year for real property owned by such manufacturer in New York which was principally used during the taxable year for manufacturing to the extent not deducted in determining entire net income. This credit will not be allowed if the real property taxes that are the basis for this credit are included in the calculation of another credit claimed by the taxpayer.
- (b) (1) For purposes of this subdivision, the term real property tax means a charge imposed upon real property by or on behalf of a county, city, town, village or school district for municipal or school district purposes, provided that the charge is levied for the general public welfare by the proper taxing authorities at a like rate against all property over which such authorities have jurisdiction, and provided that where taxes are levied pursuant to article eighteen or nineteen of the real property tax law, the property must have been taxed at the rate determined for the class in which it is contained, as provided by such article eighteen or nineteen, whichever is applicable. The term real property tax does not include a charge for local benefits, including any portion of that charge that is properly allocated to the costs attributable to maintenance or interest, when (i) the property subject to the charge is limited to the property that benefits from the charge, or (ii) the amount of the charge is determined by the benefit to the property assessed, or (iii) the improvement for which the charge is assessed tends to increase the property value.
- (2) In addition, the term real property tax includes taxes paid by the taxpayer upon real property principally used during the taxable year by the taxpayer in manufacturing where the taxpayer leases such real property from an unrelated third party if the following conditions are satisfied: (i) the tax must be paid by the taxpayer as lessee pursuant to explicit requirements in a written lease, and (ii) the taxpayer as lessee has paid such taxes directly to the taxing authority and has received a written receipt for payment of taxes from the taxing authority. In the case of a combined group that constitutes a qualified New York manufacturer, the conditions in the preceding sentence are satisfied if one corporation in the combined group is the lessee and another corporation in the combined group makes the payments to the taxing authority.
- (3) The term real property tax does not include a payment made by the taxpayer in connection with an agreement for the payment in lieu of S. 6359--D

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<sup>(4)</sup> The real property taxes must be paid by the taxpayer in the year such taxes become a lien on the real property.

<sup>(</sup>c) Credit recapture. Where a qualified New York manufacturer's real property taxes which were the basis for the allowance of the credit

provided for under this subdivision are subsequently reduced as a result of a final order in any proceeding under article seven of the real property tax law or other provision of law, the taxpayer shall add back, in the taxable year in which such final order is issued, the excess of (1) the amount of credit originally allowed for a taxable year over (2) the amount of credit determined based upon the reduced real property taxes. If such final order reduces real property taxes for more than one year, the taxpayer must determine how much of such reduction is attributable to each year covered by such final order and calculate the amount of credit which is required by this subdivision to be recaptured for each year based on such reduction.

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- (d) The credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than twenty-five dollars.
- 44. The tax-free NY area excise tax on telecommunication services credit. A taxpayer that is a business or owner of a business that is located in a tax-free NY area approved pursuant to article twenty-one of the economic development law shall be allowed a credit equal to the excise tax on telecommunication services imposed by section one hundred eighty-six-e of this chapter and passed through to such business during the taxable year to the extent not otherwise deducted in computing entire net income under this article. However, any amount of credit not deductible in such taxable year shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section one thousand eighty-six of this chapter. This credit may be claimed only where any tax imposed by such section one hundred eightysix-e has been separately stated on a bill from the provider of telecommunication services and paid by such business with respect to such services rendered within a tax-free NY area during the taxable year. Unless the taxpayer has a tax-free NY area allocation factor of one hundred percent, the credit allowed under this subdivision for any taxable year shall not reduce the tax due for such year to less than the amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter. Provided, however, the provisions of subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-eight of this chapter notwithstanding, no interest shall be paid thereon.
- 45. Order of credits. (a) Credits allowable under this article which cannot be carried over and which are not refundable shall be deducted first. The credit allowable under subdivision six of this section shall be deducted immediately after the deduction of all credits allowable under this article which cannot be carried over and which are not refundable, whether or not a portion of such credit is refundable. Credits allowable under this article which can be carried over, and carryovers of such credits, shall be deducted next after the deduction of the credit allowable under subdivision six of this section, and among such credits, those whose carryover is of limited duration shall be deducted before those whose carryover is of unlimited duration. Credits allowable under this article which are refundable (other than the credit allowable under subdivision six of this section) shall be deducted last.

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- 46. Notwithstanding the repeal of the credit provisions contained in section two hundred ten of this article or in article thirty-two of this chapter and the enactment of this section by a chapter of the laws of two thousand fourteen:
- (a) A taxpayer shall be allowed to utilize any carryforward amounts of credits to which the taxpayer was entitled as of the close of the taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand fourteen and before January first, two thousand fifteen, other than the carryforward amount of the minimum tax credit provided under subdivision thirteen of section two hundred ten, as that subdivision was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
  - (b) A taxpayer shall be required in a taxable year beginning on or

after January first, two thousand fifteen, to recapture all or a portion of a credit allowed under a credit provision in section two hundred ten or article thirty-two of this chapter for a taxable year beginning prior to January first, two thousand fifteen if recapture would have been required under such credit provision.

- \$ 18. The tax law is amended by adding a new section 210-C to read as follows:
- § 210-C. Combined reports. 1. Tax. The tax on a combined report shall be the highest of (i) the combined business income base multiplied by the tax rate specified in paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article; (ii) the combined capital base multiplied by the tax rate specified in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article, but not exceeding the limitation provided for in that paragraph (b); or (iii) the fixed dollar minimum that is attributable to the designated agent of the combined group. In addition, the tax on a combined report shall include the fixed dollar minimum tax specified in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article for each member of the combined group, other than the designated agent, that is a taxpayer.
- (b) The combined business income base is the amount of the combined business income of the combined group that is apportioned to the state, reduced by any net operating loss deduction for the combined group. The combined capital base is the amount of the combined capital of the combined group that is apportioned to the state.
- 2. Combined reports required. (a) Except as provided in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, any taxpayer (i) which owns or controls either directly or indirectly more than fifty percent of the voting power of the capital stock of one or more other corporations, or (ii) more than fifty percent of the voting power of the capital stock of which is owned or controlled either directly or indirectly by one or more other corporations, or (iii) more than fifty percent of the voting power of the capital stock of which and the capital stock of one or more other corporations, is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by the same interests, and (iv) that is engaged in a unitary business with those corporations (hereinafter referred to as "related corporations"), shall make a combined report with those other corporations.
- (b) A corporation required to make a combined report within the meaning of this section shall also include (i) a captive REIT and a captive RIC if the captive REIT or captive RIC is not required to be included in a combined report under article thirty-three of this chapter; (ii) a combinable captive insurance company; and (iii) an alien corporation that satisfies the conditions in paragraph (a) of this subdivision if (I) under any provision of the internal revenue code, that corporation is treated as a "domestic corporation" as defined in section seven thou
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sand seven hundred one of the internal revenue code, or (II) it has effectively connected income for the taxable year pursuant to clause (iv) of the opening paragraph of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article.

(c) A corporation required or permitted to make a combined report under this section does not include (i) a corporation that is taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or article thirty-three of this chapter or would be taxable under a franchise tax imposed by article nine or thirty-three of this chapter if subject to tax; (ii) a REIT that is not a captive REIT, and a RIC that is not a captive RIC; (iii) a New York S corporation; or (iv) an alien corporation that under any provision of the internal revenue code is not treated as a "domestic corporation" as defined in section seven thousand seven hundred one of such code and has no effectively connected income for the taxable year pursuant to clause (iv) of the opening paragraph of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article. If a corporation is subject to tax under this article solely as a result of its ownership of a

limited partner interest in a limited partnership that is doing business, employing capital, owning or leasing property, maintaining an 20 office in this state, or deriving receipts from activity in this state, and none of the corporation's related corporations are subject to tax under this article, such corporation shall not be required or permitted to file a combined report under this section with such related corporations.

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- (d) A combined report shall be filed by the designated agent of the combined group as determined under subdivision seven of this section.
- 3. Commonly owned group election. (a) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (c) of subdivision two of this section, a taxpayer may elect to treat as its combined group all corporations that meet the ownership requirements described in paragraph (a) of subdivision two of this section (such corporations collectively referred to in this subdivision as the "commonly owned group"). If that election is made, the commonly owned group shall calculate the combined business income, combined capital, and fixed dollar minimum bases of all members of the group in accordance with paragraph four of this subdivision, whether or not that business income or business capital is from a single unitary business.
- (b) The election under this subdivision shall be made on an original, timely filed return of the combined group. Any corporation entering a commonly owned group subsequent to the year of election shall be included in the combined group and is considered to have waived any objection to its inclusion in the combined group.
- (c) The election shall be irrevocable, and binding for and applicable to the taxable year for which it is made and for the next six taxable years. The election will automatically be renewed for another seven taxable years after it has been in effect for seven taxable years unless it is affirmatively revoked. The revocation shall be made on an original, timely filed return for the first taxable year after the completion of a seven year period for which an election under this subdivision was in place. In the case of a revocation, a new election under this subdivision shall not be permitted in any of the immediately following three taxable years. In determining the seven and three year periods described in this paragraph, short taxable years shall not be considered or counted.
- 4. Computation of tax bases on a combined report. (a) In computing the tax bases for a combined report, the combined group shall generally be treated as a single corporation, except as otherwise provided, and S. 6359--D 114 A. 8559--D

subject to any regulations or guidance issued by the commissioner or the department.

- (b) (i) In computing combined business income, all intercorporate dividends shall be eliminated, and all other intercorporate transactions shall be deferred in a manner similar to the United States Treasury regulations relating to intercompany transactions under section fifteen hundred two of the internal revenue code.
- (ii) In computing combined capital, all intercorporate stockholdings, intercorporate bills, intercorporate notes receivable and payable, intercorporate accounts receivable and payable, and other intercorporate indebtedness, shall be eliminated.
- (c) Qualification for credits, including any limitations thereon, shall be determined separately for each of the members of the combined group, and shall not be determined on a combined group basis, except as otherwise provided. However, the credits shall be applied against the combined tax of the group. To the extent that a provision of section two hundred ten-B of this article limits a credit to the fixed dollar minimum amount prescribed in paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article, such fixed dollar minimum amount shall be the fixed dollar minimum amount that is attributable to the designated agent of the combined group.
  - (d) (i) A net operating loss deduction is allowed in computing the

combined business income base. Such deduction may reduce the tax on the combined business income base to the higher of the tax on the combined capital base or the fixed dollar minimum amount that is attributable to the designated agent of the combined group. A combined net operating loss deduction is equal to the amount of combined net operating loss or losses from one or more taxable years that are carried forward to a particular income year. A combined net operating loss is the combined business loss incurred in a particular taxable year multiplied by the combined apportionment factor for that year determined as provided in subdivision five of this section.

 (ii) The combined net operating loss deduction and combined net operating loss are also subject to the provisions contained in clauses one through six of subparagraph (ix) of paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article.

(iii) In the case of a corporation that files a combined report, either in the year the net operating loss is incurred or in the year in which a deduction is claimed on account of the loss, the combined net operating loss deduction is determined as if the combined group is a single corporation and, to the extent possible and not otherwise inconsistent with this subdivision, is subject to the same limitations that would apply for federal income tax purposes under the internal revenue code and the code of federal regulations as if such corporation had filed for such taxable year a consolidated federal income tax return with the same corporations included in the combined report. If a corporation files a combined report, regardless of whether it filed a separate return or consolidated return for federal income tax purposes, the net operating loss and net operating loss deduction for the combined group must be computed as if the corporation had filed a consolidated return for the same corporations for federal income tax purposes.

(iv) In general, any net operating loss carryover from a year in which a combined report was filed shall be based on the combined net operating loss of the group of corporations filing such report. The portion of the combined loss attributable to any member of the group that files a separate report for a succeeding taxable year will be an amount bearing the S. 6359--D

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same relation to the combined loss as the net operating loss of such corporation bears to the total net operating loss of all members of the group having such losses to the extent that they are taken into account in computing the combined net operating loss.

(d-1) A net operating loss conversion subtraction is allowed in computing the combined business income base, as provided in subparagraph (viii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article. Such subtraction may reduce the tax on the combined business income base to the higher of the tax on the combined capital base or the fixed dollar minimum amount that is attributable to the designated agent of the combined group.

(e) Any election made pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision six, and paragraphs (b) and (c) of subdivision six-a of section two hundred eight of this article shall apply to all members of the combined group.

(f) (i) In the case of a captive REIT or captive RIC required under this section to be included in a combined report, entire net income shall be computed as required under subdivision five (in the case of a captive REIT) or subdivision seven (in the case of a captive RIC) of section two hundred nine of this article. However, the deduction under the internal revenue code for dividends paid by the captive REIT or captive RIC to any member of the affiliated group that includes the corporation that directly or indirectly owns over fifty percent of the voting stock of the captive REIT or captive RIC shall not be allowed. For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "affiliated group" means "affiliated group" as defined in section fifteen hundred four of the internal revenue code, but without regard to the exceptions provided for in subsection (b) of that section.

(ii) In the case of a combinable captive insurance company required under this section to be included in a combined report, entire net income shall be computed as required by subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article.

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- (g) If more than one member of a combined group is eligible for any of the modifications described in paragraphs (r), (s) and (t) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article, all such members must utilize the same modification.
- 5. Apportionment on a combined report. (a) In determining the apportionment factor for a combined report, the receipts, net income, net gains and other items of all members of the combined group, whether or not they are a taxpayer, are included and intercorporate receipts, income and gains are eliminated. Receipts, net income, net gains and other items are sourced, and the amounts allowed in the apportionment factor are determined, as provided in section two hundred ten-A of this article.
- (b) An election made to apportion income and gains from qualifying financial instruments pursuant to subparagraph one of paragraph (a) of subdivision five of section two hundred ten-A of this article shall apply to all members of the combined group.
- 6. Liability of combined group members. Every member of the combined group that is subject to tax under this article shall be jointly and severally liable for the tax due pursuant to a combined report.
- 7. Designated agent. Each combined group shall have one designated agent, which shall be a taxpayer. The designated agent is the parent corporation of the combined group. If there is no such parent corporation, or the parent corporation is not a taxpayer, then another member of the combined group that is a taxpayer may be appointed as the desig-S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

## nated agent. Only the designated agent may act on behalf of the members of the combined group for matters relating to the combined report.

- § 19. Subdivisions 2-a, 3, 4 and 5 of section 211 of the tax law, subdivision 2-a as added and subdivision 5 as amended by chapter 817 of the laws of 1987, subdivision 3 as amended by chapter 770 of the laws of 1992, subdivision 4 as amended by section 2 of part T of chapter 407 of the laws of 1999, the opening paragraph and the second undesignated paragraph of paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 as amended by section 1, subparagraph 4 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 as amended by section 10 2, and subparagraph 5 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 as amended by 11 section 3 of part J of chapter 60 of the laws of 2007, subparagraph 6 of 12 paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 as added by section 3 of part FF1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, subparagraph 7 of paragraph (a) of 14 subdivision 4 as added by section 2 and subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) 15 of subdivision 4 as amended by section 3 of part E1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, are amended to read as follows:
  - 2-a. The [tax commissioner may prescribe regulations and instructions requiring returns of information to be made and filed in conjunction with the reports required to be filed pursuant to [section two hundred eleven this article, relating to payments made to shareholders owning, directly or indirectly, individually or in the aggregate, more than fifty percent of the issued capital stock of the taxpayer, where such payments are treated as payments of interest in the computation of entire net income [or minimum taxable income] reported on such reports.
- 3. If the amount of taxable income [or alternative minimum taxable 27 income] for any year of any taxpayer (including any taxpayer which has 28 elected to be taxed under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal 29 revenue code), as returned to the United States treasury department is 30 changed or corrected by the commissioner of internal revenue or other 31 officer of the United States or other competent authority, or where a 32 renegotiation of a contract or subcontract with the United States 33 results in a change in taxable income [or alternative minimum taxable

income], such taxpayer shall report such changed or corrected taxable income [or alternative minimum taxable income], or the results of such renegotiation, within ninety days (or one hundred twenty days, in the 37 case of a taxpayer making a combined report under this article for such year) after the final determination of such change or correction or renegotiation, or as required by the commissioner, and shall concede the accuracy of such determination or state wherein it is erroneous. The allowance of a tentative carryback adjustment based upon a net operating loss carryback or net capital loss carryback pursuant to section sixtyfour hundred eleven of the internal revenue code, as amended, shall be 43 treated as a final determination for purposes of this subdivision. Any 44 taxpayer filing an amended return with such department shall also file 46 within ninety days (or one hundred twenty days, in the case of a taxpayer making a combined report under this article for such year) thereafter 47 an amended report with the commissioner.

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4. [(a) Combined reports permitted or required. Any taxpayer, which owns or controls either directly or indirectly substantially all the capital stock of one or more other corporations, or substantially all the capital stock of which is owned or controlled either directly or indirectly by one or more other corporations or by interests which own or control either directly or indirectly substantially all the capital stock of one or more other corporations, (hereinafter referred to in this paragraph as "related corporations"), shall make a combined report S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 117

covering any related corporations if there are substantial intercorporate transactions among the related corporations, regardless of the transfer price for such intercorporate transactions. It is not necessary that there be substantial intercorporate transactions between any one corporation and every other related corporation. It is necessary, however, that there be substantial intercorporate transactions between the taxpayer and a related corporation or collectively, a group of such related corporations. The report shall set forth such information as the commissioner may require, subject to the provisions of subparagraphs one through five of this paragraph.

In determining whether there are substantial intercorporate transactions, the commissioner shall consider and evaluate all activities and transactions of the taxpayer and its related corporations. Activities and transactions that will be considered include, but are not limited to: (i) manufacturing, acquiring goods or property, or performing services, for related corporations; (ii) selling goods acquired from related corporations; (iii) financing sales of related corporations; (iv) performing related customer services using common facilities and employees for related corporations; (v) incurring expenses that benefit, directly or indirectly, one or more related corporations, and (vi) transferring assets, including such assets as accounts receivable, patents or trademarks from one or more related corporations.

(1) Any corporation which owns or controls either directly or indirectly substantially all the capital stock of a DISC not exempt from tax under paragraph (i) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article shall be allowed, at the election of such corporation, to make a report on a combined basis covering such DISC, but the failure of such corporation to make such election shall not prohibit the commissioner from requiring a combined report covering such corporation and such DISC.

(2) (i) No taxpayer may be permitted to make a report on a combined basis covering any such other corporations where such taxpayer or any such other corporation allocates in accordance with clause (A) of subparagraph seven of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this article (relating to aviation corporations) and such taxpayer or any such other corporation does not so allocate, unless such taxpayer or such other corporation is a qualified air freight forwarder with respect to such other corporation or such taxpayer, respectively,

39 and all taxpayers included on such combined report elect, by filing such 40 combined report, to have such qualified air freight forwarder so 41 included.

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(ii) A corporation is a qualified air freight forwarder with respect to another corporation:

(A) if it owns or controls either directly or indirectly all of the capital stock of such other corporation, or if all of its capital stock is owned or controlled either directly or indirectly by such other corporation, or if all of the capital stock of both corporations is owned or controlled either directly or indirectly by the same interests, (B) if it is principally engaged in the business of air freight

(C) if its air freight forwarding business is carried on principally with the airline or airlines operated by such other corporation.

(3) No taxpayer may be permitted to make a report on a combined basis covering any such other corporations where such taxpayer or any such other corporation allocates in accordance with subparagraph eight of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this S. 6359--D

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article (relating to railroad and trucking corporations) and such taxpayer or any such other corporation does not so allocate.

(4) Except as provided in the first undesignated paragraph of this paragraph, no combined report covering any corporation shall be required unless the commissioner deems such a report necessary, because of inter-company transactions or some agreement, understanding, arrangement or transaction referred to in subdivision five of this section, in order properly to reflect the tax liability under this article.

(5) A corporation organized under the laws of a country other than the United States shall not be required or permitted to make a report on a combined basis.

(6) (i) For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "closest controlling stockholder" means the corporation that indirectly owns or controls over fifty percent of the voting stock of a captive REIT or captive RIC, is subject to tax under this article, article thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter or otherwise required to be included in a combined return or report under this article, article thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter, and is the fewest tiers of corporations away in the ownership structure from the captive REIT or captive RIC. The commissioner is authorized to prescribe by regulation or published guidance the criteria for determining the closest controlling stockholder.

(ii) A captive REIT or a captive RIC must be included in a combined report with the corporation that directly owns or controls over fifty percent of the voting stock of the captive REIT or captive RIC if that corporation is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined report under this article.

(iii) If over fifty percent of the voting stock of a captive REIT or captive RIC is not directly owned or controlled by a corporation that is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined report under this article, then the captive REIT or captive RIC must be included in a combined return or report with the corporation that is the closest controlling stockholder of the captive REIT or captive RIC. If the closest controlling stockholder of the captive REIT or captive RIC is subject to tax or otherwise required to be included in a combined report under this article, then the captive REIT or captive RIC must be included in a combined report under this article.

(iv) If the corporation that directly owns or controls the voting stock of the captive REIT or captive RIC is described in subparagraph two, three or five of this paragraph as a corporation not permitted to make a combined report, then the provisions in clause (iii) of this subparagraph must be applied to determine the corporation in whose combined return or report the captive REIT or captive RIC should be included. If, under clause (iii) of this subparagraph, the corporation

that is the closest controlling stockholder of the captive REIT or captive RIC is described in subparagraph two, three or five of this paragraph as a corporation not permitted to make a combined return, then that corporation is deemed to not be in the ownership structure of the captive REIT or captive RIC, and the closest controlling stockholder will be determined without regard to that corporation.

(v) If a captive REIT owns the stock of a qualified REIT subsidiary (as defined in paragraph two of subsection (i) of section eight hundred fifty-six of the internal revenue code), then the qualified REIT subsidiary must be included in a combined report with the captive REIT.

(vi) If a captive REIT or a captive RIC is required under this subparagraph to be included in a combined report with another corporation, and that other corporation is also required to be included in a combined S. 6359--D

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report with another related corporation or corporations under this paragraph, then the captive REIT or the captive RIC must be included in that combined report with those corporations.

(vii) If a captive REIT or a captive RIC is not required to be included in a combined report with another corporation under clause (ii) or (iii) of this subparagraph, or in a combined return under the provisions of either subparagraph (v) of paragraph two of subsection (f) of section fourteen hundred sixty-two or paragraph four of subdivision (f) of section fifteen hundred fifteen of this chapter, then the captive REIT or captive RIC is subject to the opening provisions of this paragraph and the provisions of subparagraph four of this paragraph. The captive REIT or captive RIC must be included in a combined report under this article with another corporation if either the substantial intercorporate transactions requirement in the opening provisions of this paragraph or the inter-company transactions or agreement, understanding, arrangement or transaction requirement of subparagraph four of this paragraph is satisfied and more than fifty percent of the voting stock of the captive REIT or the captive RIC and substantially all of the capital stock of that other corporation are owned and controlled, directly or indirectly, by the same corporation.

(7) (i) For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "closest controlling stockholder" means the corporation that indirectly owns or controls over fifty percent of the voting stock of an overcapitalized captive insurance company; is subject to tax under this article or article thirty two of this chapter, or is otherwise required to be included in a combined return or report under this article or article thirty-two of this chapter; and is the fewest tiers of corporations away in the ownership structure from the overcapitalized captive insurance company. The commissioner is authorized to prescribe by regulation or published guidance the criteria for determining the closest controlling stockholder.

(ii) An overcapitalized captive insurance company must be included in a combined report with the corporation that directly owns or controls over fifty percent of the voting stock of the overcapitalized captive insurance company if that corporation is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined report under this article.

(iii) If over fifty percent of the voting stock of an overcapitalized captive insurance company is not directly owned or controlled by a corporation that is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined report under this article, then the overcapitalized captive insurance company must be included in a combined return or report with the corporation that is the closest controlling stockholder of the overcapitalized captive insurance company. If the closest controlling stockholder of the overcapitalized captive insurance company is subject to tax or otherwise required to be included in a combined report under this article, then the overcapitalized captive insurance company must be included in a combined report under this article.

(iv) If the corporation that directly owns or controls the voting stock of the overcapitalized captive insurance company is described in

subparagraph two, three, or five of this paragraph as a corporation not permitted to make a combined report, then the provisions in clause (iii) of this subparagraph must be applied to determine the corporation in whose combined return or report the overcapitalized captive insurance company should be included. If, under clause (iii) of this subparagraph, the corporation that is the closest controlling stockholder of the over-capitalized captive insurance company is described in subparagraph two, three or five of this paragraph as a corporation not permitted to make a S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

combined return, then that corporation is deemed not to be in the owner-ship structure of the overcapitalized captive insurance company, and the closest controlling stockholder will be determined without regard to that corporation.

(v) If an overcapitalized captive insurance company is required under this subparagraph to be included in a combined report with another corporation, and that other corporation is also required to be included in a combined report with another related corporation or corporations under this paragraph, then the overcapitalized captive insurance company must be included in that combined report with those corporations.

(vi) If an overcapitalized captive insurance company is not required to be included in a combined report with another corporation under clause (ii) or (iii) of this subparagraph, or in a combined return under the provisions of subparagraph (v) of paragraph two of subsection (f) of section fourteen hundred sixty-two of this chapter, then the overcapitalized captive insurance company is subject to the opening provisions of this paragraph and the provisions of subparagraph four of this paragraph. The overcapitalized captive insurance company must be included in a combined report under this article with another corporation if either the substantial intercorporate transactions requirement in the opening provisions of this paragraph or the inter-company transactions or agreement, understanding, arrangement or transaction requirement of subparagraph four of this paragraph is satisfied, and both more than fifty percent of the voting stock of the overcapitalized captive insurance company and substantially all of the capital stock of that other corporation are owned and controlled, directly or indirectly, by the same corporation.

(b) Computation. (1) Tax. (i) In the case of a combined report the tax shall be measured by the combined entire net income, combined minimum taxable income, combined pre-nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income or combined capital, of all the corporations included in the report, including any captive REIT, captive RIC or overcapitalized captive insurance company; provided, however, in no event shall the tax measured by combined capital exceed the limitation provided for in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this article.

(ii) In the case of a captive REIT or captive RIC required under this

subdivision to be included in a combined report, entire net income must be computed as required under subdivision five (in the case of a captive REIT) or subdivision seven (in the case of a captive RIC) of section two hundred nine of this article. However, the deduction under the internal revenue code for dividends paid by the captive REIT or captive RIC to any member of the affiliated group that includes the corporation that directly or indirectly owns over fifty percent of the voting stock of the captive REIT or captive RIC shall not be allowed for taxable years beginning on or after January first, two thousand eight. The term "affiliated group" means "affiliated group" as defined in section fifteen hundred four of the internal revenue code, but without regard to the exceptions provided for in subsection (b) of that section.

(iii) In the case of an overcapitalized captive insurance company required under this subdivision to be included in a combined report, entire net income must be computed as required by subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article.

(2) Tax bases. In computing combined entire net income, combined mini-

54 mum taxable income or combined pre-nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxa-55 ble income intercorporate dividends shall be eliminated, in computing combined business and investment capital intercorporate stockholdings S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

and intercorporate bills, notes and accounts receivable and payable and other intercorporate indebtedness shall be eliminated and in computing combined subsidiary capital intercorporate stockholdings shall be eliminated, provided, however, that intercorporate dividends from a DISC or a former DISC not exempt from tax under paragraph (i) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this article which are taxable as business income under this article shall not be eliminated.

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- (3) Air freight forwarders: allocation. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, where a combined report includes a qualified air freight forwarder and a corporation described in subparagraph seven of paragraph (a) of subdivision three of section two hundred ten of this chapter (relating to aviation corporations), in computing the combined business allocation percentage such subparagraph seven shall be applied with respect to such qualified air freight forwarder] For provisions relating to combined reports, see section two hundred ten-C of this article.
- 5. In case it shall appear to the [tax commission] commissioner that any agreement, understanding or arrangement exists between the taxpayer and any other corporation or any person or firm, whereby the activity, business, income or capital of the taxpayer within the state is improperly or inaccurately reflected, the [tax commission] commissioner is 22 authorized and empowered, in [its] the commissioner's discretion and in 23 such manner as [it] the commissioner may determine, to adjust items of income, deductions and capital, and to eliminate assets in computing any [allocation] apportionment percentage provided only that any income directly traceable thereto be also excluded from entire net income, [minimum taxable income or pre nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income, so as equitably to determine the tax. Where (a) any taxpayer conducts its activity or business under any agreement, arrangement or understanding in such manner as either directly or indirectly to benefit its members or stockholders, or any of them, or any person or persons directly or indirectly interested in such activity or business, by entering into any transaction at more or less than a fair price which, but for such agreement, arrangement or understanding, might have been paid or received therefor, or (b) any taxpayer, a substantial portion of whose capital stock is owned either directly or indirectly by another corporation, enters into any transaction with such other corporation on such terms as to create an improper loss or net income, the [tax commission] commissioner may include in the entire net income[ , minimum taxable income or pre nineteen hundred ninety minimum taxable income] of the taxpayer the fair profits which, but for such agreement, arrangement or understanding, the taxpayer might have derived from such transaction. Where any taxpayer owns, directly or indirectly, more than fifty percent of the capital stock of another corporation subject to tax under section fifteen hundred two-a of this chapter and fifty percent or less of whose gross receipts for the taxable year consist of premiums, the commissioner may include in the entire net income of the taxpayer, as a deemed distribution, the amount of the net income of the other corporation that is in excess of its net premium income.
  - § 19-a. Subdivision 13 of section 211 of the tax law is REPEALED.
  - § 20. Subdivision 11 of section 2 of the tax law, as added by section 1 of part E-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:
  - 11. The term "[evercapitalized] combinable captive insurance company" means an entity that is treated as an association taxable as a corporation under the internal revenue code (a) more than fifty percent of S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 122

1 the voting stock of which is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by a single entity that is treated as an association taxable as a 3 corporation under the internal revenue code and not exempt from federal 4 income tax; (b) that is licensed as a captive insurance company under 5 the laws of this state or another jurisdiction; (c) whose business 6 includes providing, directly and indirectly, insurance or reinsurance covering the risks of its parent and/or members of its affiliated group; and (d) fifty percent or less of whose gross receipts for the taxable year consist of premiums **from arrangements that constitute insurance for** federal income tax purposes. For purposes of this subdivision, "affil-10 11 iated group" has the same meaning as that term is given in section 1504 12 of the internal revenue code, except that the term "common parent corpo-13 ration" in that section is deemed to mean any person, as defined in 14 section 7701 of the internal revenue code[+] and references to "at least 15 eighty percent" in section 1504 of the internal revenue code are to be 16 read as "fifty percent or more;" section 1504 of the internal revenue code is to be read without regard to the exclusions provided for in 18 subsection (b) of that section; "premiums" has the same meaning as that 19 term is given in paragraph one of subdivision (c) of section fifteen 20 hundred ten of this chapter, except that it includes consideration for 21 annuity contracts and excludes any part of the consideration for insurance, reinsurance or annuity contracts that do not provide bona fide 23 insurance, reinsurance or annuity benefits; and "gross receipts" 24 includes the amounts included in gross receipts for purposes of section 25 501(c) (15) of the internal revenue code, except that those amounts also include all premiums as defined in this subdivision.

§ 21. Subdivision (a) of section 1500 of the tax law, as separately 28 amended by section 1 of part B-1 and section 8 of part E-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The term "insurance corporation" includes a corporation, association, joint stock company or association, person, society, aggregation or partnership, by whatever name known, doing an insurance business, and, notwithstanding the provisions of section fifteen hundred twelve of 34 this article, shall include (1) a risk retention group as defined in subsection (n) of section five thousand nine hundred two of the insurance law, (2) the state insurance fund and (3) a corporation, association, joint stock company or association, person, society, aggregation 38 or partnership doing an insurance business as a member of the New York 39 insurance exchange described in section six thousand two hundred one of 40 the insurance law. The definition of the "state insurance fund" 41 contained in this subdivision shall be limited in its effect to the 42 provisions of this article and the related provisions of this chapter and shall have no force and effect other than with respect to such 44 provisions. The term "insurance corporation" shall also include a 45 captive insurance company doing a captive insurance business, as defined 46 in subsections (c) and (b), respectively, of section seven thousand two 47 of the insurance law; provided, however, "insurance corporation" shall 48 not include the metropolitan transportation authority, or a public benefit corporation or not-for-profit corporation formed by a city with a population of one million or more pursuant to subsection (a) of section 51 seven thousand five of the insurance law, each of which is expressly 52 exempt from the payment of fees, taxes or assessments, whether state or 53 local; and provided further "insurance corporation" does not include any 54 [overcapitalized] combinable captive insurance company. The term "insur-55 ance corporation" shall also include an unauthorized insurer operating 56 from an office within the state, pursuant to paragraph five of S. 6359--D 123 A. 8559--D

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<sup>1</sup> subsection (b) of section one thousand one hundred one and subsection

<sup>(</sup>i) of section two thousand one hundred seventeen of the insurance law.

<sup>3</sup> The term "insurance corporation" also includes a health maintenance

<sup>4</sup> organization required to obtain a certificate of authority under article

<sup>5</sup> forty-four of the public health law.

§ 22. Subdivision (a) of section 1502-b of the tax law, as amended by section 9 of part E-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009 and as further amended by section 104 of part A of chapter 62 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:

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(a) In lieu of the taxes and tax surcharge imposed by sections fifteen hundred one, fifteen hundred two-a, fifteen hundred five-a, and fifteen hundred ten of this article, every captive insurance company licensed by the superintendent of financial services pursuant to the provisions of article seventy of the insurance law, other than the metropolitan transportation authority and a public benefit corporation or not-for-profit 16 corporation formed by a city with a population of one million or more 17 pursuant to subsection (a) of section seven thousand five of the insur-18 ance law, each of which is expressly exempt from the payment of fees, 19 taxes or assessments whether state or local, and other than [an overcap-20 **italized**] **combinable** captive insurance company, shall, for the privilege 21 of exercising its corporate franchise, pay a tax on (1) all gross direct 22 premiums, less return premiums thereon, written on risks located or 23 resident in this state and (2) all assumed reinsurance premiums, less 24 return premiums thereon, written on risks located or resident in this 25 state. The rate of the tax imposed on gross direct premiums shall be 26 four-tenths of one percent on all or any part of the first twenty 27 million dollars of premiums, three-tenths of one percent on all or any 28 part of the second twenty million dollars of premiums, two-tenths of one 29 percent on all or any part of the third twenty million dollars of premi-30 ums, and seventy-five thousandths of one percent on each dollar of 31 premiums thereafter. The rate of the tax on assumed reinsurance premiums 32 shall be two hundred twenty-five thousandths of one percent on all or 33 any part of the first twenty million dollars of premiums, one hundred 34 and fifty thousandths of one percent on all or any part of the second twenty million dollars of premiums, fifty thousandths of one percent on 36 all or any part of the third twenty million dollars of premiums and twenty-five thousandths of one percent on each dollar of premiums thereafter. The tax imposed by this section shall be equal to the greater of (i) the sum of the tax imposed on gross direct premiums and the tax imposed on assumed reinsurance premiums or (ii) five thousand dollars.

§ 23. Paragraph 4 of subdivision (f) of section 1515 of the tax law, as amended by section 16 of part FF-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:

(4)(i) For purposes of this paragraph, the term "closest controlling stockholder" means the corporation that indirectly owns or controls over 46 fifty percent of the voting stock of a captive REIT or captive RIC, is subject to tax under section fifteen hundred one of this article [7] or article nine-A [or article thirty-two] of this chapter or required to be included in a combined return or report under this article [ - ] or article nine-A [or article thirty two] of this chapter, and is the fewest tiers of corporations away in the ownership structure from the captive REIT or captive RIC. The commissioner is authorized to prescribe by regulation or published guidance the criteria for determining the closest controlling stockholder.

(ii) A captive REIT or a captive RIC must be included in a combined 56 return with the corporation that directly owns or controls over fifty S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 124

percent of the voting stock of the captive REIT or captive RIC if that corporation is a life insurance corporation and is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined return under this article.

(iii) If over fifty percent of the voting stock of a captive REIT or captive RIC is not directly owned or controlled by a life insurance corporation that is subject to tax or required to be included in a combined return under this article, [then the captive REIT or captive RIC must be included in a combined report or return with the corporation 9 that is the closest controlling stockholder of the captive REIT or 10 captive RIC. If and the closest controlling stockholder of the captive

11 REIT or captive RIC is a life insurance corporation that is subject to 12 tax or required to be included in a combined return under this article, then the captive REIT or captive RIC must be included in a combined return with the closest controlling stockholder under this article.

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- (iv) If a captive REIT owns the stock of a qualified REIT subsidiary (as defined in paragraph two of subsection (i) of section eight hundred fifty-six of the internal revenue code)  $\underline{\text{and the captive REIT is required}}$ to be included in a combined return under subparagraphs (ii) or (iii) of this paragraph, then the qualified REIT subsidiary must be included in any combined return required to be made by the captive REIT that owns the stock of the qualified REIT subsidiary.
- (v) If a captive REIT or a captive RIC is required under this paragraph to be included in a combined return with another corporation, and that other corporation is required to be included in a combined return with another [related] corporation under this subdivision, then the captive REIT or the captive RIC must be included in that combined return with the other [related] corporation.
- § 24. Subdivisions (a), (b) and (c) of section 12 of the tax law, as added by chapter 615 of the laws of 1998, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) For purposes of subdivision (b) of this section, the term "person" shall mean a corporation, joint stock company or association, insurance corporation, or banking corporation, as such terms are defined in section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, or one hundred eighty-six, or in article nine-A[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, imposing tax on such entities.
- (b) No person shall be subject to the taxes imposed under section one 38 hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-six, or article nine-A[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, solely by reason of (1) having its advertising stored on a server or other computer equipment located in this state (other than a server or other computer equipment owned or leased by such person), or (2) having its 43 advertising disseminated or displayed on the Internet by an individual 44 or entity subject to tax under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-six, or article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter.
- (c) A person, as such term is defined in subdivision (a) of section 48 eleven hundred one of this chapter, shall not be deemed to be a vendor, for purposes of article twenty-eight of this chapter, solely by reason having its advertising stored on a server or other computer 51 equipment located in this state (other than a server or other computer 52 equipment owned or leased by such person), or (2) having its advertising 53 disseminated or displayed on the Internet by an individual or entity 54 subject to tax under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred 55 eighty-four or one hundred eighty-six, or article nine-A, twenty-two[7 56 thirty-two or thirty-three of this chapter.

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- § 25. Paragraph 1 of subdivision (a) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by section 3 of part V1 of chapter 109 of the laws of 2006, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) except as provided in paragraphs one-a and one-b of this subdivision, for purposes of section one hundred eighty-seven-j and articles nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] and thirty-three of this chapter, for each of the taxable years within the "business tax benefit period," which period shall consist of (A) in the case of a business enterprise with a test date occurring on or before December thirty-first, two thou-10 sand one, the first fifteen taxable years beginning on or after January 11 first, two thousand one, (B) in the case of a business enterprise with a test date occurring on or after January first, two thousand two, but 13 prior to April first, two thousand five, the fifteen taxable years next 14 following the business enterprise's test year, and (C) in the case of a 15 business enterprise which is first certified under article eighteen-B of

16 the general municipal law on or after April first, two thousand five, 17 the ten taxable years starting with the taxable year in which the busi-18 ness enterprise's first date of certification under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law occurs, but only with respect to each of such business tax benefit period years for which the employment test is 21

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- § 26. Subdivision (f) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by section 10 of part CC of chapter 85 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:
- (f) Taxable year. The term "taxable year" means the taxable year of the business enterprise under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, one hundred eighty-five or former section one 28 hundred eighty-six of article nine, or under article nine-A, twentytwo[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter. If a business enter-30 prise does not have a taxable year because it is exempt from taxation or otherwise not required to file a return under any of such sections of 32 article nine or under article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thir-33 ty-three, then the term "taxable year" means (i) the business enter-34 prise's federal taxable year, or, (ii) if the enterprise does not have a federal taxable year, the calendar year.
  - § 27. Paragraph 1 of subdivision (i) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by section 5 of part A of chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:
  - (1) for purposes of section one hundred eighty-seven-j of article nine, and articles nine-A, twenty-two[ , thirty-two] and thirty-three of this chapter, on the first day of the taxable year during which revocation of its certification under article eighteen-B of the general municipal law occurs, and
  - § 28. Paragraphs 1 and 2 of subdivision (j) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by section 10 of part CC of chapter 85 of the laws of 2002, are amended to read as follows:
- (1) A new business shall include any corporation, except a corporation which is substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity (or entities) taxable, or previously taxable, under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, one hundred eightyfive or one hundred eighty-six of article nine; article nine-A[, article 52 thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter; article twenty-three of 53 this chapter or which would have been subject to tax under such article 54 twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen 55 hundred eighty), article thirty-two of this chapter or which would have 56 been subject to tax under such article thirty-two (as such article was S. 6359--D 126

in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen) or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two of this chapter.

(2) For purposes of article twenty-two of this chapter, an individual who is either a sole proprietor or a member of a partnership shall qualify as an owner of a new business unless the business of which the individual is an owner is substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity taxable, or previously taxable, under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, one hundred eighty-10 five or one hundred eighty-six of article nine; article nine-A[, thir-11 ty-two] or article thirty-three of this chapter; article twenty-three of 12 this chapter or which would have been subject to tax under such article 13 twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen 14 hundred eighty); article thirty-two of this chapter or which would have 15 been subject to tax under such article thirty-two as such article was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two.

§ 29. Clauses (i) and (ii) of subparagraph (A) of paragraph 4 of 19 subdivision (j) of section 14 of the tax law, as added by section 5 of 20 part A of chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, are amended to read as 21 follows:

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(i) Notwithstanding paragraphs one and two of this subdivision, a new 23 business shall include any corporation which is identical in operation and ownership to a business entity (or entities) taxable under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-five of article nine; article nine-A[, article thirty-two] or thirtythree of this chapter or the income (or losses) of which is includable under article twenty-two of this chapter, provided such corporation and such business entity or entities are operating in different counties in the state.

(ii) Notwithstanding paragraphs one and two of this subdivision, an 32 individual who is either a sole proprietor or a member of a partnership 33 shall qualify as an owner of a new business if the business of which the 34 individual is an owner is identical in operation and in ownership to a 35 business entity (or entities) taxable under section one hundred eighty-36 three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-five of article 37 nine; article nine-A[, article thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chap-38 ter or the income (or losses) of which is includable under article twen-39 ty-two of this chapter, provided such business and such business entity or entities are operating in different counties in the state.

§ 30. Subparagraph (B) of paragraph 4 of subdivision (j) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 161 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:

(B) Notwithstanding any provisions of this subdivision to the contrary and notwithstanding subdivision c of section eighteen of part CC of chapter eighty-five of the laws of two thousand two, a corporation or partnership, which was first certified under article eighteen-B of the 48 general municipal law before August first, two thousand two, has a base period of zero years or zero employment for its base period, and is 50 similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity or entities 51 taxable, or previously taxable, under sections specified in paragraph 52 one or two of this subdivision or which would have been subject to tax 53 under article twenty-three of this chapter (as such article was in 54 effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty) or which would have 55 been subject to tax under article thirty-two of this chapter (as such article was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen) S. 6359--D

or the income or losses of which is or was includable under article twenty-two of this chapter shall not be deemed a new business if it was 3 not formed for a valid business purpose, as such term is defined in clause (D) of subparagraph one of paragraph (o) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this chapter and was formed solely to gain 6 empire zone benefits.

§ 31. Subdivision (k) of section 14 of the tax law, as amended by section 5 of part A of chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:

(k) If the designation of an area as an empire zone is no longer in 11 effect because section nine hundred sixty-nine of the general municipal law was not amended to extend the effective date of such designation so that the designations of all empire zones pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law have expired, a business enterprise that was certified pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law on the day immediately preceding the day on which such designation expired shall be deemed to continue to be certified under such article 18 eighteen-B for purposes of this section, and sections fifteen, sixteen, section one hundred eighty-seven-j, subdivisions [twenty-seven] five and [twenty-eight] six of section two hundred [ten] ten-B, subsections (bb) and (cc) of section six hundred six, subdivision (z) of section eleven 22 hundred fifteen[ , subsections (o) and (p) of section fourteen hundred 23 **fifty-six**, and subdivisions (r) and (s) of section fifteen hundred 24 eleven of this chapter. In addition, if the designation of an area as an 25 empire zone is no longer in effect because section nine hundred sixty26 nine of the general municipal law was not amended to extend the effec-27 tive date of such designation so that the designations of all empire 28 zones pursuant to article eighteen-B of the general municipal law have 29 expired, all references to empire zones in the provisions of this chap-30 ter listed in the previous sentence shall be read as meaning areas 31 designated as empire zones on the day immediately preceding the day on which such designation expired.

- § 32. Subdivisions (a) and (h) of section 15 of the tax law, as amended by section 5 of part A of chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer which is a qualified empire zone enterprise (QEZE), or which is a sole proprietor of a QEZE or a member 38 of a partnership which is a QEZE, and which is subject to tax under article nine-A, twenty-two[ - thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in subdivision (h) of this section, for eligible real property taxes.
  - (h) Definitions and cross-references. For definitions of terms used in this section see section fourteen of this article. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) Article 9: Section 187-j.

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- (2) Article 9-A: Section  $[\frac{210}{2}]$   $\underline{210-B}$ : subdivision  $[\frac{27}{2}]$   $\underline{5}$ .
- (3) Article 22: Section 606: subsections (i) and (bb).
- (4) [Article 32: Section 1456: subsection (o).
- (5) Article 33: Section 1511: subdivision (r).
- 52 § 33. Subdivision (a) of section 16 of the tax law, as added by 53 section 2 of part GG of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer which is a qualified empire zone 56 enterprise (QEZE), or which is a sole proprietor of a QEZE or a member S. 6359--D 128
- 1 of a partnership which is a QEZE, and which is subject to tax under article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in subdivision (g) of this section, to be computed as hereinafter provided.
  - § 34. Paragraph 1, clause (ii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph 2, and subparagraph (A) of paragraph 3 of subdivision (f) of section 16 of the tax law, as amended by section 14 of part CC of chapter 85 of the laws of 2002, are amended to read as follows:
- (1) General. The tax factor shall be, in the case of article nine-A of 11 this chapter, the [larger of the amounts] amount of tax determined for 12 the taxable year under [paragraphs] paragraph (a) [and (c)] of subdivi-13 sion one of section two hundred ten of such article. The tax factor 14 shall be, in the case of article twenty-two of this chapter, the tax determined for the taxable year under subsections (a) through (d) of 16 section six hundred one of such article. [The tax factor shall be, in the case of article thirty-two of this chapter, the larger of the 18 amounts of tax determined for the taxable year under subsection (a) and paragraph two of subsection (b) of section fourteen hundred fifty-five 20 of such article. The tax factor shall be, in the case of article thir-21 ty-three of this chapter, the larger of the amounts of tax determined for the taxable year under paragraphs one and three of subdivision (a) of section fifteen hundred two of such article.
- (ii) For purposes of article nine-A[, thirty-two or thirty-three] of 25 this chapter, the term "partner's income from the partnership" means 26 partnership items of income, gain, loss and deduction, and New York modifications thereto, entering into [entire net] business income[7 28 minimum taxable income, alternative entire net income or entire net 29 **income plus compensation**] and the term "partner's entire income" means 30 [entire net] business income[, minimum taxable income, alternative

31 entire net income or entire net income plus compensation, allocated 32 within the state. For purposes of article thirty-three of this chapter, the term "partner's income from the partnership" means partnership items of income, gain, loss and deduction, and New York modifications thereto, entering into entire net income or entire net income plus compensation and the term "partner's entire income" means entire net income, or entire net income plus compensation, allocated within the state. For purposes of article twenty-two of this chapter, the term "partner's income from the partnership" means partnership items of income, gain, loss and deduction, and New York modifications thereto, entering into New York adjusted gross income, and the term "partner's entire income" means New York adjusted gross income.

(A) Where the taxpayer is a qualified empire zone enterprise and is 44 required or permitted to make a return or report on a combined basis under article nine-A[, thirty-two] or article thirty-three of this chapter, the taxpayer's tax factor shall be the amount determined in paragraph one of this subdivision which is attributable to the income of the 48 qualified empire zone enterprise. Such attribution shall be made in 49 accordance with the ratio of the qualified empire zone enterprise's 50 income allocated within the state to the combined group's income, or in 51 accordance with such other methods as the commissioner may prescribe as 52 providing an apportionment which reasonably reflects the portion of the 53 combined group's tax attributable to the income of the qualified empire 54 zone enterprise. In no event may the ratio so determined exceed 1.0.

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- § 35. Subdivision (g) of section 16 of the tax law, as added by section 2 of part GG of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
  - (g) Definitions and cross-references. For definitions of terms used in this section see sections fourteen and fifteen of this article. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B: subdivision [28]6.
    - (2) Article 22: Section 606: subsections (i) and (cc).
    - (3) [Article 32: Section 1456: subsection (p).

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- (4) Article 33: Section 1511: subdivision (s).
- § 36. Paragraph 1 of subdivision (b) of section 17 of the tax law, as added by section 43 of part S1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) The empire zones tax benefits report must contain the following 16 information about the empire zone tax credits claimed under articles nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] and thirty-three of this chapter during the previous calendar year:
  - (A) the name of each taxpayer claiming a credit; and
  - (B) the amount of each credit earned by each taxpayer.
  - § 37. Subdivisions (a) and (d) of section 18 of the tax law, as added by section 2 of part CC of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer subject to tax under article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall 26 be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in subdivision (d) of this section, with respect to the ownership of eligible low-income buildings for which an eligibility statement has 29 been issued by the commissioner of housing and community renewal. The 30 amount of the credit shall be the credit amount for each such building allocated by such commissioner as provided in article two-A of the 32 public housing law. The credit amount shall be allowed for each of the 33 ten taxable years in the credit period, and any reduction in first-year 34 credit as provided in subdivision two of section twenty-two of such law shall be allowed in the eleventh taxable year.
- (d) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in 37 this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:

- (1) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B: subdivision [30] 15, 38
  - (2) Article 22: Section 606: subsections (i) and (x),
- 40 (3) [Article 32: Section 1456: subsection (1),

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- (4) Article 33: Section 1511: subdivision (n).
- § 38. Subparagraph (A) of paragraph 1 of subdivision (a) and subdivision (f) of section 19 of the tax law, as added by section 2 of part II of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, are amended to read as follows:
- (A) Green building credit. A taxpayer subject to tax under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall be allowed a green building credit against such tax, pursuant to 48 the provisions referenced in subdivision (f) of this section. Provided, 49 however, no credit shall be allowed under this section unless the 50 taxpayer has complied with the applicable requirements of paragraph two 51 of subdivision (d) of this section (relating to reports to DEC). The amount of the credit shall be the sum of the credit components specified in paragraphs two through seven of this subdivision. Provided, however, 54 the amount of each such credit component shall not exceed the limit set 55 forth in the initial credit component certificate obtained pursuant to 56 subdivision (c) of this section. In the determination of such credit S. 6359--D 130 A. 8559--D

components, no cost paid or incurred by the taxpayer shall be the basis for more than one such component.

- (f) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) Article nine: Section one hundred eighty-seven-d;
  - (2) Article nine-A: Subdivision [thirty-one] sixteen of section two hundred [ten] ten-B;
  - (3) Article twenty-two: Subsections (i) and (y) of section six hundred six:
- (4) [Article thirty-two: Subsection (m) of section fourteen hundred 11 fifty-six;
  - (5) Article thirty-three: Subdivision (o) of section fifteen hundred
  - § 39. Paragraphs 1 and 5 of subdivision (a) of section 21 of the tax law, as amended by section 1 of part H of chapter 577 of the laws of 2004, are amended to read as follows:
- (1) General. A taxpayer subject to tax under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[ , thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced 20 in subdivision (f) of this section. Such credit shall be allowed with 21 respect to a qualified site, as such term is defined in paragraph one of 22 subdivision (b) of this section. The amount of the credit in a taxable year shall be the sum of the credit components specified in paragraphs two, three and four of this subdivision applicable in such year.
- (5) Applicable percentage. For purposes of paragraphs two, three and four of this subdivision, the applicable percentage shall be twelve percent in the case of credits claimed under article nine, nine-A[7 28 thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, and ten percent in the case 29 of credits claimed under article twenty-two of this chapter, except that 30 where at least fifty percent of the area of the qualified site relating 31 to the credit provided for in this section is located in an environ-32 mental zone as defined in paragraph six of subdivision (b) of this 33 section, the applicable percentage shall be increased by an additional 34 eight percent. Provided, however, as afforded in section 27-1419 of the 35 environmental conservation law, if the certificate of completion indi-36 cates that the qualified site has been remediated to Track 1 as that 37 term is described in subdivision four of section 27-1415 of the environ-38 mental conservation law, the applicable percentage set forth in the first sentence of this paragraph shall be increased by an additional two percent.
- § 39-a. Subdivisions (c) and (f) of section 21 of the tax law, as 42 added by section 1 of part H of chapter 1 of the laws of 2003, are

43 amended to read as follows:

- (c) Qualifying property. Property which qualifies for the credit 45 provided for under this section and also for a credit provided for (1) under either subdivision [twelve] one or subdivision [twelve-B] three of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this chapter, or both, or (2) subsection (a) or subsection (j) of section six hundred six of this chapter, or both[, (3) the credit provided for under subsection (i) of 50 section fourteen hundred fifty-six of this chapter, or (4) the credit provided under subdivision (q) of section fifteen hundred eleven of this 52 **chapter**] may be the basis for either the credit provided for under this 53 section or one of the credits enumerated in paragraph one  $[\tau]$  or two  $[\tau]$ 54 three or four of this subdivision, but not both.
- (f) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in 56 this section, see the following provisions of this chapter: S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 131

  - (1) Article 9: Section 187-g

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- (2) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B, subdivision [33] 17
- (3) Article 22: Section 606, subsections (i) and (dd)
- (4) [Article 32: Section 1456, subsection (q)
- (5) Article 33: Section 1511, subdivision (u).
- § 40. Paragraph 3 of subdivision (a) and paragraphs 1 and 9 of subdivision (b) of section 22 of the tax law, as amended by section 4 of part H of chapter 577 of the laws of 2004, are amended to read as follows:
- (3) Developer. (i) A "developer" is a taxpayer under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter who or 11 which either (I) has been issued a certificate of completion with 12 respect to a qualified site or (II) has purchased or in any other way 13 has been conveyed all or any portion of a qualified site from a taxpayer 14 or any other party who or which has been issued a certificate of 15 completion with respect to such site provided, such purchase or convey-16 ance occurs within seven years of the effective date of the certificate 17 of completion issued with respect to such qualified site. Provided 18 further, that the taxpayer who or which is purchasing all or any portion of a qualified site and the taxpayer or any other party who or which has 20 been issued a certificate of completion with respect to such site may 21 not be related persons, as such term is defined in subparagraph (C) of 22 paragraph three of subsection (b) of section four hundred sixty-five of 23 the internal revenue code.
- (ii) Where the entity to whom a certificate of completion has been 25 issued is a partnership, or where the entity which has purchased all or 26 any portion of a qualified site from a taxpayer who or which has been issued a certificate of completion with respect to such site within the 28 applicable time limit is a partnership, any partner in such partnership 29 who or which is taxable under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thir-30 ty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall be a developer under this 31 paragraph. Where the entity to whom a certificate of completion has been 32 issued is a New York S corporation, or where the entity which has 33 purchased all or any portion of a qualified site from a taxpayer who or 34 which has been issued a certificate of completion with respect to such site within the applicable time limit is a New York S corporation, any shareholder in such New York S corporation shall be a developer under this paragraph.
  - (1) Allowance of credit. A developer of a qualified site who or which is subject to tax under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in paragraph nine of this subdivision, for eligible real property taxes imposed on such site.
  - (9) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this subdivision, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (i) Article 9: Section 187-h.
    - (ii) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B: subdivision [34] 18.
    - (iii) Article 22: Section 606: subsections (i) and (ee).

- (iv) [Article 32: Section 1456: subsection (r).
- (v) Article 33: Section 1511: subdivision (v).
- § 41. Subdivision (a) of section 23 of the tax law, as amended by section 10 of part H chapter 577 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) Allowance of credit. General. A taxpayer subject to tax under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the 56 provisions referenced in subdivision (e) of this section. The amount of S. 6359--D 132 A. 8559--D

such credit shall be equal to the lesser of thirty thousand dollars or 2 fifty percent of the premiums paid on or after the date of the brown-3 field site cleanup agreement executed by the taxpayer and the department 4 of environmental conservation pursuant to section 27-1409 of the environmental conservation law by the taxpayer for environmental remediation 6 insurance issued with respect to a qualified site.

- § 42. Subdivision (e) of section 23 of the tax law, as added by section 19 of part H of chapter 1 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- (e) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) Article 9: Section 187-i

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- (2) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B, subdivision [35] 19
- (3) Article 22: Section 606, subsections (i) and (ff) 14
  - (4) [Article 32: Section 1456, subsection (s)
  - (5) Article 33: Section 1511, subdivision (w).
- § 43. Paragraphs 1 and 2 of subdivision (a) and clause (i) of subpara-18 graph (D) of paragraph 1 of subdivision (b) of section 25 of the tax law, as added by section 1 of part N of chapter 61 of the laws of 2005, are amended to read as follows:
- (1) Every taxpayer, or person as defined in section seven thousand seven hundred one of the internal revenue code, required to file a 23 disclosure statement with the internal revenue service pursuant to 24 section six thousand eleven of the internal revenue code, or the regu-25 lations promulgated thereunder, related to a reportable transaction or a 26 listed transaction, as those terms are defined in such section or regu-27 lations, must attach a duplicate of such disclosure statement to the 28 return or report required to be filed by such taxpayer or person for the 29 taxable year under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or 30 thirty-three of this chapter, and provide such other information related 31 to such disclosure as prescribed by the commissioner. Such disclosure 32 shall be made notwithstanding that one member of an affiliated group, as defined by section fifteen hundred four of the internal revenue code, 34 may file such disclosure statement with the internal revenue service on 35 behalf of its affiliates including such taxpayer or person.
- (2) Every taxpayer or such person who participates in a New York reportable transaction for a taxable year must disclose such partic-38 ipation with its return or report required to be filed under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter for the taxable year in a form prescribed by the commissioner, and provide such other information related to such transaction as prescribed 42 by the commissioner. A New York reportable transaction is a transaction 43 that has the potential to be a tax avoidance transaction as determined 44 by the commissioner.
- (i) the list required to be maintained by such person pursuant to 46 section six thousand one hundred twelve of the internal revenue code identifies or is required to identify a taxpayer subject to tax under article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, and
- § 44. Subdivisions (a) and (f) of section 26 of the tax law, as added 51 by chapter 537 of the laws of 2005, are amended to read as follows:
  - (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer, which is subject to tax under

53 article nine, nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this 54 chapter and which is a qualified building owner, shall be allowed a 55 credit against such tax. The amount of the credit allowed under this 56 section shall equal the sum of the number of qualified security officers S. 6359--D 133

1 providing protection to a building or buildings owned by the taxpayer multiplied by three thousand dollars. Provided, however, that in the case of a worker not so employed for a full year, such amount shall be 4 prorated to reflect the length of such employment under regulations of 5 the commissioner.

- (f) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) article 9: section 187-n.

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- (2) article 9-A: section  $[\frac{2+0}{2}]$  210-B: subdivision  $[\frac{37}{4}]$  21.
- (3) article 22: section 606: subsection (ii).
- (4) [article 32: section 1456: subsection (t).
- (5)] article 33: section 1511: subdivision (x).

§ 45. Paragraph 3 of subdivision (a) and subdivision (c) of section 28 of the tax law, as added by section 2 of part V of chapter 62 of the laws of 2006, are amended to read as follows:

(3) No qualified production costs used by a taxpayer either as the basis for the allowance of the credit provided for under this section or used in the calculation of the credit provided for under this section 19 shall be used by such taxpayer to claim any other credit allowed pursu-20 ant to this chapter.

Notwithstanding any provisions of this section to the contrary, a 22 corporation or partnership, which otherwise qualifies as a qualified 23 commercial production company, and is similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity or entities taxable, or previously taxable, 25 under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one 26 hundred eighty-five of article nine; article nine-A[, article thirtytwo] or thirty-three of this chapter or which would have been subject to 28 tax under article twenty-three of this chapter (as such article was in 29 effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty) or which would have been subject to tax under article thirty-two of this chapter (as such 31 <u>article</u> was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen) 32 or the income or losses of which is or was includable under article 33 twenty-two of this chapter shall not be deemed a new or separate busi-34 ness, and therefore shall not be eligible for empire state commercial 35 production benefits, if it was not formed for a valid business purpose, 36 as such term is defined in clause (D) of subparagraph one of paragraph (o) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this chapter and was formed solely to gain empire state commercial production credit benefits.

- (c) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provision of this chapter:
  - (1) article 9-A: section [210] 210-B: subdivision [38] 23.
  - (2) article 22: section 606: subsection (jj).
- $\S$  46. Subdivision (d) of section 28 of the tax law, as added by section 1 of part X of chapter 62 of the laws of 2006, is amended to read as follows:
- (d) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) Article 9: Section 187-c.
  - (2) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B, subdivision [38] 24.
  - (3) Article 22: Section 606, subsections (i) and (jj).
- § 47. The opening paragraph of subdivision (a) and subdivisions (c) 53 and (g) of section 31 of the tax law, the opening paragraph of subdivision (a) and subdivision (g) as amended by section 7 of part G of chap-55 ter 61 of the laws of 2011, subdivision (c) as added by section 2 of S. 6359--D 134 A. 8559--D

1 part MM of chapter 59 of the laws of 2010, are amended to read as follows:

General. A taxpayer subject to tax under section one hundred eighty-4 five, article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this 5 chapter shall be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the 6 provisions referenced in subdivision (g) of this section. The amount of the credit, allowable for up to ten consecutive taxable years, is the sum of the following four credit components:

- (c) Election of credit. A taxpayer who or which is qualified to claim 10 the excelsior investment tax credit component and is also qualified to 11 claim the investment tax credit provided for under subdivision [twelve] one of section two hundred [ten-] ten-B or subsection (a) of section six 13 hundred six[, or subsection (i) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] 14 of this chapter, may claim either the excelsior investment tax credit 15 component or the investment tax credit, but not both with regard to a 16 particular piece of property. In addition, a taxpayer who or which is qualified to claim the excelsior investment tax credit component and is 18 also qualified to claim the brownfield tangible property credit compo-19 nent under section twenty-one of this article, as added by chapter one 20 of the laws of two thousand three, may claim either the excelsior 21 investment tax credit component or such tangible property credit compo-22 nent, but not both with regard to a particular piece of property. The 23 election to claim the excelsior investment tax credit component, the 24 investment tax credit or the brownfield tangible property credit component, with regard to the same property, is irrevocable.
- (g) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in 27 this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) article 9: section 187-q.

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- (2) article 9-A: section [210] 210-B: subdivision [41] 31.
- (3) article 22: section 606: subsection (qq).
- (4) [article 32: section 1456: subsection (u).
- (5)] article 33: section 1511: subdivision (y).
- § 48. Subdivision (d) of section 31 of the tax law, as added by section 12 of part Q of chapter 57 of the laws of 2010, is amended to 35 read as follows:
  - (d) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) article 9-A: section  $[\frac{210}{210}]$   $\underline{210-B}$ : subdivision  $[\frac{41}{210}]$   $\underline{32}$ .
    - (2) article 22: section 606: subsection (qq).
  - § 49. Subdivision 3 of section 34 of the tax law, as added by section 2 of part Y of chapter 57 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:
  - 3. (a) For application of the temporary deferral nonrefundable payout credit, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) Article 9: section [<del>187-0</del>] **187-o**
    - (2) Article 9-A: section [210(41)] 210-B(33)
    - (3) Article 22: section 606(qq)
- (4) [Article 32: section 1456(v) 48
- (5) Article 33: section 1511(y) 49
- 50 (b) For application of the temporary deferral refundable payout cred-51 it, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) Article 9: section 187-p
- 53 (2) Article 9-A: section [210(42)] 210-B(34)
- (3) Article 22: section 606(rr)
- 55 (4) [Article 32: section 1456(w)
- 56 (5) Article 33: section 1511(z)
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  - § 50. The opening paragraph of subdivision (a), subparagraph (C) of paragraph 2 of subdivision (e), and subdivision (f) of section 35 of the tax law, as added by section 3 of part V of chapter 61 of the laws of 2011, are amended to read as follows:
  - A taxpayer which is a participant or the owner of a participant in the

6 economic transformation and facility redevelopment program under article 7 eighteen of the economic development law that is subject to tax under 8 section one hundred eighty-five of article nine, or article nine-A, 9 twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall be 10 allowed the sum of following components against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in subdivision (f) of this section.

- (C) the business entity must not be substantially similar in ownership 13 and operation to another taxpayer taxable or previously taxable under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four or one hundred eighty-five of article nine, former section one hundred eighty-six of of this chapter or former article thirty-two of this chapter or the income or losses of which is or was includable under article twenty-two 19 of this chapter;
- (f) Cross-references. For application of the credits provided for in 21 this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
  - (1) section 185: section 187-r.

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- (2) article 9-A: section [210(43)] 210-B(35).
- (3) article 22: section 606 (ss).
- (4) [article 32: section 1456(x).
- (5) article 33: section 1511 (aa).
- § 51. Subdivisions (a) and (e) of section 36 of the tax law, as added 28 by section 2 of part E of chapter 56 of the laws of 2011, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) Allowance of credit. A taxpayer subject to tax under article nine-A, twenty-two[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter shall 32 be allowed a credit against such tax, pursuant to the provisions referenced in subdivision (e) of this section. The amount of the credit, allowable for ten consecutive tax years, is equal to the amount determined pursuant to section four hundred twenty-five of the economic development law.
  - (e) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) article 9-A: section [210] 210-B, subdivision [44] 37;
    - (2) article 22: section 606, subsection (tt);
    - (3) [article 32: section 1456, subsection (y);
    - (4) article 33, section 1511, subdivision (bb).
  - § 52. Subdivision (c) of section 37 of the tax law, as added by chapter 109 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
  - (c) Cross-references. For application of the credit provided for in this section, see the following provisions of this chapter:
    - (1) Article 9-A: Section [210] 210-B, subdivision [45] 39.
    - (2) Article 22: Section 606, subsections (i) and (uu).
    - § 52-a. Subdivision (c) of section 39 of the tax law is REPEALED.
  - § 53. Paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of subdivision (k) of section 39 of the tax law, paragraphs 2 and 3 as added by section 2 of part A of chapter 68 of the laws of 2013, paragraph 4 as added by section 2 of part A of chapter 68 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:
    - [(2) Article 9: section 180, subdivision 3.
  - (3) Article 9: section 181, subdivision 3.
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  - (4) Article 9-A: section [210] 210-B, subdivision [47] 41 and subdivi-
  - § 54. Subdivision 1 of section 171-a of the tax law, as amended by section 1 of part R of chapter 60 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:
- 1. All taxes, interest, penalties and fees collected or received by the commissioner or the commissioner's duly authorized agent under articles nine (except section one hundred eighty-two-a thereof and except as 9 otherwise provided in section two hundred five thereof), nine-A, 10 twelve-A (except as otherwise provided in section two hundred eighty-11 four-d thereof), thirteen, thirteen-A (except as otherwise provided in

12 section three hundred twelve thereof), eighteen, nineteen, twenty (except as otherwise provided in section four hundred eighty-two thereof), twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-six, twenty-six-B, twenty-eight (except as otherwise provided in section eleven hundred two or eleven 15 hundred three thereof), twenty-eight-A, thirty-one (except as otherwise provided in section fourteen hundred twenty-one thereof), [thirty-two] 18 thirty-three and thirty-three-A of this chapter shall be deposited daily in one account with such responsible banks, banking houses or trust 19 companies as may be designated by the comptroller, to the credit of the 21 comptroller. Such an account may be established in one or more of such 22 depositories. Such deposits shall be kept separate and apart from all 23 other money in the possession of the comptroller. The comptroller shall 24 require adequate security from all such depositories. Of the total 25 revenue collected or received under such articles of this chapter, the 26 comptroller shall retain in the comptroller's hands such amount as the commissioner may determine to be necessary for refunds or reimbursements under such articles of this chapter [and article ten thereof] out of 29 which amount the comptroller shall pay any refunds or reimbursements to 30 which taxpayers shall be entitled under the provisions of such articles 31 of this chapter [and article ten thereof]. The commissioner and the 32 comptroller shall maintain a system of accounts showing the amount of  $^{33}$  revenue collected or received from each of the taxes imposed by such  $^{34}$  articles. The comptroller, after reserving the amount to pay such 35 refunds or reimbursements, shall, on or before the tenth day of each 36 month, pay into the state treasury to the credit of the general fund all revenue deposited under this section during the preceding calendar month 38 and remaining to the comptroller's credit on the last day of such 39 preceding month, (i) except that the comptroller shall pay to the state department of social services that amount of overpayments of tax imposed 41 by article twenty-two of this chapter and the interest on such amount 42 which is certified to the comptroller by the commissioner as the amount 43 to be credited against past-due support pursuant to subdivision six of 44 section one hundred seventy-one-c of this [chapter] article, (ii) and 45 except that the comptroller shall pay to the New York state higher 46 education services corporation and the state university of New York or 47 the city university of New York respectively that amount of overpayments 48 of tax imposed by article twenty-two of this chapter and the interest on 49 such amount which is certified to the comptroller by the commissioner as 50 the amount to be credited against the amount of defaults in repayment of 51 guaranteed student loans and state university loans or city university 52 loans pursuant to subdivision five of section one hundred seventy-one-d 53 and subdivision six of section one hundred seventy-one-e of this [chap-54 ter] article, (iii) and except further that, notwithstanding any law, 55 the comptroller shall credit to the revenue arrearage account, pursuant 56 to section ninety-one-a of the state finance law, that amount of over-S. 6359--D A. 8559--D 137

1 payment of tax imposed by article nine, nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, and any interest thereon, which is certified to the comptroller by the commissioner as the amount to be credited against a past-due legally enforceable debt owed to a state agency pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision six of section one hundred seventy-one-f of this article, provided, however, he shall credit to the special offset fiduciary account, pursuant to section ninety-one-c of the state finance law, any such amount creditable as a liability as set forth in paragraph (b) of 10 subdivision six of section one hundred seventy-one-f of this article, (iv) and except further that the comptroller shall pay to the city of 11 New York that amount of overpayment of tax imposed by article nine, nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[, thirty-two, ] or thirty-three of this chapter and any interest thereon that is certified to 15 the comptroller by the commissioner as the amount to be credited against 16 city of New York tax warrant judgment debt pursuant to section one

17 hundred seventy-one-1 of this article, (v) and except further that the 18 comptroller shall pay to a non-obligated spouse that amount of overpay-19 ment of tax imposed by article twenty-two of this chapter and the inter-20 est on such amount which has been credited pursuant to section one 21 hundred seventy-one-c, one hundred seventy-one-d, one hundred seventy-22 one-e, one hundred seventy-one-f or one hundred seventy-one-l of this article and which is certified to the comptroller by the commissioner as the amount due such non-obligated spouse pursuant to paragraph six of subsection (b) of section six hundred fifty-one of this chapter; and (vi) the comptroller shall deduct a like amount which the comptroller 27 shall pay into the treasury to the credit of the general fund from 28 amounts subsequently payable to the department of social services, the state university of New York, the city university of New York, or the 30 higher education services corporation, or the revenue arrearage account or special offset fiduciary account pursuant to section ninety-one-a or ninety-one-c of the state finance law, as the case may be, whichever had been credited the amount originally withheld from such overpayment, and (vii) with respect to amounts originally withheld from such overpayment 35 pursuant to section one hundred seventy-one-1 of this article and paid to the city of New York, the comptroller shall collect a like amount from the city of New York.

§ 55. Subdivision 2 of section 171-a of the tax law, as amended by chapter 57 of the laws of 1993, is amended to read as follows:

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2. Notwithstanding subdivision one of this section or any other provision of law to the contrary, the taxes imposed pursuant to sections one hundred eighty-three-a, one hundred eighty-four-a, [one hundred eighty-six-b, one hundred eighty-six-c, [one hundred eighty-nine-a,] 44 two hundred nine-B[ , fourteen hundred fifty-five-b] and fifteen hundred 45 five-a of this chapter, reduced by an amount for administrative costs, shall be deposited to the credit of the metropolitan mass transportation operating assistance account in the mass transportation operating 48 assistance fund, created pursuant to section eighty-eight-a of the state 49 finance law, as such taxes are received. The amount for administrative 50 costs shall be determined by the commissioner to represent reasonable 51 costs of the department of taxation and finance in administering, 52 collecting, determining and distributing such taxes. Of the total reven-53 ue collected or received under such sections of this chapter, the comp-54 troller shall retain in his hands such amount as the commissioner may 55 determine to be necessary for refunds or reimbursements under such 56 sections of this chapter out of which amount the comptroller shall pay S. 6359--D 138 A. 8559--D

1 any refunds or reimbursements to which taxpayers shall be entitled under 2 provisions of such sections. The tax commissioner and the comptroller 3 shall maintain a system of accounts showing the amount of revenue collected or received from each of the taxes imposed by such sections.

- § 56. Paragraphs (b) and (c) of subdivision 1 of section 171-f of the tax law, as amended by chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, are amended to read as follows:
- (b) "taxpayer" shall mean a corporation, association, company, partnership, estate, trust, liquidator, fiduciary or other entity or individual who or which is liable for any tax or other imposition imposed by or pursuant to article nine, nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[ + thirty-two-r or thirty-three of this chapter or article two-E of 13 the general city law, which tax or other imposition is administered by 14 the commissioner of taxation and finance, or who or which is under a duty to perform an act under or pursuant to such tax or imposition, 16 excluding a state agency, a municipal corporation or a district corporation; and (c) "overpayment" shall mean an overpayment which has been 18 requested or determined to be refunded, a refund or a reimbursement, of 19 a tax or other imposition imposed by or pursuant to article nine, 20 nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[, thirty-two, or thir-21 ty-three of this chapter or article two-E of the general city law, which

is administered by the commissioner of taxation and finance.

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§ 57. Subdivision 2 of section 171-f of the tax law, as added by chapter 55 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:

- (2) The commissioner of taxation and finance, upon agreement with the state comptroller and acting as an agent for the state comptroller, shall set forth the procedures for crediting any overpayment by a taxpayer of any tax or other imposition imposed by or authorized to be imposed pursuant to article nine, nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[, thirty-two,] or thirty-three of this chapter or article two-E 31 of the general city law, which is administered by the commissioner of 32 taxation and finance, and the interest on any such overpayments, against 33 the amount of a past-due legally enforceable debt owed by such taxpayer 34 to a state agency. An implementation plan shall be developed by the 35 division of the budget and the department of taxation and finance which 36 shall provide, but not be limited to, quidance with respect to coordination of debt collection pursuant to this section and subdivision twen-38 ty-seventh of section one hundred seventy-one of this article. This 39 section shall not be deemed to abrogate or limit in any way the powers and authority of the state comptroller to set off debts owed the state against payments from the state, under the constitution of the state or any other law.
  - § 58. Paragraphs (a) and (b) of subdivision 1 of section 171-1 of the tax law, as added by section 6 of part R of chapter 60 of the laws of 2004, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) "taxpayer" shall mean a corporation, association, company, partnership, estate, trust, liquidator, fiduciary or other entity or indi-48 vidual who or which is liable for any tax or other imposition imposed by or pursuant to article nine, nine-A, twenty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thir-50 ty-B[, thirty-two, or thirty-three of this chapter, which tax or other 51 imposition is administered by the commissioner of taxation and finance, 52 or who or which is under a duty to perform an act under or pursuant to 53 such tax or imposition, excluding a state agency, a municipal corpo-54 ration or a district corporation;
- (b) "overpayment" shall mean an overpayment which has been requested 56 or determined to be refunded, a refund or a reimbursement, of a tax or S. 6359--D 139 A. 8559--D
- other imposition imposed by or pursuant to article nine, nine-A, twen-2 ty-two, thirty, thirty-A, thirty-B[, thirty-two, or thirty-three of this chapter, which is administered by the commissioner of taxation and finance; and
  - § 59. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 1 of section 183 of the tax law, as amended by section 1 of part Y of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) For the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, or of doing business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in this state in a corporate or organized capacity, or of maintaining 10 an office in this state, every domestic corporation, joint-stock company 11 or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of 13 canal, steamboat, ferry (except a ferry company operating between any of 14 the boroughs of the city of New York under a lease granted by the city), 15 express, navigation, pipe line, transfer, baggage express, omnibus, 16 taxicab, telegraph, or telephone business, or formed for or principally 17 engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses, and every 18 domestic corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or 19 principally engaged in the conduct of a railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the 21 conduct of two or more of such businesses and which has made an election 22 pursuant to subdivision ten of this section, and every other domestic 23 corporation, joint-stock company or association principally engaged in 24 the conduct of a transportation or transmission business, except a 25 corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or principal-26 ly engaged in the conduct of a railroad, palace car, sleeping car or

27 trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of 28 two or more of such businesses and which has not made the election 29 provided for in subdivision ten of this section, and except a corporation, joint-stock company or association principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (including air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) and except a corporation principally 33 engaged in providing telecommunication services between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any combination of the foregoing), at least ninety 35 36 percent of the voting stock of which corporation is owned, directly or indirectly, by air carriers and which corporation's principal function 37 38 is to fulfill the requirements of (i) the federal aviation adminis-39 tration (or the successor thereto) or (ii) the international civil 40 aviation organization (or the successor thereto), relating to the exist-41 ence of a communication system between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any 43 combination of the foregoing) for the purposes of air safety and naviga-44 tion [and except a corporation, joint-stock company or association 45 subject to taxation under article thirty-two of this chapter, shall 46 pay, in advance, an annual tax to be computed upon the basis of the amount of its capital stock within this state during the preceding year, 47 and upon each dollar of such amount. Provided, however, a corporation, 49 joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in 50 the transportation, transmission or distribution of gas, electricity or 51 steam shall not be subject to tax under this section or section one 52 hundred eighty-four of this article.

§ 60. Subdivision 10 of section 183 of the tax law, as added by chapter 309 of the laws of 1996, is amended to read as follows:

55 10. Election. [With respect to taxable years beginning after nineteen 56 hundred ninety-seven, every] Every corporation, joint-stock company or S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

1 association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a rail-2 road (including surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, 3 subway railroad or elevated railroad), palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses, which would be subject to article nine-A [or thirty-two] of this chapter if the election provided for under this subdivision were not made, may elect to be subject to the provisions of this section and, as applicable, section one hundred eighty-four of this article, rather than the provisions of such article nine-A [or thirtytwo]. [In the case of such a corporation, joint-stock company or associ-10 ation subject to the tax imposed under this section and, as applicable, 12 section one hundred eighty-four of this article, for the taxable year 13 ending December thirty first, nineteen hundred ninety seven, such corporation, joint-stock company or association must make such election on or before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred ninety-eight, and such election shall apply to the taxable year ending on December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight and to succeeding taxable years, until 17 revoked. In the case of such a corporation, joint-stock company or asso-18 ciation which is not subject to the tax imposed under this section and, 19 as applicable, section one hundred eighty-four of this article for the 20 taxable year ending December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-sev-21 en, but thereafter would be subject to article nine-A or thirty-two of 23 this chapter if the election provided for under this subdivision were 24 **not made**, **such** Such corporation, joint-stock company or association must make such election by the first day on which such corporation, joint-stock company or association would be required to file a return or 27 report (without regard to extensions) under this section or section one 28 hundred eighty-four of this article, or section one hundred eightythree-a or one hundred[-]eighty-four-a of this article, or article 30 nine-A [or thirty-two] of this chapter. An election made pursuant to 31 this subdivision shall continue to be in effect until revoked by the

32 taxpayer. A revocation of the election to be subject to this section 33 and, as applicable, section one hundred eighty-four of this article, shall be irrevocable. Such election, and a revocation thereof, shall be made in the manner prescribed by the commissioner, whether by regulation or otherwise. Such revocation shall apply as of the first day of January next following the end of a taxable year with respect to which the taxpayer had been subject to this section and, as applicable, section one hundred eighty-four of this article, by reason of an election made pursuant to this subdivision.

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 $\S$  61. The section heading and subdivisions 1 and 5 of section 183-a of the tax law, the section heading as added by chapter 931 of the laws of 1982, subdivision 1 as amended by section 1 of part A of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013 and subdivision 5 as amended by chapter 945 of the laws of 1990, are amended to read as follows:

[Temporary metropolitan] Metropolitan transportation business tax surcharge on transportation and transmission corporations and associations. 1. The term "corporation" as used in this section shall include an association, within the meaning of paragraph three of subsection (a) 50 of section seventy-seven hundred one of the internal revenue code 51 (including a limited liability company), a publicly traded partnership 52 treated as a corporation for purposes of the internal revenue code 53 pursuant to section seventy-seven hundred four thereof and any business 54 conducted by a trustee or trustees wherein interest or ownership is 55 evidenced by certificates or other written instruments. Every corpo-56 ration, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally S. 6359--D 141 A. 8559--D

1 engaged in the conduct of canal, steamboat, ferry (except a ferry company operating between any of the boroughs of the city of New York under a lease granted by the city), express, navigation, pipe line, transfer, 4 baggage express, omnibus, taxicab, telegraph, or telephone business, or 5 formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more such 6 businesses, and every corporation, joint-stock company or association 7 formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses and which has 10 made an election pursuant to subdivision ten of section one hundred 11 eighty-three of this article, and every other corporation, joint-stock 12 company or association principally engaged in the conduct of a transpor-13 tation or transmission business, except a corporation, joint-stock 14 company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct 15 of a railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed 16 for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more of such busi-17 nesses and which has not made the election provided for in subdivision 18 ten of section one hundred eighty-three of this article, and except a 19 corporation, joint-stock company or association principally engaged in 20 the conduct of aviation (including air freight forwarders acting as 21 principal and like indirect air carriers) and except a corporation principally engaged in providing telecommunication services between aircraft 22 and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any combination of the foregoing), at least ninety percent of the voting stock of which corporation is owned, directly or 26 indirectly, by air carriers and which corporation's principal function is to fulfill the requirements of (i) the federal aviation adminis-28 tration (or the successor thereto) or (ii) the international civil 29 aviation organization (or the successor thereto), relating to the exist-30 ence of a communication system between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any combination of the foregoing) for the purposes of air safety and navigation [and except a corporation, joint-stock company or association which 34 is liable to taxation under article thirty-two of this chapter], shall 35 pay for the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, or of doing 36 business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in

the metropolitan commuter transportation district in such corporate or organized capacity, or of maintaining an office in such district, a tax surcharge [for all or any part of its years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-two but ending before December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen], which tax surcharge, in addition to the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-three of this article, shall be computed at the rate of [eighteen percent of the tax imposed under such section one hundred eighty-three for such years or any part of such years ending before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, and at the rate of ] seventeen percent of the tax imposed under such section for such years or any part of such years [ending on or after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eightythree] after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article; provided, however, that such rates of tax surcharge shall be applied only to that portion of the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-three of this article after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article which is attributable to the taxpayer's business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter 56 transportation district as so determined in the manner prescribed by the S. 6359--D 142 A. 8559--D

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rules and regulations promulgated by the commissioner[; and provided, 1 further, that the tax surcharge imposed by this section shall not be imposed upon any taxpayer for more than four hundred thirty-two months]. 5. [The report covering the tax surcharge which must be calculated 5 pursuant to this section based upon the tax reportable on the report due by March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-two under section one 6 7 hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or before March 8 fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-three. The report covering the tax surcharge which must be calculated pursuant to this section based upon 9 10 the tax reportable on the report due by March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-three under section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred 12 13 eighty-four. The report covering the tax surcharge which must be calcu-14 lated pursuant to this section based upon the tax reportable on the 15 report due by March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-four under 16 section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or 17 before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-five. The report covering the tax surcharge which must be calculated pursuant to this section 19 based upon the tax reportable on the report due by March fifteenth, 20 nineteen hundred eighty-five under section one hundred eighty-three of 21 this article shall be filed on or before March fifteenth, nineteen 22 hundred eighty-six. The report covering the tax surcharge which must be 23 calculated pursuant to this section based upon the tax reportable on the 24 report due by March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-six under section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or before 25 March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-seven. The report covering the 26 27 tax surcharge which must be calculated pursuant to this section based 28 upon the tax reportable on the report due by March fifteenth, nineteen 29 hundred eighty-seven under section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred 30 31 eighty-eight. The report covering the tax surcharge which must be calculated pursuant to this section based upon the tax reportable on the 33 report due by March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-eight under 34 section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or 35 before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred eighty-nine. The report cover-36 ing the tax surcharge which must be calculated pursuant to this section 37 based upon the tax reportable on the report due by March fifteenth, 38 nineteen hundred eighty-nine under section one hundred eighty-three of this article shall be filed on or before March fifteenth, nineteen 39 hundred ninety.] The report covering the tax surcharge which must be 40 calculated pursuant to this section based upon the tax reportable on the

42 report due by March fifteenth of any year [subsequent to nineteen 43 **hundred eighty-nine**] under section one hundred eighty-three of this 44 article shall be filed on or before March fifteenth of the year next 45 succeeding such year. An extension pursuant to section one hundred nine-46 ty-three of this article shall be allowed only if a taxpayer files with the commissioner an application for extension in such form as said commissioner may prescribe by regulation and pays on or before the date of such filing in addition to any other amounts required under this 49 article, either ninety percent of the entire tax surcharge required to 51 be paid under this section for the applicable period, or not less than the tax surcharge shown on the taxpayer's report for the preceding year, 53 if such preceding year consisted of twelve months. The tax surcharge 54 imposed by this section shall be payable to the commissioner in full at 55 the time the report is required to be filed, and such tax surcharge or 56 the balance thereof, imposed on any taxpayer which ceases to exercise S. 6359--D 143 A. 8559--D

1 its franchise or be subject to the tax surcharge imposed by this section shall be payable to the commissioner at the time the report is required 3 to be filed, provided such tax surcharge of a domestic corporation which continues to possess its franchise shall be subject to adjustment as the circumstances may require; all other tax surcharges of any such taxpayer, which pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this section would otherwise be payable subsequent to the time such report is required to 8 be filed, shall nevertheless be payable at such time. All of the provisions of this article presently applicable to section one hundred 10 eighty-three of this article are applicable to the tax surcharge imposed 11 by this section except for section one hundred ninety-two of this article.

§ 62. Subdivision 1 of section 184 of the tax law, as amended by 14 section 2 of part Y of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:

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1. The term "corporation" as used in this section shall include an association, within the meaning of paragraph three of subsection (a) of section seventy-seven hundred one of the internal revenue code (including a limited liability company), a publicly traded partnership treated as a corporation for purposes of the internal revenue code pursuant to section seventy-seven hundred four thereof.

Every corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or 23 principally engaged in the conduct of canal, steamboat, ferry (except a 24 ferry company operating between any of the boroughs of the city of New 25 York under a lease granted by the city), express, navigation, pipe line, 26 transfer, baggage express, omnibus, taxicab, telegraph or local telephone business, or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of 28 two or more of such businesses, and every corporation, joint-stock 29 company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct 30 of surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, 31 elevated railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or 32 formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more such 33 businesses and which has made an election pursuant to subdivision ten of section one hundred eighty-three of this article, and every other corpo-35 ration, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally 36 engaged in the conduct of a transportation or transmission business (other than a telephone business), except a corporation, joint-stock 38 company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses and which has not made the election provided for in subdivision ten of section one hundred eighty-three of this article, and, except a corporation, joint-stock company or association principal-45 ly engaged in the conduct of aviation (including air freight forwarders 46 acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) and except a corpo47 ration principally engaged in providing telecommunication services
48 between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or
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50 at least ninety percent of the voting stock of which corporation is
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52 principal function is to fulfill the requirements of (i) the federal
53 aviation administration (or the successor thereto) or (ii) the interna54 tional civil aviation organization (or the successor thereto), relating
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56 dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and
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ground station (or any combination of the foregoing) for the purposes of air safety and navigation and [except a corporation, joint-stock company or association which is liable to taxation under article thirty-two of this chapter, for the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, 5 or of doing business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in this state in a corporate or organized capacity, or main-7 taining an office in this state, shall pay a franchise tax which shall be equal to [(i) three-quarters of one percent for taxable years ending before two thousand one, provided that for a taxable year ending in two thousand the rate shall be reduced to three-eighths of one percent 10 effective July first, two thousand with the result that for purposes of 11 12 implementation of such change in rate the applicable rate for such a 13 **year shall be nine-sixteenths of one percent, and (ii)**] three-eighths of 14 one percent for taxable years commencing after two thousand, upon its 15 gross earnings from all sources within this state; except that, [for 16 taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-five and ending on or before December thirty-first, nineteen 17 18 hundred eighty-nine, every corporation, joint-stock company or associ-19 ation formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of telephone or 20 telegraph business shall pay a franchise tax which shall be equal to three-tenths of one per centum upon its gross earnings from all sources 22 within this state and, for taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred ninety, every corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of local telephone business, or telegraph business shall pay a franchise tax 25 26 which shall be equal to [(i) three-quarters of one percent for taxable 27 years ending before two thousand one, provided that for a taxable year 28 ending in two thousand the rate shall be reduced to three eighths of one 29 percent effective July first, two thousand with the result that for purposes of implementation of such change in rate the applicable rate 30 for such a year shall be nine-sixteenths of one percent, and (ii) 32 three-eighths of one percent for taxable years commencing after two 33 thousand, upon its gross earnings from all sources within this state, except that a corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a local telephone business shall exclude the following earnings (but not in any event earnings derived by such taxpayer from the provision of carrier access services) 37 derived by such taxpayer from sales for ultimate consumption of telecommunications service to its customers (i) thirty percent of separately 40 charged intra-LATA toll service (which shall also include interregion regional calling plan service) and (ii) one hundred percent of separately charged inter-LATA, interstate or international telecommunications service; and except that [corporations, joint-stock companies or associations formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car or sleeping car, business or any other corporation formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a railroad business, for taxable years prior to nineteen hundred ninety-seven, and] corporations, joint-stock companies or associations formed for or principally 50 engaged in the conduct of canal, steamboat, ferry (except a ferry compa-51 ny operating between any of the boroughs of the city of New York under a

lease granted by the city), navigation or any corporation formed for or principally engaged in the operation of vessels, shall pay a franchise tax which shall be equal to three-quarters of one per centum upon its gross earnings from all sources within this state, excluding earnings derived from business of an interstate or foreign character; except that S. 6359-D

1 for taxable years beginning in nineteen hundred ninety-seven or thereafter, in the case of a corporation, joint-stock company or association 3 which, with respect to taxable years beginning after nineteen hundred 4 ninety-seven, has made an election pursuant to subdivision ten of 5 section one hundred eighty-three of this article and which is formed for 6 or principally engaged in the conduct of surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses, such corporation, 10 joint-stock company or association shall pay a franchise tax which shall 11 be equal to [(i) six-tenths of one percent for taxable years ending 12 before two thousand one, provided that for a taxable year ending in two 13 thousand the rate shall be reduced to three-eighths of one percent 14 effective July first, two thousand with the result that for purposes of 15 implementation of such change in rate the applicable rate for such a 16 year shall be thirty-nine eightieths of one percent, and (ii) three-17 eighths of one percent for taxable years commencing after two thousand, 18 upon its gross earnings from all sources within this state, provided 19 that in the case of a corporation, joint-stock company or association 20 formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of surface railroad, 21 whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, 22 palace car or sleeping car business, or formed for or principally 23 engaged in the conduct of two or more of such businesses, such gross 24 earnings shall not include earnings derived from business of an inter-25 state or foreign character.

Provided, however, with respect to railroad, elevated railroad, palace 27 car or sleeping car business or any other corporation formed for or 28 principally engaged in the conduct of a railroad business and canal, steamboat, ferry (except a ferry company operating between any of the 30 boroughs of the city of New York under a lease granted by the city), 31 navigation or any corporation formed for or principally engaged in the 32 operation of vessels where the gross earnings from such transportation 33 business both originating and terminating within this state and travers-34 ing both this state and another state or states or country shall be 35 subject to the franchise tax imposed by this section (except where such 36 corporation, joint-stock company or association is formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a railroad (including surface railroad, 38 whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad or elevated railroad), 39 palace car or sleeping car business or formed for or principally engaged 40 in the conduct of two or more of such businesses, and has not made the 41 election provided for under subdivision ten of section one hundred eighty-three of this article) and such earnings shall be allocated to this state in the same ratio that the mileage within the state bears to the total mileage of such business. Provided, further, a corporation, 45 joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in 46 the transportation, transmission or distribution of gas, electricity or steam shall not be subject to tax under this section or section one 48 hundred eighty-three of this article.

The term "local telephone business" means the provision or furnishing of telecommunication services for hire wherein the service furnished by the provider thereof consists of carrier access service or the service originates and terminates within the same local access and transport area ("LATA"), a local access and transport area being that geographic area as established and approved, and as so set and in existence on July first, nineteen hundred ninety-four, pursuant to the modification of final judgment in United States v. Western Electric Company (civil

action no. 82-0192) in the United States district court for the District of Columbia or within the LATA-like Rochester non-associated independent

The term "telecommunication services" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in section one hundred eighty-six-e of this article.

§ 63. The section heading and the opening paragraph of subdivision 1 of section 184-a of the tax law, the section heading as added by chapter 931 of the laws of 1982 and the opening paragraph of subdivision 1 as amended by section 2 of part A of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:

Additional [<del>temporary</del>] metropolitan transportation business tax surcharge on transportation and transmission corporations and associations services.

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The term "corporation" as used in this section shall include an association, within the meaning of paragraph three of subsection (a) of section seventy-seven hundred one of the internal revenue code (including a limited liability company), and a publicly traded partnership treated as a corporation for purposes of the internal revenue code 19 pursuant to section seventy-seven hundred four thereof. Every corpo-20 ration, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally 21 engaged in the conduct of canal, steamboat, ferry (except a ferry compa-22 ny operating between any of the boroughs of the city of New York under a 23 lease granted by the city), express, navigation, pipe line, transfer, 24 baggage express, omnibus, taxicab, telegraph or local telephone busi-25 ness, or formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more 26 such businesses, and every corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a surface 28 railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more such businesses and which has made an election pursuant to subdivision ten of section one hundred eightythree of this article, and every other corporation, joint-stock company 33 or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a transportation or transmission business (other than a telephone busi-35 ness) except a corporation, joint-stock company or association formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of a surface railroad, whether or not operated by steam, subway railroad, elevated railroad, palace car, sleeping car or trucking business or principally engaged in the conduct of two or more such businesses and which has not made the 40 election provided for in subdivision ten of section one hundred eightythree of this article, and except a corporation, joint-stock company or association principally engaged in the conduct of aviation (including air freight forwarders acting as principal and like indirect air carriers) and except a corporation principally engaged in providing telecommunication services between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any combination of the foregoing), at least ninety percent of the voting stock of which corporation is owned, directly or indirectly, by air carriers and which corporation's principal function is to fulfill the requirements of (i) the federal aviation administration (or the successor thereto) or (ii) 50 the international civil aviation organization (or the successor thereto), relating to the existence of a communication system between aircraft and dispatcher, aircraft and air traffic control or ground station and ground station (or any combination of the foregoing) for the purposes of air safety and navigation [and except a corporation, jointstock company or association which is liable to taxation under article S. 6359--D 147 A. 8559--D

1 thirty-two of this chapter], shall pay for the privilege of exercising 2 its corporate franchise, or of doing business, or of employing capital,

or of owning or leasing property in the metropolitan commuter transpor-

ing an office in such district, a tax surcharge [for all or any part of its taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-two, but ending before December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen], which tax surcharge, in addition to the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-four of this article, shall be computed at the rate of [eighteen percent of the tax imposed under such section one hundred 10 eighty-four for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years 11 ending before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, and 13 14 at the rate of] seventeen percent of the tax imposed under such section 15 for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years [ending on or 16 after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three] after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article; 17 provided, however, that such rates of tax surcharge shall be applied 18 only to that portion of the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-four of this article after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article which is attributable to the taxpayer's 21 business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district[; and provided, further, that the tax surcharge imposed 24 by this section on corporations, joint-stock companies and associations 25 formed for or principally engaged in the conduct of telephone or telegraph business shall be computed in accordance with this subdivision and 27 paragraph (c) of subdivision two of this section as if the three-quar-28 ters of one percent rate of tax provided for in subdivision one of 29 section one hundred eighty-four of this article were applicable to such 30 telephone and telegraph businesses for taxable years commencing on or 31 after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-five and ending on or 32 before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-nine; and provided, further, that the tax surcharge imposed by this section shall 34 not be imposed upon any taxpayer for more than four hundred thirty-two 35 months]. Provided, however, that for taxable years beginning in two thousand and thereafter, for purposes of this subdivision the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-four of this article shall be 37 38 deemed to have been imposed at the rate of three-quarters of one percent, except that in the case of a corporation, joint-stock company 40 or association which has made an election pursuant to subdivision ten of 41 section one hundred eighty-three of this article, for purposes of this 42 subdivision the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-four of 43 this article shall be deemed to have been imposed at the rate of sixtenths of one percent. 45

4 tation district in such corporate or organized capacity, or of maintain-

§ 64. Subdivision 8 of section 186-a of the tax law is REPEALED.

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§ 65. The section heading and subdivision 1 of section 186-c of the tax law, the section heading as amended by chapter 2 of the laws of 1995, subdivision 1 as amended by section 3 of part II-1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2008, subparagraph 1 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 as amended by section 3 of part A of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:

[Temporary metropolitan | Metropolitan transportation business tax 53 surcharge on utility services and excise tax on sale of telecommunication services. 1. (a) (1) Every utility doing business in the metropolitan commuter transportation district shall pay a tax surcharge, in 56 addition to the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-six-a of this S. 6359--D 148 A. 8559--D

article[, for all or any parts of its taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty-two but ending before 3 December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen], to be computed [at the rate of eighteen percent of the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-six-a of this article for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable 7 8 under this article, and at the rate of seventeen percent of the tax

9 imposed under such section [for such taxable years or any part of such 10 taxable years ending on or after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred 11 **eighty three**] after the deduction of credits otherwise allowable under 12 this article except any utility credit provided for by article thir-13 teen-A of this chapter; provided, however, that such rates of tax 14 surcharge shall be applied only to that portion of the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-six-a of this article after the deduction of credits otherwise allowable under this article, except any utility credit provided for by article thirteen-A of this chapter, which is attrib-18 utable to the taxpayer's gross income or gross operating income from business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district[ + and provided, further, that the tax surcharge imposed 21 by this section shall not be imposed upon any taxpayer for more than 22 **four hundred thirty-two months**].

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(2) Provided however, that [commencing January first, two thousand,] 24 in the case of the tax imposed under paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section one hundred eighty-six-a of this article (relating to providers of telecommunications services) such tax surcharge shall be calculated as if the tax imposed under section one hundred eighty-six-a of this article were imposed at a rate of three and one-half percent.

(b) In addition to the surcharge imposed by paragraph (a) of this subdivision, there is hereby imposed a surcharge on the gross receipts from telecommunication services relating to the metropolitan commuter 32 transportation district at the rate of seventeen percent of the state 33 tax rate under section one hundred eighty-six-e of this article [for all 34 or part of taxable years commencing on and after January first, nineteen 35 hundred ninety-five but ending before December thirty-first, two thou-36 sand thirteen]. All the definitions and other provisions of section one hundred eighty-six-e of this article shall apply to the tax imposed by this paragraph with such modification and limitation as may be necessary (including substituting the words "metropolitan commuter transportation district" for "state" where appropriate) in order to adapt the language 41 of such section one hundred eighty-six-e of this article to the 42 surcharge imposed by this paragraph within such metropolitan commuter 43 transportation district so as to include (1) any intra-district telecom-44 munication services, except any telecommunication services the gross 45 receipts from which are subject to tax under subparagraph four of this 46 paragraph, (2) any inter-district telecommunication services which orig-47 inate or terminate in such district and are charged to a service address 48 therein regardless of where the amounts charged for such services are 49 billed or ultimately paid, except any telecommunications services the 50 gross receipts from which are subject to tax under subparagraph four of 51 this paragraph, (3) as apportioned to such district, private telecommu-52 nication services, except any telecommunication services the gross 53 receipts from which are subject to tax under subparagraph four of this 54 paragraph, and (4) mobile telecommunications service provided by a home 55 service provider where the place of primary use is within such metropol-56 itan commuter transportation district. Provided however, [commencing S. 6359--D 149 A. 8559--D

1 October first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight such tax surcharge shall be calculated as if the tax imposed under section one hundred eightysix-e of this article were imposed at a rate of three and one-half percent.

§ 66. Clause (iii) of subparagraph (D) of paragraph 3 of subsection (b) of section 605 of the tax law, as added by chapter 658 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:

(iii) Provided further, that for the purposes of item (I) of clause (i) of this subparagraph, a trustee which is a banking corporation as defined in subsection (a) of section fourteen hundred fifty-two of this chapter, as such section was in effect on December thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, and which is domiciled outside the state of New York at the time it becomes a trustee of the trust shall be deemed to contin14 ue to be a trustee domiciled outside the state of New York notwithstand-15 ing that it thereafter otherwise becomes a trustee domiciled in the 16 state of New York by virtue of being acquired by, or becoming an office or branch of, a corporate trustee domiciled within the state of New

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- § 67. Subparagraph (A) of paragraph 10 of subsection (a) of section 606 of the tax law, as amended by section 3 of part CC of chapter 85 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:
- (A) the business of which the individual is an owner is substantially 23 similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity taxable, or previously taxable, under section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred 25 eighty-four[7] **or** one hundred eighty-five [or one hundred eighty-six] of 26 article nine; article nine-A[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chap-27 ter; article twenty-three of this chapter or which would have been 28 subject to tax under such article twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty), article thirty-two of this chapter or which would have been subject to tax under such article 31 thirty-two (as such article was in effect on December thirty-first, two 32 **thousand fourteen)** or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) 33 includable under article twenty-two of this chapter whereby the intent and purpose of this paragraph and paragraph five of this subsection with respect to refunding of credit to new business would be evaded; or
- § 68. Subparagraph (B) of paragraph 1 of subsection (i) of section 606 of the tax law, as amended by section 7 of part C-1 of chapter 57 of the 38 laws of 2009, clause (ix) as amended by section 4 of part G of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, clause (xxxi) as added by section 5 of part MM 40 of chapter 59 of the laws of 2010, clause (xxxi) as added by section 14 41 of part Q of chapter 57 of the laws of 2010, clause (xxxii) as added by 42 section 6 of part V of chapter 61 of the laws of 2011, clause (xxxiii) 43 as added by section 4 of part D of chapter 56 of the laws of 2011, 44 clause (xxxiii) as added by section 5 of part E of chapter 56 of the 45 laws of 2011, clause (xxxiii) as added by chapter 604 of the laws of 46 2011, clause (xxxiv) as added by chapter 109 of the laws of 2012, clause 47 (xxxv) as added by section 2 of part AA of chapter 59 of the laws of 48 2013, clause (xxxv) as added by section 4 of part EE of chapter 59 of 49 the laws of 2013, and clause (xxxvi) as added by section 8 of part A of chapter 68 of the laws of 2013, is amended to read as follows:
- (B) shall be treated as the owner of a new business with respect to 52 such share if the corporation qualifies as a new business pursuant to 53 paragraph [<del>(j)</del>] **(f)** of subdivision [twelve] one of section two hundred 54 [ten] ten-B of this chapter.

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                                      The corporation's credit base under
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   (ii) Empire zone investment
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   (iii) Empire zone wage tax credit Eligible wages under subdivision
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31 32 33 34	(vii) Employment incentive credit under subsection (a-1)	Applicable investment credit base under subdivision [twelve-D] two of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
35 36 37 38	(viii) Empire zone employment incentive credit under subsection (j-1)	Applicable investment credit under subdivision [twelve-C] four of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
39 40 41 42	<pre>(ix) Alternative fuels and electric vehicle recharging property credit under subsection (p)</pre>	Amount of credit under subdivision [twenty-four] thirty of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
43 44 45	<pre>(x) Qualified emerging technology company employment credit under subsection (q) S. 6359D</pre>	Applicable credit base under subdivision [twelve E] seven of section two hundred [ten] ten-B  A. 8559D
1 2 3	<pre>(xi) Qualified emerging technology company capital tax credit under subsection (r)</pre>	Qualified investments under subdivision [twelve-F] eight of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
4 5 6 7 8 9	<pre>(xii) Credit for purchase of an automated external defibrillator under subsection (s)</pre>	Cost of an automated external defibrillator under subdivision [twenty-five] thirteen of section two hundred [ten or subsection (j) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
10 11 12 13 14	(xiii) Low-income housing credit under subsection (x)	Credit amount under subdivision [thirty] fifteen of section two hundred [ten or subsection (1) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
15 16 17 18 19 20 21	[ <del>(xiv)</del> Credit for transportation improvement contributions under subsection (z)	For taxable years beginning before January first, two thousand nine, amount of credit under subdivision thirty-two of section two hundred ten or subsection (n) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six]

22 23 24 25 26 27	(xv) QEZE credit for real property taxes under subsection (bb)	Amount of credit under subdivision [twenty seven] five of section two hundred [ten or subsection (o) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38	(xvi) QEZE tax reduction credit under subsection (cc)	Amount of benefit period factor, employment increase factor and zone allocation factor (without regard to pro ration) under subdivision [twenty-eight] six of section two hundred [ten or subsection (p) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B and amount of tax factor as determined under subdivision (f) of section sixteen
39 40 41 42 43 44	<pre>(xvii) Green building credit under subsection (y)</pre>	Amount of green building credit under subdivision [thirty-one]  sixteen of section two hundred [ten or subsection (m) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
45 46 47 48	<pre>(xviii) Credit for long-term care insurance premiums under subsection (aa)</pre>	Qualified costs under subdivision [twenty-five-a] fourteen of section two hundred [ten or subsection (k) of
49		<pre>section fourteen hundred fifty-six]</pre>
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1 2 3 4 5 6	(xix) Brownfield redevelopment	ten-B  Amount of credit under subdivision  [thirty-three] seventeen of section two hundred  [ten or subsection (q) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six]
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	<pre>(xix) Brownfield redevelopment credit under subsection (dd)  (xx) Remediated brownfield credit for real property taxes for qualified sites under subsection</pre>	ten-B  Amount of credit under subdivision  [thirty-three] seventeen of section two hundred  [ten or subsection (q) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B  Amount of credit under subdivision  [thirty-four] eighteen of section two hundred  [ten of subsection (r) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six]

25 26 27 28	[(xxiii) Qualified emerging technology company facilities, operations and training credit under subsection (nn)	Qualifying expenditures and development activities under subdivision twelve G of section two hundred ten
29 30 31 32 33 34	(xxiv) Security training tax credit under subsection (ii)	Amount of credit under subdivision  [thirty-seven] twenty-one of section two hundred  [ten or under subsection (t) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
35 36 37 38 39 40	[ (xxv) Credit for qualified fuel cell electric generating equipment expenditures under subsection (g-2)	For taxable years beginning before January first, two thousand nine, amount of credit under subdivision thirty-seven of section two hundred ten or subsection (t) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six]
41 42 43 44 45 46 47	<pre>(xxvi) Empire state commercial production credit under subsection (jj)</pre>	Amount of credit for qualified production costs in production of a qualified commercial under subdivision [thirty-eight] twenty-three of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
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1 2 3 4	(xxvii) Biofuel production tax credit under subsection (jj)	Amount of credit under subdivision [thirty-eight] twenty-four of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
5 6 7 8	(xxviii) Clean heating fuel credit under subsection (mm)	Amount of credit under subdivision [thirty-nine] twenty-five of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
9 10 11 12	(xxix) Credit for rehabilitation of historic properties under subsection (oo)	Amount of credit under subdivision [forty] twenty-six of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
13 14 15 16 17	(xxxi) Excelsior jobs program tax credit under subsection (qq)	Amount of credit under subdivision  [forty one] thirty-one of section two hundred [ten or under subdivision (u) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] ten-B
19 20 21 22 23 24	(xxxi) Empire state film post production credit under subsection (qq)	Amount of credit for qualified post production costs of a qualified film under subdivision [forty-one] thirty-two of section two hundred [ten] ten-B
25 26 27 28 29 30	(xxxii) Economic transformation and facility redevelopment credit	Amount of credit under subdivision  [forty-three] thirty-five of section [210 or under subsection (x) of section fourteen hundred fifty-six] two hundred ten-B

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31 (xxxiii) New York youth works
                                        Amount of credit under
32 tax credit
                                        subdivision [forty-four] thirty-six
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                                        of section two hundred [ten]
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   (xxxiii) Empire state jobs
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36 retention program credit
                                        subdivision [forty-four]
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                                        fourteen hundred fifty-six
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42 (xxxiii) Credit for companies who
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43 provide transportation to
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44 individuals with disabilities
                                        thirty-eight of section
45 under subsection (tt)
                                       two hundred [ten] ten-B
46 (xxxiv) Beer production credit Amount of credit under
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                                        [<del>subdivision</del>] subdivision
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                                        [forty-five] thirty-nine of
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                                        Amount of credit under subdivision
10 (xxxv) Minimum wage reimbursement
11 credit under subsection (aaa)
                                        [forty six] forty
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16 (xxxvi) Tax-free NY area tax
                                       Amount of credit under
                                        subdivision [forty-seven] forty-one
17 elimination credit
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                                        of section two hundred [ten]
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                                        ten-B
20 (xxxvii) Real property tax
                                      Amount of credit under
21 credit for manufacturers
                                        subdivision
22 under subsection (xx)
                                        forty-three of section
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                                        two hundred ten-B
24 (xxxviii) Tax-free NY area
                                       Amount of credit under
25 excise tax on
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26 telecommunications services
                                        forty-four of section
27 credit under subsection (yy)
                                        two hundred ten-B
    § 69. Subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph 3 of subsection (i) of
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29 section 606 of the tax law, as added by chapter 170 of the laws of 1994,
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31 (A) Credit carryover. Any excess credit under subparagraph (A) of 32 paragraph one of this subsection, as it was in effect for taxable years 33 beginning before nineteen hundred ninety-four, may be carried over to 24 the charabelder's following wear or years and may be deducted from such

34 the shareholder's following year or years and may be deducted from such

30 are amended to read as follows:

35 shareholder's tax for such year or years, except that any excess credit 36 attributable to subdivision [ $\frac{\text{twelve}}{\text{one}}$ ] of section two hundred [ $\frac{\text{ten}}{\text{one}}$ ] ten-B of this chapter shall in no event be carried over beyond the ten taxable years next following the taxable year of origin.

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(B) Credit recapture. Any redetermination of credit required by this subsection as it was in effect for taxable years beginning before nineteen hundred ninety-four, upon disposition or cessation of qualified use of property pursuant to paragraph [(g) of subdivision [twelve] one, or paragraph (f) of subdivision [twelve-B or paragraph (f) of subdivi-44 sion eighteen of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this chapter 45 shall be attributed in pro rata shares to the shareholders who were 46 allowed credit under this subsection with respect to such property, and 47 the reduction of a shareholder's proportionate stock interest shall be 48 treated as a disposition of property for which a redetermination of 49 credit under such paragraphs is required with respect to such sharehold-50 er.

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- § 70. Subparagraph (B) of paragraph 3 and paragraph 21 of subsection (b) and paragraph 21 of subsection (c) of section 612 of the tax law, subparagraph (B) of paragraph 3 of subsection (b) as amended by section 57, paragraph 21 of subsection (b) as amended by section 59 and paragraph 21 of subsection (c) as amended by section 60 of part A of chapter 389 of the laws of 1997, are amended to read as follows:
- (B) Shareholders of S corporations. In the case of a shareholder of an S corporation, with respect to taxes imposed upon or payable by the corporation, the term "income taxes" in subparagraph (A) of this para-10 graph shall also include the taxes imposed under [articles] article 11 nine-A [and thirty-two] of this chapter, regardless of the measure of 12 such tax, but shall not otherwise include taxes imposed by this or any 13 other state of the United States, or any political subdivision of this or any other state, or the District of Columbia.
- (21) In relation to the disposition of stock or indebtedness of a 16 corporation which elected under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code for any taxable year of such corporation beginning, in the case of a corporation taxable under article nine-A of this chapter, after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty, [and in 20 the case of a corporation taxable under article thirty-two of this chap-21 ter, after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-six, the 22 amount required to be added to federal adjusted gross income pursuant to 23 subsection (n) of this section.
- (21) In relation to the disposition of stock or indebtedness of a 25 corporation which elected under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code for any taxable year of such corporation beginning, in the case of a corporation taxable under article nine-A of this chapter, after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty, [and in the case of a corporation taxable under article thirty-two of this chap-30 ter, after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-six, the 31 amounts required to be subtracted from federal adjusted gross income 32 pursuant to subsection (n) of this section.
  - § 71. Paragraph 2 of subsection (a) of section 632 of the tax law, amended by section 2 of part C of chapter 57 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:
- (2) In determining New York source income of a nonresident shareholder of an S corporation where the election provided for in subsection (a) of section six hundred sixty of this article is in effect, there shall be included only the portion derived from or connected with New York sourc-40 es of such shareholder's pro rata share of items of S corporation income, loss and deduction entering into his federal adjusted gross income, increased by reductions for taxes described in paragraphs two and three of subsection (f) of section thirteen hundred sixty-six of the 44 internal revenue code, as such portion shall be determined under regu-45 lations of the commissioner consistent with the applicable methods and

46 rules for allocation under article nine-A [or thirty-two] of this chap-47 ter, regardless of whether or not such item or reduction is included in 48 entire net income under article nine-A [or thirty two] for the tax year. 49 If a nonresident is a shareholder in an S corporation where the election 50 provided for in subsection (a) of section six hundred sixty of this 51 article is in effect, and the S corporation has distributed an install-52 ment obligation under section 453(h)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code, then any gain recognized on the receipt of payments from the installment obligation for federal income tax purposes will be treated as New York 55 source income allocated in a manner consistent with the applicable meth-56 ods and rules for allocation under article nine-A [or thirty-two] of S. 6359--D 156 A. 8559--D

1 this chapter in the year that the assets were sold. In addition, if the shareholders of the S corporation have made an election under section 338(h)(10) of the Internal Revenue Code, then any gain recognized on the 4 deemed asset sale for federal income tax purposes will be treated as New 5 York source income allocated in a manner consistent with the applicable 6 methods and rules for allocation under article nine-A [or thirty-two] of this chapter in the year that the shareholder made the section 8 338(h)(10) election. For purposes of a section 338(h)(10) election, when a nonresident shareholder exchanges his or her S corporation stock as 10 part of the deemed liquidation, any gain or loss recognized shall be 11 treated as the disposition of an intangible asset and will not increase 12 or offset any gain recognized on the deemed assets sale as a result of the section 338(h)(10) election.

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§ 72. Subparagraph (A) of paragraph 4 of subsection (c) of section 658 15 of the tax law, as amended by section 1 of part DD of chapter 686 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:

(A) General. Every entity which is a partnership, other than a publicly traded partnership as defined in section 7704 of the federal Internal 19 Revenue Code, subchapter K limited liability company or an S corporation for which the election provided for in subsection (a) of section six 21 hundred sixty of this [article] part is in effect, which has partners, 22 members or shareholders who are nonresident individuals, as defined 23 under subsection (b) of section six hundred five of this article, or C 24 corporations, and which has any income derived from New York sources, 25 determined in accordance with the applicable rules of section six 26 hundred thirty-one of this article as in the case of a nonresident individual, shall pay estimated tax on such income on behalf of such part-28 ners, members or shareholders in the manner and at the times prescribed 29 by subsection (c) of section six hundred eighty-five of this article. 30 For purposes of this paragraph, the term "estimated tax" shall mean a partner's, member's or shareholder's distributive share or pro rata 32 share of the entity income derived from New York sources, multiplied by 33 the highest rate of tax prescribed by section six hundred one of this 34 article for the taxable year of any partner, member or shareholder who is an individual taxpayer, or paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter for the taxable year of any partner, member or shareholder which is a C corporation, whether or not such C corporation is subject to tax under article nine, nine-A[, thirty-two, or thirty-three of this chapter, and reduced by the distribu-40 tive share or pro rata share of any credits determined under section one 41 hundred eighty-seven, one hundred eighty-seven-a, six hundred six[7] 42 **fourteen hundred fifty-six**] or fifteen hundred eleven of this chapter, 43 whichever is applicable, derived from the entity.

§ 73. Subsections (a) and (h) of section 660 of the tax law, 45 subsection (a) as amended by section 50 and subsection (h) as amended by section 66 of part A of chapter 389 of the laws of 1997, are amended to read as follows:

(a) Election. If a corporation is an eligible S corporation, the 49 shareholders of the corporation may elect in the manner set forth in 50 subsection (b) of this section to take into account, to the extent

51 provided for in this article (or in article thirteen of this chapter, in 52 the case of a shareholder which is a taxpayer under such article), the S 53 corporation items of income, loss, deduction and reductions for taxes 54 described in paragraphs two and three of subsection (f) of section thir-55 teen hundred sixty-six of the internal revenue code which are taken into 56 account for federal income tax purposes for the taxable year. No S. 6359--D 157 A. 8559--D

1 election under this subsection shall be effective unless all shareholders of the corporation have so elected. An eligible S corporation is (i) an S corporation which is subject to tax under article nine-A [or thirty-two] of this chapter, or (ii) an S corporation which is the parent of a qualified subchapter S subsidiary subject to tax under article nine-A, where the shareholders of such parent corporation are entitled to make the election under this subsection by reason of subparagraph three of paragraph (k) of subdivision nine of section two hundred eight of this chapter[ ; or (iii) an 8 corporation which is the parent of a qualified 10 subchapter S corporation subject to tax under article thirty-two, where the shareholders of such parent are entitled to make the election under 12 this subsection by reason of paragraph three of subsection (o) of 13 section fourteen hundred fifty-three of this chapter].

(h) Cross reference. For definitions relating to S corporations, see subdivision one-A of section two hundred eight [and subsections (f) and (g) of section fourteen hundred fifty of this chapter.

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- § 74. Paragraph 1 of subsection (i) of section 660 of the tax law, as added by section 1 of part L of chapter 60 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) Notwithstanding the provisions in subsection (a) of this section, in the case of an eligible S corporation for which the election under subsection (a) of this section is not in effect for the current taxable year, the shareholders of an eligible S corporation are deemed to have made that election effective for the eligible S corporation's entire current taxable year, if the eligible S corporation's investment income 26 for the current taxable year is more than fifty percent of its federal gross income for such year [provided that this subsection shall not apply to an eligible S corporation that is subject to tax under article thirty-two of this chapter]. In determining an eligible S corporation's investment income, the investment income of a qualified subchapter S subsidiary owned directly or indirectly by the eligible S corporation shall be included.
- § 75. Paragraph 3 of subsection (c) of section 1085 of the tax law, as 34 amended by section 15 of part Y of chapter 63 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
- (3) The provisions of this subsection and subsections (d) and (e) of this section shall apply to the failure of a taxpayer to file a declaration of estimated tax surcharge or the failure to pay all or any part of an amount which is applied as an installment against such estimated tax surcharge pursuant to sections one hundred ninety-seven-a, one hundred ninety-seven-b, two hundred thirteen-a, two hundred thirteen-b, [fourteen hundred sixty, fourteen hundred sixty-one, fifteen hundred thirteen and fifteen hundred fourteen of this chapter. For purposes of applying this section and subsections (d) and (e) of this section to the estimated tax surcharge, where appropriate the term "tax" shall be read 46 to mean "tax surcharge," and the terms "amount required to be paid," "amount which would be required to be paid," and "amount which would 48 have been required to be paid" shall be computed as the product of (1) such amount computed without regard to the tax surcharges imposed under 50 sections one hundred eighty-four-a, one hundred eighty-six-c, one 51 hundred eighty-eight, two hundred nine-A, two hundred nine-B, [fourteen 52 hundred fifty-five-A, fourteen hundred fifty-five-B, fifteen hundred 53 five-a, and fifteen hundred twenty of this chapter, and (2) the MTA 54 percentage. The term "MTA percentage" shall mean the product of (A) the 55 tax rate applicable under such sections imposing such surcharges and (B)

1 business activity carried on within the metropolitan commuter transportation district under such sections.

§ 76. The opening paragraph of subparagraph (A) of paragraph 3 of subsection (d) of section 1085 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 170 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:

An amount equal to ninety-one percent of the tax for the taxable year computed on all items entering into the computation of the tax or taxes of the taxpayer for the taxable year under article nine, nine-A[, thir-9 ty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter. For purposes of computing the 10 tax, all items of receipts, income and expenses shall be placed on an 11 annualized basis--

§ 77. Clause (i) of subparagraph (A) of paragraph 4 of subsection (d) 13 of section 1085 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 57 of the laws of 1993, is amended to read as follows:

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- (i) take the items entering into the computation of the tax or taxes of the taxpayer for the taxable year under article nine, nine-A[ - thirty-two] or thirty-three of this chapter, for all months during the taxable year preceding the filing month,
- $\S$  78. Paragraph 5 of subsection (d) of section 1085 of the tax law, as added by chapter 61 of the laws of 1989, is amended to read as follows:
- (5) In the case of any declaration installment, any reduction in such installment resulting from the application of paragraph three or four of 23 this subsection shall be recaptured by increasing the amount of the next 24 installment determined under paragraph one or two of this subsection or 25 paragraph one of subsection (c) of this section by the amount of such 26 reduction (and by increasing subsequent installments to the extent that 27 the reduction has not previously been recaptured under this paragraph). 28 For purposes of the preceding sentence, a declaration installment means any installment of estimated tax other than the mandatory first install-30 ment required under paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section one 31 hundred ninety-seven-b, subdivision (a) of section two hundred thirteen-b[ , subsection (a) of section fourteen hundred sixty-one ] or subdivision (a) of section fifteen hundred fourteen of this chapter.
  - § 79. Paragraph 1 of subsection (e) of section 1085 of the tax law, as amended by section 28-p of part H-3 of chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) Paragraphs (1) and (2) of subsection (d) of this section shall not apply in the case of any corporation (or any predecessor corporation) which had [entire net] business income, or the portion thereof allocated 40 within the state, of one million dollars or more for any taxable year 41 during the three taxable years immediately preceding the taxable year 42 involved; provided, however, that in the case of a corporation subject 43 to tax under section fifteen hundred two-a of this chapter, paragraphs (1) and (2) of subsection (d) of this section shall not apply if such 45 corporation had entire net income, or the portion thereof allocated 46 within the state, of one million dollars or more for any of the three taxable years immediately preceding the taxable year involved, or if the 48 direct premiums subject to tax under section fifteen hundred two-a of 49 this chapter of the corporation for any of such three preceding taxable 50 years beginning on or after January first, two thousand three equals or 51 exceeds three million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars.
- 52 § 80. Subsections (m) and (o) of section 1085 of the tax law are 53 REPEALED.
- § 81. Clause (ii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph 2 of subsection (q), paragraph 3 of subsection (s) and the closing paragraph of para-56 graph 1 of subsection (t) of section 1085 of the tax law, as added by S. 6359--D 159

<sup>1</sup> section 10 of part N of chapter 61 of the laws of 2005, are amended to 2 read as follows:

- (ii) fifty percent of the gross income that the organizer or material advisor derived with respect to activities that were the basis for the requirement to file, disclose or provide information pursuant to section six thousand eleven of the internal revenue code, to the extent such gross income is attributable to the avoidance of any tax imposed under article nine, nine-A[, thirty-two,] or thirty-three of this chapter.
- 9 (3) For purposes of this subsection, the term "understatement of 10 liability" means any understatement of the net amount payable with respect to any tax imposed under article nine, nine-A[, thirty-two,] or 12 thirty-three of this chapter or any overstatement of the net amount 13 creditable or refundable with respect to any such tax.
- 14 shall pay, with respect to each activity described in subparagraph (A) 15 of this paragraph, a penalty equal to one thousand dollars or, if the 16 person establishes that it is lesser, one hundred percent of the gross income derived (or to be derived) by such person from such activity to 18 the extent such gross income is attributed to the avoidance of any tax imposed under articles nine, nine-A[, thirty-two] or thirty-three of 20 this chapter; provided, however, that if an activity with respect to 21 which a penalty imposed under this subsection involves a statement 22 described in clause (i) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph one of this 23 subsection, the penalty shall be equal to fifty percent of the gross 24 income derived (or to be derived) from that activity within the state by 25 the person on which the penalty is imposed. For purposes of the preced-26 ing sentence, activities described in clause (i) of subparagraph (A) of this paragraph with respect to each entity or arrangement shall be 28 treated as a separate activity and participation in each sale described in clause (ii) of subparagraph (A) of this paragraph shall be so treat-

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§ 82. The opening paragraph of subsection (c) of section 1087 of the tax law, as separately amended by chapters 760 and 770 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:

If a taxpayer is required by subdivision three of section two hundred eleven[ - subsection (e) of section fourteen hundred sixty-two] or paragraph one of subdivision (e) of section fifteen hundred fifteen of this chapter, to file a report or amended return in respect of (i) a decrease or increase in federal taxable income or federal alternative minimum taxable income or federal tax, or (ii) a federal change or correction or renegotiation, or computation or recomputation of tax, which is treated in the same manner as if it were an overpayment for federal income tax 42 purposes, claim for credit or refund of any resulting overpayment of tax shall be filed by the taxpayer within two years from the time such report or amended return was required to be filed with the commissioner [of taxation and finance]. If the report or amended return required by any such provision of law is not filed within the period therein specified, no interest shall be payable on any claim for credit or refund of the overpayment attributable to the federal change or correction. The amount of such credit or refund--

- § 83. Subsection (g) of section 1088 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 61 of the laws of 1989 and relettered by chapter 55 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:
- (g) Cross-reference. -- For provision with respect to interest after failure to file a report or amended return under subdivision three of 55 section two hundred eleven[, subsection (e) of section fourteen hundred 56 sixty-two] or paragraph one of subdivision (e) of section fifteen S. 6359--D 160 A. 8559--D

hundred fifteen, see subsection (c) of section one thousand eighty-sev-1

<sup>§ 84.</sup> Paragraph 2 of subsection (b) of section 1096 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 411 of the laws of 1986, is amended to read as follows:

<sup>(2)</sup> The [tax commission] commissioner may take any action under paragraph one of this subdivision to inquire into the commission of an

8 offense connected with the administration or enforcement of this article or article nine, [nine-a] nine-A, thirteen, [thirteen-a, thirty-two,] 10 thirteen-A or thirty-three of this chapter, provided, however, that 11 notwithstanding the provisions of section one hundred seventy-four of this chapter no such action shall be taken when a referral by the 13 department or the [tax commission] commissioner to the attorney general, 14 a district attorney or any other prosecutorial agency is in effect. 15 Provided, however, the [tax commission] commissioner shall have power, 16 during the period when such referral is in effect, to examine or to 17 cause to have examined, by any agent or representative designated by it 18 for that purpose, any books, papers, records or memoranda bearing upon 19 the matters required to be included in the return, where such books, 20 papers, records or memoranda are in its possession, or where such books, 21 papers, records or memoranda are in the possession of the attorney general, district attorney or other prosecutorial agency to which such referral is made.

§ 85. Paragraph 1 of subsection (e) of section 1096 of the tax law, as amended by section 8 of subpart D of part V1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

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- (1) Authority to set interest rates. --- The commissioner shall set the 28 overpayment and underpayment rates of interest to be paid pursuant to sections two hundred thirteen, two hundred thirteen-b, two hundred fifty-eight, two hundred sixty-three, two hundred ninety-four, one thousand eighty-four, one thousand eighty-five  $[\tau]$  and one thousand eighty-32 eight[, fourteen hundred sixty-one and fourteen hundred sixty-three] of 33 this chapter, but if no such rate or rates of interest are set, such 34 overpayment rate shall be deemed to be set at six percent per annum and 35 such underpayment rate shall be deemed to be set at seven and one-half 36 percent per annum. Such overpayment and underpayment rates shall be the rates prescribed in paragraph two of this subsection, but the underpay-38 ment rate shall not be less than seven and one-half percent per annum. 39 Any such rates set by the commissioner shall apply to taxes, or any 40 portion thereof, which remain or become due or overpaid on or after the 41 date on which such rates become effective and shall apply only with 42 respect to interest computed or computable for periods or portions of periods occurring in the period during which such rates are in effect.
- § 86. Subdivision (b) of section 1201-a of the tax law, as amended by 45 section 5 of part Y of chapter 62 of the laws of 2006, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) Empire state film production credit. Any city in this state having 48 a population of one million or more, acting through its local legislative body, is hereby authorized to adopt and amend local laws to allow a credit against the general corporation tax and the unincorporated business tax imposed pursuant to the authority of chapter seven hundred 52 seventy-two of the laws of nineteen hundred sixty-six which shall be 53 substantially identical to the credit allowed under section twenty-four 54 of this chapter, except that (A) the percentage of qualified production 55 costs used to calculate such credit shall be five percent, (B) whenever 56 such section twenty-four references the state, such words shall be read S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

1 as referencing the city, (C) such credit shall be allowed only to a 2 taxpayer which is a qualified film production company, and (D) the 3 effective date of such credit shall be July first, two thousand six. Such credit shall be applied in a manner consistent with the credit allowed under subdivision  $[\frac{\texttt{thirty-six}}]$   $\underline{\texttt{twenty}}$  of section two hundred  $\left[\frac{\text{ten}}{}\right]$  of this chapter except as may be necessary to take into account differences between the general corporation tax and the unincorporated business tax.

- § 87. Subdivision (c) of section 1201-a of the tax law, as amended by 10 chapter 300 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:
- (c) Empire state commercial production credit. Any city in this state 12 having a population of one million or more, acting through its local

13 legislative body, is hereby authorized to adopt and amend local laws to 14 allow a credit against the general corporation tax and the unincorporated business tax imposed pursuant to the authority of chapter seven 16 hundred seventy-two of the laws of nineteen hundred sixty-six which shall be substantially identical to the credit allowed under the 18 provisions of section twenty-eight of this chapter, except that (A) the percentage of qualified production costs used to calculate such credit 20 shall be five percent, (B) whenever such section twenty-eight references 21 the state, such words shall be read as referencing the city, (C) such 22 credit shall be allowed only to a taxpayer that is a qualified commer-23 cial production company, and (D) the effective date of such credit shall 24 be as provided in local laws. Such credit shall be applied in a manner 25 consistent with the credit allowed under subdivision [thirty-eight] 26 twenty-three of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of this chapter except 27 as may be necessary to take into account differences between the general corporation tax and unincorporated business tax.

§ 88. The section heading and paragraphs 1 and 3 of subdivision (a) of section 1505-a of the tax law, the section heading as added by chapter 11 of the laws of 1983 and paragraphs 1 and 3 of subdivision (a) as amended by section 6 of part A of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:

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[Temporary metropolitan | Metropolitan transportation business tax surcharge on insurance corporations.

(1) Every domestic insurance corporation and every foreign or alien insurance corporation, and every life insurance corporation described in subdivision (b) of section fifteen hundred one of this article, for the privilege of exercising its corporate franchise, or of doing business, or of employing capital, or of owning or leasing property in the metropolitan commuter transportation district in a corporate or organized capacity, or of maintaining an office in the metropolitan commuter transportation district, [for all or any part of its taxable years commencing on or after January first, nineteen hundred eighty two, but 45 ending before December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen, except 46 corporations specified in subdivision (c) of section fifteen hundred twelve of this article, shall annually pay, in addition to the taxes otherwise imposed by this article, a tax surcharge on the taxes imposed under this article after the deduction of any credits otherwise allow-50 able under this article as allocated to such district. Such taxes shall 51 be allocated to such district for purposes of computing such tax 52 surcharge upon taxpayers subject to tax under subdivision (b) of section 53 fifteen hundred ten of this article by applying the methodology, proce-54 dures and computations set forth in subdivisions (a) and (b) of section 55 fifteen hundred four of this article, except that references to terms 56 denoting New York premiums, and total wages, salaries, personal service S. 6359--D 162

1 compensation and commissions within New York shall be read as denoting 2 within the metropolitan commuter transportation district and terms denoting total premiums and total wages, salaries, personal service compensation and commissions shall be read as denoting within the state. If it shall appear to the commissioner that the application of the meth-6 odology, procedures and computations set forth in such subdivisions (a) and (b) does not properly reflect the activity, business or income of a taxpayer within the metropolitan commuter transportation district, then the commissioner shall be authorized, in the commissioner's discretion, 10 to adjust such methodology, procedures and computations for the purpose of allocating such taxes by: 11

- (A) excluding one or more factors therein;
- (B) including one or more other factors therein, such as expenses, purchases, receipts other than premiums, real property or tangible personal property; or
- (C) any other similar or different method which allocates such taxes 17 by attributing a fair and proper portion of such taxes to the metropol-

18 itan commuter transportation district. The commissioner from time to time shall publish all rulings of general public interest with respect to any application of the provisions of the preceding sentence. The commissioner may promulgate rules and regulations to further implement the provisions of this section.

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(3) Such tax surcharge shall be computed at the rate of [eighteen percent of the taxes imposed under sections fifteen hundred one and fifteen hundred ten of this article as limited by section fifteen hundred five of this article, as allocated to such district, for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending before December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, at the rate of seventeen 30 percent of the taxes imposed under such sections as limited by section 31 fifteen hundred five of this article, as allocated to such district, for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending on or after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred eighty-three and before January first, two thousand three after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article, and at the rate of seventeen percent of the taxes imposed under sections fifteen hundred one, fifteen hundred two-a, and fifteen hundred ten of this article, as limited or otherwise determined by subdivision (a) or (b) of section fifteen hundred five of this article, as allocated to such district, [for such taxable years or any part of such taxable years ending after December thirty-first, two thousand two] after the deduction of any credits otherwise allowable under this article[ ; provided, however, that the tax surcharge imposed 43 by this section shall not be imposed upon any taxpayer for more than 44 **four hundred thirty-two months**]. Provided however, that for taxable 45 years commencing on or after July first, two thousand, and in the case of taxpayers subject to tax under section fifteen hundred two-a of this article, for taxable years of such taxpayers beginning on or after July first, two thousand and before January first, two thousand three, such surcharge shall be calculated as if (i) the rate of the tax computed 50 under paragraph one of subdivision (a) of section fifteen hundred two of 51 this article was nine percent and (ii) the rate of the limitation on tax set forth in section fifteen hundred five of this article for domestic, foreign and alien insurance corporations except life insurance corporations was two and six-tenths percent.

§ 89. Section 1825 of the tax law, as amended by section 2 of part E 56 of chapter 25 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows: S. 6359--D 163 A. 8559--D

§ 1825. Violation of secrecy provisions of the tax law.--Any person who violates the provisions of subdivision (b) of section twenty-one, subdivision one of section two hundred two, subdivision eight of section 4 two hundred eleven, subdivision (a) of section three hundred fourteen, 5 subdivision one or two of section four hundred thirty-seven, section four hundred eighty-seven, subdivision one or two of section five hundred fourteen, subsection (e) of section six hundred ninety-seven, subsection (a) of section nine hundred ninety-four, subdivision (a) of section eleven hundred forty-six, section twelve hundred eighty-seven, 10 subdivision (a) of section fourteen hundred eighteen, [subsection (a) of 11 section fourteen hundred sixty-seven, subdivision (a) of section 12 fifteen hundred eighteen, subdivision (a) of section fifteen hundred 13 fifty-five of this chapter, and subdivision (e) of section 11-1797 of 14 the administrative code of the city of New York shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

§ 90. Subdivisions (s) and (t) of section 957 of the general municipal law, as amended by section 1 of part S1 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, are amended to read as follows:

(s) "Qualified investment project" shall mean a project (i) located within an empire zone, (ii) at which five hundred or more jobs will be 21 created, provided such jobs are new to the state and are in addition to 22 any other jobs previously created by the owner of such project in the 23 state, and (iii) which will consist of tangible personal property and 24 other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, described in subparagraphs (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and clause (A) or (C) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of subdivision [twelve-B] three of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of the tax law, the 28 basis of which for federal income tax purposes will equal or exceed seven hundred fifty million dollars. Provided however, the owner of such project does not employ more than two hundred persons in the state at the time such project is commenced.

(t) "Significant capital investment project" shall mean a project (i) located within an empire zone, (ii) which will be either a newly 34 constructed facility or a newly constructed addition to or expansion of 35 a qualified investment project, consisting of tangible personal property 36 and other tangible property, including buildings and structural components of buildings, described in subparagraphs (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and clause (A) or (C) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (b) of subdivision [twelve-B] three of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of the tax law, 40 the basis of which for federal income tax purposes will equal or exceed seven hundred fifty million dollars, (iii) which is constructed after 42 the basis for federal income tax purposes of the property comprising 43 such qualified investment project equals or exceeds seven hundred fifty million dollars, and (iv) at which five hundred or more jobs will be created, provided such jobs are new to the state and are in addition to any other jobs previously created by the owner of such project in the state.

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 $\S$  99. Notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary and notwithstanding the repeal of article 32 of the tax law by section one of this act, the repeal of section 180 of the tax law by section two of this act and the repeal of section 181 of the tax law by section three of this act, all provisions of such article and such sections, in respect to the imposition, exemption, assessment, payment, payment over, determination, collection, and credit or refund of tax, interest and penalty imposed thereunder, the filing of forms and returns, the preser-9 vation of records for the purposes of such tax, the secrecy of returns, 10 the disposition of revenues, and the civil and criminal penalties appli-11 cable to the violation of the provisions of such article 32 and such 12 sections 180 and 181, shall continue in full force and effect with 13 respect to all such tax accrued for taxable years beginning before Janu-14 ary 1, 2015; and all actions and proceedings, civil or criminal, commenced or authorized to be commenced under or by virtue of any 16 provision of such article 32 or by virtue of any provision of such 17 section 180 or 181 so repealed, and pending or able to be commenced 18 immediately prior to the taking effect of such repeal, may be commenced, 19 prosecuted and defended to final effect in the same manner as they might if such provisions were not so repealed.

§ 100. Subdivision 1 of section 187 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 2 of the laws of 1995, is amended to read as follows:

1. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be credited against the taxes imposed by this article, other than the taxes and fees imposed by sections [one hundred eighty, one hundred eighty-one,] one hundred eighty-six-a and one hundred eighty-six-e of this chapter. The amount of the credit shall be the amount of the special additional mortgage 28 recording tax paid by the taxpayer pursuant to the provisions of subdi29 vision one-a of section two hundred fifty-three of this chapter on mort-30 gages recorded on and after January first, nineteen hundred seventy-31 nine. Provided, however, that the amount of such credit allowable 32 against the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-four of this chap-33 ter shall be the excess of the amount of such special additional mort-34 gage recording tax paid over the amount of any credit allowed by this section against the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-three of this chapter. Provided further, however, no credit shall be allowed with respect to a mortgage of real property principally improved or to be 38 improved by one or more structures containing in the aggregate not more 39 than six residential dwelling units, each dwelling unit having its own 40 separate cooking facilities, where the real property is located in one 41 or more of the counties comprising the metropolitan commuter transporta-42 tion district and where the mortgage is recorded on or after May first, 43 nineteen hundred eighty-seven. Provided further, however, no credit shall be allowed with respect to a mortgage of real property principally improved or to be improved by one or more structures containing in the 46 aggregate not more than six residential dwelling units, each dwelling unit having its own separate cooking facilities, where the real property is located in the county of Erie and where the mortgage is recorded on or after May first, nineteen hundred eighty-seven. 49 50

§ 101. Subdivision 1 of section 187-a of the tax law, as added by chapter 142 of the laws of 1997, is amended to read as follows:

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Allowance of credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit, to be 53 computed as hereinafter provided, against the taxes imposed by this 54 article, other than the taxes imposed by sections [one hundred eighty, 55 one hundred eighty-one, one hundred eighty-six-a, one hundred eighty-56 six-e and one hundred eighty-nine of this article, for employing within S. 6359--D 165 A. 8559--D

1 the state a qualified employee. Provided, however, the amount of credit 2 allowed by this section against the tax imposed by section one hundred 3 eighty-four of this article shall be the excess of the credit computed 4 under this section over the amount of credit allowed by this section against the tax imposed by section one hundred eighty-three of this article.

- § 102. Subdivision 1 of section 190 of the tax law, as amended by section 17 of part B of chapter 58 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:
- 1. General. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax 11 imposed by this article[ - other than the taxes and fees imposed by 12 sections one hundred eighty and one hundred eighty-one of this article, 13 equal to twenty percent of the premium paid during the taxable year for 14 long-term care insurance. In order to qualify for such credit, the 15 taxpayer's premium payment must be for the purchase of or for continuing 16 coverage under a long-term care insurance policy that qualifies for such credit pursuant to section one thousand one hundred seventeen of the insurance law.
  - § 103. Subdivision 5 of section 192 of the tax law is REPEALED.
  - $\S$  104. Clauses 1 and 2 of subparagraph (A) and subparagraph (B) of paragraph (iii) of subdivision 9 of section 16-v of section 1 of chapter 174 of the laws of 1968 constituting the urban development corporation act, as added by section 1 of part C of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) over fifty percent of the number of shares of stock entitling the 26 holders thereof to vote for the election of directors or trustees is owned or controlled, either directly or indirectly, by a taxpayer subject to tax under the following provisions of the tax law: article nine-A; section one hundred eighty-three, or one hundred eighty-four [or one hundred eighty-five of article nine; [article thirty-two] or article thirty-three; or
- (2) is substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a busi-33 ness entity (or entities) taxable or previously taxable under the

34 following provisions of the tax law: article nine-A; section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, former section one hundred eight-36 y-five or former section one hundred eighty-six of article nine; former article thirty-two; article thirty-three; article twenty-three, or would have been subject to tax under such article twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen hundred eighty) or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two; or

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(B) a sole proprietorship, partnership, limited partnership, limited liability company, or New York subchapter S corporation that is not substantially similar in operation and in ownership to a business entity (or entities) taxable, or previously taxable, under article nine-A of 46 the tax law, section one hundred eighty-three, one hundred eighty-four, former section one hundred eighty-five or former section one hundred eighty-six of article nine of the tax law, former article thirty-two or article thirty-three of the tax law, article twenty-three of the tax law or which would have been subject to tax under such article twenty-three (as such article was in effect on January first, nineteen hundred 52 eighty) or the income (or losses) of which is (or was) includable under article twenty-two of the tax law; and

§ 105. Section 206 of the tax law, as added by chapter 69 of the laws 55 of 1978, is amended to read as follows: S. 6359--D A. 8559--D

Deposit and disposition of revenue. The [license fees, 1 § 206. taxes, percentage, interest and other charges imposed by this article shall be collected and deposited and receipts therefor issued by the [tax commission, except that such license fees, taxes, percentage, interest and other charges imposed by section one hundred eighty of this chapter shall be collected and deposited and receipts therefor issued by 7 the proper state officer in accordance with the provisions of subdivi-8 sion two of section one hundred eighty of this chapter, commissioner and all revenues so collected or received shall be deposited and 10 disposed of pursuant to the provisions of section one hundred seventy-11 one-a of this chapter.

- § 106. Subsection (a) of section 1080 of the tax law, as added by chapter 188 of the laws of 1964, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) General. --- The provisions of this article shall apply to the administration of and the procedures with respect to the taxes imposed 16 by articles nine [{except section one hundred eighty}], and nine-a[7 nine-b and nine-e of this chapter for taxable years or periods ending 18 on or after December thirty-first, nineteen hundred sixty-four.
  - § 107. Subdivisions (a) and (c) of section 1809 of the tax law, added by section 1 of subpart A of part S of chapter 57 of the laws of 2010, are amended to read as follows:
- (a) Any person who, with intent to evade payment of any tax imposed under article nine [ (other than under section one hundred eighty or one 24 hundred eighty-one), nine-A, thirteen, [thirty-two,] thirty-three or 25 thirty-three-A of this chapter, fails to file a return or report for 26 three consecutive taxable years shall be guilty of a class E felony, 27 provided that such person had an unpaid tax liability, in excess of the 28 threshold amount with respect to each of the three consecutive taxable 29 years. The threshold amount in the case of a taxable year under article 30 nine-A of this chapter ending after June thirtieth, nineteen hundred 31 eighty-nine is the applicable fixed dollar minimum prescribed under 32 paragraph (d) of subdivision one of section two hundred ten of this chapter. In the event such fixed dollar minimum is less than two hundred 34 fifty dollars, the threshold amount in the case of such taxable year is 35 two hundred fifty dollars. In all other cases the threshold amount is two hundred fifty dollars.
- (c) As used in this section, the terms "return" and "report" shall 38 mean a return or report required under section one hundred ninety-two, two hundred eleven, two hundred ninety-four, [fourteen hundred sixty-

40 two, fifteen hundred fifteen or fifteen hundred fifty-four of this 41 chapter. It shall not include any return or report referred to in section one hundred ninety-seven-a, two hundred thirteen-a, [fourteen hundred sixty or fifteen hundred thirteen of this chapter.

§ 108. Paragraphs (d), (e), (g), (h) and (q) of section 104-A of the business corporation law, subdivisions (d), (e) and (q) as amended by chapter 166 of the laws of 1991, subdivision (g) as added by chapter 591 of the laws of 1982, and subdivision (h) as amended by chapter 117 of the laws of 1986, are amended to read as follows:

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- (d) For filing a certificate of incorporation pursuant to section four hundred two of this chapter, one hundred twenty-five dollars [plus the tax on shares prescribed by section one hundred eighty of the tax law] .
- (e) For filing a certificate of amendment pursuant to section eight 53 hundred five of this chapter, sixty dollars [plus the tax on shares 54 prescribed by section one hundred eighty of the tax law if such certificate shows a change of shares].

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- (g) For filing a restated certificate of incorporation pursuant to 1 section eight hundred seven of this chapter, sixty dollars [plus the tax on shares prescribed by section one hundred eighty of the tax law if such certificate shows a change of shares].
- (h) For filing a certificate of merger or consolidation pursuant to section nine hundred four of this chapter, or a certificate of exchange pursuant to section nine hundred thirteen (other than paragraph (g) of section nine hundred thirteen) of this chapter, sixty dollars [plus the 9 tax on shares prescribed by section one hundred eighty of the tax law if 10 such certificate shows a change of shares].
  - (q) For filing a certificate of incorporation by a professional service corporation pursuant to section fifteen hundred three of this chapter, one hundred twenty-five dollars [plus the tax on shares prescribed by section one hundred eighty of the tax law].
  - § 109. Subdivision 8 of section 7-a of the general associations law, as added by chapter 575 of the laws of 1964, is amended to read as follows:
- 8. The provisions of section ninety-six of the executive law prescribing the fee to be collected by the department of state for filing a certificate of incorporation under the business corporation law shall apply to the certificate of incorporation to be filed pursuant to this section[, and the organization tax payable under section one hundred 23 eighty of the tax law in respect of a corporation formed under the busi-24 ness corporation law shall be paid before the department of state shall file such certificate of incorporation].
  - § 110. Paragraphs 1 and 2 of subdivision (1) of section 11-640 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as amended by section 3 of part R of chapter 59 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this section other than subdivision (m) of this section, a corporation that was in existence before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and was subject to tax under subchapter two of this chapter for its last taxable year beginning before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen, shall continue to be taxable under such subchapter for all taxable years 35 beginning on or after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and 36 before January first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen. The preceding sentence shall not apply to any taxable year during which such corpo-38 ration is a banking corporation described in paragraphs one through 39 eight of subdivision (a) of this section. Notwithstanding anything to 40 the contrary contained in this section other than subdivision (m) of 41 this section, a banking corporation or corporation that was in existence 42 before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and was subject to 43 tax under this subchapter for its last taxable year beginning before 44 January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen, shall continue to be 45 taxable under this subchapter for all taxable years beginning on or

46 after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and before January 47 first, two thousand [fifteen seventeen only if the corporation is a 48 banking corporation as defined in subdivision (a) of this section or the 49 corporation satisfies the requirements for a corporation to elect to be 50 taxable under this subchapter. Provided further, that nothing in this 51 subdivision shall prohibit a corporation that elected pursuant to subdi-52 vision (d) of this section to be taxable under subchapter two of this chapter from revoking that election in accordance with subdivision (d) 54 of this section. For purposes of this paragraph, a corporation shall be 55 considered to be subject to tax under subchapter two of this chapter for 56 a taxable year if such corporation was not a taxpayer but was properly S. 6359--D 168 A. 8559--D

included in a combined report filed pursuant to subdivision four of section 11-605 of this chapter for such taxable year and a corporation shall be considered to be subject to tax under this subchapter for a 4 taxable year if such corporation was not a taxpayer but was properly 5 included in a combined report filed pursuant to subdivision (f) or (g) 6 of section 11-646 of this part for such taxable year. A corporation that was in existence before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen 8 but first becomes a taxpayer in a taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and before January first, 10 two thousand [fifteen] seventeen, shall be considered for purposes of 11 this paragraph to have been subject to tax under subchapter two of this 12 chapter for its last taxable year beginning before January first, two 13 thousand [twelve] fourteen if such corporation would have been subject 14 to tax under such subchapter for such taxable year if it had been a 15 taxpayer during such taxable year. A corporation that was in existence 16 before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen but first becomes a taxpayer in a taxable year beginning on or after January first, two 17 18 thousand [ $\frac{\text{twelve}}{\text{ourteen}}$ ] and before January first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen, shall be considered for purposes of this paragraph 20 to have been subject to tax under this subchapter for its last taxable 21 year beginning before January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen if such corporation would have been subject to tax under this subchapter for such taxable year if it had been a taxpayer during such taxable 23 24 year.

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(2) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this section other than subdivision (m) of this section, a corporation formed on or after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and before January 28 first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen may elect to be subject to tax 29 under this subchapter or under subchapter two of this chapter for its 30 first taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and before January first, two thousand [fifteen] 32 **seventeen** in which either (i) sixty-five percent or more of its voting 33 stock is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly by a financial 34 holding company, provided the corporation whose voting stock is so owned 35 or controlled is principally engaged in activities that are described in 36 section 4(k)(4) or 4(k)(5) of the federal bank holding company act of nineteen hundred fifty-six, as amended and the regulations promulgated 38 pursuant to the authority of such section or (ii) it is a financial subsidiary. An election under this paragraph may not be made by a corpo-40 ration described in paragraphs one through eight of subdivision (a) of 41 this section or in subdivision (e) of this section. In addition, an 42 election under this paragraph may not be made by a corporation that is a 43 party to a reorganization, as defined in subsection (a) of section 368 44 of the internal revenue code of 1986, as amended, of a corporation described in paragraph one of this subdivision if both corporations were sixty-five percent or more owned or controlled, directly or indirectly by the same interests at the time of the reorganization.

An election under this paragraph must be made by the taxpayer on or before the due date for filing its return (determined with regard to extensions of time for filing) for the applicable taxable year. The 51 election to be taxed under subchapter two of this chapter shall be made 52 by the taxpayer by filing the return required pursuant to subdivision 53 one of section 11-605 of this chapter and the election to be taxed under 54 this subchapter shall be made by the taxpayer by filing the return 55 required pursuant to subdivision (a) of section 11-646 of this part. Any 56 election made pursuant to this paragraph shall be irrevocable and shall 5. 6359--D

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apply to each subsequent taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand [twelve] fourteen and before January first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen, provided that the stock ownership and activities requirements described in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph are met or such corporation described in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph continues as a financial subsidiary.

§ 111. Subparagraph (iv) of paragraph 2 of subdivision (f) of section 11-646 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as amended by section 4 of part R of chapter 59 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:

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(iv) (A) Notwithstanding any provision of this paragraph, any bank 11 holding company exercising its corporate franchise or doing business in the city may make a return on a combined basis without seeking the 13 permission of the commissioner with any banking corporation exercising 15 its corporate franchise or doing business in the city in a corporate or 16 organized capacity sixty-five percent or more of whose voting stock is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by such bank holding compa-17 18 ny, for the first taxable year beginning on or after January first, two 19 thousand and before January first, two thousand [ $\frac{\text{fifteen}}{\text{first}}$ ]  $\frac{\text{seventeen}}{\text{first}}$ 20 during which such bank holding company registers for the first time 21 under the federal bank holding company act, as amended, and also elects 22 to be a financial holding company. In addition, for each subsequent taxable year beginning after January first, two thousand and before January first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen, any such bank holding 25 company may file on a combined basis without seeking the permission of 26 the commissioner with any banking corporation that is exercising its 27 corporate franchise or doing business in the city and sixty-five percent or more of whose voting stock is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by such bank holding company if either such banking corporation is exercising its corporate franchise or doing business in the city in a 31 corporate or organized capacity for the first time during such subse-32 quent taxable year, or sixty-five percent or more of the voting stock of 33 such banking corporation is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, 34 by such bank holding company for the first time during such subsequent taxable year. Provided however, for each subsequent taxable year begin-36 ning after January first, two thousand and before January first, two 37 thousand [fifteen] seventeen, a banking corporation described in either 38 of the two preceding sentences which filed on a combined basis with any such bank holding company in a previous taxable year, must continue to 40 file on a combined basis with such bank holding company if such banking corporation, during such subsequent taxable year, continues to exercise 41 its corporate franchise or do business in the city in a corporate or organized capacity and sixty-five percent or more of such banking corpo-43 44 ration's voting stock continues to be owned or controlled, directly or 45 indirectly, by such bank holding company, unless the permission of the 46 commissioner has been obtained to file on a separate basis for such subsequent taxable year. Provided further, however, for each subsequent 48 taxable year beginning after January first, two thousand and before 49 January first, two thousand [ $\frac{\text{fifteen}}{\text{first}}$ ] seventeen, a banking corporation described in either of the first two sentences of this clause which did not file on a combined basis with any such bank holding company in a previous taxable year, may not file on a combined basis with such bank 53 holding company during any such subsequent taxable year unless the 54 permission of the commissioner has been obtained to file on a combined 55 basis for such subsequent taxable year.

(B) Notwithstanding any provision of this paragraph other than clause (A) of this subparagraph, the commissioner may not require a bank holding company which, during a taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand and before January first, two thousand [fifteen] seventeen, registers for the first time during such taxable year under the federal bank holding company act, as amended, and also elects to be a financial holding company, to make a return on a combined basis for any taxable year beginning on or after January first, two thousand and before January first, two thousand [fifteen seventeen with a banking corporation sixty-five percent or more of whose voting stock is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by such bank holding company.

§ 112. Severability. If any provision of this act shall for any reason 13 be finally adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this act, but shall be confined in its operation to the provision directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered. It is hereby declared to be in the intent of the legislature that this act would have been enacted even if such invalid provision had not been included in this act. Provided further, if a court of final, competent jurisdiction adjudges the tax rates imposed on qualified New York manufacturers to be invalid, qualified New York 22 manufacturers shall be subject to the same tax rates as all other 23 taxpayers subject to tax under article 9-A of the tax law. Provided 24 further, if a court of final, competent jurisdiction adjudges the tax 25 rate of the metropolitan transportation business tax surcharge imposed 26 under section 209-B of the tax law to be invalid, the rate of such surcharge shall be twenty-seven and one tenth percent. Provided further, if a court of final, competent jurisdiction adjudges that any of the tax credits provided by this act to be invalid, such credit or credits shall be deemed repealed and shall be of no force and effect as to any taxpayers.

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§ 113. This act shall take effect January 1, 2015 and shall apply to taxable years commencing on or after such date; provided that the amendments to section 25 of the tax law made by section forty-three of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith; provided, further, that the amendments to the opening paragraph of subdivision (a), subparagraph (C) of paragraph 2 of subdivision (e) and subdivision (f) of section 35 of the tax law made by section fifty of this act shall not affect the repeal of such provisions and shall be deemed repealed therewith; provided, further, that the amendments to clause (xxxii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph 1 of subsection (i) of section 606 of the tax law made by section sixty-eight of this act shall not affect the repeal of such clause and shall be deemed repealed therewith; provided, further, that the amendments to clause (xxxiii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph 1 of subsection (i) of section 606 of the tax law made by section sixty-eight of this act shall not affect the repeal of such clause and shall be deemed repealed therewith; and provided, further, that the amendments to clause (ii) of subparagraph (B) of paragraph 2 of subsection (q), paragraph 3 of subsection (s) and the closing paragraph of paragraph 1 of subsection of section 1085 of the tax law made by section eighty-one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such provisions and shall be deemed 53 repealed therewith.