

authority as of the beginning of the 60-month period applicable to the taxpayer under subparagraph (A).

(3) **DEREGULATION MONTH.**—For purposes of this section, the term “deregulation month” means the month in which the Secretary of the Treasury or his delegate determines that a Federal law has been enacted which deregulates the freight forwarding industry.

(c) **SPECIAL RULE FOR MOTOR CARRIER OPERATING AUTHORITY.**—In the case of a corporation which was incorporated on December 29, 1969, in the State of Delaware, notwithstanding any other provision of law, there shall be allowed as a deduction for the taxable year of the taxpayer beginning in 1980 an amount equal to \$2,705,188 for its entire loss due to a decline in value of its motor carrier operating authority by reason of deregulation.

(d) **EFFECTIVE DATES.**—

(1) **BUS OPERATING AUTHORITY.**—

(A) **IN GENERAL.**—Subsection (a) shall apply to taxable years ending after November 18, 1982.

(B) **STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.**—If refund or credit of any overpayment of tax resulting from subsection (a) is prevented at any time on or before the date which is 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act by the operation of any law or rule of law (including res judicata), refund or credit of such overpayment (to the extent attributable to the application of such subsection) may, notwithstanding such law or rule of law, be made or allowed if claim therefore is filed on or before the date which is 18 months after such date of enactment.

(2) **FREIGHT FORWARDER OPERATING AUTHORITY.**—Subsection (b) shall apply to taxable years ending after the month preceding the deregulation month.

SEC. 244. TREATMENT OF EXPENDITURES FOR REMOVAL OF ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS TO THE HANDICAPPED AND ELDERLY MADE PERMANENT.

Paragraph (2) of section 190(d) (relating to expenditures to remove architectural and transportation barriers to the handicapped and elderly) is amended by striking out “1983, and before January 1, 1986” and inserting in lieu thereof “1983”

Subtitle F—Provisions Relating to Real Estate

SEC. 251. MODIFICATION OF INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT FOR REHABILITATION EXPENDITURES.

(a) **REDUCTION IN PERCENTAGE.**—Paragraph (4) of section 46(b) (relating to rehabilitation percentage) is amended to read as follows:

“(4) **REHABILITATION PERCENTAGE.**—

“(A) **IN GENERAL.**—The term ‘rehabilitation percentage’ means—

“(i) 10 percent in the case of qualified rehabilitation expenditures with respect to a qualified rehabilitated building other than a certified historic structure, and

“(ii) 20 percent in the case of such expenditure with respect to a certified historic structure.

“(B) **REGULAR AND ENERGY PERCENTAGES NOT TO APPLY.**—The regular percentage and the energy percentages shall

not apply to that portion of the basis of any property which is attributable to qualified rehabilitation expenditures.”

(b) SPECIAL RULES FOR QUALIFIED REHABILITATED BUILDINGS.—Subsection (g) of section 48 (relating to special rules for qualified rehabilitated buildings) is amended to read as follows:

“(g) SPECIAL RULES FOR QUALIFIED REHABILITATED BUILDINGS.—For purposes of this subpart—

“(1) QUALIFIED REHABILITATED BUILDING.—For purposes of this subsection—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘qualified rehabilitated building’ means any building (and its structural components) if—

“(i) such building has been substantially rehabilitated,

“(ii) such building was placed in service before the beginning of the rehabilitation, and

“(iii) in the case of any building other than a certified historic structure, in the rehabilitation process—

“(I) 50 percent or more of the existing external walls of such building are retained in place as external walls,

“(II) 75 percent or more of the existing external walls of such building are retained in place as internal or external walls, and

“(III) 75 percent or more of the existing internal structural framework of such building is retained in place.

“(B) BUILDING MUST BE FIRST PLACED IN SERVICE BEFORE 1936.—In the case of a building other than a certified historic structure, a building shall not be a qualified rehabilitated building unless the building was first placed in service before 1936.

“(C) SUBSTANTIALLY REHABILITATED DEFINED.—

“(i) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of subparagraph (A)(i), a building shall be treated as having been substantially rehabilitated only if the qualified rehabilitation expenditures during the 24-month period selected by the taxpayer (at the time and in the manner prescribed by regulations) and ending with or within the taxable year exceed the greater of—

“(I) the adjusted basis of such building (and its structural components), or

“(II) \$5,000.

The adjusted basis of the building (and its structural components) shall be determined as of the beginning of the 1st day of such 24-month period, or of the holding period of the building, whichever is later. For purposes of the preceding sentence, the determination of the beginning of the holding period shall be made without regard to any reconstruction by the taxpayer in connection with the rehabilitation.

“(ii) SPECIAL RULE FOR PHASED REHABILITATION.—In the case of any rehabilitation which may reasonably be expected to be completed in phases set forth in architectural plans and specifications completed before the rehabilitation begins, clause (i) shall be applied by substituting ‘60-month period’ for ‘24-month period’.

“(iii) LESSEES.—The Secretary shall prescribe by regulation rules for applying this subparagraph to lessees.

“(D) RECONSTRUCTION.—Rehabilitation includes reconstruction.

“(2) QUALIFIED REHABILITATION EXPENDITURE DEFINED.—For purposes of this section—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘qualified rehabilitation expenditure’ means any amount properly chargeable to capital account—

“(i) for property for which depreciation is allowable under section 168 and which is—

“(I) nonresidential real property,

“(II) residential rental property,

“(III) real property which has a class life of more than 12.5 years, or

“(IV) an addition or improvement to property or housing described in subclause (I), (II), or (III), and

“(ii) in connection with the rehabilitation of a qualified rehabilitated building.

“(B) CERTAIN EXPENDITURES NOT INCLUDED.—The term ‘qualified rehabilitation expenditure’ does not include—

“(i) STRAIGHT LINE DEPRECIATION MUST BE USED.—Any expenditure with respect to which the taxpayer does not use the straight line method over a recovery period determined under subsection (c) or (g) of section 168. The preceding sentence shall not apply to any expenditure to the extent the alternative depreciation system of section 168(g) applies to such expenditure by reason of subparagraph (B) or (C) of section 168(g)(1).

“(ii) COST OF ACQUISITION.—The cost of acquiring any building or interest therein.

“(iii) ENLARGEMENTS.—Any expenditure attributable to the enlargement of an existing building.

“(iv) CERTIFIED HISTORIC STRUCTURE, ETC.—Any expenditure attributable to the rehabilitation of a certified historic structure or a building in a registered historic district, unless the rehabilitation is a certified rehabilitation (within the meaning of subparagraph (C)). The preceding sentence shall not apply to a building in a registered historic district if—

“(I) such building was not a certified historic structure,

“(II) the Secretary of the Interior certified to the Secretary that such building is not of historic significance to the district, and

“(III) if the certification referred to in subclause (II) occurs after the beginning of the rehabilitation of such building, the taxpayer certifies to the Secretary that, at the beginning of such rehabilitation, he in good faith was not aware of the requirement of subclause (II).

“(v) TAX-EXEMPT USE PROPERTY.—

“(I) IN GENERAL.—Any expenditure in connection with the rehabilitation of a building which is allocable to that portion of such building which is

(or may reasonably be expected to be) tax-exempt use property (within the meaning of section 168(h)).

“(II) **CLAUSE NOT TO APPLY FOR PURPOSES OF PARAGRAPH (1)(C).**—This clause shall not apply for purposes of determining under paragraph (1)(C) whether a building has been substantially rehabilitated.

“(vi) **EXPENDITURES OF LESSEE.**—Any expenditure of a lessee of a building if, on the date the rehabilitation is completed, the remaining term of the lease (determined without regard to any renewal periods) is less than the recovery period determined under section 168(c).

“(C) **CERTIFIED REHABILITATION.**—For purposes of subparagraph (B), the term ‘certified rehabilitation’ means any rehabilitation of a certified historic structure which the Secretary of the Interior has certified to the Secretary as being consistent with the historic character of such property or the district in which such property is located.

“(D) **NONRESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY; RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; CLASS LIFE.**—For purposes of subparagraph (A), the terms ‘nonresidential real property’, ‘residential rental property’, and ‘class life’ have the respective meanings given such terms by section 168.

“(3) **CERTIFIED HISTORIC STRUCTURE DEFINED.**—For purposes of this subsection—

“(A) **IN GENERAL.**—The term ‘certified historic structure’ means any building (and its structural components) which—

“(i) is listed in the National Register, or

“(ii) is located in a registered historic district and is certified by the Secretary of the Interior to the Secretary as being of historic significance to the district.

“(B) **REGISTERED HISTORIC DISTRICT.**—The term ‘registered historic district’ means—

“(i) any district listed in the National Register, and

“(ii) any district—

“(I) which is designated under a statute of the appropriate State or local government, if such statute is certified by the Secretary of the Interior to the Secretary as containing criteria which will substantially achieve the purpose of preserving and rehabilitating buildings of historic significance to the district, and

“(II) which is certified by the Secretary of the Interior to the Secretary as meeting substantially all of the requirements for the listing of districts in the National Register.

“(4) **PROPERTY TREATED AS NEW SECTION 38 PROPERTY.**—Property which is treated as section 38 property by reason of subsection (a)(1)(E) shall be treated as new section 38 property.”

(c) **BASIS ADJUSTMENT FOR CERTIFIED HISTORIC STRUCTURES.**—Paragraph (3) of section 48(q) (relating to special rule for qualified rehabilitated buildings) is amended by striking out “other than a certified historic structure”.

(d) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the amendments made by this section shall apply to

property placed in service after December 31, 1986, in taxable years ending after such date.

(2) **GENERAL TRANSITIONAL RULE.**—The amendments made by this section and section 201 shall not apply to any property placed in service before January 1, 1994, if such property is placed in service as part of—

(A) a rehabilitation which was completed pursuant to a written contract which was binding on March 1, 1986, or

(B) a rehabilitation incurred in connection with property (including any leasehold interest) acquired before March 2, 1986, or acquired on or after such date pursuant to a written contract that was binding on March 1, 1986, if—

(i) the rehabilitation was completed pursuant to a written contract that was binding on March 1, 1986,

(ii) parts 1 and 2 of the Historic Preservation Certification Application were filed with the Department of the Interior (or its designee) before March 2, 1986, or

(iii) the lesser of \$1,000,000 or 5 percent of the cost of the rehabilitation is incurred before March 2, 1986, or is required to be incurred pursuant to a written contract which was binding on March 1, 1986.

(3) **CERTAIN ADDITIONAL REHABILITATIONS.**—The amendments made by this section and section 201 shall not apply to—

(A) the rehabilitation of 8 bathhouses within the Hot Springs National Park or of buildings in the Central Avenue Historic District at such Park,

(B) the rehabilitation of the Upper Pontalba Building in New Orleans, Louisiana,

(C) the rehabilitation of at least 60 buildings listed on the National Register at the Frankford Arsenal,

(D) the rehabilitation of De Baliveriere Arcade, St. Louis Centre, and Drake Apartments in Missouri,

(E) the rehabilitation of The Tides in Bristol, Rhode Island,

(F) the rehabilitation and renovation of the Outlet Company building and garage in Providence, Rhode Island,

(G) the rehabilitation of 10 structures in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, with respect to which the Harristown Development Corporation was designated redeveloper and received an option to acquire title to the entire project site for \$1 on June 27, 1984,

(H) the rehabilitation of a project involving the renovation of 3 historic structures on the Minneapolis riverfront, with respect to which the developer of the project entered into a redevelopment agreement with a municipality dated January 4, 1985, and industrial development bonds were sold in 3 separate issues in May, July, and October 1985,

(I) the rehabilitation of a bank's main office facilities of approximately 120,000 square feet, in connection with which the bank's board of directors authorized a \$3,300,000 expenditure for the renovation and retrofit on March 20, 1984,

(J) the rehabilitation of 10 warehouse buildings built between 1906 and 1910 and purchased under a contract dated February 17, 1986,

(K) the rehabilitation of a facility which is customarily used for conventions and sporting events if an analysis of

operations and recommendations of utilization of such facility was prepared by a certified public accounting firm pursuant to an engagement authorized on March 6, 1984, and presented on June 11, 1984, to officials of the city in which such facility is located,

(L) Mount Vernon Mills in Columbia, South Carolina,

(M) the Barbara Jordan II Apartments,

(N) the rehabilitation of the Federal Building and Post Office, 120 Hanover Street, Manchester, New Hampshire,

(O) the rehabilitation of the Charleston Waterfront project in South Carolina,

(P) the Hayes Mansion in San Francisco,

(Q) the renovation of a facility owned by the National Railroad Passenger Corporation ("Amtrak") for which project Amtrak engaged a development team by letter agreement dated August 23, 1985, as modified by letter agreement dated September 9, 1985,

(R) the rehabilitation of a structure or its components which is listed in the National Register of Historic Places, is located in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, will be substantially rehabilitated (as defined in section 48(g)(1)(C) prior to amendment by this Act), prior to December 31, 1989; and was previously utilized as a market and an auto dealership,

(S) The Bellevue Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,

(T) the Dixon Mill Housing project in Jersey City, New Jersey,

(U) Motor Square Garden,

(V) the Blackstone Apartments, and the Shriver-Johnson building, in Sioux Falls, South Dakota,

(W) the Holy Name Academy in Spokane, Washington,

(X) the Nike/Clemson Mill in Exeter, New Hampshire,

(Y) the Central Bank Building in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and

(Z) the Heritage Hotel, in the City of Marquette, Michigan.

(4) **ADDITIONAL REHABILITATIONS.**—The amendments made by this section and section 201 shall not apply to—

(A) the Fort Worth Town Square Project in Texas,

(B) the American Youth Hostel in New York, New York,

(C) The Riverwest Loft Development (including all three phases, two of which do not involve rehabilitations),

(D) the Gaslamp Quarter Historic District in California,

(E) the Eberhardt & Ober Brewery, in Pennsylvania,

(F) the Captain's Walk Limited Partnership-Harris Place Development, in Connecticut,

(G) the Velvet Mills in Connecticut,

(H) the Roycroft Inn, in New York,

(I) Old Main Village, in Mankato, Minnesota,

(J) the Washburn-Crosby A Mill, in Minneapolis, Minnesota,

(K) the Lakeland marbel Arcade in Lakeland, Florida,

(L) the Willard Hotel, in Washington, D.C.,

(M) the H. P. Lau Building in Lincoln, Nebraska,

(N) the Starks Building, in Louisville, Kentucky,

(O) the Bellevue High School, in Bellevue, Kentucky,

(P) the Major Hampden Smith House, in Owensboro, Kentucky,

(Q) the Doe Run Inn, in Brandenburg, Kentucky,

(R) the State National Bank, in Frankfort, Kentucky,

(S) the Captain Jack House, in Fleming, Kentucky,

(T) the Elizabeth Arlinghaus House, in Louisville, Kentucky,

(U) Limerick Shamrock, in Louisville, Kentucky,

(V) the Robert Mills Project, in South Carolina,

(W) the 620 Project, consisting of 3 buildings, in Kentucky,

(X) the Warrior Hotel, Ltd., the first two floors of the Martin Hotel, and the 105,000 square foot warehouse constructed in 1910, all in Sioux City, Iowa,

(Y) the waterpark condominium residential project, to the extent of \$2 million of expenditures, and

(Z) the Apollo and Bishop Building Complex on 125th Street, the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Mill in New York, New York.

(5) **REDUCTION IN CREDIT FOR PROPERTY UNDER TRANSITIONAL RULES.**—In the case of property placed in service after December 31, 1986, and to which the amendments made by this section do not apply, subparagraph (A) of section 46(b)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (as in effect before the enactment of this Act) shall be applied—

(A) by substituting “10 percent” for “15 percent”, and

(B) by substituting “13 percent” for “20 percent”.

(6) **EXPENSING OF REHABILITATION EXPENDITURES FOR THE FRANKFORD ARSENAL.**—In the case of any expenditures paid or incurred in connection with the rehabilitation of the Frankford Arsenal during the 8-year period beginning on January 1, 1987, such expenditures (including expenditures for repair and maintenance of the building and property) shall be allowable as a deduction in the taxable year in which paid or incurred in an amount not in excess of the submissions made by the taxpayer before September 16, 1986.

SEC. 252. LOW-INCOME HOUSING CREDIT.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Subpart D of part IV of subchapter A of chapter 1 (relating to business credits) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section:

“SEC. 42. LOW-INCOME HOUSING CREDIT.

“(a) **IN GENERAL.**—For purposes of section 38, the amount of the low-income housing credit determined under this section for any taxable year in the credit period shall be an amount equal to—

“(1) the applicable percentage of

“(2) the qualified basis of each qualified low-income building.

“(b) **APPLICABLE PERCENTAGE: 70 PERCENT PRESENT VALUE CREDIT FOR CERTAIN NEW BUILDINGS; 30 PERCENT PRESENT VALUE CREDIT FOR CERTAIN OTHER BUILDINGS.**—For purposes of this section—

“(1) **BUILDING PLACED IN SERVICE DURING 1987.**—In the case of any qualified low-income building placed in service by the taxpayer during 1987, the term ‘applicable percentage’ means—

“(A) 9 percent for new buildings which are not federally subsidized for the taxable year, or

“(B) 4 percent for—