Part III

Administrative, Procedural, and Miscellaneous

26 CFR 601.601: Rules and regulations. (Also Part I, § 1397E)

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SECTION 1. PURPOSE

This revenue procedure sets forth the maximum face amount of Qualified Zone Academy Bonds ("Bond" or "Bonds") that may be issued for each State during 1998. For this purpose "State" includes the District of Columbia and the possessions of the United States.

SECTION 2. BACKGROUND

Section 226 of the Tax Relief Act of 1997, Pub. L. 105-34, 111 Stat. 788 (1997), added § 1397E to the Internal Revenue Code to provide a credit to holders of Bonds under certain circumstances so that the Bonds generally can be issued without discount or interest. Ninety-five percent of Bond proceeds are to be used for qualified purposes, as defined by § 1397E(d)(5), with respect to a qualified zone academy, as defined by § 1397E(d)(4).

The aggregate amount of Bonds that may be issued for the States is limited to \$400 million for 1998 and \$400 million for 1999 (the "national limitation"). This amount is to be allocated among the States by the Secretary on the basis of their respective populations below the poverty level (as defined by the Office of Management and Budget). This amount is further allocated by the State to qualified zone academies within the State or possession. A State may carry forward to the next calendar year any amount of an allocation of the national limitation for a calendar year that is in excess of the amount of Bonds issued during that calendar year that are designated with respect to qualified academies within the State.

SECTION 3. SCOPE

This revenue procedure applies to Bonds issued under § 1397E during 1998.

SECTION 4. NATIONAL QUALIFIED ZONE ACADEMY BOND LIMITATION FOR 1998

The total face amount of Bonds that may be issued in 1998 is \$400 million. This amount is allocated among the States as follows:

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STATE		MAXIMUM FACE AMOUNT BONDS THAT MAY BE ISSUED DURING 1998 (thousands of dollars)	NT OF
	ALABAMA	\$	6,128
	ALASKA		556
	ARIZONA		10,094
	ARKANSAS		4,625
	CALIFORNIA	56,30	50
		MAXIMUM FACE AMOU	NT OF
		BONDS THAT MAY BE	
		ISSUED DURING 1998	
STATE		(thousands of dollars)	
COLORADO		4,243	
CONNECTICUT		4,037	
DELAWARE		649	
DISTRICT OF	COLUMBIA	1,339	
FLORIDA		20,981	
GEORGIA		11,299	
HAWAII		1,463	
IDAHO		1,442	
ILLINOIS		14,718	
INDIANA		4,408	
IOWA		2,874	
KANSAS		2,956	

KENTUCKY	6,777	
LOUISIANA	8,992	
MAINE	1,390	
MARYLAND	5,376	
MASSACHUSETTS	6,406	
MICHIGAN	11,000	
MINNESOTA	4,717	
MISSISSIPPI	5,922	
MISSOURI	5,150	
	MAXIMUM FACE AMOUNT OF	
	BONDS THAT MAY BE	
	ISSUED DURING 1998	
STATE	(thousands of dollars)	
MONTANA	1,596	
NEBRASKA	1,741	
NEVADA	1,370	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	752	
NEW JERSEY	7,478	
NEW MEXICO	4,861	
NEW YORK	31,497	
NORTH CAROLINA	9,115	
NORTH DAKOTA	711	
OHIO	14,667	
OKLAHOMA	5,727	
OREGON	3,934	
PENNSYLVANIA	14,152	
RHODE ISLAND	1,071	
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,964	
SOUTH DAKOTA	845	
TENNESSEE	9,043	

TEXAS	32,753
UTAH	1,576
VERMONT	762
VIRGINIA	8,188
STATE	MAXIMUM FACE AMOUNT OF BONDS THAT MAY BE ISSUED DURING 1998 (thousands of dollars)
WASHINGTON	6,860
WEST VIRGINIA	3,327
WISCONSIN	4,738
WYOMING	597
AMERICAN SAMOA	350
GUAM	227
NORTHERN MARIANAS	268
PUERTO RICO	22,659
VIRGIN ISLANDS	268

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE

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