

**Low-Income Housing Credit Disposition Bond**  
**(For use by taxpayers posting bond under section 42(j)(6))**

**Attach to your return after receiving IRS approval.**

Name of taxpayer making disposition \_\_\_\_\_ **Identifying number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I Bonding**

**1** Address of building as shown on Form 8609 (do **not** use P.O. box) \_\_\_\_\_

**2** Building identification number \_\_\_\_\_

**3** Date the 15-year compliance period ends \_\_\_\_\_

**4** Check the box that applies

This is an  original bond,  strengthening bond, or  superseding bond.

**5** Date property interest disposed of \_\_\_\_\_ **6** Date bond issued \_\_\_\_\_

**7a** Bond is given by \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Principal Telephone number (optional)

\_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
as principal and \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Surety \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ as surety or sureties.

**7b** As principal and surety, we are obligated to the United States in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. We also jointly and severally obligate our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns for the payment of this amount.

**Part II Signatures**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form and any accompanying statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete.

Signature of principal \_\_\_\_\_ Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of principal \_\_\_\_\_ Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of surety \_\_\_\_\_ Name and identifying number (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of surety \_\_\_\_\_ Name and identifying number (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Part III Certificate of Corporate Principal (corporations only)**

I certify that the person above, who signed on behalf of the principal, was an authorized representative of the corporation.

Signature of Secretary of the Corporation \_\_\_\_\_ Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Part IV Approval by IRS (See instructions.)**

Bond approved \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Internal Revenue Service Official \_\_\_\_\_

**Paperwork Reduction Act Notice**

We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws and to allow us to figure and collect the right amount of tax.

The time needed to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time is:

**Recordkeeping** . . . . . 13 min.

**Learning about the law or the form.** . . . . . 13 min.

**Preparing, copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS** . . . . . 40 min.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this form more simple, we would be happy to hear from you. You can write to both the **Internal Revenue Service**, Attention: Reports Clearance Officer, PC:FP, Washington, DC 20224, and the **Office of Management and Budget**, Paperwork Reduction Project (1545-1029), Washington, DC 20503. Do not send Form 8693 to either of these offices. Instead, see **When and Where To File** on page 2.

## General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code.

### Purpose of Form

Use Form 8693 to post a bond under section 42(j)(6) to avoid recapture of the the low-income housing credit.

The bond ensures payment of the recapture tax imposed under section 42(j). The conditions of the bond are that the principal (i.e., taxpayer):

- Does not attempt to defraud the United States of any tax under section 42(j);
- Files all returns and statements as required by law or regulations;
- Pays all taxes including any penalty and interest charges; and
- Complies with all other requirements of the law and regulations under section 42.

### Qualifying Sureties

The company acting as surety must hold a Certificate of Authority from the Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service. These companies are listed in Treasury Circular 570. You may get a copy of Treasury Circular 570 by writing to the Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Surety Bond Branch, 401 14th St., S.W., Washington, DC 20227, or by calling (202) 874-6850 (not a toll-free number).

A taxpayer may not be a surety for itself, nor may a member of a firm or a partner in a partnership be a surety for the firm or partnership of which he or she is a member or a partner.

### Surety Termination

If a surety's certificate of authority is terminated, the surety may be relieved of liability under the bond provided it notifies the principal and the IRS by the date the termination announcement is published in the Federal Register. The notice must be sent by certified mail and must state that the principal has 60 days from the date the termination announcement is published in the Federal Register to get an adequate strengthening or superseding bond with another surety listed in Treasury Circular 570. If notice is given, the principal's rights under the bond will end 60 days after the date the termination announcement is published in the Federal Register.

Failure of the principal to post a strengthening or superseding bond within 60 days from the date the termination announcement is published in the Federal Register will result in recapture under section 42(j).

### Period of Bond

The liability stated on the bond must be for the period of years remaining in the 15-year compliance period of the building plus an additional 58 months. The compliance period begins with the tax year the building was placed in service or the succeeding tax year if the election under section 42(f)(1) is made.

## Recordkeeping Requirements

You should keep a copy of this Form 8693 together with all Forms 8586, 8609, Schedule(s) A (Form 8609), and 8611 for 58 months after the 15-year compliance period ends.

### Who Must File

Taxpayers who claimed a low-income housing credit on a residential rental building and later (in a tax year during the 15-year compliance period) disposed of the building or an ownership interest in it must file this form to avoid recapture of the credit claimed. A de minimis rule may apply to certain dispositions of interests in partnerships that own buildings in which credit was claimed. See Rev. Rul. 90-60, 1990-2 C.B. 3, for additional information.

### Partnerships

(1) *Section 42(j)(5) partnerships.*—Any person holding a power of attorney in a section 42(j)(5) partnership (a partnership with 35 or more partners that has not elected out of the section 42(j)(5) provisions) may post bond as principal on behalf of the partnership. A bond posted on behalf of a partnership must be posted in the partnership's name, with the name of the authorized representative of the partnership posting the bond appearing immediately below the partnership's name.

(2) *Partnerships that elected out of the section 42(j)(5) provisions or have fewer than 35 partners.*—If partners in partnerships to which section 42(j)(5) does not apply want to post bond, the partners must post bond in their individual capacity as principals.

### When and Where To File

Submit the original and one copy of Form 8693 to the Internal Revenue Service Center, Philadelphia, PA 19255, within 60 days after the date of disposition of the

building or interest therein. The completed form may be submitted by either the taxpayer or the surety.

When the IRS returns a copy of the approved form, attach a copy of it to your income tax return for the year in which the disposition occurred. Write "FORM 8693 ATTACHED" to the left of the entry space on your income tax return for reporting the recapture of the low-income housing credit.

## Specific Instructions

**Line 2. Building Identification Number (BIN).**—This is the number assigned to the building by the housing credit agency on Part I, item E, of **Form 8609**, Low-Income Housing Credit Allocation Certification.

**Line 7b. Amount of Bond.**—Use the worksheet below to calculate the bond amount. See Rev. Rul. 90-60, for additional information on the methodology for determining the bond amount.

If the amount is not an even multiple of \$100, increase the bond amount to the next higher multiple of \$100.

### Part III. Certificate of Corporate

**Principal.**—If the principal is a corporation, the authority of the person posting the bond must be certified by the secretary of the corporation by completing Part III. Or the corporation may attach copies of records that will show the authority of the officer signing if the copies are certified by the secretary to be true copies.

**Part IV. Approval by the IRS.**—The IRS will notify you of the approval or rejection of the bond. If approved, the IRS will send a copy of the approved Form 8693 to the principal shown in Part I. If rejected, the owner must recapture the allowed low-income housing credit. Use **Form 8611**, Recapture of Low-Income Housing Credit.

## Worksheet for Computing Bond Amount

1	Total credits taken by you in previous years and any additional credits you anticipate claiming for any year or portion thereof preceding the date of disposition . . . . .	\$
2	Bond factor amount . . . . .	%
3	Percentage of taxpayer's total interest in the qualified low-income building disposed of . . . . .	%
4	Bond amount required to be posted (line 1 × line 2 × line 3). Enter here and in Part I, line 7b . . . . .	\$

### Instructions for Worksheet

**Line 1.**—Enter the total amount of the credits claimed on the building. See Part I of the Form(s) 8586 you have filed. Include any additional credits you anticipate claiming for any period preceding the date of disposition. Do not include credit amounts previously recaptured, credit amounts for which a bond was previously posted, or credits claimed on additions to qualified basis as determined under section 42(f)(3).

**Line 2. Bond Factor Amount.**—Enter the bond factor amount corresponding to the month in the compliance period in which the disposition occurred and the first year of the building's credit period. This factor is published quarterly by the IRS in a revenue ruling.

**Line 3.**—Enter the ownership interest in the qualified low-income building that you have disposed of. Include ownership interests held both directly and indirectly (e.g., through a partnership).