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H. R. 1428

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the Renewal Community program through end of 2012.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 7, 2011

Mr. Higgins (for himself, Ms. Tsongas, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, Mr. Filner, Mr. Tonko, Mr. Cohen, and Ms. Moore) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

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1	Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2	tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3	SECTION 1. RENEWAL COMMUNITY TAX INCENTIVES.
4	(a) In General.—Subsection (b) of section 1400E
5	of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended—
6	(1) by striking "December 31, 2009" in para-
7	graphs (1)(A) and (3) and inserting "December 31,
8	2012"; and
9	(2) by striking "January 1, 2010" in paragraph

(3) and inserting "January 1, 2013".

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1	(b) Zero-Percent Capital Gains Rate.—
2	(1) Acquisition date.—Paragraphs (2)(A)(i),
3	(3)(A), (4)(A)(i), and (4)(B)(i) of section 1400F(b)
4	of such Code are each amended by striking "Janu-
5	ary 1, 2010" and inserting "January 1, 2013".
6	(2) Limitation on Period of Gains.—Para-
7	graph (2) of section 1400F(c) of such Code is
8	amended—
9	(A) by striking "December 31, 2014" and
10	inserting "December 31, 2017"; and
11	(B) by striking "2014" in the heading and
12	inserting "2017".
13	(3) Applicable Rules.—Subsection (d) of sec-
14	tion 1400F is amended—
15	(A) by striking "December 31, 2014" the
16	first place it appears and inserting "December
17	31, 2017", and
18	(B) by striking "December 31, 2014" the
19	second place it appears and inserting "Decem-
20	ber 31, 2016".
21	(c) Commercial Revitalization Deduction.—
22	(1) Extension.—
23	(A) In general.—Subsection (g) of sec-
24	tion 1400I of such Code is amended by striking

1	"December 31, 2009" and inserting "December
2	31, 2012".
3	(B) Conforming Amendment.—Subpara-
4	graph (A) of section 1400I(d)(2) of such Code
5	is amended by striking "after 2001 and before
6	2010" and inserting "which begins after 2001
7	and before the date referred to in subsection
8	(g)".
9	(2) Carryforward of unallocated state
10	COMMERCIAL REVITALIZATION EXPENDITURE CEIL-
11	ING.—
12	(A) In general.—Paragraph (1) of sec-
13	tion 1400I(d) of such Code is amended to read
14	as follows:
15	"(1) In General.—The aggregate commercial
16	revitalization expenditure amount which a commer-
17	cial revitalization agency may allocate for any cal-
18	endar year is the amount equal to the sum of—
19	"(A) the amount of the State commercial
20	revitalization expenditure ceiling determined
21	under this paragraph for such calendar year for
22	such agency (determined without regard to sub-
23	paragraph (B)), and
24	"(B) the aggregate of the unused State
25	commercial revitalization expenditure ceilings

determined under this paragraph for such agency for each of the 2 preceding calendar years.

For purposes of subparagraph (B), amounts of expenditure ceiling shall be treated as allocated by an
agency first from unused amounts for the second
preceding calendar year, then from unused amounts
for the 1st preceding calendar year, and then from

9 (B) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment 10 made by this subsection shall apply to calendar 11 years beginning after the date of the enactment 12 of this Act.

amounts from the current year State allocation.".

- 13 (d) Increased Expensing Under Section 179.—
 14 Subparagraph (A) of section 1400J(b)(1) of such Code is
 15 amended by striking "January 1, 2010" and inserting
 16 "January 1, 2013".
- 17 (e) Treatment of Certain Termination Dates Specified in Nominations.—In the case of a designa-18 tion of a renewal community the nomination for which in-19 20 cluded a termination date which is contemporaneous with 21 the date specified in subparagraph (A) of section 22 1400E(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (as 23 in effect before the enactment of this Act), subparagraph (B) of such section shall not apply with respect to such designation unless, after the date of the enactment of this

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1	section, the entity which made such nomination reconfirms
2	such termination date, or amends the nomination to pro-
3	vide for a new termination date, in such manner as the
4	Secretary of the Treasury (or the Secretary's designee)
5	may provide.
6	(f) Effective Dates.—
7	(1) In general.—Except as otherwise pro-
8	vided in this subsection, the amendments made by
9	this section shall apply to periods after December
10	31, 2009.
11	(2) Acquisitions.—The amendments made by
12	subsections (b)(1) and (d) shall apply to acquisitions
13	after December 31, 2009.
14	(3) Commercial revitalization deduc-
15	TION.—
16	(A) IN GENERAL.—The amendment made
17	by subsection (c)(1) shall apply to buildings
18	placed in service after December 31, 2009.
19	(B) Conforming Amendment.—The
20	amendment made by subsection $(c)(2)$ shall
21	apply to calendar years beginning after Decem-
22	ber 31, 2009.