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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 5, 2011

Mr. Dreier 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. SHORT TITLE, ETC.
- 4 (a) Short Title.—This Act may be cited as the
- 5 "Fair and Simple Tax Act of 2011".
- 6 (b) Amendment of 1986 Code.—Except as other-
- 7 wise expressly provided, whenever in this Act an amend-
- 8 ment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment
- 9 to, or repeal of, a section or other provision, the reference
- 10 shall be considered to be made to a section or other provi-
- 11 sion of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- 12 (c) Table of Contents.—
 - Sec. 1. Short title, etc.
 - Sec. 2. Simplified alternative determination of income tax liability for individuals.
 - Sec. 3. Repeal of estate and gift taxes.
 - Sec. 4. Alternative minimum tax exemption amounts indexed for inflation.
 - Sec. 5. Maximum corporate income tax rate reduced to 25 percent.
 - Sec. 6. 15 percent rate on dividends and capital gains of individuals reduced to 10 percent.
 - Sec. 7. Indexing of certain assets for purposes of determining gain or loss.
 - Sec. 8. Retirement savings accounts.
 - Sec. 9. Lifetime savings accounts.
 - Sec. 10. Lifetime skills accounts.
 - Sec. 11. Expanded deduction for medical care expenses; expansion of individuals to whom health savings accounts may be passed on death.
 - Sec. 12. Research credit made permanent.
 - Sec. 13. Tax provisions of prior laws made permanent.

1	SEC. 2. SIMPLIFIED ALTERNATIVE DETERMINATION OF IN-
2	COME TAX LIABILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS.
3	(a) In General.—Subchapter A of chapter 1 (relat-
4	ing to determination of tax liability) is amended by adding
5	at the end the following new part:
6	"PART VIII—ALTERNATIVE DETERMINATION OF
7	TAX LIABILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS
	"Sec. 59B. Alternative determination of tax liability for individuals.
8	"SEC. 59B. ALTERNATIVE DETERMINATION OF TAX LIABIL-
9	ITY FOR INDIVIDUALS.
10	"(a) In General.—In the case of an individual, the
11	net income tax of the taxpayer shall be the tax determined
12	under this section.
13	"(b) Determination of Tax.—The tax determined
14	under this section is the amount equal to—
15	"(1) the sum of—
16	"(A) 10 percent of so much of simplified
17	taxable income as does not exceed \$40,000,
18	"(B) 15 percent of so much of simplified
19	taxable income as exceeds \$40,000 but does not
20	exceed $$150,000$, and
21	"(C) 30 percent of so much of simplified
22	taxable income as exceeds \$150,000, reduced by
23	"(2) the sum of the credits allowed by—
24	"(A) section 31 (relating to tax withheld
25	on wages), and

1	"(B) section 24 (relating to child tax cred-
2	it).
3	"(c) Simplified Taxable Income.—For purposes
4	of this section, the term 'simplified taxable income' means
5	the amount equal to—
6	"(1) gross income, minus
7	"(2) the sum of—
8	"(A) the deduction for personal exemptions
9	allowed by section 151,
10	"(B) the deduction allowed by section 163
11	for acquisition indebtedness (as defined in sec-
12	tion 163(h)(3)(B)) with respect to the principal
13	residence (within the meaning of section 121)
14	of the taxpayer,
15	"(C) the deduction allowed by section 164
16	for State and local income taxes,
17	"(D) the deduction allowed by section 170
18	(relating to charitable, etc., contributions and
19	gifts), and
20	"(E) the deduction allowed by section 213
21	(relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) to
22	the extent such deduction is determined under
23	section 213(a)(2) (relating to individuals who
24	have not attained age 65 and are not covered
25	under an employer health plan).

- 1 "(d) NET INCOME TAX.—For purposes of this sec-
- 2 tion, the term 'net income tax' means the sum of the reg-
- 3 ular tax liability and the tax imposed by section 55, re-
- 4 duced by the credits allowable under this part.
- 5 "(e) Estate and Trusts.—This section shall not
- 6 apply to an estate or trust.
- 7 "(f) Section To Be Elective.—This section shall
- 8 apply to a taxpayer for a taxable year only if elected by
- 9 the taxpayer for such year. Such election, once made for
- 10 a taxable year, shall be irrevocable without the consent
- 11 of the Secretary.".
- 12 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of parts for
- 13 such subchapter is amended by adding at the end the fol-
- 14 lowing new item:

"Part VIII. Alternative Determination of Tax Liability for Individuals.".

- 15 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 16 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
- 17 December 31, 2010.
- 18 SEC. 3. REPEAL OF ESTATE AND GIFT TAXES.
- 19 (a) In General.—Subtitle B is hereby repealed.
- 20 (b) Effective Date.—The repeal made by sub-
- 21 section (a) shall apply to the estates of decedents dying,
- 22 and gifts and generation-skipping transfers made, after
- 23 December 31, 2010.

SEC. 4. ALTERNATIVE MINIMUM TAX EXEMPTION AMOUNTS 2 INDEXED FOR INFLATION. 3 (a) In General.—Subsection (d) of section 55 (relating to exemption amount) is amended by adding at the 4 5 end the following new paragraph: 6 "(4) Inflation adjustment.— 7 "(A) IN GENERAL.—In the case of any 8 taxable year beginning in a calendar year after 9 2011, the dollar amounts contained in para-10 graphs (1), (2), and (3) shall be increased by 11 an amount equal to— 12 "(i) such dollar amount, multiplied by 13 "(ii) the cost-of-living adjustment de-14 termined under section 1(f)(3) for the cal-15 endar year in which the taxable year be-16 gins, determined by substituting 'calendar year 2010' for 'calendar year 1992' in sub-17 18 paragraph (B) thereof. 19 "(B) ROUNDING.—Any increase deter-20 mined under subparagraph (A) shall be rounded 21 to the nearest multiple of \$100.". 22 (b) Prior Increase Made Permanent.—Para-23 graph (1) of section 55(d) is amended— 24 (1) by striking "\$45,000 (\$72,450 in the case

of taxable years beginning in 2010 and \$74,450 in

1	the case of taxable years beginning in 2011)" and
2	inserting "\$74,450",
3	(2) by striking "\$33,750 (\$47,450 in the case
4	of taxable years beginning in 2010 and \$48,450 in
5	the case of taxable years beginning in 2011)" and
6	inserting "\$48,450", and
7	(3) by striking "paragraph (1)(A)" and insert-
8	ing "subparagraph (A)".
9	(c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
10	this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
11	December 31, 2010.
12	SEC. 5. MAXIMUM CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATE RE-
13	DUCED TO 25 PERCENT.
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13 14	
13	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b)
13 14 15	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended
13 14 15 16	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows:
13 14 15 16 17	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax im-
13 14 15 16 17	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax imposed by subsection (a) shall be the sum of—
13 14 15 16 17 18	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax imposed by subsection (a) shall be the sum of— "(A) 15 percent of so much of the taxable
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax imposed by subsection (a) shall be the sum of— "(A) 15 percent of so much of the taxable income as does not exceed \$50,000, and
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax imposed by subsection (a) shall be the sum of— "(A) 15 percent of so much of the taxable income as does not exceed \$50,000, and "(B) 25 percent of so much of the taxable
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22	(a) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section 11(b) (relating to amount of tax on corporations) is amended to read as follows: "(1) In General.—The amount of the tax imposed by subsection (a) shall be the sum of— "(A) 15 percent of so much of the taxable income as does not exceed \$50,000, and "(B) 25 percent of so much of the taxable income as exceeds \$50,000.".

- 1 (c) Conforming Amendments.—Paragraphs (1)
- 2 and (2) of section 1445(e) are each amended by striking
- 3 "35 percent" and inserting "25 percent".
- 4 (d) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 5 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
- 6 December 31, 2010; except that the amendments made
- 7 by subsection (c) shall take effect on January 1, 2011.
- 8 SEC. 6. 15 PERCENT RATE ON DIVIDENDS AND CAPITAL
- 9 GAINS OF INDIVIDUALS REDUCED TO 10 PER-
- 10 CENT.
- 11 (a) In General.—Subparagraph (C) of section
- 12 1(h)(1) (relating to maximum capital gains rate) is
- 13 amended by striking "15 percent" and inserting "10 per-
- 14 cent''.
- (b) Effective Date.—The amendment made by
- 16 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
- 17 December 31, 2010.
- 18 SEC. 7. INDEXING OF CERTAIN ASSETS FOR PURPOSES OF
- 19 **DETERMINING GAIN OR LOSS.**
- 20 (a) In General.—Part II of subchapter O of chap-
- 21 ter 1 (relating to basis rules of general application) is
- 22 amended by redesignating section 1023 as section 1024
- 23 and by inserting after section 1022 the following new sec-
- 24 tion:

1	"SEC. 1023. INDEXING OF CERTAIN ASSETS FOR PURPOSES
2	OF DETERMINING GAIN OR LOSS.
3	"(a) General Rule.—
4	"(1) Indexed basis substituted for ad-
5	Justed Basis.—Solely for purposes of determining
6	gain or loss on the sale or other disposition by a tax-
7	payer (other than a corporation) of an indexed asset
8	which has been held for more than 3 years, the in-
9	dexed basis of the asset shall be substituted for its
10	adjusted basis.
11	"(2) Exception for depreciation, etc.—
12	The deductions for depreciation, depletion, and am-
13	ortization shall be determined without regard to the
14	application of paragraph (1) to the taxpayer or any
15	other person.
16	"(b) Indexed Asset.—
17	"(1) In general.—For purposes of this sec-
18	tion, the term 'indexed asset' means—
19	"(A) common stock in a C corporation
20	(other than a foreign corporation), and
21	"(B) tangible property,
22	which is a capital asset or property used in the trade
23	or business (as defined in section 1231(b)).
24	"(2) Stock in Certain foreign Corpora-
25	TIONS INCLUDED.—For purposes of this section—

1	"(A) IN GENERAL.—The term indexed
2	asset' includes common stock in a foreign cor-
3	poration which is regularly traded on an estab-
4	lished securities market.
5	"(B) Exception.—Subparagraph (A)
6	shall not apply to—
7	"(i) stock in a passive foreign invest-
8	ment company (as defined in section
9	1296), and
10	"(ii) stock in a foreign corporation
11	held by a United States person who meets
12	the requirements of section 1248(a)(2).
13	"(C) Treatment of American Deposi-
14	TORY RECEIPTS.—An American depository re-
15	ceipt for common stock in a foreign corporation
16	shall be treated as common stock in such cor-
17	poration.
18	"(c) Indexed Basis.—For purposes of this sec-
19	tion—
20	"(1) In general.—The indexed basis for any
21	asset is—
22	"(A) the adjusted basis of the asset, in-
23	creased by
24	"(B) the applicable inflation adjustment.

1	"(2) Applicable inflation adjustment.—
2	The applicable inflation adjustment for any asset is
3	an amount equal to—
4	"(A) the adjusted basis of the asset, multi-
5	plied by
6	"(B) the percentage (if any) by which—
7	"(i) the gross domestic product
8	deflator for the last calendar quarter end-
9	ing before the asset is disposed of, exceeds
10	"(ii) the gross domestic product
11	deflator for the last calendar quarter end-
12	ing before the asset was acquired by the
13	taxpayer (or, if later, the calendar quarter
14	ending on December 31, 2009).
15	The percentage under subparagraph (B) shall
16	be rounded to the nearest $\frac{1}{10}$ of 1 percentage
17	point.
18	"(3) Gross domestic product deflator.—
19	The gross domestic product deflator for any cal-
20	endar quarter is the implicit price deflator for the
21	gross domestic product for such quarter (as shown
22	in the last revision thereof released by the Secretary
23	of Commerce before the close of the following cal-
24	endar quarter).

1 "(d) Suspension of Holding Period Where Di-2 minished Risk of Loss; Treatment of Short 3 Sales.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—If the taxpayer (or a related person) enters into any transaction which substantially reduces the risk of loss from holding any asset, such asset shall not be treated as an indexed asset for the period of such reduced risk.

"(2) Short sales.—

"(A) In General.—In the case of a short sale of an indexed asset with a short sale period in excess of 3 years, for purposes of this title, the amount realized shall be an amount equal to the amount realized (determined without regard to this paragraph) increased by the applicable inflation adjustment. In applying subsection (c)(2) for purposes of the preceding sentence, the date on which the property is sold short shall be treated as the date of acquisition and the closing date for the sale shall be treated as the date of disposition.

"(B) SHORT SALE PERIOD.—For purposes of subparagraph (A), the short sale period begins on the day that the property is sold and ends on the closing date for the sale.

1	"(e) Treatment of Regulated Investment
2	COMPANIES AND REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS.—
3	"(1) Adjustments at entity level.—
4	"(A) In general.—Except as otherwise
5	provided in this paragraph, the adjustment
6	under subsection (a) shall be allowed to any
7	qualified investment entity (including for pur-
8	poses of determining the earnings and profits of
9	such entity).
10	"(B) Exception for corporate share-
11	HOLDERS.—Under regulations—
12	"(i) in the case of a distribution by a
13	qualified investment entity (directly or in-
14	directly) to a corporation—
15	"(I) the determination of whether
16	such distribution is a dividend shall be
17	made without regard to this section,
18	and
19	"(II) the amount treated as gain
20	by reason of the receipt of any capital
21	gain dividend shall be increased by the
22	percentage by which the entity's net
23	capital gain for the taxable year (de-
24	termined without regard to this sec-
25	tion) exceeds the entity's net capital

1	gain for such year determined with re-
2	gard to this section, and
3	"(ii) there shall be other appropriate
4	adjustments (including deemed distribu-
5	tions) so as to ensure that the benefits of
6	this section are not allowed (directly or in-
7	directly) to corporate shareholders of quali-
8	fied investment entities.
9	For purposes of the preceding sentence, any
10	amount includible in gross income under section
11	852(b)(3)(D) shall be treated as a capital gain
12	dividend and an S corporation shall not be
13	treated as a corporation.
14	"(C) EXCEPTION FOR QUALIFICATION
15	PURPOSES.—This section shall not apply for
16	purposes of sections 851(b) and 856(c).
17	"(D) Exception for certain taxes im-
18	POSED AT ENTITY LEVEL.—
19	"(i) Tax on failure to distribute
20	ENTIRE GAIN.—If any amount is subject to
21	tax under section 852(b)(3)(A) for any
22	taxable year, the amount on which tax is
23	imposed under such section shall be in-
24	creased by the percentage determined
25	under subparagraph (B)(i)(II). A similar

1	rule shall apply in the case of any amount
2	subject to tax under paragraph (2) or (3)
3	of section 857(b) to the extent attributable
4	to the excess of the net capital gain over
5	the deduction for dividends paid deter-
6	mined with reference to capital gain divi-
7	dends only. The first sentence of this
8	clause shall not apply to so much of the
9	amount subject to tax under section
10	852(b)(3)(A) as is designated by the com-
11	pany under section 852(b)(3)(D).
12	"(ii) Other taxes.—This section
13	shall not apply for purposes of determining
14	the amount of any tax imposed by para-
15	graph (4), (5), or (6) of section 857(b).
16	"(2) Adjustments to interests held in
17	ENTITY.—
18	"(A) REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPA-
19	NIES.—Stock in a regulated investment com-
20	pany (within the meaning of section 851) shall
21	be an indexed asset for any calendar quarter in
22	the same ratio as—
23	"(i) the average of the fair market
24	values of the indexed assets held by such

1	company at the close of each month during
2	such quarter, bears to
3	"(ii) the average of the fair market
4	values of all assets held by such company
5	at the close of each such month.
6	"(B) REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT
7	TRUSTS.—Stock in a real estate investment
8	trust (within the meaning of section 856) shall
9	be an indexed asset for any calendar quarter in
10	the same ratio as—
11	"(i) the fair market value of the in-
12	dexed assets held by such trust at the close
13	of such quarter, bears to
14	"(ii) the fair market value of all as-
15	sets held by such trust at the close of such
16	quarter.
17	"(C) Ratio of 80 percent or more.—If
18	the ratio for any calendar quarter determined
19	under subparagraph (A) or (B) would (but for
20	this subparagraph) be 80 percent or more, such
21	ratio for such quarter shall be 100 percent.
22	"(D) Ratio of 20 percent or less.—If
23	the ratio for any calendar quarter determined
24	under subparagraph (A) or (B) would (but for

1	this subparagraph) be 20 percent or less, such
2	ratio for such quarter shall be zero.
3	"(E) Look-thru of Partnerships.—For
4	purposes of this paragraph, a qualified invest-
5	ment entity which holds a partnership interest
6	shall be treated (in lieu of holding a partnership
7	interest) as holding its proportionate share of
8	the assets held by the partnership.
9	"(3) Treatment of return of capital dis-
10	TRIBUTIONS.—Except as otherwise provided by the
11	Secretary, a distribution with respect to stock in a
12	qualified investment entity which is not a dividend
13	and which results in a reduction in the adjusted
14	basis of such stock shall be treated as allocable to
15	stock acquired by the taxpayer in the order in which
16	such stock was acquired.
17	"(4) Qualified investment entity.—For
18	purposes of this subsection, the term 'qualified in-
19	vestment entity' means—
20	"(A) a regulated investment company
21	(within the meaning of section 851), and
22	"(B) a real estate investment trust (within
23	the meaning of section 856).
24	"(f) OTHER PASS-THRU ENTITIES.—
25	"(1) Partnerships.—

1	"(A) IN GENERAL.—In the case of a part-
2	nership, the adjustment made under subsection
3	(a) at the partnership level shall be passed
4	through to the partners.
5	"(B) Special rule in the case of sec-
6	TION 754 ELECTIONS.—In the case of a transfer
7	of an interest in a partnership with respect to
8	which the election provided in section 754 is in
9	effect—
10	"(i) the adjustment under section
11	743(b)(1) shall, with respect to the trans-
12	feror partner, be treated as a sale of the
13	partnership assets for purposes of applying
14	this section, and
15	"(ii) with respect to the transferee
16	partner, the partnership's holding period
17	for purposes of this section in such assets
18	shall be treated as beginning on the date
19	of such adjustment.
20	"(2) S CORPORATIONS.—In the case of an S
21	corporation, the adjustment made under subsection
22	(a) at the corporate level shall be passed through to
23	the shareholders. This section shall not apply for
24	purposes of determining the amount of any tax im-

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posed by section 1374 or 1375.

1	"(3) COMMON TRUST FUNDS.—In the case of a
2	common trust fund, the adjustment made under sub-
3	section (a) at the trust level shall be passed through
4	to the participants.
5	"(4) Indexing adjustment disregarded in
6	DETERMINING LOSS ON SALE OF INTEREST IN ENTI-
7	TY.—Notwithstanding the preceding provisions of
8	this subsection, for purposes of determining the
9	amount of any loss on a sale or exchange of an in-
10	terest in a partnership, S corporation, or common
11	trust fund, the adjustment made under subsection
12	(a) shall not be taken into account in determining
13	the adjusted basis of such interest.
14	"(g) Dispositions Between Related Persons.—
15	"(1) In general.—This section shall not apply
16	to any sale or other disposition of property between
17	related persons except to the extent that the basis
18	of such property in the hands of the transferee is a
19	substituted basis.
20	"(2) Related Persons Defined.—For pur-
21	poses of this section, the term 'related persons'
22	means—
23	"(A) persons bearing a relationship set

forth in section 267(b), and

1	"(B) persons treated as single employer
2	under subsection (b) or (c) of section 414.
3	"(h) Transfers To Increase Indexing Adjust-
4	MENT.—If any person transfers cash, debt, or any other
5	property to another person and the principal purpose of
6	such transfer is to secure or increase an adjustment under
7	subsection (a), the Secretary may disallow part or all of
8	such adjustment or increase.
9	"(i) Special Rules.—For purposes of this section—
10	"(1) Treatment of improvements, etc.—If
11	there is an addition to the adjusted basis of any tan-
12	gible property or of any stock in a corporation dur-
13	ing the taxable year by reason of an improvement to
14	such property or a contribution to capital of such
15	corporation—
16	"(A) such addition shall never be taken
17	into account under subsection $(c)(1)(A)$ if the
18	aggregate amount thereof during the taxable
19	year with respect to such property or stock is
20	less than $$1,000$, and
21	"(B) such addition shall be treated as a
22	separate asset acquired at the close of such tax-
23	able year if the aggregate amount thereof dur-
24	ing the taxable year with respect to such prop-
25	erty or stock is \$1,000 or more.

- A rule similar to the rule of the preceding sentence shall apply to any other portion of an asset to the extent that separate treatment of such portion is appropriate to carry out the purposes of this section.
 - "(2) Assets which are not indexed assets throughout holding period.—The applicable inflation adjustment shall be appropriately reduced for periods during which the asset was not an indexed asset.
 - "(3) TREATMENT OF CERTAIN DISTRIBU-TIONS.—A distribution with respect to stock in a corporation which is not a dividend shall be treated as a disposition.
 - "(4) SECTION CANNOT INCREASE ORDINARY LOSS.—To the extent that (but for this paragraph) this section would create or increase a net ordinary loss to which section 1231(a)(2) applies or an ordinary loss to which any other provision of this title applies, such provision shall not apply. The taxpayer shall be treated as having a long-term capital loss in an amount equal to the amount of the ordinary loss to which the preceding sentence applies.
 - "(5) Acquisition date where there has been prior application of subsection (a)(1) with respect to the taxpayer.—If there has

- been a prior application of subsection (a)(1) to an
- 2 asset while such asset was held by the taxpayer, the
- date of acquisition of such asset by the taxpayer
- 4 shall be treated as not earlier than the date of the
- 5 most recent such prior application.
- 6 "(j) REGULATIONS.—The Secretary shall prescribe
- 7 such regulations as may be necessary or appropriate to
- 8 carry out the purposes of this section.".
- 9 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
- 10 for part II of subchapter O of chapter 1 is amended by
- 11 striking the item relating to section 1023 and inserting
- 12 after the item relating to section 1022 the following new
- 13 items:
 - "Sec. 1023. Indexing of certain assets for purposes of determining gain or loss. "Sec. 1024. Cross references.".
- (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 15 this section shall apply to dispositions after December 31,
- 16 2010, in taxable years ending after such date.
- 17 SEC. 8. RETIREMENT SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.
- 18 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subpart A of part I of subchapter
- 19 D of chapter 1 (relating to pension, profit-sharing, stock
- 20 bonus plans, etc.) is amended by inserting after section
- 21 408A the following new section:
- 22 "SEC. 408B. RETIREMENT SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.
- 23 "(a) General Rule.—Except as provided in this
- 24 section, a Retirement Savings Account shall be treated for

- 1 purposes of this title in the same manner as an individual
- 2 retirement plan.
- 3 "(b) Retirement Savings Account.—For pur-
- 4 poses of this title, the term 'Retirement Savings Account'
- 5 means an individual retirement plan (as defined in section
- 6 7701(a)(37)) which is designated at the time of establish-
- 7 ment of the plan as a Retirement Savings Account. Such
- 8 designation shall be made in such manner as the Secretary
- 9 may prescribe.
- 10 "(c) Treatment of Contributions.—
- 11 "(1) NO DEDUCTION ALLOWED.—No deduction
- shall be allowed under section 219 for a contribution
- to a Retirement Savings Account.
- 14 "(2) CONTRIBUTION LIMIT.—The aggregate
- amount of contributions for any taxable year to all
- 16 Retirement Savings Accounts maintained for the
- benefit of an individual shall not exceed \$5,000.
- 18 "(3) Contributions permitted after age
- 19 70½.—Contributions to a Retirement Savings Ac-
- count may be made even after the individual for
- 21 whom the account is maintained has attained age
- $70\frac{1}{2}$.
- 23 "(4) Mandatory distribution rules not
- 24 TO APPLY BEFORE DEATH.—Notwithstanding sub-
- sections (a)(6) and (b)(3) of section 408 (relating to

1	required distributions), the following provisions shall
2	not apply to any Retirement Savings Account:
3	"(A) Section 401(a)(9)(A).
4	"(B) The incidental death benefit require-
5	ments of section 401(a).
6	"(5) Rollover contributions.—
7	"(A) IN GENERAL.—No rollover contribu-
8	tion may be made to or from a Retirement Sav-
9	ings Account except from or to another such
10	Account, as the case may be.
11	"(B) COORDINATION WITH LIMIT.—Any
12	rollover permitted under subparagraph (A) shall
13	not be taken into account for purposes of para-
14	graph (2).
15	"(6) Time when contributions made.—For
16	purposes of this section, the rule of section 219(f)(3)
17	shall apply.
18	"(d) DISTRIBUTION RULES.—Any qualified distribu-
19	tion (as defined in section $408A(d)(2)$) from a Retirement
20	Savings Account shall not be includible in gross income.".
21	(b) Conforming Amendments.—
22	(1) Clause (vi) of section $1361(c)(2)(A)$ is
23	amended by inserting "or a Retirement Savings Ac-
24	count under section 408B" after "Roth IRA under
25	section 408A"

1	(2) Section 4973 (relating to tax on excess con-
2	tributions to certain tax-favored accounts and annu-
3	ities) is amended by inserting after subsection (g)
4	the following new subsection:
5	"(h) Excess Contributions to Retirement Sav-
6	INGS ACCOUNTS.—For purposes of this section, in the
7	case of contributions to a Retirement Savings Account
8	(within the meaning of section 408B(b)), the term 'excess
9	contributions' means the sum of—
10	"(1) the excess (if any) of—
11	"(A) the amount contributed for the tax-
12	able year to Retirement Savings Accounts
13	(other than a rollover contribution from another
14	such Account), over
15	"(B) \$5,000, and
16	"(2) the amount determined under this sub-
17	section for the preceding taxable year, reduced by
18	the sum of—
19	"(A) the distributions out of the Accounts
20	for the taxable year, and
21	"(B) the excess (if any) of \$5,000 over the
22	amount contributed by the individual to all Re-
23	tirement Savings Accounts for the taxable year.
24	For purposes of this subsection, any contribution
25	which is distributed from a Retirement Savings Ac-

- 1 count in a distribution described in section
- 2 408(d)(4) shall be treated as an amount not contrib-
- 3 uted.".
- 4 (3) The table of sections for subpart A of part
- 5 I of subchapter D of chapter 1 is amended by insert-
- 6 ing after the item relating to section 408A the fol-
- 7 lowing new item:

"Sec. 408B. Retirement Savings Accounts.".

- 8 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 9 this section shall apply to amounts contributed for taxable
- 10 years beginning after December 31, 2010.
- 11 SEC. 9. LIFETIME SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.
- 12 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter F of chapter 1 (relat-
- 13 ing to exempt organizations) is amended by adding at the
- 14 end the following new part:
- 15 "PART IX—LIFETIME SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.

"Sec. 530B. Lifetime Savings Accounts.

- 16 "SEC. 530B. LIFETIME SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.
- 17 "(a) IN GENERAL.—A Lifetime Savings Account
- 18 shall be exempt from taxation under this subtitle. Not-
- 19 withstanding the preceding sentence, the Lifetime Savings
- 20 Account shall be subject to the taxes imposed by section
- 21 511 (relating to imposition of tax on unrelated business
- 22 income of charitable organizations).
- 23 "(b) Definitions and Special Rules.—For pur-
- 24 poses of this section—

1	"(1) LIFETIME SAVINGS ACCOUNT.—The term
2	'Lifetime Savings Account' means a trust created or
3	organized in the United States exclusively for the
4	benefit of an individual who is the designated bene-
5	ficiary of the trust (and designated as a Lifetime
6	Savings Account at the time created or organized)
7	but only if the written governing instrument creating
8	the trust meets the following requirements:
9	"(A) No contribution will be accepted—
10	"(i) unless it is in cash, and
11	"(ii) except in the case of rollover con-
12	tributions from another Lifetime Savings
13	Account, if such contribution would result
14	in aggregate contributions for the taxable
15	year exceeding \$5,000.
16	"(B) The trustee is a bank (as defined in
17	section 408(n)) or another person who dem-
18	onstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary
19	that the manner in which that person will ad-
20	minister the trust will be consistent with the re-
21	quirements of this section or who has so dem-
22	onstrated with respect to any individual retire-
23	ment plan.
24	"(C) No part of the trust assets will be in-
25	vested in life insurance contracts

- 1 "(D) The assets of the trust shall not be 2 commingled with other property except in a 3 common trust fund or common investment
- 4 fund.
- "(2)TIME WHEN CONTRIBUTIONS DEEMED 6 MADE.—An individual shall be deemed to have made a contribution to a Lifetime Savings Account on the 7 last day of the preceding taxable year if the con-8 9 tribution is made on account of such taxable year 10 and is made not later than the time prescribed by 11 law for filing the return for such taxable year (not 12 including extensions thereof).
- "(3) CONTRIBUTIONS RETURNED BEFORE DUE

 DATE OF RETURN.—A rule similar to the rule of section 408(d)(4) shall apply for purposes of this section.
- 17 "(c) DISTRIBUTION NOT INCLUDIBLE.—Distribu-18 tions from a Lifetime Savings Account shall not be includ-19 ible in gross income.
- 20 "(d) Tax Treatment of Accounts.—Rules similar
- 21 to the rules of paragraphs (2) and (4) of section 408(e)
- 22 shall apply to any Lifetime Savings Account.
- 23 "(e) Community Property Laws.—This section
- 24 shall be applied without regard to any community property
- 25 laws.

- 1 "(f) Custodial Accounts.—For purposes of this 2 section, a custodial account shall be treated as a trust if 3 the assets of such account are held by a bank (as defined in section 408(n) or another person who demonstrates, to the satisfaction of the Secretary, that the manner in which he will administer the account will be consistent with the requirements of this section, and if the custodial account 8 would, except for the fact that it is not a trust, constitute an account described in subsection (b)(1)). For purposes 10 of this title, in the case of a custodial account treated as a trust by reason of the preceding sentence, the custodian of such account shall be treated as the trustee thereof. 12 13 "(g) Reports.—The trustee of a Lifetime Savings Account shall make such reports regarding such Account 14 15 to the Secretary and to the beneficiary of the Account with respect to contributions, distributions, and such other 16 17 matters as the Secretary may require. The reports re-18 quired by this subsection shall be filed at such time and in such manner and furnished to such individuals at such 19 time and in such manner as may be required.". 20
- 21 (b) Tax of Excess Contributions.—
 - (1) Subsection (a) of section 4973 (relating to tax on excess contributions to certain tax-favored accounts and annuities) is amended by striking "or" at the end of paragraph (4), by adding "or" at the

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1	end of paragraph (5), and by inserting after para-
2	graph (5) the following new paragraph:
3	"(6) a Lifetime Savings Account (as defined by
4	section 530B(b)),".
5	(2) Section 4973 is amended by inserting after
6	subsection (h) the following new subsection:
7	"(i) Excess Contributions to Lifetime Savings
8	ACCOUNTS.—For purposes of this section, in the case of
9	contributions to a Lifetime Savings Account (within the
10	meaning of section 530B(b)), the term 'excess contribu-
11	tions' means the sum of—
12	"(1) the excess (if any) of—
13	"(A) the amount contributed for the tax-
14	able year to Lifetime Savings Accounts (other
15	than a rollover contribution from another such
16	Account), over
17	"(B) \$5,000, and
18	"(2) the amount determined under this sub-
19	section for the preceding taxable year, reduced by
20	the sum of—
21	"(A) the distributions out of such Accounts
22	for the taxable year, and
23	"(B) the excess (if any) of \$5,000 over the
24	amount contributed by the individual to all such
25	Accounts for the taxable year.

- 1 For purposes of this subsection, any contribution
- which is distributed from a Lifetime Savings Ac-
- 3 count in a distribution described in section
- 4 530B(b)(3) shall be treated as an amount not con-
- 5 tributed.".
- 6 (c) Tax on Prohibited Transactions.—
- 7 (1) In General.—Paragraph (1) of section
- 8 4975(e) (relating to prohibited transactions) is
- 9 amended by striking "or" at the end of subpara-
- graph (F), by redesignating subparagraph (G) as
- subparagraph (H), and by inserting after subpara-
- graph (F) the following new subparagraph:
- 13 "(G) a Lifetime Savings Account described
- in section 530B, or".
- 15 (2) Special rule.—Subsection (c) of section
- 16 4975 is amended by inserting after paragraph (6)
- the following new paragraph:
- 18 "(7) Special rules for lifetime savings
- ACCOUNTS.—An individual for whose benefit a Life-
- time Savings Account is established and any contrib-
- 21 utor to such account shall be exempt from the tax
- imposed by this section with respect to any trans-
- action concerning such account (which would other-
- 24 wise be taxable under this section) if section
- 530B(d) applies with respect to such transaction.".

- 1 (d) Failure To Provide Reports.—Paragraph
- 2 (2) of section 6693(a) (relating to failure to provide re-
- 3 ports on certain tax-favored accounts or annuities; pen-
- 4 alties relating to designated nondeductible contributions)
- 5 is amended by striking "and" at the end of subparagraph
- 6 (D), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph
- 7 (E) and inserting ", and", and by inserting after subpara-
- 8 graph (E) the end the following new subparagraph:
- 9 "(F) section 530B(g) (relating to Lifetime
- Savings Accounts).".
- 11 (e) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of parts for
- 12 subchapter F of chapter 1 is amended by adding at the
- 13 end the following new item:

"Part IX. Lifetime Savings Accounts.".

- 14 SEC. 10. LIFETIME SKILLS ACCOUNTS.
- 15 (a) IN GENERAL.—Part VIII of subchapter F of
- 16 chapter 1 (relating to higher education savings entities)
- 17 is amended by adding at the end the following new section:
- 18 "SEC. 530A. LIFETIME SKILLS ACCOUNTS.
- 19 "(a) IN GENERAL.—A Lifetime Skills Account shall
- 20 be exempt from taxation under this subtitle. Notwith-
- 21 standing the preceding sentence, the Lifetime Skills Ac-
- 22 count shall be subject to the taxes imposed by section 511
- 23 (relating to imposition of tax on unrelated business income
- 24 of charitable organizations).

1	"(b) Definitions and Special Rules.—For pur-
2	poses of this section—
3	"(1) LIFETIME SKILLS ACCOUNT.—The term
4	'Lifetime Skills Account' means a trust created or
5	organized in the United States exclusively for the
6	purpose of paying the qualified life skills expenses of
7	an individual who is the designated beneficiary of
8	the trust (and designated as a Lifetime Skills Ac-
9	count at the time created or organized), but only if
10	the written governing instrument creating the trust
11	meets the following requirements:
12	"(A) No contribution will be accepted—
13	"(i) unless it is in cash, and
14	"(ii) except in the case of rollover con-
15	tributions from another such Account, if
16	such contribution would result in aggregate
17	contributions for the taxable year exceed-
18	ing \$1,000.
19	"(B) The trustee is a bank (as defined in
20	section 408(n)) or another person who dem-
21	onstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary
22	that the manner in which that person will ad-
23	minister the trust will be consistent with the re-
24	quirements of this section or who has so dem-

1	onstrated with respect to any individual retire-
2	ment plan.
3	"(C) No part of the trust assets will be in-
4	vested in life insurance contracts.
5	"(D) The assets of the trust shall not be
6	commingled with other property except in a
7	common trust fund or common investment
8	fund.
9	"(2) QUALIFIED LIFE SKILLS EXPENSES.—The
10	term 'qualified life skills expenses' means expenses
11	for any of the following services:
12	"(A) Comprehensive and specialized as-
13	sessments of the skill levels and service needs of
14	adults and dislocated workers, which may in-
15	clude—
16	"(i) diagnostic testing and use of
17	other assessment tools, and
18	"(ii) in-depth interviewing and evalua-
19	tion to identify employment barriers and
20	appropriate employment goals.
21	"(B) Development of an individual employ-
22	ment plan, to identify the employment goals,
23	appropriate achievement objectives, and appro-
24	priate combination of services for the partici-
25	pant to achieve the employment goals.

1	"(C) Individual counseling and career
2	planning.
3	"(D) Short-term prevocational services, in-
4	cluding development of learning skills, commu-
5	nication skills, interviewing skills, punctuality,
6	personal maintenance skills, and professional
7	conduct, to prepare individuals for unsubsidized
8	employment or training.
9	"(E) Occupational skills training, including
10	training for nontraditional employment.
11	"(F) On-the-job training.
12	"(G) Programs that combine workplace
13	training with related instruction, which may in-
14	clude cooperative education programs.
15	"(H) Training programs operated by the
16	private sector.
17	"(I) Skill upgrading and retraining.
18	"(J) Entrepreneurial training.
19	"(K) Job readiness training.
20	"(L) Adult education and literacy activities
21	provided in combination with services described
22	in any of subparagraphs (E) through (K).
23	"(M) Customized training conducted with
24	a commitment by an employer or group of em-

1	ployers to employ an individual upon successful
2	completion of the training.
3	"(3) Time when contributions deemed
4	MADE.—An individual shall be deemed to have made
5	a contribution to a Lifetime Skills Account on the
6	last day of the preceding taxable year if the con-
7	tribution is made on account of such taxable year
8	and is made not later than the time prescribed by
9	law for filing the return for such taxable year (not
10	including extensions thereof).
11	"(c) Tax Treatment of Distributions.—
12	"(1) In general.—Any distribution from a
13	Lifetime Skills Account shall be includible in the
14	gross income of the distributee in the manner pro-
15	vided in section 72.
16	"(2) Distributions for qualified life
17	SKILLS EXPENSES.—
18	"(A) IN GENERAL.—No amount shall be
19	includible in gross income under paragraph (1)
20	if the qualified life skills expenses of the des-
21	ignated beneficiary during the taxable year are
22	not less than the aggregate distributions during
23	the taxable year.
24	"(B) DISTRIBUTIONS IN EXCESS OF EX-
25	PENSES.—If such aggregate distributions ex-

ceed such expenses during the taxable year, the amount otherwise includible in gross income under paragraph (1) shall be reduced by the amount which bears the same ratio to the amount which would be includible in gross income under paragraph (1) (without regard to this subparagraph) as the qualified life skills expenses bear to such aggregate distributions.

- "(C) COORDINATION WITH OTHER EDU-CATION SAVINGS INCENTIVES.—For purposes of subparagraph (A), rules similar to the rules of subparagraph (C) of section 530(d)(2) shall apply.
- "(D) DISALLOWANCE OF EXCLUDED AMOUNTS AS DEDUCTION, CREDIT, OR EXCLUSION.—No deduction, credit, or exclusion shall be allowed to the taxpayer under any other section of this chapter for any qualified life skills expenses to the extent taken into account in determining the amount of the exclusion under this paragraph.
- "(3) SPECIAL RULES FOR APPLYING ESTATE
 AND GIFT TAXES WITH RESPECT TO ACCOUNT.—
 Rules similar to the rules of paragraphs (2), (4),

1	and (5) of section 529(c) shall apply for purposes of
2	this section.
3	"(4) Additional tax for distributions not
4	USED FOR LIFE SKILLS EXPENSES.—
5	"(A) In General.—The tax imposed by
6	this chapter for any taxable year on any tax-
7	payer who receives a payment or distribution
8	from a Lifetime Skills Account which is includ-
9	ible in gross income shall be increased by 10
10	percent of the amount which is so includible.
11	"(B) Exceptions.—Rules similar to the
12	following rules shall apply for purposes of this
13	subsection:
14	"(i) Subparagraphs (B) and (C) of
15	section $530(d)(4)$.
16	"(ii) Paragraphs (5), (6), (7), and (8)
17	of section 530(d).
18	"(d) Tax Treatment of Accounts.—Rules similar
19	to the rules of paragraphs (2) and (4) of section 408(e)
20	shall apply to any Lifetime Skills Account.
21	"(e) Community Property Laws.—This section
22	shall be applied without regard to any community property
23	laws.
24	"(f) Custodial Accounts.—For purposes of this
25	section, a custodial account shall be treated as a trust if

- 1 the assets of such account are held by a bank (as defined
- 2 in section 408(n) or another person who demonstrates, to
- 3 the satisfaction of the Secretary, that the manner in which
- 4 he will administer the account will be consistent with the
- 5 requirements of this section, and if the custodial account
- 6 would, except for the fact that it is not a trust, constitute
- 7 an account described in subsection (b)(1). For purposes
- 8 of this title, in the case of a custodial account treated as
- 9 a trust by reason of the preceding sentence, the custodian
- 10 of such account shall be treated as the trustee thereof.
- 11 "(g) Reports.—The trustee of a Lifetime Skills Ac-
- 12 count shall make such reports regarding such account to
- 13 the Secretary and to the beneficiary of the Account with
- 14 respect to contributions, distributions, and such other
- 15 matters as the Secretary may require. The reports re-
- 16 quired by this subsection shall be filed at such time and
- 17 in such manner and furnished to such individuals at such
- 18 time and in such manner as may be required.".
- 19 (b) Tax on Excess Contributions.—
- 20 (1) In General.—Subsection (a) of section
- 4973, as amended by section 9 of this Act, is
- amended by striking "or" at the end of paragraph
- 23 (5), by adding "or" at the end of paragraph (6), and
- by inserting after paragraph (6) the following new
- 25 paragraph:

1	"(7) a Lifetime Skills Account (as defined in
2	section 530A(b)),".
3	(2) Excess contribution defined.—Section
4	4973, as amended by section 9 of this Act, is
5	amended by inserting after subsection (i) the fol-
6	lowing new subsection:
7	"(j) Excess Contributions to Lifetime Skills
8	ACCOUNTS.—For purposes of this section, in the case of
9	contributions to a Lifetime Skills Account (within the
10	meaning of section 530A(b)), the term 'excess contribu-
11	tions' means the sum of—
12	"(1) the excess (if any) of—
13	"(A) the amount contributed for the tax-
14	able year to Lifetime Skills Accounts (other
15	than a rollover contribution from another such
16	Account), over
17	"(B) \$1,000, and
18	"(2) the amount determined under this sub-
19	section for the preceding taxable year, reduced by
20	the sum of—
21	"(A) the distributions out of such Accounts
22	for the taxable year, and
23	"(B) the excess (if any) of \$1,000 over the
24	amount contributed by the individual to all such
25	Accounts for the taxable year.

For purposes of this subsection, any contribution which is distributed from a Lifetime Skills Account in a distribution to which rules similar to the rules apply of section 530(d)(4)(C)under section 530B(c)(4)(B)(i) shall be treated as an amount not contributed.".

(c) Tax on Prohibited Transactions.—

- (1) IN GENERAL.—Paragraph (1) of section 4975(e) (relating to prohibited transactions), as amended by section 9 of this Act, is amended by striking "or" at the end of subparagraph (G), by redesignating subparagraph (H) as subparagraph (I), and by inserting after subparagraph (G) the following new subparagraph:
- "(H) a Lifetime Skills Account described in section 530A, or".
 - (2) Special Rule.—Subsection (c) of section 4975, as amended by section 9 of this Act, is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:
 - "(8) Special rules for lifetime skills accounts.—An individual for whose benefit a Lifetime Skills Account is established and any contributor to such account shall be exempt from the tax imposed by this section with respect to any trans-

1	action concerning such account (which would other-
2	wise be taxable under this section) if section
3	530A(d) applies with respect to such transaction."
4	(d) Failure To Provide Reports.—Paragraph
5	(2) of section 6693(a) (relating to failure to provide re-
6	ports on certain tax-favored accounts or annuities; pen-
7	alties relating to designated nondeductible contributions)
8	as amended by section 9 of this Act, is amended by strik-
9	ing "and" at the end of subparagraph (E), by striking
10	the period at the end of subparagraph (F) and inserting
11	", and", and by adding at the end the following new sub-
12	paragraph:
13	"(G) section 530A(g) (relating to Lifetime
14	Skills Accounts).".
15	(e) TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.—
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	(1) Section $26(b)(2)$ is amended by striking
17	(1) Section 26(b)(2) is amended by striking "and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking
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	"and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking
18	"and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (X) and in-
18 19	"and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (X) and in- serting ", and", and by adding at the end the fol-
18 19 20	"and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (X) and inserting ", and", and by adding at the end the following new subparagraph:
18 19 20 21	"and" at the end of subparagraph (W), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (X) and inserting ", and", and by adding at the end the following new subparagraph: "(Y) section 530A(c)(4) (relating to Life-

1	(A) by striking "COVERDELL" in the head-
2	ing,
3	(B) by striking "or under a Coverdell" and
4	inserting ", under a Coverdell", and
5	(C) by inserting ", or under a Lifetime
6	Skills Account (as defined in section 530A(b))"
7	after "530(b))".
8	(3) Subparagraph (C) of section 135(c)(2) is
9	amended—
10	(A) in the heading by striking "AND" and
11	by adding at the end ", AND LIFETIME SKILLS
12	ACCOUNTS",
13	(B) by striking "or to a Coverdell" and in-
14	serting "to a Coverdell", and
15	(C) by inserting ", or to a Lifetime Skills
16	Account (as defined in section 530A(b))" after
17	"530)".
18	(4) Subparagraph (A) of section 221(d)(2) is
19	amended by striking "or 530" and inserting "530,
20	or 530A''.
21	(5) Subparagraph (B) of section 222(c)(2) is
22	amended by striking "or 530(d)(2)" and inserting
23	"530(d)(2), or 530A(c)(2)".
24	(6) Clause (vi) of section $529(c)(3)(B)$ is
25	amended—

1	(A) by adding at the end of the heading
2	"AND LIFETIME SKILLS ACCOUNTS", and
3	(B) by striking "and section 530(d)(2)(A)
4	apply" each place it appears and inserting ",
5	section $530(d)(2)(A)$, and $530A(c)(2)(A)$
6	apply".
7	(7) The table of sections for part VIII of sub-
8	chapter F of chapter 1 is amended by adding at the
9	end the following new item:
	"Sec. 530A. Lifetime Skills Accounts.".
10	(f) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
11	this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
10	December 31, 2010.
12	2000111001 011 2010.
13	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EX-
13	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EX-
13 14	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EX- PENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO
13 14 15	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EX- PENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE
13 14 15 16	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EX- PENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH.
13 14 15 16	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EXPENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (re-
113 114 115 116 117	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EXPENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) is amended to
13 14 15 16 17 18	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EXPENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) is amended to read as follows:
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EXPENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) is amended to read as follows: "(a) Allowance of Deduction.—
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	SEC. 11. EXPANDED DEDUCTION FOR MEDICAL CARE EXPENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) is amended to read as follows: "(a) Allowance of Deduction.— "(1) IN GENERAL.—There shall be allowed as a
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	PENSES; EXPANSION OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS MAY BE PASSED ON DEATH. (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 213 (relating to medical, dental, etc., expenses) is amended to read as follows: "(a) Allowance of Deduction.— "(1) IN GENERAL.—There shall be allowed as a deduction the expenses paid during the taxable year,

1	out regard to subsections $(b)(1)$, $(b)(2)$, and
2	(d)(1)(B) thereof), to the extent that such expenses
3	exceed 7.5 percent of adjusted gross income.
4	"(2) Individuals who have not attained
5	AGE 65 AND ARE NOT COVERED UNDER AN EM-
6	PLOYER PLAN.—
7	"(A) IN GENERAL.—The expenses for med-
8	ical care of an individual which are incurred
9	while the individual is an eligible individual may
10	be taken into account under paragraph (1)
11	without regard to the adjusted gross income
12	threshold.
13	"(B) Eligible individual.—For pur-
14	poses of this paragraph, the term 'eligible indi-
15	vidual' means any individual—
16	"(i) who has not attained age 65 as of
17	the close of the taxable year, and
18	"(ii) who is not covered by any plan
19	sponsored by an employer of such indi-
20	vidual, such individual's spouse, or of any
21	other individual with respect to whom such
22	individual is a dependent (within the
23	meaning of paragraph (1)).
24	"(C) Limitations.—

1	"(i) Per individual.—The amount
2	of each individual's expenses which may be
3	taken into account by reason of subpara-
4	graph (A) for the taxable year shall not ex-
5	ceed \$7,500.
6	"(ii) Per taxpayer.—If expenses for
7	the medical care of more than 1 eligible in-
8	dividual are paid by the taxpayer, clause
9	(i) shall not apply and the aggregate ex-
10	penses which may be taken into account by
11	reason of subparagraph (A) for the taxable
12	year shall not exceed \$15,000.
13	"(D) Unused limitation may be depos-
14	ITED INTO HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT.—
15	"(i) In general.—Except as other-
16	wise provided in this subparagraph, if the
17	limitation under subparagraph (C) applica-
18	ble to an individual exceeds the expenses
19	taken into account by reason of subpara-
20	graph (A), then, for purposes of section
21	223 (relating to health savings accounts)—
22	"(I) such individual shall be
23	treated as an eligible individual for
24	purposes of such section, and

1	"(II) the limitation otherwise ap-
2	plicable under section 223(b) shall be
3	increased by an amount equal to such
4	excess.
5	"(ii) Allocation of Per Taxpayer
6	LIMITATION.—For purposes of clause (i)
7	the limitation under subparagraph (C)(ii)
8	shall be allocated among the individuals
9	whose expenses are paid in proportion to
10	their respective shares of such expenses.
11	"(iii) Treatment of Dependent
12	ENTS.—Clause (i) shall not apply to a de-
13	pendent (within the meaning of paragraph
14	(1)) of the taxpayer, and any excess deter-
15	mined under clause (i) for such dependent
16	shall be allowed to the taxpayer. In the
17	case of a joint return, any excess allowed
18	to the taxpayer under the preceding sen-
19	tence shall be divided equally between the
20	husband and wife.".
21	(b) Heath Savings Accounts May Be Passed to
22	OTHER THAN SPOUSE.—Paragraph (8) of section 223(f)
23	(relating to treatment after death of account beneficiary)
24	is amended to read as follows:

- 1 "(8) Treatment after death of account
- 2 BENEFICIARY.—If an individual acquires the account
- 3 beneficiary's interest in a health savings account by
- 4 reason of being the designated beneficiary of such
- 5 account at the death of the account beneficiary, such
- 6 health savings account shall be treated as if the indi-
- 7 vidual were the account beneficiary.".
- 8 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 9 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
- 10 December 31, 2010.

11 SEC. 12. RESEARCH CREDIT MADE PERMANENT.

- 12 (a) In General.—Section 41 (relating to credit for
- 13 increasing research activities) is amended by striking sub-
- 14 section (h).
- 15 (b) Conforming Amendment.—Paragraph (1) of
- 16 section 45C(b) is amended by striking subparagraph (D).
- 17 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 18 this section shall apply to amounts paid or incurred after
- 19 December 31, 2010.
- 20 sec. 13. Tax provisions of prior laws made perma-
- 21 NENT.
- 22 (a) Economic Growth and Tax Relief Rec-
- 23 ONCILIATION ACT OF 2001.—Title IX of the Economic
- 24 Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 (relat-
- 25 ing to sunset of provisions of Act) is hereby repealed.

1	(b) Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconcili-
2	ATION ACT OF 2003.—
3	(1) Section 107 of the Jobs and Growth Tax
4	Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 (relating to appli-
5	cation of EGTRRA sunset to this title) is hereby re-
6	pealed.
7	(2) Section 303 of the Jobs and Growth Tax
8	Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 is hereby repealed.
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