House Bill No. 2948

By Committee on Taxation

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10 AN ACT relating to income taxation; concerning the historic structure 11 rehabilitation expenditure credit therefrom; amending K.S.A. 2001 12 Supp. 79-32,211 and repealing the existing section. 13

14 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

15Section 1. K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 79-32,211 is hereby amended to read 16 as follows: 79-32,211. (a) For all taxable years commencing after Decem-17ber 31, 2000 2001, there shall be allowed a tax credit against the income, 18 **privilege or premium** tax liability imposed upon a taxpayer pursuant to 19 the Kansas income tax act, the privilege tax imposed upon any national 20 banking association, state bank, trust company or savings and loan as-21sociation pursuant to article 11 of chapter 79 of the Kansas Statutes An-22 notated, or the premiums tax and privilege fees imposed upon an insur-23ance company pursuant to K.S.A. 40-252, and amendments thereto, in an 24amount equal to 25% of qualified expenditures incurred in the restoration 25and preservation of a qualified historic structure pursuant to a qualified 26 rehabilitation plan by a qualified taxpayer if the total amount of such 27 expenditures equal \$5,000 or more. If the amount of such tax credit ex-28ceeds the qualified taxpayer's income, privilege or premium tax liability 29 for the year in which such costs and expenses were incurred, the qual-30 ified rehabilitation plan was placed in service, as defined by section 31 47(b)(1) of the federal internal revenue code and federal regula-32 tion section 1.48-12(f)(2), such excess amount may be carried over for 33 deduction from such taxpayer's income, privilege or premium tax lia-34 bility in the next succeeding year or years until the total amount of the 35 credit has been deducted from tax liability, except that no such credit 36 shall be carried over for deduction after the 10th taxable year succeeding 37 the taxable year in which the qualified expenditures were incurred re-38 habilitation plan was placed in service.

39 (b) As used in this section, unless the context clearly indicates 40 otherwise:

41 "Qualified expenditures" means the costs and expenses incurred (1)42 by a qualified taxpayer in the restoration and preservation of a qualified 43 historic structure pursuant to a qualified rehabilitation plan which are

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3 (2) "qualified historic structure" means any building, whether or not 4 income producing, which is defined as a certified historic structure by 5 section 47 (c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code, is individually listed 6 on the register of Kansas historic places, or is located and contributes to 7 a district listed on the register or of Kansas historic places;

"qualified rehabilitation plan" means a project which is approved 8 (3)9 by the cultural resources division of the state historical society, or by a 10 local government certified by the division to so approve, as being consis-11 tent with the standards for rehabilitation and guidelines for rehabilitation of historic buildings as adopted by the federal secretary of interior and in 1213 effect on the effective date of this act. The society shall adopt rules and 14 regulations providing application and approval procedures necessary to 15effectively and efficiently provide compliance with this act, and may col-16 lect fees in order to defray its approval costs in accordance with rules and 17regulations adopted therefor; and

(4) "qualified taxpayer" means the owner of the qualified historic
structure or any other person who may qualify for the federal rehabilitation credit allowed by section 47 of the federal internal revenue code.

21 If the taxpayer is a corporation having an election in effect under 22 subchapter S of the federal internal revenue code, a partnership 23or a limited liability company, the credit provided by this section 24shall be claimed by the shareholders of such corporation, the part-25ners of such partnership or the members of such limited liability 26 company in the same manner as such shareholders, partners or 27 members account for their proportionate shares of the income or 28loss of the corporation, partnership or limited liability company, 29 or as the corporation, partnership or limited liability company mu-30 tually agree as provided in the by-laws or other executed agree-31 ment. Credits granted to a partnership, a limited liability company 32 taxed as a partnership or other multiple owners of property shall 33 be passed through to the partners, members or owners respec-34 tively pro rata or pursuant to an executed agreement among the 35 partners, members or owners documenting any alternate distri-36 bution method.

- 37 (c) Any person not subject to Kansas income, privilege or premiums
- 38 tax, hereinafter designated the assignor, may sell, assign, convey or oth-
- 39 erwise transfer tax credits allowed and earned pursuant to subsection (a);
- 40 for an amount not less than 50% of the value of any such credit. Such
- 41 *credits shall be deemed to be allowed and earned by any such person* 42 *which is only disqualified therefrom by reason of not being subject to such*
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nated the assignee, may use the amount of the acquired credits to offset up to 100% of its income, privilege or premiums tax liability for either the taxable year in which the qualified rehabilitation plan was first placed into service or the taxable year in which such acquisition was made. Only the full credit amount for any one contribution may be trans-ferred and such credit may be transferred one time. Unused credit amounts claimed by the assignee may be carried forward for up to five years, except that all such amounts shall be claimed within 10 years fol-lowing the tax year in which the contribution was made qualified re-habilitation plan was first placed into service. The assignor shall enter into a written agreement with the assignee establishing the terms and conditions of the agreement and shall perfect such transfer by notifying the cultural resources division of the state historical society in writing within 30 90 calendar days following the effective date of the transfer and shall provide any information as may be required by such division to administer and carry out the provisions of this section. The amount re-ceived by the assignor of such tax credit shall be taxable as income of the assignor, and the excess of the value of such credit over the amount paid by the assignee for such credit shall be taxable as income of the assignee. Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2001 Supp. 79-32,211 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after itspublication in the statute book.

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