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AN ACT to amend the real property tax law, in relation to extending certain provisions relating to a partial tax abatement for residential real property held in the cooperative or condominium form of ownership in a city having a population of one million or more

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Paragraphs (a) and (b) of subdivision 2 of section 467-a of
2 the real property tax law, as amended by chapter 90 of the laws of 2019,
3 are amended to read as follows:
4 (a) In a city having a population of one million or more, dwelling
5 units owned by unit owners who, as of the applicable taxable status
6 date, own no more than three dwelling units in any one property held in
7 the condominium form of ownership, shall be eligible to receive a
8 partial abatement of real property taxes, as set forth in paragraphs
9 (c), (d), (d-1), (d-2), (d-3), (d-4), (d-5) and (d-6) of this subdivi-
10 sion; provided, however, that a property held in the condominium form of
11 ownership that is receiving complete or partial real property tax
12 exemption or tax abatement pursuant to any other provision of this chap-
13 ter or any other state or local law, except as provided in paragraph (f)
14 of this subdivision, shall not be eligible to receive a partial abate-
15 ment pursuant to this section; and provided, further, that sponsors
16 shall not be eligible to receive a partial abatement pursuant to this
17 section; and provided, further, that in the fiscal years commencing in
18 calendar years two thousand twelve through two thousand [~~twenty~~ twen-
19 ty-two no more than a maximum of three dwelling units owned by any unit
20 owner in a single building, one of which must be the primary residence
21 of such unit owner, shall be eligible to receive a partial abatement
22 pursuant to paragraphs (d-1), (d-2), (d-3) and (d-4) of this subdivi-
23 sion.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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1 (b) In a city having a population of one million or more, dwelling
2 units owned by tenant-stockholders who, as of the applicable taxable
3 status date, own no more than three dwelling units in any one property
4 held in the cooperative form of ownership, shall be eligible to receive
5 a partial abatement of real property taxes, as set forth in paragraphs
6 (c), (d), (d-1), (d-2), (d-3), (d-4), (d-5) and (d-6) of this subdivi-
7 sion; provided, however, that a property held in the cooperative form of
8 ownership that is receiving complete or partial real property tax
9 exemption or tax abatement pursuant to any other provision of this chap-
10 ter or any other state or local law, except as provided in paragraph (f)
11 of this subdivision, shall not be eligible to receive a partial abate-
12 ment pursuant to this section; and provided, further, that sponsors
13 shall not be eligible to receive a partial abatement pursuant to this
14 section; and provided, further, that in the fiscal years commencing in
15 calendar years two thousand twelve through two thousand [~~twenty~~ twen-
16 ty-two no more than a maximum of three dwelling units owned by any
17 tenant-stockholder in a single building, one of which must be the prima-
18 ry residence of such tenant-stockholder, shall be eligible to receive a
19 partial abatement pursuant to paragraphs (d-1), (d-2), (d-3) and (d-4)
20 of this subdivision. For purposes of this section, a tenant-stockholder
21 of a cooperative apartment corporation shall be deemed to own the dwell-
22 ing unit which is represented by his or her shares of stock in such
23 corporation. Any abatement so granted shall be credited by the appropri-
24 ate taxing authority against the tax due on the property as a whole. The
25 reduction in real property taxes received thereby shall be credited by
26 the cooperative apartment corporation against the amount of such taxes
27 attributable to eligible dwelling units at the time of receipt.

28 § 2. Paragraphs (d-1), (d-2), (d-3) and (d-4) of subdivision 2 of
29 section 467-a of the real property tax law, as amended by chapter 90 of
30 the laws of 2019, are amended to read as follows:

31 (d-1) In the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two thousand
32 twelve, two thousand thirteen and two thousand fourteen, eligible dwell-
33 ing units in property whose average unit assessed value is less than or
34 equal to fifty thousand dollars shall receive a partial abatement of the
35 real property taxes attributable to or due on such dwelling units of
36 twenty-five percent, twenty-six and one-half percent and twenty-eight
37 and one-tenth percent respectively. In the fiscal years commencing in
38 calendar years two thousand fifteen through two thousand [~~twenty~~ twen-
39 ty-two eligible dwelling units in property whose average unit assessed
40 value is less than or equal to fifty thousand dollars shall receive a
41 partial abatement of the real property taxes attributable to or due on
42 such dwelling units of twenty-eight and one-tenth percent.

43 (d-2) In the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two thousand
44 twelve, two thousand thirteen and two thousand fourteen, eligible dwell-
45 ing units in property whose average unit assessed value is more than
46 fifty thousand dollars, but less than or equal to fifty-five thousand
47 dollars, shall receive a partial abatement of the real property taxes
48 attributable to or due on such dwelling units of twenty-two and one-half
49 percent, twenty-three and eight-tenths percent and twenty-five and two-
50 tenths percent respectively. In the fiscal years commencing in calendar
51 years two thousand fifteen through two thousand [~~twenty~~ twenty-two
52 eligible dwelling units in property whose average unit assessed value is
53 more than fifty thousand dollars, but less than or equal to fifty-five
54 thousand dollars, shall receive a partial abatement of the real property
55 taxes attributable to or due on such dwelling units of twenty-five and
56 two-tenths percent.

1 (d-3) In the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two thousand
2 twelve, two thousand thirteen and two thousand fourteen, eligible dwell-
3 ing units in property whose average unit assessed value is more than
4 fifty-five thousand dollars, but less than or equal to sixty thousand
5 dollars, shall receive a partial abatement of the real property taxes
6 attributable to or due on such dwelling units of twenty percent, twen-
7 ty-one and two-tenths percent, and twenty-two and five-tenths percent
8 respectively. In the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two thou-
9 sand fifteen through two thousand [~~twenty~~] twenty-two eligible dwelling
10 units in property whose average unit assessed value is more than fifty-
11 five thousand dollars, but less than or equal to sixty thousand dollars,
12 shall receive a partial abatement of the real property taxes attribut-
13 able to or due on such dwelling units of twenty-two and five-tenths
14 percent.

15 (d-4) In the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two thousand
16 twelve through two thousand [~~twenty~~] twenty-two, eligible dwelling units
17 in property whose average unit assessed value is more than sixty thou-
18 sand dollars shall receive a partial abatement of the real property
19 taxes attributable to or due on such dwelling units of seventeen and
20 one-half percent.

21 § 3. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 3 of section 467-a of the real prop-
22 erty tax law, as amended by chapter 90 of the laws of 2019, is amended
23 to read as follows:

24 (a) An application for an abatement pursuant to this section for the
25 fiscal year commencing in calendar year nineteen hundred ninety-six
26 shall be made no later than the fifteenth day of September, nineteen
27 hundred ninety-six. An application for an abatement pursuant to this
28 section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year nineteen hundred
29 ninety-seven shall be made no later than the first day of April, nine-
30 teen hundred ninety-seven. An application for an abatement pursuant to
31 this section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year nineteen
32 hundred ninety-eight shall be made no later than the first day of April,
33 nineteen hundred ninety-eight. An application for an abatement pursuant
34 to this section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year nineteen
35 hundred ninety-nine shall be made in accordance with this subdivision
36 and subdivision three-a of this section. An application for an abatement
37 pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year
38 two thousand shall be made no later than the fifteenth day of February,
39 two thousand. An application for an abatement pursuant to this section
40 for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year two thousand one shall
41 be made in accordance with this subdivision and subdivision three-b of
42 this section. An application for an abatement pursuant to this section
43 for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year two thousand two shall
44 be made no later than the fifteenth day of February, two thousand two.
45 An application for an abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal
46 year commencing in calendar year two thousand three shall be made no
47 later than the fifteenth day of February, two thousand three. An appli-
48 cation for an abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal year
49 commencing in calendar year two thousand four shall be made in accord-
50 ance with this subdivision and subdivision three-c of this section. An
51 application for an abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal
52 year commencing in calendar year two thousand five shall be made no
53 later than the fifteenth day of February, two thousand five. An applica-
54 tion for an abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal year
55 commencing in calendar year two thousand six shall be made no later than
56 the fifteenth day of February, two thousand six. An application for an

1 abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in
2 calendar year two thousand seven shall be made no later than the
3 fifteenth day of February, two thousand seven. An application for abate-
4 ment pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar
5 year two thousand eight shall be made in accordance with this subdivi-
6 sion and subdivision three-d of this section. An application for an
7 abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in
8 calendar year two thousand nine shall be made no later than the
9 fifteenth day of February, two thousand nine. An application for an
10 abatement pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in
11 calendar year two thousand ten shall be made no later than the fifteenth
12 day of February, two thousand ten. An application for an abatement
13 pursuant to this section for the fiscal year commencing in calendar year
14 two thousand eleven shall be made no later than the fifteenth day of
15 February, two thousand eleven. An application for an abatement pursuant
16 to this section for the fiscal years commencing in calendar years two
17 thousand twelve and two thousand thirteen shall be made in accordance
18 with subdivision three-e of this section. The date or dates by which
19 applications for an abatement pursuant to this section shall be made for
20 the fiscal years beginning in calendar years two thousand fourteen
21 through two thousand [~~twenty~~ twenty-two] shall be established by the
22 commissioner of finance by rule, provided that such date or dates shall
23 not be later than the fifteenth day of February for such calendar years.
24 § 4. This act shall take effect immediately.