1997 LAWS OF MARYLAND

Annotated Code of Maryland (1994 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Tax - Property

Section 13-405(c)

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Tax - Property

12-108.

- (y) (1) IN THIS SUBSECTION, "PREDECESSOR ENTITY" INCLUDES A:
 - (I) GENERAL PARTNERSHIP;
 - (II) LIMITED PARTNERSHIP;
 - (III) LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP:
 - (IV) LIMITED LIABILITY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP; AND
- (V) <u>PROPRIETORSHIP, COMPRISED OF ONE OR MORE INDIVIDUALS, WHICH IS INVOLVED PRINCIPALLY IN BUYING, SELLING, LEASING, OR MANAGING REAL PROPERTY; AND</u>

(VI) JOINT VENTURE.

- (2) An instrument of writing that transfers title to real property from a [partnership] PREDECESSOR ENTITY OR A TRUSTEE OR NOMINEE OF A PREDECESSOR ENTITY to a limited liability company is not subject to recordation tax if:
- [(1)](I) 1. the members of the limited liability company are identical to the partners of the converting GENERAL partnership, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, OR LIMITED LIABILITY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP; [and] OR
- 2 THE MEMBERS OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ARE IDENTICAL TO THE INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS OF THE CONVERTING PROPRIETORSHIP; OR
- 3. THE MEMBERS OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ARE IDENTICAL TO THE JOINT VENTURES OF THE CONVERTING JOINT VENTURE; AND
- [(2)](II) each member's allocation of the profits and losses of the limited liability company is identical to that member's allocation of the profits and losses of the converting [partnership] PREDECESSOR ENTITY; AND