HOUSE BILL No. 2269

By Committee on Taxation

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9 AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; certain housing for the elderly, persons with disabilities or persons with low income; amending K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 79-201z and repealing the existing section.

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

Section 1. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 79-201z is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-201z. The following described property, to the extent herein specified, shall be and is exempt from all property or ad valorem taxes levied under the laws of the state of Kansas:

- (a) (1) All real property and tangible personal property actually and primarily used for housing for the elderly, persons with disabilities or persons with limited or low income, which is owned solely and operated by an organization recognized as a community housing development organization by the Kansas housing resource corporation and organized notfor-profit under the laws of the state of Kansas or by a corporation organized not-for-profit under the laws of another state and duly admitted to engage in business in this state as a foreign, not-for-profit corporation. provided:
- (A) The property is owned solely and operated by a limited partnership, a limited liability company, an organization recognized as a community housing development organization by the Kansas housing resource corporation, or a corporation, each formed for the purpose of development of low income housing. Low income housing means housing for persons with income at or below 80% of area median income;
- (B) the development utilizes income tax credits under section 42 of the federal internal revenue code of 1986 or the home investment partnership program or other funding sources available for low income housing; and
- (C) the sole general partner, the sole managing member or the corporation itself is organized not-for-profit under the laws of the state of Kansas or under the laws of another state and duly admitted to engage in business in Kansas as a foreign, not-for-profit organization and is recognized as a charitable tax exempt organization by the internal revenue service pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code

1 of 1986.

- 2 (2) For purposes of this subsection, such property shall meet housing 3 quality standards as defined by the United States department of housing 4 and urban development and shall be low cost housing at or below fair 5 market rent.
- 6 (b) The provisions of subsection (a) shall apply to all taxable years 7 commencing after December 31, 2004.
 - Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 79-201z is hereby repealed.
- 9 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.