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Tax Committee SUBJECTS: Tax RE: ICI Submits Comment Letter on NYS UBT Proposal

The ICI submitted the attached comment letter to a New York proposal to impose a state-level unincorporated business tax (UBT). The letter strongly recommends that any state-level UBT be optional. The letter explains that shareholders would be harmed if funds that utilize a master-feeder structure were required to pay UBT as they cannot pass-through state tax credits to their investors.

Also attached for reference is the NYS January 2018 preliminary report that discusses UBT options, as well as the draft UBT proposal.

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Attachment No. 1

Attachment No. 2

Attachment No. 3

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