Department of the Treasury

**Expenses for Business Use of Your Home** 

▶ File only with Schedule C (Form 1040). Use a separate Form 8829 for each home you used for business during the year.

See separate instructions.

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Internal Revenue Service Name(s) of proprietor(s) Your social security number Part I Part of Your Home Used for Business Area used regularly and exclusively for business, regularly for daycare, or for storage of inventory 1 2 2 3 % For daycare facilities not used exclusively for business go to line 4. All others go to line 7. Multiply days used for daycare during year by hours used per day 4 Total hours available for use during the year (365 days  $\times$  24 hours) (see instructions) 5 6 6 Divide line 4 by line 5. Enter the result as a decimal amount . . . L Business percentage. For daycare facilities not used exclusively for business, multiply line 6 by line 3 (enter the result as a percentage). All others, enter the amount from line 3. . . . . . 7 % **Figure Your Allowable Deduction** Enter the amount from Schedule C, line 29, plus any net gain or (loss) derived from the business use of your home and shown on Schedule D or Form 4797. If more than one place of business, see instructions 8 See instructions for columns (a) and (b) before (a) Direct expenses (b) Indirect expenses completing lines 9-21. 9 Casualty losses (see instructions) 9 10 Deductible mortgage interest (see instructions) 10 Real estate taxes (see instructions) . . . . 11 11 12 Add lines 9, 10, and 11 . . . . . . . . . . . . 12 13 13 Multiply line 12, column (b) by line 7 . . . . 14 Add line 12, column (a) and line 13. . . . . 14 15 Subtract line 14 from line 8. If zero or less, enter -0-15 16 Excess mortgage interest (see instructions) . . 16 17 17 18 18 19 19 Repairs and maintenance 20 20 21 Other expenses (see instructions) . . . . 21 22 Add lines 16 through 21 . . . . . . . . . 22 23 Multiply line 22, column (b) by line 7 . . . . . . . . . . . 23 24 Carryover of operating expenses from 2005 Form 8829, line 41 . . . 25 25 Add line 22 in column (a), line 23, and line 24 . . . . . . . . . . . 26 26 Allowable operating expenses. Enter the **smaller** of line 15 or line 25 . . . 27 27 Limit on excess casualty losses and depreciation. Subtract line 26 from line 15 . . . . 28 29 Depreciation of your home from Part III below . . . . . . . . . . . Carryover of excess casualty losses and depreciation from 2005 Form 8829, line 42 31 32 32 Allowable excess casualty losses and depreciation. Enter the smaller of line 27 or line 31 . . . 33 33 34 Casualty loss portion, if any, from lines 14 and 32. Carry amount to Form 4684, Section B . . . Allowable expenses for business use of your home. Subtract line 34 from line 33. Enter here and on Schedule C, line 30. If your home was used for more than one business, see instructions ▶ 35 **Depreciation of Your Home** Part III 36 Enter the **smaller** of your home's adjusted basis or its fair market value (see instructions) . . . 37 37 38 38 39 39 Depreciation percentage (see instructions) . . . . . 40 % 40 Depreciation allowable (see instructions). Multiply line 39 by line 40. Enter here and on line 29 above 41 41 Carryover of Unallowed Expenses to 2007 Part IV Operating expenses. Subtract line 26 from line 25. If less than zero, enter -0- . . . . 42

Excess casualty losses and depreciation. Subtract line 32 from line 31. If less than zero, enter -0-

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