

such case, such income shall be taxable as provided in subsection ~~(a)(1)~~ whether or not such corporation is engaged in trade or business within the United States during the taxable year. An election under this paragraph for any taxable year shall remain in effect for all subsequent taxable years, except that it may be revoked with the consent of the Secretary or his delegate with respect to any taxable year.

~~“(2) ELECTION AFTER REVOCATION, ETC.—~~Paragraphs ~~(2)~~ and ~~(3)~~ of section 871(d) shall apply in respect of elections under this subsection in the same manner and to the same extent as they apply in respect of elections under section 871(d).

~~“(c) RETURNS OF TAX BY AGENT.—~~If any foreign corporation has no office or place of business in the United States but has an agent in the United States, the return required under section 6012 shall be made by the agent.”

~~(2)(A)~~ Subsection ~~(c)~~ of section 11 (relating to exceptions from tax on corporations) is amended by inserting “or” at the end of paragraph 2), by striking out “, or” at the end of paragraph ~~(3)~~ and inserting a period in lieu thereof, and by striking out paragraph ~~(4)~~.