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It appears that you will be characterizing payments at the partnership level that will affect the taxability of the partners. To the extent that the partners are affected, only a Form 872-P at the partnership level, of a Form 872-i at the partner level, will extend the statute for assessing the three direct partners and the shareholder of the S corporation. The shareholder of the S corporation would have to sign the 872-i rather than the S corp. S corps pay no taxes and have no power to bind their shareholders. So there would be no point in getting the S corp to sign.

TEFRA generally does not apply to subtitle C issues.