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House Bill 5591 (Substitute S-2 as reported) Sponsor: Representative Nancy Cassis

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Income Tax Act to require the Department of Treasury to provide a clear and concise listing of each credit and deduction allowed under the Act, and a reference to a detailed explanation, in the instruction booklet that accompanies the annual return. The Department also would have to post the list on its official website.

MCL 206.471 Legislative Analyst: George Towne

FISCAL IMPACT

This bill would have a minimal fiscal impact on the State. Depending on the additional information that would be included, the bill could lengthen the instruction booklet for income tax filing. There could be a marginal increase in the printing cost of the booklet. No costs are anticipated from posting the information on the Department's website.

There would be no fiscal impact on local government.

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