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SBT TAX BASE: LIMIT SUBTRACTION

House Bill 4572

Sponsor: Rep. Jack Minore Committee: Tax Policy

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4572 AS INTRODUCED 4-10-03

Section 9 of the Single Business Tax Act lists a number of additions and subtractions to be made in calculating the tax base on which the tax is levied. Among those, the act allows a firm to add the loss or subtract the gain attributable to another entity whose business activities are taxable under the act or would be taxable . . . if the business activities were in this state. House Bill 4572 would delete the underlined portion of that provision. The bill would take effect for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2004.

[The Department of Treasury has characterized this change as allowing single business tax taxpayers to deduct gains received from an affiliate, and requiring an addition for losses, only if the affiliate is subject to the single business tax.]

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