SENATE BILL No. 748

October 12, 2011, Introduced by Senators HILDENBRAND and HANSEN and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967,"

(MCL 206.1 to 206.713) by adding section 31a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 31A. (1) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS ACT
- 2 AND FOR THE 2012 TAX YEAR AND EACH TAX YEAR AFTER 2012, "TAXABLE
- 3 INCOME" MEANS TAXABLE INCOME AS DETERMINED UNDER SECTION 30 AND,
- 4 EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED, SUBSEQUENTLY ADJUSTED UNDER THIS
- 5 SECTION.
- 6 (2) FOR THE 2012 TAX YEAR AND EACH TAX YEAR AFTER 2012 AND TO
 - THE EXTENT AND FOR THE DURATION PROVIDED IN THE MICHIGAN
- 8 RENAISSANCE ZONE ACT, 1996 PA 376, MCL 125.2681 TO 125.2696, TO
- DETERMINE TAXABLE INCOME, A QUALIFIED TAXPAYER MAY DEDUCT, TO THE

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- 1 EXTENT INCLUDED IN ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME, AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE
- 2 SUM OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 3 (A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISIONS (B), (C), AND (D),
- 4 INCOME EARNED OR RECEIVED DURING THE PERIOD OF TIME THAT THE
- 5 OUALIFIED TAXPAYER WAS A RESIDENT OF A RENAISSANCE ZONE.
- 6 (B) INTEREST AND DIVIDENDS RECEIVED IN THE TAX YEAR DURING THE
- 7 PERIOD THAT THE QUALIFIED TAXPAYER WAS A RESIDENT OF A RENAISSANCE
- 8 ZONE.
- 9 (C) CAPITAL GAINS RECEIVED IN THE TAX YEAR PRORATED BASED ON
- 10 THE PERCENTAGE OF TIME THAT THE ASSET WAS HELD BY THE QUALIFIED
- 11 TAXPAYER WHILE THE QUALIFIED TAXPAYER WAS A RESIDENT OF THE
- 12 RENAISSANCE ZONE.
- 13 (D) INCOME RECEIVED BY THE QUALIFIED TAXPAYER FROM WINNING AN
- 14 ON-LINE LOTTERY GAME SPONSORED BY THIS STATE ONLY IF THE DATE ON
- 15 WHICH THE DRAWING FOR THAT GAME WAS HELD WAS AFTER THE TAXPAYER
- 16 BECAME A RESIDENT OF A RENAISSANCE ZONE AND INCOME RECEIVED BY THE
- 17 QUALIFIED TAXPAYER FROM WINNING AN INSTANT LOTTERY GAME SPONSORED
- 18 BY THIS STATE ONLY IF THE TAXPAYER WAS A RESIDENT OF A RENAISSANCE
- 19 ZONE ON THE VALIDATION DATE OF THE LOTTERY TICKET FOR THAT GAME.
- 20 (3) INCOME USED TO CALCULATE A DEDUCTION UNDER ANY OTHER
- 21 SECTION OF THIS ACT SHALL NOT BE USED TO CALCULATE A DEDUCTION
- 22 UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 23 (4) IF A QUALIFIED TAXPAYER COMPLETES THE RESIDENCY
- 24 REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBSECTION (11)(D) BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2012, THE
- 25 QUALIFIED TAXPAYER MAY CLAIM THE DEDUCTION ALLOWED UNDER THIS
- 26 SECTION.
- 27 (5) TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE DEDUCTION UNDER THIS SECTION, A

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- 1 TAXPAYER SHALL FILE AN ANNUAL RETURN UNDER THIS ACT.
- 2 (6) A QUALIFIED TAXPAYER SHALL FILE A WITHHOLDING FORM
- 3 PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT WITH HIS OR HER EMPLOYER WITHIN 10
- 4 DAYS AFTER THE DATE THE TAXPAYER COMPLETES THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER
- 5 SUBSECTION (11) (D).
- 6 (7) IF THE DEPARTMENT FINDS THAT A TAXPAYER HAS CLAIMED A
- 7 DEDUCTION UNDER THIS SECTION TO WHICH HE OR SHE IS NOT ENTITLED,
- 8 THE TAXPAYER IS SUBJECT TO THE INTEREST AND PENALTY PROVISIONS
- 9 UNDER 1941 PA 122, MCL 205.1 TO 205.31.
- 10 (8) ANY PORTION OF TAXABLE INCOME DERIVED FROM ILLEGAL
- 11 ACTIVITY CONDUCTED ANYWHERE SHALL NOT BE USED TO CALCULATE A
- 12 DEDUCTION UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 13 (9) THE NET OPERATING LOSS DEDUCTION ALLOWED UNDER SECTION
- 14 30(1)(N) SHALL BE CALCULATED WITHOUT REGARD TO THE DEDUCTIONS
- 15 ALLOWED UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 16 (10) IF A TAXPAYER WHO WAS A QUALIFIED TAXPAYER DURING THE TAX
- 17 YEAR CHANGES STATUS AND IS NOT A QUALIFIED TAXPAYER OR VICE VERSA,
- 18 INCOME SUBJECT TO TAX UNDER THIS ACT SHALL BE DETERMINED SEPARATELY
- 19 FOR INCOME IN EACH STATUS.
- 20 (11) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 21 (A) "DOMICILE" MEANS A PLACE WHERE A PERSON HAS HIS OR HER
- 22 TRUE, FIXED, AND PERMANENT HOME AND PRINCIPAL ESTABLISHMENT TO
- 23 WHICH, WHENEVER ABSENT, HE OR SHE INTENDS TO RETURN, AND DOMICILE
- 24 CONTINUES UNTIL ANOTHER PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IS ESTABLISHED.
- 25 (B) "QUALIFIED TAXPAYER" MEANS A TAXPAYER THAT IS A RESIDENT
- 26 OF A RENAISSANCE ZONE BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2012 AND THAT HAS GROSS
- 27 INCOME NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000,000.00 FOR ANY TAX YEAR FOR WHICH THE

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- 1 TAXPAYER CLAIMS A CREDIT UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 2 (C) "RENAISSANCE ZONE" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 3
- 3 OF THE MICHIGAN RENAISSANCE ZONE ACT, 1996 PA 376, MCL 125.2683.
- 4 (D) "RESIDENT" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL DOMICILED IN AN AREA THAT
- 5 IS DESIGNATED A RENAISSANCE ZONE FOR A PERIOD OF 183 CONSECUTIVE
- 6 DAYS. A TAXPAYER MAY BEGIN CALCULATING THE 183-DAY PERIOD DURING
- 7 THE 183 DAYS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE DESIGNATION OF THE AREA AS A
- 8 RENAISSANCE ZONE. RESIDENT INCLUDES THE ESTATE OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHO
- 9 WAS A RESIDENT OF A RENAISSANCE ZONE AT THE TIME OF DEATH. AFTER A
- 10 TAXPAYER HAS COMPLETED THE 183-DAY RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS
- 11 SUBDIVISION, THE TAXPAYER IS CONSIDERED TO HAVE BEEN A RESIDENT OF
- 12 THAT RENAISSANCE ZONE BEGINNING FROM THE FIRST DAY USED TO
- 13 DETERMINE IF THE 183-DAY RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT HAS BEEN MET.
- 14 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect January
- **15** 1, 2012.