

151st GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL NOTE

BILL: HOUSE BILL NO. 191

AS AMENDED BY: HA 1

SPONSOR: Representative Collins

DESCRIPTION: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 30 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO

LOWERING CERTAIN TAX RATES.

Assumptions:

1. Section 1 of this Act which reduces personal income tax rates becomes effective upon enactment. Section 2 of this Act which reduces the corporate income tax rate becomes effective January 1 of the taxable year beginning after the implementation of the third phase of the Department of Finance's revenue information system. Sections 3-15 of this Act which reduces the gross receipts tax rates become effective January 1, 2022.

- 2. This Act reduces the personal income tax rates for all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2021, as follows:
 - a. For taxable income in excess of \$2,000, but not in excess of \$5,000, from 2.2% to 1.98%.
 - b. For taxable income in excess of \$5,000, but not in excess of \$10,000, from 3.9% to 3.51%.
 - c. For taxable income in excess of \$10,000, but not in excess of \$20,000, from 4.8% to 4.32%.
 - d. For taxable income in excess of \$20,000, but not in excess of \$25,000, from 5.2% to 4.68%.
 - e. For taxable income in excess of \$25,000, but not in excess of \$60,000, from 5.55% to 4.99%.
 - f. For taxable income in excess of \$60,000, from 6.6% to 5.94%.
- 3. This Act reduces the corporation income tax rate from 8.7% to 6.1%.
- 4. This Act reduces the gross receipts tax rates as follows:
 - a. Contractor license fees from 0.6472% to 0.3236%.
 - b. Manufacturer license fees from 0.126% to 0.063%.
 - c. Clean energy technology device manufacturer license fees from 0.0945% to 0.04725%.
 - d. Automobile manufacturer license fees from 0.0945% to 0.04725%.
 - e. Wholesaler license fees from 0.3983% to 0.19915%.
 - f. Petroleum product products from 0.2489% to 0.12445%.
 - g. Food processor license fees from 0.1991% to 0.09955%.
 - h. Commercial feed dealers license fees from 0.0996% to 0.0498%.
 - i. Retailer and transient retailer license fees from 0.7468% to 0.3734%.
 - j. Restaurant retailer license fees from 0.6472% to 0.3236%.
 - k. Farm machinery retailer license fees from 0.996% to 0.0498%
 - I. Grocery store retailer license fees from 0.3267% to 0.16335%.
 - m. Occupational, Professional and General Service from 0.3983% to 0.1992%.

Estimated General Fund Revenue Loss:

Fiscal Year 2022: \$101.9 million Fiscal Year 2023: \$282.1 million Fiscal Year 2024: \$321.7 million

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