April 25, 2009

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2199

That the House recede from its amendments as printed on pages 1281-1284 of the Senate Journal and pages 1357-1360 of the House Journal and that Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 2199 be amended as follows:

- Page 1, line 1, after "Act" insert "to create a property tax relief sustainability fund;"
- Page 1, line 4, replace "and" with a comma and after "57-15-31" insert ", and 57-38-30 and subsection 1 of section 57-38-30.3"
- Page 1, line 5, after "districts" insert ", corporate income tax rates, and income tax rates for individuals, estates, and trusts" and after the second semicolon insert "to provide for transfers;"
- Page 2, line 22, after "4." insert "The authority for a levy of up to a specific number of mills under this section approved by electors of a school district before July 1, 2009, is terminated effective for taxable years after 2012. If the electors of a school district subject to this subsection have not approved a levy for taxable years after 2012 of up to a specific number of mills under this section by December 31, 2012, the school district levy limitation for subsequent years is subject to the limitations under section 57-15-01.1 or this section.

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- Page 2, line 23, replace "2010" with "2012"
- Page 2, line 24, after "of" insert "up to"
- Page 2, line 25, replace "2010" with "2012"

Page 3, after line 29, insert:

"**SECTION 4. AMENDMENT.** Section 57-38-30 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- **57-38-30.** Imposition and rate of tax on corporations. A tax is hereby imposed upon the taxable income of every domestic and foreign corporation which must be levied, collected, and paid annually as in this chapter provided:
 - 1. a. For the first three thirty-five thousand dollars of taxable income, at the rate of two and six-tenths percent.
 - b. On all taxable income above three exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars and not in excess of eight exceeding fifty thousand dollars, at the rate of four and one tenth five percent.
 - c. On all taxable income above eight exceeding fifty thousand dollars and not in excess of twenty thousand dollars, at the rate of five and six tenths six and one-tenth percent.

- On all taxable income above twenty thousand dollars and not in excess of thirty thousand dollars, at the rate of six and four-tenths percent.
- On all taxable income above thirty thousand dollars, at the rate of six and one-half percent.
- 2. A corporation that has paid North Dakota alternative minimum tax in years beginning before January 1, 1991, may carry over any alternative minimum tax credit remaining to the extent of the regular income tax liability of the corporation for a period not to exceed four taxable years.

SECTION 5. AMENDMENT. Subsection 1 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

A tax is hereby imposed for each taxable year upon income earned or received in that taxable year by every resident and nonresident individual, estate, and trust. A taxpayer computing the tax under this section is only eligible for those adjustments or credits that are specifically provided for in this section. Provided, that for purposes of this section, any person required to file a state income tax return under this chapter, but who has not computed a federal taxable income figure, shall compute a federal taxable income figure using a pro forma return in order to determine a federal taxable income figure to be used as a starting point in computing state income tax under this section. The tax for individuals is equal to North Dakota taxable income multiplied by the rates in the applicable rate schedule in subdivisions a through d corresponding to an individual's filing status used for federal income tax purposes. For an estate or trust, the schedule in subdivision e must be used for purposes of this subsection.

Single, other than head of household or surviving spouse. a.

If North Dakota taxable income is: Not over \$27.050 \$33.950 Over \$27,050 \$33,950 but not over \$65,550 \$82,250

Over \$65,550 \$82,250 but not over \$136,750 \$171,550

Over \$136,750 \$171,550 but not

over \$297,350 \$372,950 Over \$297,350 \$372,950 The tax is equal to: 2.10% 1.87%

\$568.05 \$634.87 plus 3.92% 3.49% of amount over \$27,050 \$33,950 \$2,077.25 \$2,320.54 plus 4.34% 3.87%

of amount over \$65,550 \$82,250

\$5,167.33 \$5,776.45 plus 5.04% 4.49% of amount over \$136,750 \$171,550

\$13,261.57 \$14,819.31 plus 5.54% 4.94%

of amount over \$297,350 \$372,950

b. Married filing jointly and surviving spouse.

If North Dakota taxable income is: The tax is equal to: Not over \$45,200 \$56,750

Over \$45,200 \$56,750 but not over \$109,250 \$137,050

Over \$109,250 \$137,050 but not

over \$166,500 \$208,850

Over \$166,500 \$208,850 but not

over \$297,350 \$372,950 Over \$297,350 \$372,950 2.10% 1.87%

\$949.20 \$1,061.23 plus 3.92% 3.49%

of amount over \$45,200 \$56,750

\$3,459.96 \$3,863.70 plus 4.34% 3.87% of amount over \$109,250 \$137,050 \$5,944.61 \$6,642.36 plus 5.04% 4.49% of amount over \$166,500 \$208,850

\$12,539.45 \$14,010.45 plus 5.54% 4.94% of amount over \$297,350 \$372,950

Married filing separately.

If North Dakota taxable income is: The tax is equal to: Not over \$22,600 \$28,375 2.10% 1.87%

Over \$22,600 \$28,375 but not over \$54,625 \$68,525

Over \$54,625 \$68,525 but not

\$474.60 \$530.61 plus 3.92% 3.49% of amount over \$22,600 \$28,375 \$1,729.98 \$1,931.85 plus 4.34% 3.87% over \$83,250 \$104,425 Over \$83,250 \$104,425 but not over \$148,675 \$186,475 Over \$148,675 \$186,475

d. Head of household. If North Dakota taxable income is: Not over \$36,250 \$45,500 Over \$36,250 \$45,500 but not over \$93,650 \$117,450 Over \$93,650 \$117,450 but not over \$151,650 \$190,200 Over \$151,650 \$190,200 but not over \$297,350 \$372,950

Over \$297,350 \$372,950

of amount over \$54,625 \$68,525 \$2,972.31 \$3,321.18 plus 5.04% 4.49% of amount over \$83,250 \$104,425 \$6,269.73 \$7,005.22 plus 5.54% 4.94% of amount over \$148,675 \$186,475

The tax is equal to: 2.10% 1.87% \$761.25 \$850.85 plus 3.92% 3.49% of amount over \$36,250 \$45,500 \$3,011.33 \$3,361.91 plus 4.34% 3.87% of amount over \$93,650 \$117,450 \$5,528.53 \$6,177.33 plus 5.04% 4.49% of amount over \$151,650 \$190,200 \$12,871.81 \$14,382.81 plus 5.54% 4.94% of amount over \$297,350 \$372,950

e. Estates and trusts. If North Dakota taxable income is: Not over \$1,800 \$2,300 Over \$1,800 \$5,350 Over \$4,250 \$5,350 over \$4,250 \$5,350 over \$6,500 \$8,200 Over \$6,500 \$8,200 over \$6,500 \$11,150 Over \$8,900 \$11,150

The tax is equal to: 2.10% 1.87% \$37.80 \$43.01 plus 3.92% 3.49% of amount over \$1,800 \$2,300 \$133.84 \$149.46 plus 4.34% 3.87% of amount over \$4,250 \$5,350 \$231.49 \$259.75 plus 5.04% 4.49% of amount over \$6,500 \$8,200 \$352.45 \$392.21 plus 5.54% 4.94% of amount over \$8,900 \$11,150

- f. For an individual who is not a resident of this state for the entire year, or for a nonresident estate or trust, the tax is equal to the tax otherwise computed under this subsection multiplied by a fraction in which:
 - (1) The numerator is the federal adjusted gross income allocable and apportionable to this state; and
 - (2) The denominator is the federal adjusted gross income from all sources reduced by the net income from the amounts specified in subdivisions a and b of subsection 2.

In the case of married individuals filing a joint return, if one spouse is a resident of this state for the entire year and the other spouse is a nonresident for part or all of the tax year, the tax on the joint return must be computed under this subdivision.

g. For taxable years beginning after December 31, 2004 2009, the tax commissioner shall prescribe new rate schedules that apply in lieu of the schedules set forth in subdivisions a through e. The new schedules must be determined by increasing the minimum and maximum dollar amounts for each income bracket for which a tax is imposed by the cost-of-living adjustment for the taxable year as determined by the secretary of the United States treasury for purposes of section 1(f) of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended. For this purpose, the rate applicable to each income bracket may not be changed, and the manner of applying the cost-of-living adjustment must be the same as that used for adjusting the income brackets for federal income tax purposes."

Page 5, after line 2, insert:

"7. For all purposes under law relating to allocation of funds among political subdivisions based on property tax levies, property taxes levied by a school district are the amount that would have been levied without the mill reduction grant provided to the school district under this chapter."

Page 5, line 5, replace "combined education" with "general fund"

Page 5, line 8, replace "combined education" with "general fund"

Page 5, line 19, replace "combined education" with "general fund"

Page 5, line 26, replace "combined" with "general fund"

Page 5, line 27, remove "education"

Page 5, line 30, after "district" insert "general fund"

Page 6, after line 6, insert:

"SECTION 7. Property tax relief sustainability fund. The property tax relief sustainability fund is a special fund in the state treasury. Moneys in the fund may be spent, pursuant to legislative appropriations, for property tax relief programs."

Page 6, line 8, replace "permanent oil tax trust" with "general"

Page 6, after line 11, insert:

"SECTION 9. TRANSFER - PERMANENT OIL TAX TRUST FUND - GENERAL FUND. The office of management and budget shall transfer the sum of \$295,000,000 from the permanent oil tax trust fund to the general fund on July 1, 2009.

SECTION 10. TRANSFER - PERMANENT OIL TAX TRUST FUND - PROPERTY TAX RELIEF SUSTAINABILITY FUND. The office of management and budget shall transfer the sum of \$295,000,000 from the permanent oil tax trust fund to the property tax relief sustainability fund on July 1, 2010."

Page 6, line 12, remove "and" and after "3" insert ", 4, and 5"

Renumber accordingly