

Senate Bill 448

Sponsored by Senator GEORGE (Presession filed.)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Decreases personal income tax rates imposed on income that is distributive share of partnership income, income of shareholder of S corporation or trade or business income of sole proprietor.

Applies to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2014.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to rates of taxation of certain business entities; creating new provisions; amending ORS 316.037; and prescribing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. ORS 316.037 is amended to read:

316.037. (1)(a) **Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section**, a tax is imposed for each taxable year on the entire taxable income of every resident of this state. The amount of the tax shall be determined in accordance with the following table:

If taxable income is:	The tax is:
Not over \$2,000	5% of taxable income
Over \$2,000 but not over \$5,000	\$100 plus 7% of the excess over \$2,000
Over \$5,000 but not over \$125,000	\$310 plus 9% of the excess over \$5,000
Over \$125,000	\$11,110 plus 9.9% of the excess over \$125,000

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

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2 (b) For tax years beginning in each calendar year, the Department of Revenue shall adopt a
3 table that shall apply in lieu of the table contained in paragraph (a) of this subsection, as follows:

4 (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (D) of this paragraph, the minimum and maximum dollar
5 amounts for each bracket for which a tax is imposed shall be increased by the cost-of-living adjust-
6 ment for the calendar year.

7 (B) The rate applicable to any rate bracket as adjusted under subparagraph (A) of this para-
8 graph shall not be changed.

9 (C) The amounts setting forth the tax, to the extent necessary to reflect the adjustments in the
10 rate brackets, shall be adjusted.

11 (D) The rate brackets applicable to taxable income in excess of \$125,000 may not be adjusted.

12 (c) For purposes of paragraph (b) of this subsection, the cost-of-living adjustment for any calen-
13 dar year is the percentage (if any) by which the monthly averaged U.S. City Average Consumer
14 Price Index for the 12 consecutive months ending August 31 of the prior calendar year exceeds the
15 monthly averaged index for the second quarter of the calendar year 1992.

16 (d) As used in this subsection, "U.S. City Average Consumer Price Index" means the U.S. City
17 Average Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (All Items) as published by the Bureau of
18 Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor.

19 (e) If any increase determined under paragraph (b) of this subsection is not a multiple of \$50,
20 the increase shall be rounded to the next lower multiple of \$50.

21 (2) **Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section**, a tax is imposed for each taxable
22 year upon the entire taxable income of every part-year resident of this state. The amount of the tax
23 shall be computed under subsection (1) of this section as if the part-year resident were a full-year
24 resident and shall be multiplied by the ratio provided under ORS 316.117 to determine the tax on
25 income derived from sources within this state.

26 (3) **Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section**, a tax is imposed for each taxable
27 year on the taxable income of every full-year nonresident that is derived from sources within this
28 state. The amount of the tax shall be determined in accordance with the table set forth in subsection
29 (1) of this section.

30 (4)(a) **Tax imposed under this chapter on a distributive share of partnership income, on**
31 **income of a shareholder of an S corporation or on trade or business income of a sole pro-**
32 **prietor shall be computed separately from all other taxable income.**

33 (b) **Tax imposed under this chapter shall be imposed and computed on the total amount**
34 **of the taxpayer's income described in paragraph (a) of this subsection by applying the rates**
35 **provided in ORS 317.061.**

36 **SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 316.037 by section 1 of this 2013 Act apply to tax**
37 **years beginning on or after January 1, 2014.**

38 **SECTION 3. This 2013 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2013**
39 **regular session of the Seventy-seventh Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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