

Requested by HOUSE COMMITTEE ON REVENUE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
HOUSE BILL 2061**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after “amending” delete the rest of  
2 the line and delete line 3 and insert “ORS 316.043; repealing ORS 316.044;  
3 and prescribing an effective date.”.

4 Delete lines 5 through 29 and delete pages 2 through 8 and insert:

5 **“SECTION 1.** ORS 316.043 is amended to read:

6 “316.043. (1) As used in this section:

7 “(a) ‘Material participation’ has the meaning given that term in section  
8 469 of the Internal Revenue Code.

9 “(b) ‘Nonpassive income’ means income other than income from passive  
10 activity as determined under section 469 of the Internal Revenue Code.  
11 ‘Nonpassive income’ does not include wages, interest, dividends or capital  
12 gains.

13 “(c) ‘Nonpassive loss’ means loss other than loss from passive activity as  
14 determined under section 469 of the Internal Revenue Code.

15 “(2) If a taxpayer that meets the conditions of subsection [(6)] (5) of this  
16 section has nonpassive income attributable to any partnership or S corpo-  
17 ration after reduction for nonpassive losses, that portion of the taxpayer’s  
18 income that meets the conditions of subsection [(6)] (5) of this section shall  
19 be taxed at:

20 “(a) The rate applicable under ORS 316.037; or

21 “(b) At the election of the taxpayer, a rate of:

1 “(A) Seven percent of the first \$250,000 of taxable income, or fraction  
2 thereof;

3 “(B) Seven and two-tenths percent of taxable income exceeding \$250,000  
4 but not exceeding \$500,000;

5 “(C) Seven and six-tenths percent of taxable income exceeding \$500,000  
6 but not exceeding \$1 million;

7 “(D) Eight percent of taxable income exceeding \$1 million but not ex-  
8 ceeding \$2.5 million;

9 “(E) Nine percent of taxable income exceeding \$2.5 million but not ex-  
10 ceeding \$5 million; and

11 “(F) Nine and nine-tenths percent of taxable income exceeding \$5 million.

12 “[~~(3)~~ *The reduced rates allowed under subsection (2)(b) of this section may*  
13 *be adjusted as provided in ORS 316.044.*]

14 “[~~(4)~~] **(3)** A taxpayer shall use the subtractions, deductions or additions  
15 otherwise allowed under this chapter in the calculation of income that is  
16 taxed at the rates otherwise applicable under ORS 316.037. The only addition  
17 or subtraction allowed in the calculation of nonpassive income for which the  
18 taxpayer uses the reduced rates allowed under subsection (2)(b) of this sec-  
19 tion shall be any depreciation adjustment directly related to the partnership  
20 or S corporation.

21 “[~~(5)~~] **(4)** The election under subsection (2)(b) of this section shall be  
22 irrevocable and shall be made on the taxpayer’s original return. If the tax-  
23 payer uses the reduced rates allowed under subsection (2)(b) of this section,  
24 the calculation of income shall be substantiated on a form prescribed by the  
25 Department of Revenue and filed with the taxpayer’s tax return for the tax  
26 year or at such other time and manner as the department may prescribe by  
27 rule. A taxpayer who uses the reduced rates available under subsection (2)(b)  
28 of this section may not join in the filing of a composite return under ORS  
29 314.778.

30 “[~~(6)~~] **(5)** The rates listed in subsection (2)(b) of this section apply to

1 nonpassive income attributable to a partnership or S corporation only if **all**  
2 **of the following conditions are met:**

3 “(a) The taxpayer materially participates in the trade or business[;].

4 “(b) The partnership or S corporation employs at least [*one person who*  
5 *is not an owner, member or limited partner*] **10 persons during each pay**  
6 **period who are not owners, members or limited partners** of the part-  
7 nership or S corporation[; *and*].

8 “(c) [*At least 1,200 aggregate hours of work in Oregon are performed, by*  
9 *the close of the tax year for which the reduced rate is allowed, by employees*  
10 *who meet the requirements of paragraph (b) of this subsection and who are*  
11 *employed by the partnership or S corporation.*] **Each of the employees who**  
12 **are employed by the partnership or S corporation and who are de-**  
13 **scribed in paragraph (b) of this subsection performs at least 1,200 ag-**  
14 **gregate hours of work in Oregon by the close of the tax year for which**  
15 **the reduced rate is allowed.** In determining whether this requirement is  
16 met, only hours worked in a week in which a worker works at least 30 hours  
17 may be considered.

18 “(d) **The employees perform the required hours of employment in**  
19 **an industry in any of the following sectors, as denoted by the corre-**  
20 **sponding North American Industry Classification System code:**

21 “(A) **Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting, (11).**

22 “(B) **Mining, Quarrying and Oil and Gas Extraction, (21).**

23 “(C) **Manufacturing, (31-33).**

24 “(D) **Wholesale Trade, (42).**

25 “(E) **Transportation and Warehousing, (48-49).**

26 “(F) **Information, (51).**

27 “(G) **Accommodation and Food Services, (72).**

28 “[*(7)(a)*] **(6)(a)** A nonresident may apply the reduced rates allowed under  
29 subsection (2)(b) of this section only to income earned in Oregon.

30 “(b) A part-year resident shall calculate the tax due using the reduced

1 rates allowed under subsection (2)(b) of this section by first applying those  
2 rates to the taxpayer's nonpassive income that meets the requirements of  
3 subsection [(6)] (5) of this section, and then multiplying that amount by the  
4 ratio of the taxpayer's nonpassive income in Oregon divided by nonpassive  
5 income from all sources.

6 **"SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 316.043 by section 1 of this**  
7 **2017 Act apply to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2017.**

8 **"SECTION 3. The Department of Revenue shall waive any interest**  
9 **that would otherwise apply to taxes due if the interest is based on**  
10 **underpayment or underreporting that results solely from the amend-**  
11 **ments to ORS 316.043 by section 1 of this 2017 Act.**

12 **"SECTION 4. Section 3 of this 2017 Act applies to tax years begin-**  
13 **ning on or after January 1, 2017, and before January 1, 2018.**

14 **"SECTION 5. ORS 316.044 is repealed.**

15 **"SECTION 6. This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the**  
16 **date on which the 2017 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative**  
17 **Assembly adjourns sine die."**

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