2023 Regular Session

ACT No. 253

SENATE BILL NO. 108

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1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6020(G) and (H), relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit
3	Program; to provide for meeting the requirements for an enhanced credit under the
4	program; to provide for exceptions to meeting general program requirements; to
5	extend the program sunset date; to provide for applicability; to provide for an
6	effective date; and to provide for related matters.
7	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
8	Section 1. R.S. 47:6020(G) and (H) are hereby amended and reenacted to read
9	as follows:
10	§6020. Angel Investor Tax Credit Program
11	* * *
12	G. Except as provided for in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection, applications
13	Applications received on or after July 1, 2020, for investments that meet the
14	requirements of Subsection C of this Section and the requirements of 26 U.S.C.
15	1400Z-1, 1400Z-2, and applicable federal regulations shall be entitled to an
16	enhanced credit in accordance with the provisions of this Subsection.
17	(1) The amount of the credit granted by the department shall be thirty-five
18	percent of the amount of the investment with the credit divided in equal portions for
19	two years.
20	(2)(a) In addition to the credit cap provided for in Subsection D of this
21	Section, the total amount of credits granted under this Subsection shall not exceed
22	three million six hundred thousand dollars per year for a total program cap of seven
23	million two hundred thousand dollars per year.

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1	(b) If the department does not grant the entire three million six hundred
2	thousand dollars in tax credits in any calendar year authorized pursuant to this
3	Subsection, the amount of unused tax credits shall carry forward to subsequent
4	calendar years and may be granted in any year without regard to the three million six
5	hundred thousand dollar annual cap provided for in this Subsection.
6	(3) To the extent that federal laws and regulations relative to opportunity
7	zones require that business revenues be derived from within the opportunity zone,
8	otherwise eligible businesses shall be exempt from the requirement that fifty percent
9	or more of sales shall come from out of state as specified in Subsection C of this
10	Section.
11	H. No credits shall be granted or reserved under this program for reservation
12	applications received by the department on or after July 1, $\frac{20252030}{2030}$.
13	Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall be applicable to taxable periods beginning
14	on or after January 1, 2024.
15	Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
16	signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
17	by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
18	vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
	effective on the day following such approval.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____