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Leger

Abstract: For purposes of individual income tax, increases the amount of the La. earned income tax credit <u>from</u> 3.5% <u>to</u> 7% of the amount of the taxpayer's federal earned income tax credit.

<u>Present law</u> provides for an individual income tax credit in an amount equal to 3.5% of the amount of the taxpayer's federal earned income tax credit authorized under Section 32 of the Internal Revenue Code.

<u>Proposed law</u> increases the amount of the state tax credit from 3.5% to 7% of the federal tax credit.

Applicable for taxable years beginning on and after Jan. 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 47:297.8(A))