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<u>Present law</u> provides that the tax to be assessed, levied, collected, and paid on the La. taxable income of every corporation shall be computed at the following rates:

- (1) 4% on the first \$25,000 of La. taxable income.
- (2) 5% on La. taxable income above \$25,000 but not in excess of \$50,000.
- (3) 6% on La. taxable income above \$50,000 but not in excess of \$100,000.
- (4) 7% on La. taxable income above \$100,000 but not in excess of \$200,000.
- (5) 8% on all La. taxable income in excess of \$200,000.

<u>Proposed law</u> eliminates the tiered tax rate schedule and provides a flat 3.75% tax on La. taxable corporate income for all tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2018.

Effective if and when the Act which originated as Senate Bill No.\_\_\_ of this 2017 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law and becomes effective.

(Amends R.S. 47:287.12)

SB 124 Original