

**SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS****SB 118****2025 Regular Session****Foil****KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL. Excludes certain amounts deposited into ABLE accounts for qualified expenses of persons with disabilities from state income tax. (8/1/25)

**SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL**

1. Provides for reporting requirements to the Dept. of Revenue regarding donations to ABLE accounts.
2. Makes technical changes.

**DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE****DIGEST**

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Present law (R.S. 47:3081 et seq.) creates the Achieving a Better Life Experience in Louisiana Account Program (ABLE), a savings program that encourages and assists individuals and families in saving private funds for the purpose of supporting persons with disabilities in endeavors to maintain health, independence, and quality of life.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law authorizes an exemption for amounts deposited into an ABLE account from the owner's state taxable income if enacted by the legislature.

Proposed law repeals present law and exempts annual deposits from ABLE account owner's state income tax annual deposits up to \$2,400 for single filers and \$4,800 for joint filers, per account. If less than the maximum annual deposits are deposited in any year, the difference between the total deposit and \$2,400 for single filers or \$4,800 for joint filers shall roll over to subsequent years and shall be exempt from inclusion in the account owner's state taxable income.

Proposed law requires the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority to submit a report to the Dept. of Revenue by January 31 each year listing all donations made to ABLE accounts during the prior calendar year. Further requires the report be in electronic format and contain the following information:

- (1) The name of the account owner.
- (2) The account owner's social security number.
- (3) The amount of all deposits made by the account owner into the savings account during the prior calendar year.

Applicable for tax periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026.

Effective August 1, 2025.

(Amends R.S. 17:3088; adds R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xxvii))