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Ritchie HB No. 394

Abstract: Reduces the rate of tax on the net income of individuals.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the tax to be assessed, levied, collected and paid upon the taxable income of an individual shall be computed at the following rates:

- (1) 2% on the first \$12,500 of net income.
- (2) 4% on the next \$37,500 of net income.
- (3) 6% on any amount of net income in excess of \$50,000.

<u>Proposed law</u> reduces the <u>present law</u> rates of the tax on the net income of individuals as follows:

- (1) 1% on the first \$12,500 of net income.
- (2) 3% on the next \$37,500 of net income.
- (3) 5% on any amount of net income in excess of \$50,000.

Effective Jan. 1, 2014, and applicable to all tax years beginning on and after Jan. 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 47:32(A))