

Steve Eliason proposes the following substitute bill:

**Income Tax Amendments**

2026 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Chief Sponsor: Steve Eliason**

Senate Sponsor:

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill modifies income tax provisions.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- amends the corporate franchise and income tax rates; and
- amends the individual income tax rate;

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

This bill provides retrospective operation.

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

AMENDS:

**59-7-104**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapter 407

**59-7-201**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapter 407

**59-10-104**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapter 407

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*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

Section 1. Section **59-7-104** is amended to read:

**59-7-104 . Tax -- Minimum tax.**

- (1) Each domestic and foreign corporation, except a corporation that is exempt under Section 59-7-102, shall pay an annual tax to the state based on the corporation's Utah taxable income for the taxable year for the privilege of exercising the corporation's corporate franchise or for the privilege of doing business in the state.
- (2) The tax shall be [4.5] 4.45% of a corporation's Utah taxable income.
- (3) The minimum tax a corporation shall pay under this chapter is \$100.

Section 2. Section **59-7-201** is amended to read:

30           **59-7-201 . Tax -- Minimum tax.**

- 31           (1) There is imposed upon each corporation, except a corporation that is exempt under  
32           Section 59-7-102, a tax upon the corporation's Utah taxable income for the taxable year  
33           that is derived from sources within this state other than income for any period that the  
34           corporation is required to include in the corporation's tax base under Section 59-7-104.  
35           (2) The tax imposed by Subsection (1) shall be [~~4.5~~] 4.45% of a corporation's Utah taxable  
36           income.  
37           (3) In no case shall the tax be less than \$100.

38           Section 3. Section **59-10-104** is amended to read:

39           **59-10-104 . Tax basis -- Tax rate -- Exemption.**

- 40           (1) A tax is imposed on the state taxable income of a resident individual as provided in this  
41           section.  
42           (2) For purposes of Subsection (1), for a taxable year, the tax is an amount equal to the  
43           product of:  
44           (a) the resident individual's state taxable income for that taxable year; and  
45           (b) [~~4.5~~] 4.45%.  
46           (3) This section does not apply to a resident individual exempt from taxation under Section  
47           59-10-104.1.

48           Section 4. **Effective Date.**

49           This bill takes effect on May 6, 2026.

50           Section 5. **Retrospective operation.**

51           This bill has retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1,  
52           2026.