INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX - NONRESIDENT

INCOME AMENDMENTS

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STATE OF UTAH

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LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends the Individual Income Tax Act.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- provides and modifies definitions;
- ► addresses the calculation of state individual income taxes imposed on a nonresident

individual;

► provides that compensation a nonresident servicemember receives for military

service is subtracted from income for purposes of calculating the nonresident

servicemember's state individual income tax;

- grants rulemaking authority to the State Tax Commission; and
- makes technical changes.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

This bill has retrospective operation for taxable years beginning on or after January 1,

2004.

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

59-10-116, as last amended by Chapter 323, Laws of Utah 2001

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Section 1. Section **59-10-116** is amended to read:

59-10-116. Definitions -- Tax on nonresident individual -- Calculation -- Exemption.

(1) For purposes of this section:

(a) "military service" is as defined in Pub. L. No. 108-189, Sec. 101;

(b) "servicemember" is as defined in Pub. L. No. 108-189, Sec. 101;

[(a)] (c) "state income tax percentage" means a percentage equal to a nonresident individual's federal adjusted gross income for the taxable year received from Utah sources, as determined under Section 59-10-117, divided by the <u>difference between:</u>

(i) the nonresident individual's total federal adjusted gross income for that taxable year; and

(ii) if the nonresident individual described in Subsection (1)(c)(i) is a servicemember, the compensation the servicemember receives for military service if the servicemember is serving in compliance with military orders; and

[(b)] (d) "unapportioned state [taxable income] tax" means the product of the:

(i) difference between:

(A) a nonresident individual's[: (i)] federal taxable income, as defined in Section 59-10-111, with the modifications, subtractions, and adjustments provided for in Section 59-10-114; and

(B) if the nonresident individual described in Subsection (1)(d)(i)(A) is a servicemember, compensation the servicemember receives for military service if the servicemember is serving in compliance with military orders; and

(ii) tax rate imposed under Section 59-10-104.

(2) [(a)] Except as provided in Subsection (3), a tax is imposed [as provided in this section on the state taxable income calculated under this section of] on a nonresident individual[.
(b) The tax under this section shall be calculated by multiplying] in an amount equal to the product of the nonresident individual's:

(a) unapportioned state [taxable income by the nonresident individual's] tax; and

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(b) state income tax percentage.

(3) This section does not apply to a nonresident individual exempt from taxation under Section 59-10-104.1.

(4) In accordance with Title 63, Chapter 46a, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, for purposes of Subsection (1), the commission may by rule define what constitutes compensation.

Section 2. Retrospective operation.

<u>This bill has retrospective operation for taxable years beginning on or after January 1,</u> 2004.