

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSEHOLD RENTERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 235-55.7, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:
- 3 "(c) Each taxpayer with an adjusted gross income of less
- 4 than [\$30,000] \$59,700 who has paid more than \$1,000 in rent
- 5 during the taxable year for which the credit is claimed may
- 6 claim a tax credit of [\$50] \$146 multiplied by the number of
- 7 qualified exemptions to which the taxpayer is entitled; provided
- 8 each taxpayer sixty-five years of age or over may claim double
- 9 the tax credit; and provided that a resident individual who has
- 10 no income or no income taxable under this chapter may also claim
- 11 the tax credit as set forth in this section."
- 12 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 13 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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SECTION 3. This Act, upon its approval, shall apply to 1

taxable years beginning after December 31, 2014. 2

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Report Title:

Income Tax Credit; Low-Income Household Renters

Description:

Raises the adjusted gross income threshold and increases the tax credit amount for low-income household renters.

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