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SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, Alabama levies an individual income tax at rates ranging from two percent on taxable income to a top rate of five percent on taxable income.

This bill would eliminate the two percent tax rate on the first five hundred dollars (\$500) of taxable income for single persons, heads of families, and married persons filing separate returns and would also eliminate the two percent tax rate on the first one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of taxable income for married persons filing a joint return.

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A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

Relating to individual income taxes; to amend Section 40-18-5, Code of Alabama 1975, to eliminate the two percent tax rate on the first five hundred dollars (\$500) of taxable income for single persons, heads of families, and married persons filing separate returns and would also eliminate the two percent tax rate on the first one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of taxable income for married persons filing a joint return.

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- 29 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
- 30 Section 1. Section 40-18-5, Code of Alabama 1975, is
- 31 amended to read as follows:
- 32 **"**\$40-18-5
- The tax levied and imposed by Section 40-18-2 shall be computed as follows:
- 35 (1) For a single person, head of family, or married persons filing separate returns:
- 37 a. Two percent of taxable income not in excess of five
- 38 hundred dollars (\$500) through tax year 2022. Beginning with
- 39 tax year 2023, taxable income not in excess of five hundred
- 40 dollars (\$500) shall be exempt.
- 41 b. Four percent of taxable income in excess of five
- 42 hundred dollars (\$500) and not in excess of three thousand
- 43 dollars (\$3,000).
- c. Five percent of taxable income in excess of three
- 45 thousand dollars (\$3,000).
- 46 (2) For married persons filing a joint return:
- 47 a. Two percent of taxable income not in excess of one
- 48 thousand dollars (\$1,000) through tax year 2022. Beginning
- 49 with tax year 2023, taxable income not in excess of one
- thousand dollars (\$1,000) shall be exempt.
- b. Four percent of taxable income in excess of one
- 52 thousand dollars (\$1,000) and not in excess of six thousand
- 53 dollars (\$6,000).
- c. Five percent of taxable income in excess of six
- 55 thousand dollars (\$6,000)."
- Section 2. This act shall become effective on the first



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- 57 day of the third month following its passage and approval by
- the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.