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101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY (96).

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AN ACT

To repeal section 143.124, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to income tax.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 143.124, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu 2 thereof, to be known as section 143.124, to read as follows:

143.124. 1. Other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding, for tax years ending on or before December 31, 2006, the total amount of all annuities, pensions, or retirement 2 allowances above the amount of six thousand dollars annually provided by any law of this state. 3 the United States, or any other state to any person except as provided in subsection 4 of this 4 section, shall be subject to tax pursuant to the provisions of this chapter, in the same manner, to 5 6 the same extent and under the same conditions as any other taxable income received by the For purposes of this section, "annuity, pension, retirement benefit, or person receiving it. 7 retirement allowance" shall be defined as an annuity, pension or retirement allowance provided 8 9 by the United States, this state, any other state or any political subdivision or agency or 10 institution of this or any other state. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1998, for 11 purposes of this section, annuity, pension or retirement allowance shall be defined to include 12 401(k) plans, deferred compensation plans, self-employed retirement plans, also known as Keogh plans, annuities from a defined pension plan and individual retirement arrangements, also known 13 14 as IRAs, as described in the Internal Revenue Code, but not including Roth IRAs, as well as an annuity, pension or retirement allowance provided by the United States, this state, any other state 15 16 or any political subdivision or agency or institution of this or any other state. An individual

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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17 taxpayer shall only be allowed a maximum deduction equal to the amounts provided under this 18 section for each taxpayer on the combined return.

19 2. For the period beginning July 1, 1989, and ending December 31, 1989, there shall be 20 subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income for that period, determined pursuant to section 21 143.121, the first three thousand dollars of retirement benefits received by each taxpayer:

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(1) If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of household or qualifying widow(er) and 23 the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income is less than twelve thousand five hundred dollars; 24 or

25 (2) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing combined and their combined Missouri 26 adjusted gross income is less than sixteen thousand dollars; or

27 (3) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing separately and the taxpayer's Missouri 28 adjusted gross income is less than eight thousand dollars.

29 3. For the tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1990, but ending on or before 30 December 31, 2006, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined 31 pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of the first six thousand dollars of retirement benefits received by each taxpayer from sources other than privately funded sources, and for tax years 32 33 beginning on or after January 1, 1998, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross 34 income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of the first one thousand dollars 35 of any retirement allowance received from any privately funded source for tax years beginning 36 on or after January 1, 1998, but before January 1, 1999, and a maximum of the first three 37 thousand dollars of any retirement allowance received from any privately funded source for tax 38 years beginning on or after January 1, 1999, but before January 1, 2000, and a maximum of the 39 first four thousand dollars of any retirement allowance received from any privately funded source 40 for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2000, but before January 1, 2001, and a maximum 41 of the first five thousand dollars of any retirement allowance received from any privately funded 42 source for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2001, but before January 1, 2002, and a 43 maximum of the first six thousand dollars of any retirement allowance received from any 44 privately funded sources for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2002. A taxpayer shall 45 be entitled to the maximum exemption provided by this subsection:

46 (1) If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of household or qualifying widow(er) and 47 the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income is less than twenty-five thousand dollars; or

48 (2) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing combined and their combined Missouri 49 adjusted gross income is less than thirty-two thousand dollars; or

50 (3) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing separately and the taxpayer's Missouri 51 adjusted gross income is less than sixteen thousand dollars.

4. If a taxpayer's adjusted gross income exceeds the adjusted gross income ceiling for such taxpayer's filing status, as provided in subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) of subsection 3 of this section, such taxpayer shall be entitled to an exemption equal to the greater of zero or the maximum exemption provided in subsection 3 of this section reduced by one dollar for every dollar such taxpayer's income exceeds the ceiling for his or her filing status.

57 5. For purposes of this subsection, the term "maximum Social Security benefit available" 58 shall mean thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars for the tax year beginning on or after January 59 1, 2007, and for each subsequent tax year such amount shall be increased by the percentage 60 increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, or its successor index, as such 61 index is defined and officially reported by the United States Department of Labor, or its 62 successor agency. For the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2007, but ending on or before 63 December 31, 2007, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined 64 pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand 65 dollars in retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the 66 extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or twenty 67 percent of the retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in 68 the tax year, but not to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. 69 For the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2008, but ending on or before December 31, 70 2008, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to 71 section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in 72 retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such 73 benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or thirty-five percent of the 74 retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but 75 not to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year 76 beginning on or after January 1, 2009, but ending on or before December 31, 2009, there shall 77 be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a 78 maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits 79 received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are 80 included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or fifty percent of the retirement 81 benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but not to 82 exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year 83 beginning on or after January 1, 2010, but ending on or before December 31, 2010, there shall 84 be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a 85 maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits 86 received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are 87 included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or sixty-five percent of the retirement

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88 benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but not to 89 exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year 90 beginning on or after January 1, 2011, but ending on or before December 31, 2011, there shall 91 be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a 92 maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits 93 received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are 94 included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or eighty percent of the retirement 95 benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but not to 96 exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For all tax years 97 beginning on or after January 1, 2012, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross 98 income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to one hundred 99 percent of the retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in 100 the tax year, but not to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. 101 A taxpayer shall be entitled to the maximum exemption provided by this subsection:

102 (1) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing combined, and their combined Missouri 103 adjusted gross income is equal to or less than one hundred thousand dollars; or

104 (2) If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of household, qualifying widow(er), or 105 married filing separately, and the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income is equal to or less 106 than eighty-five thousand dollars.

6. If a taxpayer's adjusted gross income exceeds the adjusted gross income ceiling for such taxpayer's filing status, as provided in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 5 of this section, such taxpayer shall be entitled to an exemption, less any applicable reduction provided under subsection 7 of this section, equal to the greater of zero or the maximum exemption provided in subsection 5 of this section reduced by one dollar for every dollar such taxpayer's income exceeds the ceiling for his or her filing status.

7. For purposes of calculating the subtraction provided in subsection 5 of this section,
such subtraction shall be decreased by an amount equal to any Social Security benefit exemption
provided under section 143.125.

8. For purposes of this section, any Social Security benefits otherwise included in Missouri adjusted gross income shall be subtracted; but Social Security benefits shall not be subtracted for purposes of other computations pursuant to this chapter, and are not to be considered as retirement benefits for purposes of this section.

9. The provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 3 of this section shall apply during all tax years in which the federal Internal Revenue Code provides exemption levels for calculation of the taxability of Social Security benefits that are the same as the levels in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 3 of this section. If the exemption levels for the

124 calculation of the taxability of Social Security benefits are adjusted by applicable federal law or 125 regulation, the exemption levels in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 3 of this section shall 126 be accordingly adjusted to the same exemption levels.

127 10. The portion of a taxpayer's lump sum distribution from an annuity or other retirement 128 plan not otherwise included in Missouri adjusted gross income as calculated pursuant to this 129 chapter but subject to taxation under Internal Revenue Code Section 402 shall be taxed in an 130 amount equal to ten percent of the taxpayer's federal liability on such distribution for the same 131 tax year.

132 11. For purposes of this section, retirement benefits received shall not include any 133 withdrawals from qualified retirement plans which are subsequently rolled over into another 134 retirement plan.

135 12. The exemptions provided for in this section shall not affect the calculation of the 136 income to be used to determine the property tax credit provided in sections 135.010 to 135.035.

137 13. The exemptions provided for in this section shall apply to any annuity, pension, or 138 retirement allowance as defined in subsection 1 of this section to the extent that such amounts 139 are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income and not otherwise deducted from the 140 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income in the calculation of Missouri taxable income. This 141 subsection shall not apply to any individual who qualifies under federal guidelines to be one 142 hundred percent disabled.

143 14. In addition to all other subtractions authorized in this section, for all tax years 144 beginning on or after January 1, 2010, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross 145 income, determined under section 143.121, any retirement benefits received by any taxpayer as 146 a result of the taxpayer's service in the Armed Forces of the United States, including reserve 147 components and the National Guard of this state, as defined in Sections 101(3) and 109 of Title 148 32, United States Code, and any other military force organized under the laws of this state, to the 149 extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income and not 150 otherwise deducted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income in the calculation of 151 Missouri taxable income. Such retirement benefits shall be subtracted as provided in the 152 following schedule:

153 (1) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2010, fifteen percent of such retirement 154 benefits;

155 (2) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2011, thirty percent of such retirement 156 benefits;

157 (3) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2012, forty-five percent of such retirement 158 benefits;

159 (4) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2013, sixty percent of such retirement 160 benefits;

161 (5) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2014, seventy-five percent of such 162 retirement benefits;

163 (6) For the tax year beginning on January 1, 2015, ninety percent of such retirement 164 benefits;

165 (7) For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2016, one hundred percent of such 166 retirement benefits.

167 15. In addition to all other subtractions authorized under this section and 168 notwithstanding any provision of this section or any other provision of law to the contrary, 169 for all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2022, there shall be subtracted from 170 Missouri adjusted gross income, determined under section 143.121, the total amount of any 171 retirement benefits received by a taxpayer with an age of at least sixty-five years, to the 172 extent that such amount is included in such a taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income and 173 not otherwise deducted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income in the 174 calculation of Missouri taxable income. For purposes of this subsection, the term 175 "retirement benefits" shall include, but not be limited to, any withdrawals or distributions 176 from any retirement account.

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