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LEGISLATIVE BILL 321

Introduced by Cornett, 45; Adams, 24; Hadley, 37; Louden, 49; Utter, 33. Read first time January 12, 2011 Committee: Revenue

A BILL

| 1 | FOR | AN | ACT relating to homestead exemptions; to amend sections |
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| 2 | | | 77-3501.01 and 77-3505.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of |
| 3 | | | Nebraska; to change definitions and calculations; to |
| 4 | | | provide an operative date; and to repeal the original |
| 5 | | | sections. |

6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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1 Section 1. Section 77-3501.01, Reissue Revised Statutes 2 of Nebraska, is amended to read: 3 77-3501.01 (1) For purposes of section 77-3507, exempt amount shall mean the lesser of (a) the taxable value of the 4 5 homestead or (b) one hundred eighty percent of the average assessed 6 value of single-family residential property in the claimant's county 7 of residence as determined in section 77-3506.02 or forty thousand 8 dollars, whichever is greater. (2) For purposes of sections 77-3508 and 77-3509, exempt 9 amount shall mean the lesser of (a) the taxable value of the 10 homestead or (b) one hundred twenty percent of the average assessed 11 12 value of single-family residential property in the claimant's county 13 of residence as determined in section 77-3506.02 or fifty thousand dollars, whichever is greater. 14 Sec. 2. Section 77-3505.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of 15 Nebraska, is amended to read: 16 17 77-3505.02 Maximum value shall mean: (1) For applicants eligible under section 77-3507, two 18 hundred one hundred fifty percent of the average assessed value of 19 20 single-family residential property in the claimant's county of residence as determined in section 77-3506.02 or ninety-five thousand 21 dollars, whichever is greater; and 22 23 (2) For applicants eligible under sections 77-3508 and 77-3509, two hundred twenty-five one hundred seventy-five percent of 24

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the average assessed value of single-family residential property in

| 1 | the claimant's county of residence as determined in section |
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| 2 | 77-3506.02 or one hundred ten thousand dollars, whichever is greater. |
| 3 | Sec. 3. This act becomes operative on January 1, 2012. |
| 4 | Sec. 4. Original sections 77-3501.01 and 77-3505.02, |
| 5 | Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, are repealed. |