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AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION; CHANGING THE DUE DATE OF INCOME TAXES TO CONFORM WITH DUE DATES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL LAW.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 7-2-12 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1965, Chapter 202, Section 10, as amended) is amended to read:

"7-2-12. TAXPAYER RETURNS -- PAYMENT OF TAX. --

Every resident of this state and every individual deriving income from any business transaction, property or employment within this state and not exempt from tax under the Income Tax Act who is required by the laws of the United States to file a federal income tax return shall file a complete tax return with the department in form and content as prescribed by the secretary. Except as provided in Subsection B of this section, [the return required and the tax imposed on .203223.3

individuals under the Income Tax Act are due and payment is required on or before the fifteenth day of the fourth month following the end of the taxable year] a resident or any individual who is required by the provisions of the Income Tax Act to file a return or pay a tax shall, on or before the due date of the resident's or individual's federal income tax return for the taxable year, file the return and pay the tax imposed for that year.

B. When the department approves electronic media for use by a taxpayer whose taxable year is a calendar year, the taxpayer who uses electronic media for both filing and payment must submit the required return and the tax imposed on residents and individuals under the Income Tax Act on or before the [thirtieth] last day of the [fourth] month [following the end of the taxable year] in which the resident's or individual's federal income tax return is originally due for the taxable year. The due date provided in this subsection does not apply to residents or individuals who have received a filing extension from New Mexico or an automatic extension from the federal internal revenue service for the same taxable year."

SECTION 2. Section 7-2A-9 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1981, Chapter 37, Section 42, as amended) is amended to read:

"7-2A-9. TAXPAYER RETURNS--PAYMENT OF TAX.--

A. Every corporation deriving income from any .203223.3

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business transaction, property or employment within this state, that is not exempt from tax under the Corporate Income and Franchise Tax Act and that is required by the laws of the United States to file a federal income tax return shall file a complete tax return with the department in form and content as prescribed by the secretary. Except as provided in Subsection C of this section, a corporation that is required by the provisions of the Corporate Income and Franchise Tax Act to file a return or pay a tax shall, on or before the [fifteenth day of the third month following the end of each taxable year] due date of the corporation's federal corporate income tax return for the taxable year, file the return and pay the tax [levied] imposed for that year.

Every domestic or foreign corporation that is not exempt from tax under the Corporate Income and Franchise Tax Act, that is employed or engaged in the transaction of business in, into or from this state or that derives any income from property or employment within this state and every domestic or foreign corporation, regardless of whether it is engaged in active business, that has or exercises its corporate franchise in this state and that is not exempt from tax under the Corporate Income and Franchise Tax Act shall file a return in the form and content as prescribed by the secretary and pay the tax levied pursuant to Subsection B of Section 7-2A-3 NMSA 1978 in the amount for each corporation as specified in Section .203223.3

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7-2A-5.1 NMSA 1978. Returns and payment of tax for corporate franchise tax for a taxable year shall be filed and paid on the date specified in Subsection A or C of this section for payment of corporate income tax for the preceding taxable year.

A corporation that is required by the provisions of the Corporate Income and Franchise Tax Act to file a return or pay a tax and that is approved by the department to use electronic media for filing and paying taxes shall, if using electronic media for filing and paying taxes, file the return and pay the tax levied for that taxable year on or before the [thirtieth] last day of the [third] month [following the end of that year] in which the corporation's federal corporate income tax return is originally due for the taxable year. The due date provided by this subsection does not apply to corporations that have received a filing extension from New Mexico or an extension from the federal internal revenue service for the same taxable year."

SECTION 3. APPLICABILITY. -- The provisions of this act apply to taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2016.