1 ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 2949 By: McCall and Lepak of the 2 House 3 and Daniels of the Senate 4 5 6 7 An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 27, 1st Extraordinary Session of the 59th 8 Oklahoma Legislature, O.S.L. 2023 (68 O.S. Supp. 9 2023, Section 2355), which relates to income tax rates for individuals and other entities; modifying 10 income tax rate for designated tax year; providing for reductions in income tax rates based upon certain determination with respect to tax collections; 11 providing for further reductions in income tax rates using prescribed formula; and providing an effective 12 date. 1.3 14 15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355, as 17 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 27, 1st Extraordinary Session, 18 O.S.L. 2023 (68 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 2355), is amended to read 19 as follows: 20 Section 2355. A. Individuals. For all taxable years beginning 21 after December 31, 1998, and before January 1, 2006, a tax is hereby 22 imposed upon the Oklahoma taxable income of every resident or 23 nonresident individual, which tax shall be computed at the option of

the taxpayer under one of the two following methods:

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- a. Single individuals and married individuals filing separately not deducting federal income tax:
  - (1) 1/2% tax on first \$1,000.00 or part thereof,
  - (2) 1% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
  - (3) 2% tax on next \$1,250.00 or part thereof,
  - (4) 3% tax on next \$1,150.00 or part thereof,
  - (5) 4% tax on next \$1,300.00 or part thereof,
  - (6) 5% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
  - (7) 6% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof, and
  - (8) (a) for taxable years beginning after December 31, 1998, and before January 1, 2002, 6.75% tax on the remainder,
    - (b) for taxable years beginning on or after
      January 1, 2002, and before January 1, 2004,
      7% tax on the remainder, and
    - (c) for taxable years beginning on or after

      January 1, 2004, 6.65% tax on the remainder.
- b. Married individuals filing jointly and surviving spouse to the extent and in the manner that a surviving spouse is permitted to file a joint return under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and heads of households as defined in the Internal Revenue Code not deducting federal income tax:

1	(1) 1/2% tax on first \$2,000.00 or part thereof,
2	(2) 1% tax on next \$3,000.00 or part thereof,
3	(3) 2% tax on next \$2,500.00 or part thereof,
4	(4) 3% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
5	(5) 4% tax on next \$2,400.00 or part thereof,
6	(6) 5% tax on next \$2,800.00 or part thereof,
7	(7) 6% tax on next \$6,000.00 or part thereof, and
8	(8) (a) for taxable years beginning after December
9	31, 1998, and before January 1, 2002, 6.75%
10	tax on the remainder,
11	(b) for taxable years beginning on or after
12	January 1, 2002, and before January 1, 2004,
13	7% tax on the remainder, and
14	(c) for taxable years beginning on or after
15	January 1, 2004, 6.65% tax on the remainder.
16	2. METHOD 2.
17	a. Single individuals and married individuals filing
18	separately deducting federal income tax:
19	(1) $1/2\%$ tax on first \$1,000.00 or part thereof,
20	(2) 1% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
21	(3) 2% tax on next \$1,250.00 or part thereof,
22	(4) 3% tax on next \$1,150.00 or part thereof,
23	(5) 4% tax on next \$1,200.00 or part thereof,
24	(6) 5% tax on next \$1,400.00 or part thereof,

1 (7) 6% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof, 2 7% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof, (8) 8% tax on next \$2,000.00 or part thereof, 3 (9)9% tax on next \$3,500.00 or part thereof, and 4 (10)5 10% tax on the remainder. Married individuals filing jointly and surviving 6 b. 7 spouse to the extent and in the manner that a surviving spouse is permitted to file a joint return 8 9 under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and 10 heads of households as defined in the Internal Revenue 11 Code deducting federal income tax: 12 1/2% tax on the first \$2,000.00 or part thereof, (1)1.3 (2) 1% tax on the next \$3,000.00 or part thereof, 14 2% tax on the next \$2,500.00 or part thereof, (3) 15 3% tax on the next \$1,400.00 or part thereof, (4)16 (5) 4% tax on the next \$1,500.00 or part thereof, 17 (6) 5% tax on the next \$1,600.00 or part thereof, 18 6% tax on the next \$1,250.00 or part thereof, (7) 19 7% tax on the next \$1,750.00 or part thereof, (8) 20 8% tax on the next \$3,000.00 or part thereof, (9) 21 (10)9% tax on the next \$6,000.00 or part thereof, and 22 10% tax on the remainder. (11)23

Individuals. For all taxable years beginning on or after

January 1, 2008, and ending any tax year which begins after December

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- 31, 2015, for which the determination required pursuant to Sections
  4 and 5 of this act is made by the State Board of Equalization, a
  tax is hereby imposed upon the Oklahoma taxable income of every
  resident or nonresident individual, which tax shall be computed as
  follows:
  - 1. Single individuals and married individuals filing separately:
    - (a) 1/2% tax on first \$1,000.00 or part thereof,
    - (b) 1% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
    - (c) 2% tax on next \$1,250.00 or part thereof,
    - (d) 3% tax on next \$1,150.00 or part thereof,
    - (e) 4% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
    - (f) 5% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
    - (g) 5.50% tax on the remainder for the 2008 tax year and any subsequent tax year unless the rate prescribed by subparagraph (h) of this paragraph is in effect, and
    - (h) 5.25% tax on the remainder for the 2009 and subsequent tax years. The decrease in the top marginal individual income tax rate otherwise authorized by this subparagraph shall be contingent upon the determination required to be made by the State Board of Equalization pursuant to Section 2355.1A of this title.

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- 2. Married individuals filing jointly and surviving spouse to
  the extent and in the manner that a surviving spouse is permitted to
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  Code and heads of households as defined in the Internal Revenue

  Code:

  (a) 1/2% tax on first \$2,000.00 or part thereof,
  - (b) 1% tax on next \$3,000.00 or part thereof,
  - (c) 2% tax on next \$2,500.00 or part thereof,
  - (d) 3% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
  - (e) 4% tax on next \$2,400.00 or part thereof,
  - (f) 5% tax on next \$2,800.00 or part thereof,
  - (g) 5.50% tax on the remainder for the 2008 tax year and any subsequent tax year unless the rate prescribed by subparagraph (h) of this paragraph is in effect, and
  - (h) 5.25% tax on the remainder for the 2009 and subsequent tax years. The decrease in the top marginal individual income tax rate otherwise authorized by this subparagraph shall be contingent upon the determination required to be made by the State Board of Equalization pursuant to Section 2355.1A of this title.
  - C. Individuals. For all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2024, and except as provided pursuant to the provisions of subsections D and E of this section, a tax is hereby imposed upon

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- 1 the Oklahoma taxable income of every resident or nonresident
  2 individual, which tax shall be computed as follows:
  - 1. Single individuals and married individuals filing separately:
    - (a) 0.25% tax on first \$1,000.00 or part thereof,
    - (b) 0.75% tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
    - (c) 1.75% tax on next \$1,250.00 or part thereof,
    - (d) 2.75% tax on next \$1,150.00 or part thereof,
    - (e) 3.75% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
    - (f) 4.75% tax on the remainder.
  - 2. Married individuals filing jointly and surviving spouse to the extent and in the manner that a surviving spouse is permitted to file a joint return under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and heads of households as defined in the Internal Revenue Code:
    - (a) 0.25% tax on first \$2,000.00 or part thereof,
    - (b) 0.75% tax on next \$3,000.00 or part thereof,
    - (c) 1.75% tax on next \$2,500.00 or part thereof,
    - (d) 2.75% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
    - (e) 3.75% tax on next \$4,600.00 or part thereof,
    - (f) 4.75% tax on the remainder.
  - No deduction for federal income taxes paid shall be allowed to any taxpayer to arrive at taxable income.

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1	D. <u>Individuals.</u> For all taxable years beginning on or after
2	January 1, 2025, and except as provided pursuant to the provisions
3	of subsection E of this section, a tax is hereby imposed upon the
4	Oklahoma taxable income of every resident or nonresident individual,
5	which tax shall be computed as follows:
6	1. Single individuals and married individuals filing
7	separately:
8	(a) $0.25\%$ tax on first \$1,000.00 or part thereof,
9	(b) $0.75\%$ tax on next \$1,500.00 or part thereof,
10	(c) $1.75\%$ tax on next \$1,250.00 or part thereof,
11	$\underline{\text{(d)}}$ 2.75% tax on next \$1,150.00 or part thereof,
12	(e) 3.75% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
13	$\underline{\text{(f)}}$ 4.75% tax on the remainder.
14	2. Married individuals filing jointly and surviving spouse to
15	the extent and in the manner that a surviving spouse is permitted to
16	file a joint return under the provisions of the Internal Revenue
17	Code and heads of households as defined in the Internal Revenue
18	Code:
19	(a) 0.25% tax on first \$2,000.00 or part thereof,
20	(b) $0.75\%$ tax on next \$3,000.00 or part thereof,
21	(c) $1.75\%$ tax on next \$2,500.00 or part thereof,
22	(d) 2.75% tax on next \$2,300.00 or part thereof,
23	(e) 3.75% tax on next \$4,600.00 or part thereof,
24	(f) 4.75% tax on the remainder.

(f) 4.75% tax on the remainder.

No deduction for federal income taxes paid shall be allowed to any taxpayer to arrive at taxable income.

- Individuals. 1. Except as otherwise provided by this Ε. subsection, for all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2026, a tax is hereby imposed upon the Oklahoma taxable income of every resident or nonresident individual, which tax shall be at the rates prescribed in paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection D of this section reduced by 0.0025, for purposes of any reduction, for any income tax year beginning on the January 1 date immediately succeeding a fiscal year ending on the preceding June 30 for which the State Board of Equalization makes a certification, at its December meeting, that total tax collections for such fiscal year exceeded the total tax collections for the immediately preceding fiscal year by Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000.00) or more. Subject to the determinations regarding the increase in total tax collections as prescribed by this paragraph, the reductions prescribed by this paragraph shall be made for all applicable income tax years until the rate of individual income tax as prescribed by subparagraph f of both paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection D of this section equals three percent (3.0%).
- 2. If the individual income tax rate prescribed by subparagraph f of paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection D of this section reaches three percent (3.0%) as provided by paragraph 1 of this subsection, such income tax rate shall be in effect for the income tax year

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1 beginning on the January 1 date immediately following the income tax 2 year for which the rate of income tax was three and twenty-five hundredths percent (3.25%), and the rate of three percent (3.0%) 3 shall be reduced each succeeding income tax year by 0.3, such 4 5 subtraction to be made from the whole number three (3). Such 6 reduction shall be made for each of the ten (10) succeeding income 7 tax years, each beginning January 1, until the rate of individual income tax equals zero percent (0%). The provisions of this 8 9 paragraph shall also be applicable to any other rate of income tax, 10 as previously reduced, imposed pursuant to subparagraphs a through e of paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection D of this section until each 11 12 rate of tax also equals zero (0). If the rate of tax prescribed by 13 subparagraph f of paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection D of this section 14 reaches three percent (3.0%), then any remaining rate prescribed by 15 any other subparagraph of paragraph 1 or 2 of subsection D of this 16 section shall be divided by the whole number ten (10). The result 17 of that computation, expressed as a decimal, shall be the amount 18 subtracted from any such remaining income tax rate until each such 19 rate also equals zero (0).

<u>F.</u> Nonresident aliens. In lieu of the rates set forth in subsection A above, there shall be imposed on nonresident aliens, as defined in the Internal Revenue Code, a tax of eight percent (8%) instead of thirty percent (30%) as used in the Internal Revenue Code, with respect to the Oklahoma taxable income of such

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nonresident aliens as determined under the provision of the Oklahoma Income Tax Act.

Every payer of amounts covered by this subsection shall deduct and withhold from such amounts paid each payee an amount equal to eight percent (8%) thereof. Every payer required to deduct and withhold taxes under this subsection shall for each quarterly period on or before the last day of the month following the close of each such quarterly period, pay over the amount so withheld as taxes to the Tax Commission, and shall file a return with each such payment. Such return shall be in such form as the Tax Commission shall prescribe. Every payer required under this subsection to deduct and withhold a tax from a payee shall, as to the total amounts paid to each payee during the calendar year, furnish to such payee, on or before January 31, of the succeeding year, a written statement showing the name of the payer, the name of the payee and the payee's Social Security account number, if any, the total amount paid subject to taxation, and the total amount deducted and withheld as tax and such other information as the Tax Commission may require. Any payer who fails to withhold or pay to the Tax Commission any sums herein required to be withheld or paid shall be personally and individually liable therefor to the State of Oklahoma.

E. G. Corporations. For all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2021, a tax is hereby imposed upon the Oklahoma taxable income of every corporation doing business within this state or

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deriving income from sources within this state in an amount equal to four percent (4%) thereof.

There shall be no additional Oklahoma income tax imposed on accumulated taxable income or on undistributed personal holding company income as those terms are defined in the Internal Revenue Code.

F. H. Certain foreign corporations. In lieu of the tax imposed in the first paragraph of subsection  $\theta$  of this section, for all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2021, there shall be imposed on foreign corporations, as defined in the Internal Revenue Code, a tax of four percent (4%) instead of thirty percent (30%) as used in the Internal Revenue Code, where such income is received from sources within Oklahoma, in accordance with the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and the Oklahoma Income Tax Act.

Every payer of amounts covered by this subsection shall deduct and withhold from such amounts paid each payee an amount equal to four percent (4%) thereof. Every payer required to deduct and withhold taxes under this subsection shall for each quarterly period on or before the last day of the month following the close of each such quarterly period, pay over the amount so withheld as taxes to the Tax Commission, and shall file a return with each such payment. Such return shall be in such form as the Tax Commission shall prescribe. Every payer required under this subsection to deduct and withhold a tax from a payee shall, as to the total amounts paid to

each payee during the calendar year, furnish to such payee, on or before January 31, of the succeeding year, a written statement showing the name of the payer, the name of the payee and the payee's Social Security account number, if any, the total amounts paid subject to taxation, the total amount deducted and withheld as tax and such other information as the Tax Commission may require. Any payer who fails to withhold or pay to the Tax Commission any sums herein required to be withheld or paid shall be personally and individually liable therefor to the State of Oklahoma.

G. I. Fiduciaries. A tax is hereby imposed upon the Oklahoma taxable income of every trust and estate at the same rates as are provided in subsection B  $\frac{\text{or}}{L}$  C, D, or E of this section for single individuals. Fiduciaries are not allowed a deduction for any federal income tax paid.

H. J. Tax rate tables. For all taxable years beginning after December 31, 1991, in lieu of the tax imposed by subsection A, B er, C, D, or E of this section, as applicable there is hereby imposed for each taxable year on the taxable income of every individual, whose taxable income for such taxable year does not exceed the ceiling amount, a tax determined under tables, applicable to such taxable year which shall be prescribed by the Tax Commission and which shall be in such form as it determines appropriate. In the table so prescribed, the amounts of the tax shall be computed on the basis of the rates prescribed by subsection A, B er, C, D, or E of

1	this section. For purposes of this subsection, the term "ceiling
2	amount" means, with respect to any taxpayer, the amount determined
3	by the Tax Commission for the tax rate category in which such
4	taxpayer falls.
5	SECTION 2. This act shall become effective January 1, 2025.
6	Passed the House of Representatives the 13th day of March, 2024.
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11	Passed the Senate the day of, 2024.
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