AGENDA

House Committee on Ways and Means
Monday, May 15, 2017
Committee Room 6
9:30 am

Chairman: Neil C. Abramson
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      Tina Vanichchagorn, attorney
      Linda Hopkins, secretary
      Alison Pryor, deputy director
      Elise C. Read, legislative analyst

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

____  HB 118  HOFFMANN  TAX/TOBACCO TAX  Levies an additional state excise tax on cigarettes

____  HB 145  GAROFALO  TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION (Constitutional Amendment) Establishes an ad valorem property tax exemption for the surviving spouse of a person who died while performing their duties as an emergency medical responder, technician, or paramedic

____  HB 195  REYNOLDS  TAX  Provides relative to the tax treatment of certain corporeal movable property located in La. in a foreign trade zone

____  HB 221  MCFARLAND  TAX/SALES-USE, ST-EXEMPT  Provides for the state sales and use tax exclusion for pollution control machinery and equipment

____  HB 240  BROADWATER  TAX/SALES-USE, ST-EXEMPT  Provides for applicability of the sales and use tax exclusions for certain tangible personal property purchased for lease or rental

____  HB 271  HOFFMANN  TAX/TOBACCO TAX  Levies an additional state excise tax on vapor products and electronic cigarettes

____  HB 300  DAVIS  TAX CREDITS  Provides relative to the amount of the research and development tax credit and authorizes transferability of the credit under certain circumstances
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TAX/TAX REBATES Authorizes a rebate for taxpayers who donate to certain higher education scholarship and grant programs

TAX/CORP INCOME Provides relative to the corporate income tax deduction for certain dividend income

TAX Provides relative to the telecommunications tax for the deaf

TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL Establishes the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board and the Louisiana Sales and Use Tax Commission for Remote Sellers

TAX/SALES-USE, ST-EXEMPT Adds certain polyroll tubing to the definition of farm equipment for purposes of the state sales and use tax exemption for certain farm equipment

TAX CREDITS Provides relative to the cap on the amount of motion picture production tax credits paid each year

TAX CREDITS Excludes compensation earned by certain out-of-state employees and nonresident businesses for disaster or emergency-related work performed during disaster periods from state income tax

TAX CREDITS Provides for when a motion picture production tax credit is earned by a motion picture production company

TAX CREDITS Establishes the La. Rural Jobs Act Tax Credit Program

TAX CREDITS Adds additional tax credits for eligible applicants applying for the sound recording investor tax credit and provides for the amount of the expenditure verification report fee and deposit

TAX/SALES & USE Provides with respect to the levy of state sales and use taxes on certain sales of services

PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS Establishes a fee to fund dredging and deepening of waterways

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE SECRETARY BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.