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Fiscal Note On: **HB** 555 HLS 17RS

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action: w/ SEN COMM AMD

Proposed Amd.: Sub. Bill For.:

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Dept./Agy.: Revenue

Subject: Corporate Income Tax Deduction For Certain Dividends

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TAX/CORP INCOME EG1 DECREASE GF RV See Note Provides relative to the corporate income tax deduction for certain dividend income

<u>Proposed law</u> provides a deduction from gross income amounts received as dividend income by any member of a defined regulated group of entities.

Effective January 1, 2018, and applicable to all taxable periods beginning on and after January 1, 2018.

EXPENDITURES	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	DECREASE	DECREASE	DECREASE	DECREASE	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

Change {S&H}

The Dept. of Revenue indicates that it does not capture information on tax returns that would allow it to estimate the amount of deduction from gross income of affected firms or the state tax revenue loss from such a deduction.

According to the Public Service Commission, earlier versions of the bill may affect four firms regulated by the Commission. Two of those firms have indicated that the bill language has no effect on their tax liabilities. The current version of the bill may target the bill to even fewer firms. The bill does, though, provide a deduction from gross income, which can only work to reduce taxable income and tax liabilities for entities that have the dividend income targeted by the bill. Thus, there is a negative exposure to state tax receipts as a result of the bill.

The bill affects tax returns for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2018. The first fiscal year likely to experience any potential effect on state revenue is FY19 at the earliest.

or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

<u>Senate</u>	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u>	<u>House</u>	
13.5.1 >	= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}		4
13.5.2 >	= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee		Jo

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