| Louisiana<br>Legislative   | LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE<br>Fiscal Note |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Office   | Fiscal Note On:                          | HB 414 HLS 23RS 109     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fiscal<br>Notes  | Bill Text Version: ORIGINAL              |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| and the second | Opp. Chamb. Action:                      |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Proposed Amd.:                           |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Sub. Bill For.:                          |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Date:</b> April 16, 2023 4::  | 15 PM                                    | Author: NELSON          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dept./Agy.: State and Local Governm  | nents                                    |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Subject: State and Local Fiscal Re   | lations A                                | Analyst: Deborah Vivien |  |  |  |  |  |
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(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to various sources of state and local revenue

Proposed law makes various changes to state and local fiscal relations. (a) raises the maximum amount of general purpose millage rate that can be levied without voter approval, (b) repeals the prohibition of state sales tax on food for home consumption, residential utilities, and prescription drugs, (c) repeals the authority for the legislature to authorize additional local sales taxes with voter approval, (d) prohibits taxation of net income or capital, (e) prohibits state capital outlay funding of nongovernmental entity projects, (f) requires annual reappraisal of property for ad valorem purposes, (g) modifies provisions for exempt properties, (h) prohibits new and renewal industrial tax exemption contracts, (i) phases down the homestead exemption to \$2,000 of assessed value by 2027, (j) phases out the revenue sharing fund, (k) modifies provisions of the Minimum Foundation Program and provides caps on the amount of state general fund that can be used to support the program with more local authority to fund the program, (l) assesses marsh land at fair market instead of use value. Effective on January 1, 2024 except (e) above, which is effective on July 1, 2024. Subject to voter approval on 10/14/23.

| EXPENDITURES   | 2023-24   | 2024-25   | 2025-26   | 2026-27   | 2027-28   | 5 -YEAR TOTAL        |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|
| State Gen. Fd. | SEE BELOW | <u> </u>             |
| 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    | SEE BELOW |                      |
| Annual Total   |           |           |           |           |           |                      |
| REVENUES       | 2023-24   | 2024-25   | 2025-26   | 2026-27   | 2027-28   | <u>5 -YEAR TOTAL</u> |
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|                |           |           |           |           |           |                      |

## Annual Total

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## **REVENUE EXPLANATION**

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Major components of the bill for which general dollar amounts can be readily associated include:

- reinstate state sales tax on food for home consumption, residential utilities and prescription drugs \$1.107 billion
- prohibit individual and corporate income and franchise taxes \$5.168 billion (plus outstanding liabilities)
- phase down the homestead exemption by 73% \$605 million
- phase down state general fund allocations to the revenue sharing fund by 100% \$90 million
- phase down state general fund allocations to the Minimum Foundation Program to \$3.034 billion \$892 million
- eliminate inventory tax credit ~\$300 million plus to state; ~\$450 million loss to locals

Major components of the bill for which general dollar amounts cannot be readily associated include:

- responsibility of costs of uncompensated care shifted to parish governing authorities;
- various local ad valorem tax millage and local sales tax provisions;
- prohibition of state capital outlay funding for non-governmental entity projects;
- prohibition of new and renewal industrial tax exemption contracts.
- assessing marsh land at fair market value.

| Senate Dual Referral Rules    Senate Dual Referral Rules   13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H} | House<br>6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S} | Alan M. Booberge                   |  |
|---|---|------------------------------------|--|
|   |   | Alan M. Boxberger                  |  |
| <b>x</b> 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee<br>Change {S & H}  | 6.8(G) >= \$500,000  Tax or Fee Increase                | Interim Legislative Fiscal Officer |  |