## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Excludes from "tax table income" qualified amounts deposited into ABLE Accounts for purposes of calculating income tax liability.

<u>Present law</u> establishes the ABLE Account Program to assist individuals in saving private funds for the purpose of supporting persons with disabilities.

<u>Present law</u> provides definitions for provisions applicable to individual taxpayers.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> but excludes from "tax table income" qualified amounts deposited into ABLE Accounts as provided in <u>present law</u>.

Effective Jan. 1, 2016, and applicable for tax years beginning on and after Jan. 1, 2016.

(Adds R.S. 47:293(9)(a)(xviii))