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HB 103 Engrossed

2016 First Extraordinary Session

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Abstract: Provides for a flat 6.5% tax rate on corporate income.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the tax to be assessed, levied, collected, and paid on the La. taxable income of every corporation shall be computed at the following rates:

- (1) 4% on the first \$25,000 of La. taxable income.
- (2) 5% on La. taxable income above \$25,000 but not in excess of \$50,000.
- (3) 6% on La. taxable income above \$50,000 but not in excess of \$100,000.
- (4) 7% on La. taxable income above \$100,000 but not in excess of \$200,000.
- (5) 8% on all La. taxable income in excess of \$200,000.

<u>Proposed law</u> eliminates the tiered tax rate schedule in favor of a flat 6.5% tax rate on La. taxable corporate income.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 47:287.12)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Ways and Means</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

1. Change the corporate income tax rate from 5% to 6.5%.