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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/201

from Ch. 120, par. 2-201

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Reinstates the training expense credit for tax years ending on or after December 31, 2009 and on or before December 30, 2019. Increases the amount of the credit from 1.6% of training expenses to 2% of training expenses. Allows a credit earned on or after December 31, 2009 to be carried forward. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

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AN ACT concerning revenue.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by 5 changing Section 201 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 5/201) (from Ch. 120, par. 2-201)

7 Sec. 201. Tax Imposed.

8 (a) In general. A tax measured by net income is hereby 9 imposed on every individual, corporation, trust and estate for 10 each taxable year ending after July 31, 1969 on the privilege 11 of earning or receiving income in or as a resident of this 12 State. Such tax shall be in addition to all other occupation or 13 privilege taxes imposed by this State or by any municipal 14 corporation or political subdivision thereof.

(b) Rates. The tax imposed by subsection (a) of this Section shall be determined as follows, except as adjusted by subsection (d-1):

(1) In the case of an individual, trust or estate, for
taxable years ending prior to July 1, 1989, an amount equal
to 2 1/2% of the taxpayer's net income for the taxable
year.

(2) In the case of an individual, trust or estate, for
 taxable years beginning prior to July 1, 1989 and ending

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after June 30, 1989, an amount equal to the sum of (i) 2 1/2% of the taxpayer's net income for the period prior to July 1, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3, and (ii) 3% of the taxpayer's net income for the period after June 30, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3.

6 (3) In the case of an individual, trust or estate, for 7 taxable years beginning after June 30, 1989, an amount 8 equal to 3% of the taxpayer's net income for the taxable 9 year.

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12 (6) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years
13 ending prior to July 1, 1989, an amount equal to 4% of the
14 taxpayer's net income for the taxable year.

(7) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years beginning prior to July 1, 1989 and ending after June 30, 17 1989, an amount equal to the sum of (i) 4% of the taxpayer's net income for the period prior to July 1, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3, and (ii) 4.8% of the taxpayer's net income for the period after June 30, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3.

(8) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years
beginning after June 30, 1989, an amount equal to 4.8% of
the taxpayer's net income for the taxable year.

(c) Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax.
 Beginning on July 1, 1979 and thereafter, in addition to such

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income tax, there is also hereby imposed the Personal Property 1 2 Tax Replacement Income Tax measured by net income on every corporation (including Subchapter S corporations), partnership 3 and trust, for each taxable year ending after June 30, 1979. 4 5 Such taxes are imposed on the privilege of earning or receiving 6 income in or as a resident of this State. The Personal Property 7 Tax Replacement Income Tax shall be in addition to the income tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section and in 8 9 addition to all other occupation or privilege taxes imposed by 10 this State or by any municipal corporation or political 11 subdivision thereof.

12 (d) Additional Personal Property Tax Replacement Income 13 Tax Rates. The personal property tax replacement income tax imposed by this subsection and subsection (c) of this Section 14 in the case of a corporation, other than a Subchapter S 15 16 corporation and except as adjusted by subsection (d-1), shall 17 be an additional amount equal to 2.85% of such taxpayer's net income for the taxable year, except that beginning on January 18 1, 1981, and thereafter, the rate of 2.85% specified in this 19 20 subsection shall be reduced to 2.5%, and in the case of a partnership, trust or a Subchapter S corporation shall be an 21 22 additional amount equal to 1.5% of such taxpayer's net income 23 for the taxable year.

(d-1) Rate reduction for certain foreign insurers. In the
 case of a foreign insurer, as defined by Section 35A-5 of the
 Illinois Insurance Code, whose state or country of domicile

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imposes on insurers domiciled in Illinois a retaliatory tax 1 2 (excluding any insurer whose premiums from reinsurance assumed 3 are 50% or more of its total insurance premiums as determined under paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of Section 304, except 4 5 that for purposes of this determination premiums from 6 reinsurance do not include premiums from inter-affiliate 7 reinsurance arrangements), beginning with taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1999, the sum of the rates of tax 8 9 imposed by subsections (b) and (d) shall be reduced (but not 10 increased) to the rate at which the total amount of tax imposed 11 under this Act, net of all credits allowed under this Act, 12 shall equal (i) the total amount of tax that would be imposed on the foreign insurer's net income allocable to Illinois for 13 14 the taxable year by such foreign insurer's state or country of 15 domicile if that net income were subject to all income taxes 16 and taxes measured by net income imposed by such foreign 17 insurer's state or country of domicile, net of all credits allowed or (ii) a rate of zero if no such tax is imposed on such 18 income by the foreign insurer's state of domicile. For the 19 20 purposes of this subsection (d-1), an inter-affiliate includes a mutual insurer under common management. 21

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(1) For the purposes of subsection (d-1), in no event shall the sum of the rates of tax imposed by subsections(b) and (d) be reduced below the rate at which the sum of:

(A) the total amount of tax imposed on such foreign
insurer under this Act for a taxable year, net of all

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credits allowed under this Act, plus

(B) the privilege tax imposed by Section 409 of the
Illinois Insurance Code, the fire insurance company
tax imposed by Section 12 of the Fire Investigation
Act, and the fire department taxes imposed under
Section 11-10-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code,

equals 1.25% for taxable years ending prior to December 31, 2003, or 1.75% for taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2003, of the net taxable premiums written for the taxable year, as described by subsection (1) of Section 409 of the Illinois Insurance Code. This paragraph will in no event increase the rates imposed under subsections (b) and (d).

(2) Any reduction in the rates of tax imposed by this
subsection shall be applied first against the rates imposed
by subsection (b) and only after the tax imposed by
subsection (a) net of all credits allowed under this
Section other than the credit allowed under subsection (i)
has been reduced to zero, against the rates imposed by
subsection (d).

21 This subsection (d-1) is exempt from the provisions of 22 Section 250.

(e) Investment credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit
 against the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax for
 investment in qualified property.

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(1) A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit equal to .5%

of the basis of qualified property placed in service during 1 2 the taxable year, provided such property is placed in 3 service on or after July 1, 1984. There shall be allowed an additional credit equal to .5% of the basis of qualified 4 5 property placed in service during the taxable year, 6 provided such property is placed in service on or after 7 July 1, 1986, and the taxpayer's base employment within 8 Illinois has increased by 1% or more over the preceding 9 year as determined by the taxpayer's employment records 10 filed with the Illinois Department of Employment Security. 11 Taxpayers who are new to Illinois shall be deemed to have 12 met the 1% growth in base employment for the first year in 13 which they file employment records with the Illinois 14 Department of Employment Security. The provisions added to 15 this Section by Public Act 85-1200 (and restored by Public 16 Act 87-895) shall be construed as declaratory of existing 17 law and not as a new enactment. If, in any year, the 18 increase in base employment within Illinois over the 19 preceding year is less than 1%, the additional credit shall 20 be limited to that percentage times a fraction, the numerator of which is .5% and the denominator of which is 21 22 1%, but shall not exceed .5%. The investment credit shall 23 not be allowed to the extent that it would reduce a 24 taxpayer's liability in any tax year below zero, nor may 25 any credit for qualified property be allowed for any year 26 other than the year in which the property was placed in

service in Illinois. For tax years ending on or after 1 2 December 31, 1987, and on or before December 31, 1988, the 3 credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the property is placed in service, or, if the amount of the 4 5 credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later 6 7 amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to 8 the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the 9 excess credit years if the taxpayer (i) makes investments 10 which cause the creation of a minimum of 2,000 full-time 11 equivalent jobs in Illinois, (ii) is located in an 12 established pursuant to the Illinois enterprise zone and (iii) is 13 Enterprise Zone Act certified by the 14 Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (now 15 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity) as 16 complying with the requirements specified in clause (i) and 17 (ii) by July 1, 1986. The Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (now Department of Commerce and Economic 18 19 Opportunity) shall notify the Department of Revenue of all 20 such certifications immediately. For tax years ending after December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for 21 22 the tax year in which the property is placed in service, 23 or, if the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability 24 for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or 25 the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried 26 forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit years. The credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is credit from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability, earlier credit shall be applied first.

6 (2) The term "qualified property" means property 7 which:

8 (A) is tangible, whether new or used, including 9 buildings and structural components of buildings and 10 signs that are real property, but not including land or 11 improvements to real property that are not a structural 12 component of a building such as landscaping, sewer 13 lines, local access roads, fencing, parking lots, and 14 other appurtenances;

(B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of the
Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year property"
as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that Code is not
eligible for the credit provided by this subsection
(e);

20 (C) is acquired by purchase as defined in Section
21 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code;

(D) is used in Illinois by a taxpayer who is
primarily engaged in manufacturing, or in mining coal
or fluorite, or in retailing, or was placed in service
on or after July 1, 2006 in a River Edge Redevelopment
Zone established pursuant to the River Edge

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Redevelopment Zone Act; and

(E) has not previously been used in Illinois in such a manner and by such a person as would qualify for the credit provided by this subsection (e) or subsection (f).

6 (3) For purposes of this subsection (e), 7 "manufacturing" means the material staging and production 8 tangible personal property by procedures commonly of 9 regarded as manufacturing, processing, fabrication, or 10 assembling which changes some existing material into new 11 shapes, new qualities, or new combinations. For purposes of 12 this subsection (e) the term "mining" shall have the same meaning as the term "mining" in Section 613(c) of the 13 14 Internal Revenue Code. For purposes of this subsection (e), 15 the term "retailing" means the sale of tangible personal 16 property or services rendered in conjunction with the sale 17 of tangible consumer goods or commodities.

18 (4) The basis of qualified property shall be the basis
19 used to compute the depreciation deduction for federal
20 income tax purposes.

(5) If the basis of the property for federal income tax
depreciation purposes is increased after it has been placed
in service in Illinois by the taxpayer, the amount of such
increase shall be deemed property placed in service on the
date of such increase in basis.

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(6) The term "placed in service" shall have the same

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meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue Code.

2 (7) If during any taxable year, any property ceases to 3 be qualified property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months after being placed in service, or the situs of 4 5 any qualified property is moved outside Illinois within 48 months after being placed in service, the Personal Property 6 Tax Replacement Income Tax for such taxable year shall be 7 8 increased. Such increase shall be determined by (i) 9 recomputing the investment credit which would have been 10 allowed for the year in which credit for such property was 11 originally allowed by eliminating such property from such 12 computation and, (ii) subtracting such recomputed credit 13 from the amount of credit previously allowed. For the 14 purposes of this paragraph (7), a reduction of the basis of 15 qualified property resulting from a redetermination of the 16 purchase price shall be deemed a disposition of qualified 17 property to the extent of such reduction.

(8) Unless the investment credit is extended by law,
the basis of qualified property shall not include costs
incurred after December 31, 2008, except for costs incurred
pursuant to a binding contract entered into on or before
December 31, 2008.

(9) Each taxable year ending before December 31, 2000,
a partnership may elect to pass through to its partners the
credits to which the partnership is entitled under this
subsection (e) for the taxable year. A partner may use the

credit allocated to him or her under this paragraph only 1 2 against the tax imposed in subsections (c) and (d) of this 3 Section. If the partnership makes that election, those credits shall be allocated among the partners in the 4 5 partnership in accordance with the rules set forth in 6 Section 704(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, and the rules 7 promulgated under that Section, and the allocated amount of 8 the credits shall be allowed to the partners for that 9 taxable year. The partnership shall make this election on 10 its Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax return for 11 that taxable year. The election to pass through the credits 12 shall be irrevocable.

For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2000, 13 14 a partner that qualifies its partnership for a subtraction 15 under subparagraph (I) of paragraph (2) of subsection (d) 16 of Section 203 or a shareholder that qualifies a Subchapter 17 S corporation for a subtraction under subparagraph (S) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of Section 203 shall be 18 19 allowed a credit under this subsection (e) equal to its 20 share of the credit earned under this subsection (e) during 21 the taxable year by the partnership or Subchapter S 22 determined accordance with corporation, in the 23 determination of income and distributive share of income 24 under Sections 702 and 704 and Subchapter S of the Internal 25 Revenue Code. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions 26 of Section 250.

(f) Investment credit; Enterprise Zone; River Edge
 Redevelopment Zone.

3 (1) A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for 4 5 investment in qualified property which is placed in service 6 in an Enterprise Zone created pursuant to the Illinois 7 Enterprise Zone Act or, for property placed in service on 8 or after July 1, 2006, a River Edge Redevelopment Zone 9 established pursuant to the River Edge Redevelopment Zone 10 Act. For partners, shareholders of Subchapter S 11 corporations, and owners of limited liability companies, 12 if the liability company is treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and State income taxation, there shall 13 14 be allowed a credit under this subsection (f) to be 15 determined in accordance with the determination of income 16 and distributive share of income under Sections 702 and 704 17 and Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. The credit shall be .5% of the basis for such property. The credit 18 19 shall be available only in the taxable year in which the 20 property is placed in service in the Enterprise Zone or 21 River Edge Redevelopment Zone and shall not be allowed to 22 the extent that it would reduce a taxpayer's liability for 23 the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section 24 to below zero. For tax years ending on or after December 25 31, 1985, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in 26 which the property is placed in service, or, if the amount

of the credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, 1 2 whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability 3 as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years 4 5 following the excess credit year. The credit shall be 6 applied to the earliest year for which there is a 7 liability. If there is credit from more than one tax year 8 that is available to offset a liability, the credit 9 accruing first in time shall be applied first.

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(2) The term qualified property means property which:

(A) is tangible, whether new or used, including buildings and structural components of buildings;

(B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of the
Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year property"
as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that Code is not
eligible for the credit provided by this subsection
(f);

18 (C) is acquired by purchase as defined in Section
19 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code;

20 (D) is used in the Enterprise Zone or River Edge
21 Redevelopment Zone by the taxpayer; and

(E) has not been previously used in Illinois in
such a manner and by such a person as would qualify for
the credit provided by this subsection (f) or
subsection (e).

(3) The basis of qualified property shall be the basis

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used to compute the depreciation deduction for federal income tax purposes.

3 (4) If the basis of the property for federal income tax depreciation purposes is increased after it has been placed 4 5 in service in the Enterprise Zone or River Edge 6 Redevelopment Zone by the taxpayer, the amount of such 7 increase shall be deemed property placed in service on the 8 date of such increase in basis.

9 (5) The term "placed in service" shall have the same 10 meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue Code.

11 (6) If during any taxable year, any property ceases to 12 be qualified property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months after being placed in service, or the situs of 13 14 any qualified property is moved outside the Enterprise Zone 15 or River Edge Redevelopment Zone within 48 months after 16 being placed in service, the tax imposed under subsections 17 (a) and (b) of this Section for such taxable year shall be increased. Such increase shall be determined by (i) 18 19 recomputing the investment credit which would have been 20 allowed for the year in which credit for such property was 21 originally allowed by eliminating such property from such 22 computation, and (ii) subtracting such recomputed credit 23 from the amount of credit previously allowed. For the 24 purposes of this paragraph (6), a reduction of the basis of 25 qualified property resulting from a redetermination of the 26 purchase price shall be deemed a disposition of qualified

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property to the extent of such reduction.

2 (7) There shall be allowed an additional credit equal 3 0.5% of the basis of qualified property placed in to during the taxable year in 4 service a River Edge Redevelopment Zone, provided such property is placed in 5 service on or after July 1, 2006, and the taxpayer's base 6 7 employment within Illinois has increased by 1% or more over 8 preceding year as determined by the taxpayer's the 9 employment records filed with the Illinois Department of 10 Employment Security. Taxpayers who are new to Illinois 11 shall be deemed to have met the 1% growth in base 12 employment for the first year in which they file employment 13 with the records Illinois Department of Employment 14 Security. If, in any year, the increase in base employment 15 within Illinois over the preceding year is less than 1%, 16 the additional credit shall be limited to that percentage 17 times a fraction, the numerator of which is 0.5% and the denominator of which is 1%, but shall not exceed 0.5%. 18

19 (g) Jobs Tax Credit; Enterprise Zone, River Edge20 Redevelopment Zone, and Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone.

(1) A taxpayer conducting a trade or business in an
enterprise zone or a High Impact Business designated by the
Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity or for
taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2006, in a
River Edge Redevelopment Zone conducting a trade or
business in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or

Sub-Zone shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section in the amount of \$500 per eligible employee hired to work in the zone during the taxable year.

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(2) To qualify for the credit:

(A) the taxpayer must hire 5 or more eligible employees to work in an enterprise zone, River Edge Redevelopment Zone, or federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone during the taxable year;

10 (B) the taxpayer's total employment within the 11 enterprise zone, River Edge Redevelopment Zone, or 12 federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone 13 must increase by 5 or more full-time employees beyond 14 the total employed in that zone at the end of the 15 previous tax year for which a jobs tax credit under 16 this Section was taken, or beyond the total employed by 17 the taxpayer as of December 31, 1985, whichever is later; and 18

(C) the eligible employees must be employed 180
consecutive days in order to be deemed hired for
purposes of this subsection.

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(3) An "eligible employee" means an employee who is:

(A) Certified by the Department of Commerce and
Economic Opportunity as "eligible for services"
pursuant to regulations promulgated in accordance with
Title II of the Job Training Partnership Act, Training

Services for the Disadvantaged or Title III of the Job Training Partnership Act, Employment and Training Assistance for Dislocated Workers Program.

4 (B) Hired after the enterprise zone, River Edge
5 Redevelopment Zone, or federally designated Foreign
6 Trade Zone or Sub-Zone was designated or the trade or
7 business was located in that zone, whichever is later.

8 (C) Employed in the enterprise zone, River Edge 9 Redevelopment Zone, or Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone. 10 An employee is employed in an enterprise zone or 11 federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone if 12 his services are rendered there or it is the base of 13 operations for the services performed.

14 (D) A full-time employee working 30 or more hours15 per week.

16 (4) For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1985 17 and prior to December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the eligible employees are hired. 18 19 For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1988, the 20 credit shall be allowed for the tax year immediately 21 following the tax year in which the eligible employees are 22 hired. If the amount of the credit exceeds the tax 23 liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original 24 liability or the liability as later amended, such excess 25 may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of 26 the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. The

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credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is credit from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability, earlier credit shall be applied first.

5 (5) The Department of Revenue shall promulgate such 6 rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary to carry 7 out the purposes of this subsection (g).

(6) The credit shall be available for eligible employees hired on or after January 1, 1986.

(h) Investment credit; High Impact Business.

11 (1) Subject to subsections (b) and (b-5) of Section 5.5 12 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, a taxpayer shall be 13 allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) 14 (b) of this Section for investment in qualified and 15 property which is placed in service by a Department of 16 Commerce and Economic Opportunity designated High Impact 17 Business. The credit shall be .5% of the basis for such property. The credit shall not be available (i) until the 18 19 minimum investments in qualified property set forth in 20 subdivision (a) (3) (A) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois 21 Enterprise Zone Act have been satisfied or (ii) until the 22 time authorized in subsection (b-5) of the Illinois 23 Enterprise Zone Act for entities designated as High Impact 24 Businesses under subdivisions (a)(3)(B), (a)(3)(C), and 25 (a) (3) (D) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone 26 Act, and shall not be allowed to the extent that it would

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reduce a taxpayer's liability for the tax imposed by 1 2 subsections (a) and (b) of this Section to below zero. The 3 credit applicable to such investments shall be taken in the taxable year in which such investments have been completed. 4 5 The credit for additional investments beyond the minimum 6 investment by a designated high impact business authorized under subdivision (a) (3) (A) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois 7 8 Enterprise Zone Act shall be available only in the taxable 9 year in which the property is placed in service and shall 10 not be allowed to the extent that it would reduce a 11 taxpayer's liability for the tax imposed by subsections (a) 12 and (b) of this Section to below zero. For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1987, the credit shall be allowed 13 14 for the tax year in which the property is placed in 15 service, or, if the amount of the credit exceeds the tax 16 liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original 17 liability or the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of 18 19 the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. The 20 credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which 21 there is a liability. If there is credit from more than one 22 tax year that is available to offset a liability, the 23 credit accruing first in time shall be applied first.

Changes made in this subdivision (h)(1) by Public Act 88-670 restore changes made by Public Act 85-1182 and reflect existing law.

(2) The term qualified property means property which:

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(A) is tangible, whether new or used, including buildings and structural components of buildings;

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(B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of the
Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year property"
as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that Code is not
eligible for the credit provided by this subsection
(h);

9 (C) is acquired by purchase as defined in Section 10 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code; and

(D) is not eligible for the Enterprise Zone
Investment Credit provided by subsection (f) of this
Section.

14 (3) The basis of qualified property shall be the basis
15 used to compute the depreciation deduction for federal
16 income tax purposes.

(4) If the basis of the property for federal income tax
depreciation purposes is increased after it has been placed
in service in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or
Sub-Zone located in Illinois by the taxpayer, the amount of
such increase shall be deemed property placed in service on
the date of such increase in basis.

(5) The term "placed in service" shall have the same
 meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue Code.

(6) If during any taxable year ending on or before
 December 31, 1996, any property ceases to be qualified

property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months 1 2 after being placed in service, or the situs of any 3 qualified property is moved outside Illinois within 48 months after being placed in service, the tax imposed under 4 5 subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for such taxable year shall be increased. Such increase shall be determined 6 7 by (i) recomputing the investment credit which would have 8 been allowed for the year in which credit for such property 9 was originally allowed by eliminating such property from 10 such computation, and (ii) subtracting such recomputed 11 credit from the amount of credit previously allowed. For 12 the purposes of this paragraph (6), a reduction of the of 13 qualified basis property resulting from а redetermination of the purchase price shall be deemed a 14 15 disposition of qualified property to the extent of such 16 reduction.

17 (7) Beginning with tax years ending after December 31, 1996, if a taxpayer qualifies for the credit under this 18 19 subsection (h) and thereby is granted a tax abatement and 20 the taxpayer relocates its entire facility in violation of the explicit terms and length of the contract under Section 21 22 18-183 of the Property Tax Code, the tax imposed under 23 subsections (a) and (b) of this Section shall be increased 24 for the taxable year in which the taxpayer relocated its 25 facility by an amount equal to the amount of credit 26 received by the taxpayer under this subsection (h).

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(i) Credit for Personal Property Tax Replacement Income 1 2 Tax. For tax years ending prior to December 31, 2003, a credit shall be allowed against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and 3 (b) of this Section for the tax imposed by subsections (c) and 4 (d) of this Section. This credit shall be computed by 5 multiplying the tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of this 6 Section by a fraction, the numerator of which is base income 7 allocable to Illinois and the denominator of which is Illinois 8 9 base income, and further multiplying the product by the tax 10 rate imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section.

11 Any credit earned on or after December 31, 1986 under this 12 subsection which is unused in the year the credit is computed because it exceeds the tax liability imposed by subsections (a) 13 14 and (b) for that year (whether it exceeds the original 15 liability or the liability as later amended) may be carried 16 forward and applied to the tax liability imposed by subsections 17 (a) and (b) of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year, provided that no credit may be carried forward to any 18 year ending on or after December 31, 2003. This credit shall be 19 20 applied first to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is a credit under this subsection from more 21 22 than one tax year that is available to offset a liability the 23 earliest credit arising under this subsection shall be applied first. 24

If, during any taxable year ending on or after December 31, 1986, the tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of this

Section for which a taxpayer has claimed a credit under this 1 2 subsection (i) is reduced, the amount of credit for such tax shall also be reduced. Such reduction shall be determined by 3 recomputing the credit to take into account the reduced tax 4 5 imposed by subsections (c) and (d). If any portion of the 6 reduced amount of credit has been carried to a different 7 taxable year, an amended return shall be filed for such taxable 8 year to reduce the amount of credit claimed.

9 (j) Training expense credit. Beginning with tax years 10 ending on or after December 31, 1986 and prior to December 31, 11 2003 and for tax years ending on or after December 31, 2009 and 12 on or before December 30, 2019, a taxpayer shall be allowed a 13 credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) under this Section for all amounts paid or accrued, on behalf of all 14 15 persons employed by the taxpayer in Illinois or Illinois 16 residents employed outside of Illinois by a taxpayer, for 17 educational or vocational training in semi-technical or technical fields or semi-skilled or skilled fields, which were 18 19 deducted from gross income in the computation of taxable 20 income. The credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) shall be 1.6% of such training expenses for tax years 21 22 ending prior to December 31, 2003 and 2% for tax years ending on or after December 31, 2009 and on or before December 30, 23 2019. For partners, shareholders of subchapter S corporations, 24 and owners of limited liability companies, if the liability 25 26 company is treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and

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1 State income taxation, there shall be allowed a credit under 2 this subsection (j) to be determined in accordance with the 3 determination of income and distributive share of income under 4 Sections 702 and 704 and subchapter S of the Internal Revenue 5 Code.

6 Any credit allowed under this subsection which is unused in 7 the year the credit is earned may be carried forward to each of 8 the 5 taxable years following the year for which the credit is 9 first computed until it is used. This credit shall be applied 10 first to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If 11 there is a credit under this subsection from more than one tax 12 year that is available to offset a liability the earliest credit arising under this subsection shall be applied first. No 13 14 carryforward credit may be claimed in any tax year ending on or 15 after December 31, 2003 and prior to December 31, 2010.

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(k) Research and development credit.

17 For tax years ending after July 1, 1990 and prior to December 31, 2003, and beginning again for tax years ending on 18 19 or after December 31, 2004, a taxpayer shall be allowed a 20 credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for increasing research activities in this State. 21 22 The credit allowed against the tax imposed by subsections (a) 23 and (b) shall be equal to $6 \ 1/2\%$ of the qualifying expenditures for increasing research activities in this State. For partners, 24 25 shareholders of subchapter S corporations, and owners of 26 limited liability companies, if the liability company is

treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and State 1 2 income taxation, there shall be allowed a credit under this determined in 3 subsection to be accordance with the determination of income and distributive share of income under 4 5 Sections 702 and 704 and subchapter S of the Internal Revenue 6 Code.

For purposes of this subsection, "qualifying expenditures" 7 means the qualifying expenditures as defined for the federal 8 9 credit for increasing research activities which would be allowable under Section 41 of the Internal Revenue Code and 10 which are conducted in this State, "qualifying expenditures for 11 12 increasing research activities in this State" means the excess 13 of qualifying expenditures for the taxable year in which 14 incurred over qualifying expenditures for the base period, 15 "qualifying expenditures for the base period" means the average 16 of the qualifying expenditures for each year in the base 17 period, and "base period" means the 3 taxable years immediately preceding the taxable year for which the determination is being 18 19 made.

Any credit in excess of the tax liability for the taxable year may be carried forward. A taxpayer may elect to have the unused credit shown on its final completed return carried over as a credit against the tax liability for the following 5 taxable years or until it has been fully used, whichever occurs first; provided that no credit earned in a tax year ending prior to December 31, 2003 may be carried forward to any year

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1 ending on or after December 31, 2003.

2 If an unused credit is carried forward to a given year from 2 or more earlier years, that credit arising in the earliest 3 year will be applied first against the tax liability for the 4 5 given year. If a tax liability for the given year still remains, the credit from the next earliest year will then be 6 7 applied, and so on, until all credits have been used or no tax 8 liability for the given year remains. Any remaining unused credit or credits then will be carried forward to the next 9 10 following year in which a tax liability is incurred, except 11 that no credit can be carried forward to a year which is more 12 than 5 years after the year in which the expense for which the credit is given was incurred. 13

No inference shall be drawn from this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly in construing this Section for taxable years beginning before January 1, 1999.

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(1) Environmental Remediation Tax Credit.

(i) For tax years ending after December 31, 1997 and on 18 19 or before December 31, 2001, a taxpayer shall be allowed a 20 credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for certain amounts paid for unreimbursed 21 22 eligible remediation costs, specified as in this 23 subsection. For purposes of this Section, "unreimbursed eligible remediation costs" means costs approved by the 24 25 Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Agency") under Section 58.14 of the Environmental Protection Act that were 26

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1 paid in performing environmental remediation at a site for 2 which a No Further Remediation Letter was issued by the 3 recorded under Section 58.10 of Agency and the Environmental Protection Act. The credit must be claimed 4 5 for the taxable year in which Agency approval of the 6 eligible remediation costs is granted. The credit is not 7 available to any taxpayer if the taxpayer or any related 8 party caused or contributed to, in any material respect, a 9 release of regulated substances on, in, or under the site 10 that was identified and addressed by the remedial action 11 pursuant the Site Remediation Program of the to 12 Environmental Protection Act. After the Pollution Control 13 Board rules are adopted pursuant to the Illinois 14 Administrative Procedure Act for the administration and of 15 enforcement of Section 58.9 the Environmental 16 Protection Act, determinations as to credit availability 17 for purposes of this Section shall be made consistent with 18 those rules. For purposes of this Section, "taxpayer" 19 includes a person whose tax attributes the taxpayer has 20 succeeded to under Section 381 of the Internal Revenue Code 21 and "related party" includes the persons disallowed a 22 deduction for losses by paragraphs (b), (c), and (f)(1) of 23 Section 267 of the Internal Revenue Code by virtue of being 24 a related taxpayer, as well as any of its partners. The 25 credit allowed against the tax imposed by subsections (a) 26 and (b) shall be equal to 25% of the unreimbursed eligible

remediation costs in excess of \$100,000 per site, except 1 2 that the \$100,000 threshold shall not apply to any site 3 contained in an enterprise zone as determined by the Commerce and Community Affairs 4 Department of (now 5 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity). The 6 total credit allowed shall not exceed \$40,000 per year with 7 a maximum total of \$150,000 per site. For partners and 8 shareholders of subchapter S corporations, there shall be 9 allowed a credit under this subsection to be determined in 10 accordance with the determination of income and 11 distributive share of income under Sections 702 and 704 and 12 subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code.

(ii) A credit allowed under this subsection that is 13 14 unused in the year the credit is earned may be carried 15 forward to each of the 5 taxable years following the year 16 for which the credit is first earned until it is used. The 17 term "unused credit" does not include any amounts of unreimbursed eligible remediation costs in excess of the 18 19 maximum credit per site authorized under paragraph (i). 20 This credit shall be applied first to the earliest year for 21 which there is a liability. If there is a credit under this 22 subsection from more than one tax year that is available to 23 offset a liability, the earliest credit arising under this 24 subsection shall be applied first. A credit allowed under 25 this subsection may be sold to a buyer as part of a sale of 26 all or part of the remediation site for which the credit

was granted. The purchaser of a remediation site and the 1 2 tax credit shall succeed to the unused credit and remaining 3 carry-forward period of the seller. To perfect the transfer, the assignor shall record the transfer in the 4 5 chain of title for the site and provide written notice to the Director of the Illinois Department of Revenue of the 6 7 assignor's intent to sell the remediation site and the 8 amount of the tax credit to be transferred as a portion of 9 the sale. In no event may a credit be transferred to any 10 taxpayer if the taxpayer or a related party would not be 11 eligible under the provisions of subsection (i).

12 (iii) For purposes of this Section, the term "site"
13 shall have the same meaning as under Section 58.2 of the
14 Environmental Protection Act.

(m) Education expense credit. Beginning with tax years 15 16 ending after December 31, 1999, a taxpayer who is the custodian 17 of one or more qualifying pupils shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this 18 19 Section for qualified education expenses incurred on behalf of 20 the qualifying pupils. The credit shall be equal to 25% of qualified education expenses, but in no event may the total 21 22 credit under this subsection claimed by a family that is the 23 custodian of qualifying pupils exceed \$500. In no event shall a credit under this subsection reduce the taxpayer's liability 24 under this Act to less than zero. This subsection is exempt 25 from the provisions of Section 250 of this Act. 26

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For purposes of this subsection:

2 "Qualifying pupils" means individuals who (i) are residents of the State of Illinois, (ii) are under the age of 3 21 at the close of the school year for which a credit is 4 5 sought, and (iii) during the school year for which a credit is 6 sought were full-time pupils enrolled in a kindergarten through 7 twelfth grade education program at any school, as defined in 8 this subsection.

9 "Qualified education expense" means the amount incurred on 10 behalf of a qualifying pupil in excess of \$250 for tuition, 11 book fees, and lab fees at the school in which the pupil is 12 enrolled during the regular school year.

"School" means any public or nonpublic elementary or secondary school in Illinois that is in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and attendance at which satisfies the requirements of Section 26-1 of the School Code, except that nothing shall be construed to require a child to attend any particular public or nonpublic school to qualify for the credit under this Section.

20 "Custodian" means, with respect to qualifying pupils, an 21 Illinois resident who is a parent, the parents, a legal 22 guardian, or the legal guardians of the qualifying pupils.

23 (n) River Edge Redevelopment Zone site remediation tax24 credit.

(i) For tax years ending on or after December 31, 2006,
a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax

imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for 1 2 certain amounts paid for unreimbursed eligible remediation 3 costs, as specified in this subsection. For purposes of this Section, "unreimbursed eligible remediation costs" 4 5 costs approved by the Illinois Environmental means 6 Protection Agency ("Agency") under Section 58.14a of the 7 Environmental Protection Act that were paid in performing 8 environmental remediation at a site within a River Edge 9 Redevelopment Zone for which a No Further Remediation 10 Letter was issued by the Agency and recorded under Section 11 58.10 of the Environmental Protection Act. The credit must 12 be claimed for the taxable year in which Agency approval of the eligible remediation costs is granted. The credit is 13 14 not available to any taxpayer if the taxpayer or any 15 related party caused or contributed to, in any material 16 respect, a release of regulated substances on, in, or under 17 the site that was identified and addressed by the remedial action pursuant to the Site Remediation Program of the 18 19 Environmental Protection Act. Determinations as to credit 20 availability for purposes of this Section shall be made consistent with rules adopted by the Pollution Control 21 22 Board pursuant to the Illinois Administrative Procedure 23 Act for the administration and enforcement of Section 58.9 24 of the Environmental Protection Act. For purposes of this 25 Section, "taxpayer" includes a person whose tax attributes 26 the taxpayer has succeeded to under Section 381 of the

Internal Revenue Code and "related party" includes the 1 persons disallowed a deduction for losses by paragraphs 2 3 (b), (c), and (f)(1) of Section 267 of the Internal Revenue Code by virtue of being a related taxpayer, as well as any 4 5 of its partners. The credit allowed against the tax imposed 6 by subsections (a) and (b) shall be equal to 25% of the 7 unreimbursed eligible remediation costs in excess of 8 \$100,000 per site.

9 (ii) A credit allowed under this subsection that is 10 unused in the year the credit is earned may be carried 11 forward to each of the 5 taxable years following the year 12 for which the credit is first earned until it is used. This 13 credit shall be applied first to the earliest year for 14 which there is a liability. If there is a credit under this 15 subsection from more than one tax year that is available to 16 offset a liability, the earliest credit arising under this subsection shall be applied first. A credit allowed under 17 this subsection may be sold to a buyer as part of a sale of 18 19 all or part of the remediation site for which the credit 20 was granted. The purchaser of a remediation site and the 21 tax credit shall succeed to the unused credit and remaining 22 carry-forward period of the seller. To perfect the transfer, the assignor shall record the transfer in the 23 24 chain of title for the site and provide written notice to 25 the Director of the Illinois Department of Revenue of the 26 assignor's intent to sell the remediation site and the

amount of the tax credit to be transferred as a portion of the sale. In no event may a credit be transferred to any taxpayer if the taxpayer or a related party would not be eligible under the provisions of subsection (i).

5 (iii) For purposes of this Section, the term "site" 6 shall have the same meaning as under Section 58.2 of the 7 Environmental Protection Act.

8 (iv) This subsection is exempt from the provisions of 9 Section 250.

10 (Source: P.A. 94-1021, eff. 7-12-06; 95-454, eff. 8-27-07.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.