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HB6038

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/214

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Extends the credit for affordable housing donations through the taxable year ending on December 31, 2016 (instead of 2011). Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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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 214 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 5/214)

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Sec. 214. Tax credit for affordable housing donations.

8 (a) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after 9 December 31, 2001 and until the taxable year ending on December 31, 2016 2011, a taxpayer who makes a donation under Section 10 7.28 of the Illinois Housing Development Act is entitled to a 11 credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of 12 Section 201 in an amount equal to 50% of the value of the 13 14 donation. Partners, shareholders of subchapter S corporations, and owners of limited liability companies (if the limited 15 16 liability company is treated as a partnership for purposes of 17 federal and State income taxation) are entitled a credit under Section to be determined in accordance with the 18 this 19 determination of income and distributive share of income under 20 Sections 702 and 703 and subchapter S of the Internal Revenue 21 Code. Persons or entities not subject to the tax imposed by 22 subsections (a) and (b) of Section 201 and who make a donation under Section 7.28 of the Illinois Housing Development Act are 23

1 entitled to a credit as described in this subsection and may 2 transfer that credit as described in subsection (c).

3 (b) If the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability 4 for the year, the excess may be carried forward and applied to 5 the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess 6 credit year. The tax credit shall be applied to the earliest 7 year for which there is a tax liability. If there are credits 8 for more than one year that are available to offset a 9 liability, the earlier credit shall be applied first.

10 (c) The transfer of the tax credit allowed under this 11 Section may be made (i) to the purchaser of land that has been 12 designated solely for affordable housing projects in 13 accordance with the Illinois Housing Development Act or (ii) to 14 another donor who has also made a donation in accordance with 15 Section 7.28 of the Illinois Housing Development Act.

(d) A taxpayer claiming the credit provided by this Section must maintain and record any information that the Department may require by regulation regarding the project for which the credit is claimed. When claiming the credit provided by this Section, the taxpayer must provide information regarding the taxpayer's donation to the project under the Illinois Housing Development Act.

23 (Source: P.A. 93-369, eff. 7-24-03; 94-46, eff. 6-17-05.)

24 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 25 becoming law.

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