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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 135, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to tax credits.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 135, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 135.005, to read as follows:

135.005. 1. Notwithstanding any other section, if the highest income tax rate under section 143.011 is reduced under subsection 2 of section 143.011, then the amount authorized for any and all tax credits shall be reduced by a percentage equal to the percentage that such tax rate is reduced under subsection 2 of section 143.011.

- 2. Notwithstanding any other section, if the highest income tax rate under section 143.011 is reduced by any means other than subsection 2 of section 143.011, then the amount authorized for any and all tax credits shall be reduced by a percentage equal to the percentage that such tax rate is reduced.
- 3. Notwithstanding section 143.022 or any other section to the contrary, if the deduction for business income under section 143.022 increases under subsections 4 and 5 of section 143.022, then the amount authorized for any and all tax credits shall be reduced by a percentage equal to the percentage that such deduction for business income is increased under subsections 4 and 5 of section 143.022.
- 4. Any tax credit authorized on or after August 28, 2017, shall be reduced under this section by a percentage equal only to an income tax reduction or a deduction for business income increase that occurs after such tax credit is authorized. No tax credit reduction under this section shall be calculated using an income tax reduction or a

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deduction for business income increase that occurred before such tax credit was authorized.

- 5. A tax credit reduction under this section shall take effect the tax year 20 immediately following the tax year an income tax reduction or a deduction for business income increase occurs.
  - 6. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:
  - (1) The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset on December thirty-first six years after the effective date of this section unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly;
  - (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset on December thirty-first twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section; and
- (3) This section shall terminate on September first of the calendar year immediately 30 following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is sunset.