AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2540, Page 127, Section 143.011, Lines 1-3, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "143.011. 1. For tax years ending before January 1, 2018, a tax is hereby imposed for every [taxable] tax year on the Missouri taxable income of every resident. The tax shall be determined by applying the tax table or the rate provided in section 143.021, which is based upon the following rates:"; and Further amend said bill, page, section, Lines 12-16, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Over \$7,000 but not over \$8,000 \$210 plus 5% of excess over \$7,000 Over \$9,000 \$260 plus 5 1/2% of excess over \$8,000 Over \$9,000 \$315 plus 6% of excess over \$9,000 2. For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018, a tax is hereby imposed for every tax year on the Missouri taxable income of every resident at a rate of five percent. [(1) Beginning with the 2017 calendar year, the top rate of tax under subsection 1 of"; and Further amend said bill, Page 128, Section 143.021, Lines 1-11, by striking said section from the bill; and Further amend said bill, Page 129, Section 143.022, Line 34, by inserting after all of said section and line the following: "143.031. 1. A [husband and wife] married couple who file a joint federal income tax return shall find a combined return. A [husband and-wife] married couple who do not file a joint federal income tax return shall find income tax return shall not file a combined return. 2. The Missouri combined taxable income on a combined return shall include all of the income and deductions of [the husband and wife] both spouses. [The Missouri taxable income of each spouse shall be an amount that is the same proportion of their Missouri combined adjusted gross income.] 3. If one spouse is a nonresident, the tax of each spouse shall be determined by the	House	Amendment NO
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- 5 Further amend said bill, Page 416, Section B, Lines 2-3, by deleting the numbers "143.011,
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- 6 7 8 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 9 accordingly.