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CHAPTER\_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

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## **Qualified Capital Gains - Maximum Tax**

3 FOR the purpose of allowing a credit against the Maryland individual income tax to

- 4 limit the amount of State and county income taxes payable for any taxable year
- 5 by an individual on certain capital gain income; and providing for the
- 6 application of this Act.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 8 Article Tax General
- 9 Section 10-706(c)
- 10 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 11 (1997 Replacement Volume)

12 BY adding to

- 13 Article Tax General
- 14 Section 10-709
- 15 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 16 (1997 Replacement Volume)

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

18 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

| 2  |  |                  |                  | SENATE BILL 310  |  |
|--|--|------------------|------------------|--|--|
| 1  | Article - Tax - General  |                  |                  |  |  |
| 2  | 10-706.  |                  |                  |  |  |
| 3  | (c)  | (1)              | A credit         | under § 10-704 OR § 10-709 of this subtitle:   |  |
| 4  |  |                  | (i)              | is allowed only against the State income tax; and  |  |
| 5  |  |                  | (ii)             | operates to reduce the county income tax.  |  |
| 6<br>7   | tax after the  | (2)<br>State inc | (i)<br>ome tax i | The county income tax is based on the amount of State income s reduced by the credit.                            |  |
|  | (ii) For purposes of determining the county income tax, the credit<br>under § 10-704 OR § 10-709 of this subtitle shall be calculated using the State income<br>tax as modified under § 10-106(d) of this title. |                  |                  |  |  |
| 11   | 10-709.  |                  |                  |  |  |
|  | 12 (A) IN THIS SECTION, "QUALIFIED CAPITAL GAIN" MEANS THE NET CAPITAL<br>13 GAIN, WITHIN THE MEANING OF § 1222(11) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, THAT:  |                  |                  |  |  |
|  | 14 (1) IS INCLUDED IN THE MARYLAND ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME OF AN<br>15 INDIVIDUAL; AND   |                  |                  |  |  |
| 16<br>17   |  | (2)<br>10-210(B) |                  | D BE SUBTRACTED FROM FEDERAL ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME<br>S TITLE IF THE INDIVIDUAL WERE A NONRESIDENT.              |  |
| 19   | 18 (B) AN INDIVIDUAL MAY CLAIM A CREDIT AGAINST THE STATE INCOME TAX<br>19 FOR A TAXABLE YEAR IN THE AMOUNT BY WHICH THE STATE INCOME TAX EXCEEDS<br>20 THE SUM OF:  |                  |                  |  |  |
| 21   |  | (1)              | \$65,000         | ; AND  |  |
|  | INDIVIDU   |                  | RYLAN            | CATE INCOME TAX THAT WOULD BE PAYABLE ON THE<br>D TAXABLE INCOME REDUCED BY THE AMOUNT OF THE<br>D CAPITAL GAIN. |  |
| <ul> <li>SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect</li> <li>July 1, 1998 and shall be applicable to all taxable years beginning after December 31,</li> <li>1997.</li> </ul> |  |                  |                  |  |  |
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