SB0002/453320/1

BY: Senator Greenip

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 2, AS AMENDED (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1 of the bill, in line 6, after "nonresidents;" insert "<u>increasing the</u> amount allowed to be deducted for personal exemptions and the <u>minimum and maximum amounts for the standard deduction under the Maryland income tax for certain taxable years by a certain cost-of-living adjustment;".</u>

On page 3 of the Budget and Taxation Committee Amendments (SB0002/189134/1), in line 22 of Amendment No. 1, after "10-110," insert "10-202,".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6 of the bill, after line 6, insert:

"10-202.

- (A) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, FOR EACH TAXABLE YEAR BEGINNING AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2008, THE PER-EXEMPTION DEDUCTION AMOUNT SPECIFIED UNDER § 10-211(1) AND (2) OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE INCREASED BY AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE PRODUCT OF MULTIPLYING THE PER-EXEMPTION DEDUCTION AMOUNT TIMES THE COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT DETERMINED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.
- (B) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT IS THE COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT WITHIN THE MEANING OF \$ 1(F)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR IN WHICH A TAXABLE YEAR BEGINS, AS DETERMINED BY THE COMPTROLLER BY

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SUBSTITUTING "CALENDAR YEAR 2007" FOR "CALENDAR YEAR 1992" IN § 1(F)(3)(B) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE.

(C) If any increase determined under subsection (a) of this section is not a multiple of \$50, the increase shall be rounded down to the next lowest multiple of \$50.";

and in line 16, strike "Whether" and substitute "SUBJECT TO § 10-202 OF THIS SUBTITLE, WHETHER".