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1 164267-1:n:01/22/2015:LLR/tj LRS2015-174 2 3 4 5 6 7 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, an income tax credit is 8 not provided to a taxpayer for hiring a student in 9 10 a public high school in Montgomery County, Alabama, 11 during school breaks, after school, or on weekends. 12 This bill would provide an income tax credit 13 for hiring certain persons who are students in a 14 public high school in Montgomery County, Alabama, 15 under the age of 19 during school breaks, after school, or on weekends. 16 17 18 A BTTT 19 TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT 20 21 22 To provide an income tax credit to a taxpayer for 23 hiring a student in a public high school in Montgomery County, Alabama, during school breaks, after school, or on weekends. 24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA: 25 26 Section 1. A taxpayer who employs a student worker 27 under the age of 19 years who is enrolled in a public high

school in Montgomery County, Alabama, to work during school 1 2 breaks, after school, or on weekends, including during the summer or official holidays, in the state and shall retain the 3 4 student worker as an employee for at least nine months shall be allowed an income tax credit for hiring the student. The 5 6 amount of the income tax credit shall be equal to the wages 7 paid to the student worker during the taxable year up to a maximum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for each 8 9 student worker employed and retained by the taxpayer each 10 year. The taxpayer shall claim the income tax credit with 11 respect to a student worker in the year in which the 12 nine-month period ends and the following year.

13 Section 2. (a) The credit allowed pursuant to 14 Section 1 shall not exceed 50 percent of the amount of the tax 15 imposed for the taxable year reduced by the sum of all credits allowable, except payments of tax made by or on behalf of the 16 17 taxpayer. This limitation shall apply to the cumulative amount of the credit, including carry forwards, claimed by the 18 taxpayer under this act for the taxable year. Any unused 19 portion of the credit may be carried forward for the 20 21 succeeding five years.

22 Section 3. The income tax credit pursuant to this 23 act shall be effective for January 1, 2016, for the 2016 24 taxable year and subsequent taxable years.

25 Section 4. This act shall become effective 26 immediately following its passage and approval by the 27 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.