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HOUSE BILL No. 2431

By Committee on Taxation

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AN ACT concerning personal property taxation; relating to motor 2 vehicles: computation of amount of tax: state school district ad valorem 3 tax levy; amending K.S.A. 79-5105 and repealing the existing section.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 79-5105 is hereby amended to read as follows: 79-7 5105. (a) (1) Except as provided in subsection (a)(2), a tax is hereby levied 8 upon every motor vehicle, as-the same is defined by K.S.A. 79-5101, and 9 amendments thereto, in an amount which shall be determined in the 10 manner hereinafter prescribed, except that: (1) (A) (i) For 1995, the tax on 11 any motorcycle shall not be less than \$6 and the tax on any other motor 12 vehicle shall not be less than \$12; and (B)(ii) the tax on each motor vehicle 13 the age of which is 15 years or older shall not be more than \$12; and (2)14 (B) for 1996, and each year thereafter: (A)(i) The tax on any motorcycle 15 shall not be less than \$12 and the tax on any other motor vehicle shall not 16 be less than \$24, except as otherwise provided by-elause (B) and (C)subsections (a)(1)(B)(ii) and (a)(1)(B)(iii); (B)(ii) the tax on any 17 18 motorcycle the model year of which is 1980 or earlier shall be \$6 and the 19 tax on any other motor vehicle the model year of which is 1980 or earlier 20 shall be \$12; and (C)(iii) if the tax on any motorcycle in 1995 was more 21 than \$6 but less than \$12, the tax shall be determined for 1996 and each 22 year thereafter in the manner hereinafter prescribed but shall not be less 23 than \$6, and if the tax on any other motor vehicle in 1995 was more than 24 \$12 but less than \$24, the tax shall be determined for 1996 and each year 25 thereafter in the manner hereinafter prescribed but shall not be less than 26 \$12.

27 Commencing in 2016, and each year thereafter, the tax on any (2)28 motorcycle shall not be less than \$18 and the tax on any other motor 29 vehicle shall not be less than \$36, unless in 2014 such tax was already less 30 than such minimum tax, and in any such case the provisions of subsection 31 (a)(1) shall remain applicable to any such motorcycle or other motor 32 vehicle.

33 (b) The amount of such tax on a motor vehicle shall be computed by: 34 (1) By determining the amount representing the midpoint of the values 35 included within the class in which such motor vehicle is classified under 36 K.S.A. 79-5102 or 79-5103, and amendments thereto, except that the

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midpoint of class 20 shall be \$21,000 plus \$2,000 for each \$2,000 or 1 2 portion thereof by which the trade-in value of the vehicle exceeds \$22,000; 3 (2) if the model year of the motor vehicle is a year other than the year for 4 which the tax is levied, by reducing such midpoint amount by an amount 5 equal to 16% in 1995, and all years prior thereto, and 15% in 1996, and all 6 years through 2015, and commencing in 2016 and in each year thereafter, 7 15% for the first three years of a vehicle, 12% for years four through six, 8 and 10% for all years thereafter, of the remaining balance for each year of 9 difference between the model year of the motor vehicle and the year for 10 which the tax is levied if the model year of the motor vehicle is 1981 or a later year or (B) the remaining balance for each year of difference between 11 12 the year 1980 and the year for which the tax is levied if the model year of the motor vehicle is 1980 or any year prior thereto until such time as such 13 14 result is equal to or less than the minimum tax prescribed by subsection 15 (a); (3) by multiplying the amount determined after application of clause 16 (2) above subsection (b)(2) by 30% during calendar year 1995, 28.5% during the calendar year 1996, 26.5% during the calendar year 1997,-17 18 24.5% during the calendar year 1998, 22.5% during the calendar year 19 1999, and 20% during calendar year 2015, 18% during calendar year 2016, 16% during calendar year 2017, 14% during calendar year 2018, 20 21 and 12% during calendar year 2019, and all calendar years thereafter, 22 which shall constitute the taxable value of the motor vehicle; and (4) by 23 multiplying the taxable value of the motor vehicle produced under-clause 24 (3) above subsection (b)(3) by the county average tax rate.

25 (c) The "county average tax rate" means the total amount of general property taxes levied within the county by the state, county and all other 26 taxing subdivisions levying such taxes within such county in the second 27 28 calendar year before the calendar year in which the owner's full 29 registration year begins divided by the total assessed tangible valuation of 30 property within such county as of November 1 of such second calendar 31 year before the calendar year in which the owner's full registration year 32 begins as certified by the secretary of revenue, except that: (1) As of 33 November 1, 1994, such rate shall be computed without regard to 11.429% 34 of the general property taxes levied by school districts pursuant to K.S.A. 35 72-6431, and amendments thereto; (2) as of November 1, 1995, such rate 36 shall be computed without regard to 31.429% of the general property taxes 37 levied by school districts pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6431, and amendments 38 thereto; (3) as of November 1, 1996, such rate shall be computed without 39 regard to 54.286% of the general property taxes levied by school districts 40 pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6431, and amendments thereto; (4) as of November 41 1, 1997, such rate shall be computed without regard to 70.36% of the 42 general property taxes levied by school districts pursuant to K.S.A. 72-43 6431, and amendments thereto; and (5) as of November 1, 1998, and such

1 date in all years thereafter, such rate shall be computed without regard to

the general property taxes levied by school districts pursuant to K.S.A. 72-2 6431, and amendments thereto As of November 1, 2014, such rate shall be 3 computed without regard to the general property taxes levied by school 4 districts pursuant to section 11 of 2015 House Substitute for Senate Bill 5 No. 7, and amendments thereto; (2) as of November 1, 2015, such rate 6 7 shall be computed with regard to 25% of the general property taxes levied 8 by school districts pursuant to section 11 of 2015 House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7, and amendments thereto; (3) as of November 1, 2016, 9 such rate shall be computed with regard to 50% of the general property 10 taxes levied by school districts pursuant to section 11 of 2015 House 11 12 Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7, and amendments thereto; (4) as of November 1, 2017, such rate shall be computed with regard to 75% of the 13 general property taxes levied by school districts pursuant to section 11 of 14 2015 House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7, and amendments thereto; and 15 16 (5) as of November 1, 2018, and November 1 in each year thereafter, such rate shall be computed with regard to all of the general property taxes 17 levied by school districts pursuant to K.S.A. 72-6431, and amendments 18 19 thereto. 20 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 79-5105 is hereby repealed.

21 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 22 publication in the statute book.