# LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO Sixty-third Legislature First Regular Session - 2015

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

### HOUSE BILL NO. 38

#### BY REVENUE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE

#### AN ACT

- RELATING TO INCOME TAX; AMENDING SECTION 63-3021, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE AD DITIONAL PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE CALCULATION OF AN IDAHO NET OPERAT ING LOSS DEDUCTION; AMENDING SECTION 63-3022, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE A
   CORRECT CODE REFERENCE AND A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; DECLARING AN EMER GENCY AND PROVIDING RETROACTIVE APPLICATION.
- 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

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8 SECTION 1. That Section 63-3021, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby9 amended to read as follows:

63-3021. NET OPERATING LOSS. (a) The term "net operating loss" means
the amount by which Idaho taxable income, after making the modifications
specified in subsection (b) of this section, is less than zero (0).
(b) Add the following amounts:

14 (1) The amount of any net operating loss deduction included in Idaho15 taxable income.

16 (2) <u>The amount of the domestic production activities deduction allowed</u>
 17 <u>under section 199 of the Internal Revenue Code and included in Idaho</u>
 18 taxable income.

19 (3) In the case of a taxpayer other than a corporation:

- 20 (i) Any amount deducted due to losses in excess of gains from sales
   21 or exchanges of capital assets; and
- (ii) Any deduction for long-term capital gains provided by thischapter.

(34) Any deduction allowed under section 151 of the Internal Revenue
 Code (relating to personal exemption) or any deduction in lieu of any
 such deduction.

(4<u>5</u>) Any deduction for the standard or itemized deductions provided for
in section 63 of the Internal Revenue Code, or section 63-3022(j), Idaho
Code, except for any deduction allowable under section 165(c)(3) of the
Internal Revenue Code (relating to casualty losses) pertaining to property physically located inside Idaho at the time of the casualty.

(c) Subject to the provisions of sections 381 and 382, Internal Rev enue Code, Idaho net operating losses incurred by a corporation will survive
 a merger.

(1) Changes in the location of a loss corporation's business or its key
 employees shall not be treated as a failure to satisfy the continuity of
 business requirements.

(2) If the premerger corporation conducted operations in Idaho and at
 least one (1) other state, the section 382, Internal Revenue Code, loss
 limitation is limited further by the premerger loss corporation's Idaho
 apportionment factor for the last taxable year preceding the date of the
 merger.

1 SECTION 2. That Section 63-3022, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby 2 amended to read as follows:

63-3022. ADJUSTMENTS TO TAXABLE INCOME. The additions and subtractions set forth in this section, and in sections 63-3022A through 63-3022R,
Idaho Code, are to be applied to the extent allowed in computing Idaho taxable income:

7 (a) Add any state and local taxes, as defined in section 164 of the In8 ternal Revenue Code that are measured by net income, or for which a credit is
9 allowable under section 63-3029, Idaho Code, and paid or accrued during the
10 taxable year adjusted for state or local tax refunds used in arriving at tax11 able income.

(b) Add the net operating loss deduction used in arriving at taxable in-come.

(1) A net operating loss for any taxable year commencing on and af-14 (C) 15 ter January 1, 2000, but before January 1, 2013, shall be a net operating loss carryback not to exceed a total of one hundred thousand dol-16 lars (\$100,000) to the two (2) immediately preceding taxable years. At 17 the election of the taxpayer, the two (2) year carryback may be foregone 18 19 and the loss subtracted from income received in taxable years arising in the next twenty (20) years succeeding the taxable year in which the loss 20 arises in order until exhausted. The election shall be made as under 21 section 172(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. An election under this 22 subsection must be in the manner prescribed in the rules of the state tax 23 commission and once made is irrevocable for the year in which it is made. 24

(2) A net operating loss for any taxable year commencing on or after
January 1, 2013, shall be a net operating loss carryback not to exceed
a total of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) to the two (2) immediately preceding taxable years only if an amended return carrying the
loss back is filed within one (1) year of the end of the taxable year of
the net operating loss that results in such carryback.

(3) Any portion of the net operating loss not subtracted from income in 31 the two (2) preceding years may be subtracted from income in the next 32 twenty (20) years succeeding the taxable year in which the loss arises 33 in order until exhausted. The sum of the deductions may not exceed the 34 amount of the net operating loss deduction incurred. The carryback 35 36 shall be limited to a total of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in the case of an individual filing as married filing separate in the year of 37 the loss. 38

(4) Net operating losses incurred by a corporation during a year in 39 which such corporation did not transact business in Idaho or was not 40 included in a group of corporations combined under subsection (t) of 41 section 63-3027, Idaho Code, may not be subtracted. However, if at 42 43 least one (1) corporation within a group of corporations combined under subsection (t) of section 63-3027, Idaho Code, was transacting business 44 in Idaho during the taxable year in which the loss was incurred, then the 45 net operating loss may be subtracted. Net operating losses incurred by 46 a person, other than a corporation, in activities not taxable by Idaho 47 may not be subtracted. 48

(5) The term "income" as used in this subsection  $\frac{(c)}{(c)}$  means Idaho taxable income as defined in this chapter as modified by section 63-3021(b)(2)<sub>7</sub>  $\frac{(3)}{(c)}$  and (4) through (5), Idaho Code.

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> (d) In the case of a corporation, add the amount deducted under the provisions of sections 243(a) and (c), 244, 245 and 246A of the Internal Revenue Code (relating to dividends received by corporations) as limited by section 246(b)(1) of said code.

8 (e) In the case of a corporation, subtract an amount determined under
9 section 78 of the Internal Revenue Code to be taxable as dividends.

(f) Subtract the amount of any income received or accrued during the taxable year which is exempt from taxation by this state, under the provisions of any other law of this state or a law of the United States, if not previously subtracted in arriving at taxable income.

(g) For the purpose of determining the Idaho taxable income of the beneficiary of a trust or of an estate:

16 17 (1) Distributable net income as defined for federal tax purposes shall be corrected for the other adjustments required by this section.

(2) Net operating losses attributable to a beneficiary of a trust or estate under section 642 of the Internal Revenue Code shall be a deduction
for the beneficiary to the extent that income from the trust or estate
would be attributable to this state under the provisions of this chapter.

(h) In the case of an individual who is on active duty as a full-time
officer, enlistee or draftee, with the armed forces of the United States,
which full-time duty is or will be continuous and uninterrupted for one hundred twenty (120) consecutive days or more, deduct compensation paid by the
armed forces of the United States for services performed outside this state.
The deduction is allowed only to the extent such income is included in taxable income.

(i) In the case of a corporation, including any corporation included 30 in a group of corporations combined under subsection (t) of section 63-3027, 31 Idaho Code, add any capital loss or passive loss deducted which loss was in-32 curred during any year in which such corporation did not transact business in 33 Idaho. However, do not add any capital loss deducted if a corporation, in-34 cluding any corporation in a group of corporations combined under subsection 35 (t) of section 63-3027, Idaho Code, was transacting business in Idaho dur-36 ing the taxable year in which the loss was incurred. In the case of persons 37 other than corporations, add any capital loss or passive loss deducted which 38 39 was incurred in activities not taxable by Idaho at the time such loss was incurred. In computing the income taxable to an S corporation or partnership 40 under this section, deduction shall not be allowed for a carryover or carry-41 back of a net operating loss provided for in subsection (c) of this section, 42 a passive loss or a capital loss provided for in section 1212 of the Internal 43 Revenue Code. 44

(j) In the case of an individual, there shall be allowed as a deductionfrom gross income either (1) or (2) at the option of the taxpayer:

47 (1) The standard deduction as defined in section 63, Internal Revenue48 Code.

49 (2) Itemized deductions as defined in section 63 of the Internal Rev 50 enue Code except state or local taxes measured by net income and general

sales taxes as either is defined in section 164 of the Internal Revenue Code.

3 (k) Add the taxable amount of any lump sum distribution excluded from 4 gross income for federal income tax purposes under the ten (10) year averag-5 ing method. The taxable amount will include the ordinary income portion and 6 the amount eligible for the capital gain election.

7 (1) Deduct any amounts included in gross income under the provisions of
 8 section 86 of the Internal Revenue Code relating to certain social security
 9 and railroad benefits.

(m) In the case of a self-employed individual, deduct the actual cost
of premiums paid to secure worker's compensation insurance for coverage in
Idaho, if such cost has not been deducted in arriving at taxable income.

(n) In the case of an individual, deduct the amount contributed to a college savings program pursuant to chapter 54, title 33, Idaho Code, but not more than four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per tax year. If the contribution is made on or before April 15, 2001, it may be deducted for tax year 2000 and an individual can make another contribution and claim the deduction accord-ing to the limits provided in this subsection during 2001 for tax year 2001, as long as the contribution is made on or before December 31, 2001.

(o) In the case of an individual, add the amount of a nonqualified with drawal from an individual trust account or savings account established pur suant to chapter 54, title 33, Idaho Code, less any amount of such nonqual ified withdrawal included in the individual's federal gross income pursuant
 to section 529 of the Internal Revenue Code.

25 (p) In the case of an individual, add the amount of a withdrawal from an 26 individual trust account or savings account established pursuant to chapter 54, title 33, Idaho Code, transferred to a qualified tuition program, as de-27 fined in section 529 of the Internal Revenue Code, that is operated by a state 28 other than Idaho. The addition provided in this subsection is limited to the 29 amount of the contributions to the Idaho individual trust account or savings 30 account by the account owner that were deducted on the account owner's income 31 tax return for the year of the transfer and the prior taxable year. 32

33 SECTION 3. An emergency existing therefor, which emergency is hereby
 34 declared to exist, this act shall be in full force and effect on and after its
 35 passage and approval, and retroactively to January 1, 2015.