

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# State of Illinois

# 2019 and 2020

### SB1484

Introduced 2/13/2019, by Sen. Kimberly A. Lightford

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/229 new

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates a child tax credit in an amount equal to 10% of the federal tax credit allowed under Section 24 of the federal Internal Revenue Code. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning revenue.

#### Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 2 represented in the General Assembly: 3

4 Section 5. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by adding 5 Section 229 as follows:

(35 ILCS 5/229 new) 6

7 Sec. 229. Federal child tax credit. For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2019 and beginning prior to 8 9 January 1, 2024, with respect to the federal child tax credit 10 allowed for the taxable year under Section 24 of the federal Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. 24, each individual taxpayer 11 12 is entitled to a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of Section 201 in an amount equal to 10% of the 13 14 federal tax credit.

For a non-resident or part-year resident, the amount of the 15 16 credit under this Section shall be in proportion to the amount 17 of income attributable to this State.

If the amount of the credit exceeds the income tax 18 19 liability for the applicable tax year, then the excess credit shall be refunded to the taxpayer. The amount of a refund shall 20 21 not be included in the taxpayer's income or resources for the 22 purposes of determining eligibility or benefit level in any means-tested benefit program administered by a governmental 23

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1 entity unless required by federal law.

2 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
3 becoming law.