



98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

HB6237

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Income Tax Referendum Act. Requires the State Board of Elections to cause a statewide advisory public question to be submitted to the voters at the November 4, 2014 general election asking whether the individual income tax rate should be permanently increased to 5%. Provides that if the provision of the Act conflicts with any other law, the Act controls. Repeals the Act on January 1, 2015. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning elections.

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

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the Income
5 Tax Referendum Act.

6 Section 5. Referendum. The State Board of Elections shall
7 cause a statewide advisory public question to be submitted to
8 the voters at the general election to be held on November 4,
9 2014. The question shall appear in the following form:

10 "On January 13, 2011, the individual income tax rate was
11 temporarily increased to 5%. This rate is scheduled to
12 decrease to 3.75% on January 1, 2015. Shall the individual
13 income tax rate be permanently increased to 5%?"
14 The votes on the question shall be recorded as "Yes" or "No".

15 Section 10. Certification. The State Board of Elections
16 shall immediately certify the question to be submitted to the
17 voters of the entire State under Section 5 to each election
18 authority in Illinois.

19 Section 15. Conflicts. If any provision of this Act
20 conflicts with any other law, this Act controls.

1 Section 90. Repeal. This Act is repealed on January 1,
2 2015.

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