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AN ACT to amend and reenact §11-21-12d of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to continuing the personal income tax adjustment to the gross income of certain retirees receiving pensions from defined pension plans that terminated and are being paid a reduced maximum benefit guarantee.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §11-21-12d of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 21. PERSONAL INCOME TAX.

PART I. RESIDENTS.

§11-21-12d. Additional modification reducing federal adjusted gross income.

In addition to amounts authorized to be subtracted from federal adjusted gross income pursuant to subsection (c), section twelve of this article, any person who retires under an employer-provided defined benefit pension plan that terminates prior to or after the retirement of that person and the pension plan is covered by a guarantor whose maximum benefit guarantee is less than the maximum benefit to which the retiree was entitled had the plan not terminated may

9 subtract annually from his or her federal adjusted income a 10 sum equal to the difference in the amount of the maximum 11 annual pension benefit the person would have received for 12 such tax year had the plan not terminated and the maximum 13 annual pension benefit actually received from the guarantor 14 under a benefit guarantee plan: Provided, That if the Tax 15 Commissioner determines that this adjustment reduces the 16 revenues of the state by \$2 million or more in any one year, 17 then the Tax Commissioner shall reduce the percentage of 18 the reduction to a level at which the commissioner believes 19 will reduce the cost of the adjustment to \$2 million for the next year. This tax adjustment is effective for taxable years 20 21 beginning on and after January 1, 2008: *Provided, however,* 22That for the taxable year 2007, the tax adjustment shall be 23 effective and shall apply retroactively: Provided further, 24 That the adjustment terminates for the tax years on and after 25 January 1, 2015. This modification is available regardless of 26 the type of return form filed.

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the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that

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