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Introduced by Sen. ADDABBO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Investigations and Government Operations -- recommitted to the Committee on Investigations and Government Operations in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to a child care tax credit

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Subsections (yy) and (zz) of section 606 of the tax law, as relettered by section 5 of part H of chapter 1 of the laws of 2003, are relettered subsection (yyy) and (zzz) and a new subsection (xx) is added to read as follows:
- (XX) CHILD CARE CREDIT. (1) ALLOWANCE OF CREDIT. A RESIDENT TAXPAYER SHALL BE ALLOWED A CREDIT AGAINST THE TAXES IMPOSED BY THIS ARTICLE FOR CHILD CARE EXPENSES.

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- (2) CHILD CARE. CHILD CARE MEANS CARE PROVIDED TO A QUALIFYING CHILD OF THE TAXPAYER FOR THE PURPOSES OF ALLOWING THE TAXPAYER TO BE GAINFUL-LY EMPLOYED, TO SEEK EMPLOYMENT OR TO ATTEND SCHOOL ON A FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME BASIS, EXCEPT THAT THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE CARE PROVIDED BY:
- (A) THE CHILD'S PARENT OR GUARDIAN, UNLESS THE CARE IS PROVIDED BY THE PARENT IN A CERTIFIED OR REGISTERED CHILD CARE FACILITY; OR THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN IS PHYSICALLY INCAPABLE OF CARING FOR THE CHILD; OR
- OR GUARDIAN IS PHYSICALLY INCAPABLE OF CARING FOR THE CHILD; OR

 (B) A CHILD OF THE TAXPAYER WHO HAS NOT YET ATTAINED AGE NINETEEN

 YEARS OF AGE AT THE CLOSE OF THE TAX YEAR.
- 17 (3) CHILD CARE EXPENSES. CHILD CARE EXPENSES MEANS THE COSTS ASSOCI-18 ATED WITH PROVIDING CHILD CARE TO A QUALIFYING CHILD OF A RESIDENT 19 TAXPAYER.
- 20 (4) QUALIFYING CHILD. QUALIFYING CHILD MEANS A CHILD OF THE TAXPAYER 21 WHO IS UNDER THIRTEEN YEARS OF AGE, OR WHO IS A DISABLED CHILD.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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- 1 (5) AMOUNT OF CREDIT. A RESIDENT TAXPAYER SHALL BE ALLOWED A CREDIT 2 AGAINST THE TAX IMPOSED BY THIS ARTICLE OF TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE 3 EXPENSES OF CHILD CARE.
- S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to taxable years commencing on or after January 1, 2015.