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AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to tax credit for small businesses which suffer financial losses due to state or local infrastructure projects

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 606 of the tax law is amended by adding a new 2 subsection (jjj) to read as follows:

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(jjj) Credit for small businesses affected by infrastructure projects. (1) For taxable years commencing on and after January first, two thousand twenty, any business which is independently owned and operated and employs one hundred or fewer persons on a full-time basis within the state which has been significantly impacted or dislocated by state or local infrastructure projects including, but not limited to, metropolitan transportation authority projects, shall be allowed a credit 10 against the tax imposed by this article in an amount equal to one 11 hundred percent of the total loss the business has suffered that is 12 attributable to such infrastructure projects during such taxable year.

- 13 (2) In order to qualify for the credit provided in this subsection the 14 <u>business described in paragraph one of this subsection shall have</u> 15 <u>suffered a financial loss of at least twenty-five percent of their</u> 16 projected revenue for such taxable year as a direct result of such state 17 or local infrastructure project.
- 18 § 2. Subparagraph (B) of paragraph 1 of subsection (i) of section 606 19 of the tax law is amended by adding a new clause (xliv) to read as 20 follows:

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

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§ 3. Section 210-B of the tax law is amended by adding a new subdivision 53 to read as follows:

(53) Credit for small businesses affected by infrastructure projects. (a) For taxable years commencing on and after January first, two thousand twenty, any business which is independently owned and operated and employs one hundred or fewer persons on a full-time basis within the state which has been significantly impacted or dislocated by state or local infrastructure projects including, but not limited to, metropolitan transportation authority projects, shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by this article in an amount equal to one 14 hundred percent of the total loss the business has suffered that is attributable to such infrastructure projects during such taxable year.

- (b) In order to qualify for the credit provided in this subdivision 17 the business described in paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall have suffered a financial loss of at least twenty-five percent of their projected revenue for such taxable year as a direct result of such state 20 or local infrastructure project.
- 21 § 4. This act shall take effect immediately.