

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. COMRIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Budget and Revenue -- recommitted to the Committee on Budget and Revenue 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 providing tax credits for the installation of fire sprinkler systems

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

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

3 (nnn) Fire sprinkler tax credit for residential properties. (1) Allow-  
4 ance of credit. A taxpayer who is a residential property owner shall be  
5 allowed a credit, to be computed as hereinafter provided, against the  
6 tax imposed by this article. The amount of the credit shall be equal to  
7 twenty-five percent of the cost of the labor and materials needed to  
8 install sprinkler systems as defined by section one hundred fifty-five-a  
9 of the executive law, by the residential property owner, provided,  
10 however, that this subsection shall apply only to residential properties  
11 in municipalities that do not already require fire sprinkler systems be  
12 installed.

13 (2) Application of credit. If the amount of the credit allowed under  
14 this subsection for any taxable year shall exceed the taxpayer's tax for  
15 such year, the excess shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to be  
16 credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section six  
17 hundred eighty-six of this article, provided, however, that no interest  
18 shall be paid thereon.

19 § 2. Section 210-B of the tax law is amended by adding a new subdivi-  
20 sion 55 to read as follows:

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

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2 tax imposed by this article. The amount of the credit shall be equal to  
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10 this subdivision for any taxable year shall exceed the taxpayer's tax  
11 for such year, the excess shall be treated as an overpayment of tax to  
12 be credited or refunded in accordance with the provisions of section six  
13 hundred eighty-six of this chapter, provided, however, that no interest  
14 shall be paid thereon.

15 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately.