SENATE BILL No. 172

By Committee on Assessment and Taxation

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9 AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; payments to public schools for textbooks and workbooks.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. For taxable years commencing after December 31, 2006, for any taxpayer who pays fees to a public school for textbooks and workbooks required by the public schools academic curriculum, there shall be allowed a credit against the income tax imposed by the Kansas income tax act in an amount equal to such payments, except that the amount of such credit shall not exceed \$100 for an individual taxpayer and shall not exceed \$200 for married individuals filing joint returns. The tax credit allowed by this section shall be deducted from the taxpayer's income tax liability for the taxable year in which the fee is paid. If the amount of the credit allowed by this section exceeds the taxpayer's income tax liability imposed under the Kansas income tax act, such excess amount shall be refunded to the taxpayer. As used in this section, "public school" means a school operated by a public school district organized under the laws of this state.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.