# 1999 SESSION

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## VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

2 An Act to amend and reenact § 58.1-15 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the rate of interest on 3 taxes.

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## Approved

#### Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 6

#### 7 1. That § 58.1-15 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: 8

§ 58.1-15. Rate of interest.

9 A. Unless otherwise specifically provided, interest on omitted taxes, assessments and refunds under 10 this title shall be computed at the rates equal to the rates of interest established pursuant to § 6621 of the Internal Revenue Code. The rate of interest on omitted taxes and assessments under this title shall be 11 12 the "Underpayment Rate" established pursuant to § 6621 (a) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code plus two percent. The rate of interest on refunds under this title shall be the "Overpayment Rate" for 13 noncorporate taxpayers established pursuant to § 6621 (a) (1) of the Internal Revenue Code plus two 14 15 percent. Separate computations shall be made by multiplying the deficiency or overpayment for each period by the rate of interest applicable to that period. 16

B. In determining the addition to tax under § 58.1-492 for failure by individuals to pay estimated tax, 17 18 the "Underpayment Rate" plus two percent which applies during the third month following such taxable 19 year shall also apply during the first fifteen days of the fourth month following such taxable year in the 20 case of individuals filing on a basis other than a calendar year. In the case of all other individuals, the 21 "Underpayment Rate" plus two percent which applies during the third month following such taxable year 22 shall also be applicable through May 1.

23 C. In determining the addition to tax under § 58.1-504 for failure by corporations to pay estimated 24 tax, the "Underpayment Rate" plus two percent which applies during the third month following such 25 taxable year shall also apply during the first fifteen days of the fourth month following such taxable 26 year.

27 2. That the provisions of this act shall become effective on January 1, 2000.