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16101906D **HOUSE BILL NO. 539** 2 3 4 5 Offered January 13, 2016 Prefiled January 9, 2016 A BILL to amend and reenact § 58.1-400 of the Code of Virginia, relating to corporate income tax; rate of taxation. Patrons-Watts, Bagby, Bell, John J., Boysko, Cole, Heretick, Herring, Keam, Kory, McQuinn, Murphy Plum, Simon and Sullivan; Senators: Howell, McPike and Saslaw 8 Referred to Committee on Finance 9 10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 1. That § 58.1-400 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: 11 12 § 58.1-400. Imposition of tax. 13 A tax at the rate of six percent is hereby annually imposed on the Virginia taxable income for each 14 taxable year of every corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth and every foreign 15 corporation having income from Virginia sources as follows: 1. For taxable years beginning before January 1, 2017, the tax rate shall be six percent; and 16

2. For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2017, the tax rate shall be 5.75 percent.

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