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# ENROLLED Senate Bill No. 321

(By Senators Bowman, McKenzie, Prezioso, Facemyer, Jenkins and Plymale)

[Passed March 13, 2004; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact §11-21-12d of the code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to providing a personal income tax adjustment to the gross income of certain retirees receiving pensions from defined pension plans that terminated and are being paid a reduced maximum benefit guarantee.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §11-21-12d of the code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

#### ARTICLE 21. PERSONAL INCOME TAX.

#### PART II. RESIDENTS.

### §11-21-12d. Additional modification reducing federal adjusted gross income.

- 1 In addition to amounts authorized to be subtracted from
- 2 federal adjusted gross income pursuant to subsection (c),

section twelve of this article, any person who retires under an employer-provided defined benefit pension plan that 4 terminates prior to or after the retirement of that person 5 6 and the pension plan is covered by a guarantor whose maximum benefit guarantee is less than the maximum 8 benefit to which the retiree was entitled had the plan not terminated may subtract annually from his or her federal adjusted income a sum equal to the difference in the 10 11 amount of the maximum annual pension benefit the person would have received for such tax year had the plan not 12 13 terminated and the maximum annual pension benefit 14 actually received from the guarantor under a benefit guarantee plan: Provided, That if the tax commissioner 15 determines that this adjustment reduces the revenues of 16 the state by two million dollars or more in any one year, 17 18 then the tax commissioner shall reduce the percentage of 19 the reduction to a level at which the commissioner believes 20 will reduce the cost of the adjustment to two million dollars for the next year. This tax adjustment shall be 21 effective for taxable years beginning on and after the first 22 23 day of January, two thousand one: Provided, however, 24 That the adjustment shall terminate for the tax years on or after the first day of January, two thousand seven. This 25 modification is available regardless of the type of return 26 form filed. 27

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