HB 383 2014

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to employment of felons; creating s. 220.197, F.S.; providing a corporate income tax credit for employment of a person previously convicted of a felony; providing requirements to receive the credit; providing exceptions for certain felons; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Section 220.197, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

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220.197 Employment of former felons tax credit.—

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2015, there shall be allowed a credit of \$1,000 against the tax imposed under this chapter to any corporation that hires a

(1) For taxable years beginning on or after January 1,

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person who has been convicted of a felony in this state and

18 19 released from confinement and who remains continuously employed

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by the corporation for at least 1 year. The credit may be taken only once per new employee.

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(2) The credit under this section is not available for employment of a person who is:

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(a) Classified as a violent career criminal, habitual felony offender, habitual violent felony offender, or three-time

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violent felony offender under s. 775.084.

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