



General Assembly

**Proposed Bill No. 5193**

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LCO No. 694

Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Introduced by:  
REP. LAVIELLE, 143rd Dist.

**AN ACT EXEMPTING SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME FROM THE  
PERSONAL INCOME TAX AND REDUCING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE  
EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 229 of the general statutes be amended to eliminate
- 2 personal income taxes on Social Security income and to reduce
- 3 eligibility for the Earned Income Tax Credit as necessary to equal the
- 4 revenue loss resulting from such elimination.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide revenue-neutral tax relief to senior citizens and make Connecticut more competitive with other states.