Session of 2012

## HOUSE BILL No. 2514

## By Committee on Taxation

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1 AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; certain registered 2 apprenticeships.

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4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

5 Section 1. (a) For all taxable years commencing after December 31, 6 2012, there shall be allowed as a credit against the tax liability of a 7 taxpayer imposed under the Kansas income tax act, an amount equal to 8 \$1,000 for each apprentice registered with the state of Kansas and 9 employed by the taxpayer for at least seven full months or if the taxpayer employs multiple apprentices, an amount equal to \$1,000 for 1,200 hours 10 worked by the apprentices in the taxable year. A taxpayer may not claim a 11 12 credit for an individual apprentice for more than four taxable years. In 13 order to qualify for the credit allowed under this section, the apprentice 14 must be employed pursuant to an apprenticeship agreement registered with 15 the Kansas department of commerce apprenticeship council.

16 (b) The credit allowed by subsection (a) shall not exceed the amount 17 of the tax imposed by the Kansas income tax act, reduced by the sum of 18 any other credits allowable pursuant to law. If the amount of such tax 19 credit exceeds the taxpayer's income tax liability for such taxable year, the 20 amount thereof which exceeds such tax liability may be carried over for 21 deduction from the taxpayer's income tax liability in the next succeeding 22 taxable year or years until the total amount of the tax credits has been 23 deducted from tax liability.

24 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 25 publication in the statute book.