Work Group to Study Unitary Combined Corporate Income Tax Reporting

https://studies.virginiageneralassembly.gov/studies/607 Tuesday September 21, 2021, 1:00 p.m. House Committee Room, Pocahontas Building Public livestream link:

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- I. Call to Order and Welcome Delegate Vivian E. Watts, Chair, House Committee on Finance
- **II. Presentations by the Department of Taxation -** Kristin Collins, Policy Development Director and Matthew Huntley, Lead Tax Policy Analyst
 - Report on estimated revenue reports submitted pursuant to Budget Item 3.5-23
 - Potential provisions of Unitary Combined Reporting raised in August 16 meeting, including but not limited to:
 - Option to file on a unitary combined basis or a current option under Virginia Code or federal consolidated;
 - NC authority to force separate filer to submit a combined return;
 - Finnigan versus Joyce;
 - Issues related to auditing;
 - Revenue stability
 - Potential modifications of Virginia Tax Code raised in August 16 meeting, including but not limited to:
 - Reducing the 20-year limit on switching affiliated group filing elections;
 - Changing Virginia's three-factor apportionment formula;
 - "Cost of performance" versus "Market-based" sourcing methods;
 - Simplifying Virginia's treatment of the business interest expenses (Sec. 163 (j) limitation) deduction;
 - Tracking net operation losses and credits not in conformity with federal determination;
 - Enhancing Virginia's add-back, determination of nexus, loss disallowance, or other means to prevent tax avoidance in multi-state businesses

III. Discussion

- IV. Request(s) for Draft Legislation
- V. Public Comment
- VI. Adjourn

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