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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1 SECTION 1. Act 97, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011, is amended  
2 by amending section 3 to read as follows:

3 "SECTION 3. Chapter 235, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
4 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
5 and to read as follows:

6 "**§235- Itemized deductions; limitations.** (a)

7 Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, itemized tax  
8 deductions claimed pursuant to this chapter shall not exceed the  
9 lesser of:

10 (1) The limitation on itemized deductions under section 68  
11 of the Internal Revenue Code; or

12 (2) Any of the following that may be applicable:

13 (A) \$25,000 for a taxpayer filing a single return or  
14 a married person filing separately with a federal  
15 adjusted gross income of \$100,000 or more;

16 (B) \$37,500 for a taxpayer filing as a head of  
17 household with a federal adjusted gross income of  
18 \$150,000 or more; and



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1 (C) \$50,000 for a taxpayer filing a joint return or  
2 as a surviving spouse with a federal adjusted  
3 gross income of \$200,000 or more.

4 (b) For the purposes of this section, the term  
5 "itemized tax deductions" does not include charitable  
6 contribution deductions under Section 170 of the Internal  
7 Revenue Code."

8 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

9 SECTION 3. This Act, upon its approval, shall apply to  
10 taxable years beginning after December 31, 2012.

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**Report Title:**

Itemized Deductions; Charitable Contributions

**Description:**

Excepts charitable deductions taken under Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code from the temporary limit on the amount of itemized deductions claimable by certain taxpayers.

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