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## Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program Tax Credit Cap Increased

The tax credit cap amount has increased to \$229 million for the 2012-2013 state fiscal year.

Chapter 2012-22, Laws of Florida amended section 1002.395(5), Florida Statutes, increasing the tax credit cap to \$229 million for the 2012-2013 state fiscal year.

The Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program enables taxpayers to make private, voluntary contributions to nonprofit scholarship-funding organizations (SFO) and receive a dollar-for-dollar credit against specific Florida taxes. Oil and gas production taxpayers; taxpayers who pay sales tax under a direct pay permit; corporate income taxpayers; taxpayers who pay excise tax on liquor, wine, and malt beverages; and insurance premium taxpayers may participate in the program. See Rule 12-29, Florida Administrative Code for more information. **You may apply for a credit allocation using the Department's Internet site.** 

References: Sections 211.02, 211.025, 212.183, 220, 563.05, 564.04, 565.12, 624.509 and 1002.395, Florida Statutes (2012)

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