## House Resolution 23 - Introduced

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23

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- 1 A Resolution requesting the legislative council to
- 2 establish an interim study committee to study
- 3 elimination of the income tax in Iowa.
- 4 WHEREAS, the Iowa income tax creates a substantial
- 5 financial burden on the citizens of this state as they
- 6 work hard to grow businesses, educate their children,
- 7 and save for their future; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the collection and administration of the
- 9 income tax represents a substantial expense to the
- 10 state of Iowa; and
- 11 WHEREAS, elimination of the income tax could have
- 12 a positive impact on Iowa's taxpayers, economy, and
- 13 job growth, without limiting the state's ability to
- 14 provide for the protection, security, and benefit of
- 15 its citizens; NOW THEREFORE,
- 16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
- 17 That the House of Representatives formally requests
- 18 the legislative council to authorize and establish an
- 19 interim study committee, composed of members of the
- 20 Senate and the House of Representatives, to commence
- 21 meeting during the 2013 interim as soon as practicable.
- 22 The purpose of the interim committee is to study the
- 23 feasibility of eliminating the income tax in Iowa
- 24 and to receive and make recommendations regarding
- 25 elimination of the income tax, submitting the study
- 26 committee's conclusions and recommendations in a report
- 27 to the general assembly by January 1, 2014.