

HB 944 -- Senior Citizens Property Tax Credit

Sponsor: Johnson

Beginning January 1, 2011, this bill lowers the required age for a person to be eligible for a senior citizens property tax credit, commonly known as circuit breaker, from 65 years of age to 60 years of age or to 55 years of age if he or she is receiving surviving spouse Social Security benefits. The maximum credit amount is increased from \$750 to \$2,500 for a renter and from \$1,100 to \$3,500 for a homeowner.