Table T02-0019

Accelerate Low- and Middle-Income Tax Cuts: Distribution of Income Tax Change, 2003

Calendar Year<sup>1</sup>

| AGI Class (thousands of 2001 dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Returns     |            | Income Tax Change |            | Average    | Percent Change |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|----------------|
|                                                    | Number      | Percent of | Dollars           | Percent of | Tax Change | in After-Tax   |
|                                                    | (thousands) | Total      | (millions)        | Total      | (\$)       | Income         |
| Less than 10                                       | 25,755      | 19.2       | -65               | 0.1        | -3         | *              |
| 10-20                                              | 23,602      | 17.6       | -2,620            | 5.0        | -111       | 0.7            |
| 20-30                                              | 18,644      | 13.9       | -4,727            | 9.1        | -254       | 1.0            |
| 30-40                                              | 13,534      | 10.1       | -4,509            | 8.6        | -333       | 1.0            |
| 40-50                                              | 10,307      | 7.7        | -3,637            | 7.0        | -353       | 0.8            |
| 50-75                                              | 17,875      | 13.4       | -10,236           | 19.6       | -573       | 1.0            |
| 75-100                                             | 10,226      | 7.6        | -13,042           | 25.0       | -1,275     | 1.6            |
| 100-200                                            | 9,906       | 7.4        | -11,127           | 21.3       | -1,123     | 1.0            |
| 200-500                                            | 2,392       | 1.8        | -1,556            | 3.0        | -651       | 0.3            |
| 500-1,000                                          | 418         | 0.3        | -383              | 0.7        | -917       | 0.2            |
| More than 1,000                                    | 226         | 0.2        | -220              | 0.4        | -975       | *              |
| All                                                | 133,835     | 100.0      | -52,181           | 100.0      | -390       | 0.9            |
|                                                    |             |            |                   |            |            |                |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model.

(2) Returns with negative AGI are excluded from the lowest income class but are included in the totals.

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<sup>\*</sup> Less than 0.05 percent.

<sup>(1)</sup> This is plan 1 in tables 14 and 15. The following provisions are effective for 2003: the child tax credit is increased to \$1,000; the refundability rate for the child credit is increased to 15 percent; the size of the 10-percent bracket is expanded to \$7,000 for singles/\$14,000 for married couples filing jointly (MFJ) and these amounts are indexed after 2003; the standard deduction for MFJ is increased to twice that for singles; the size of the 15-percent bracket for MFJ is expanded to twice that for singles; the addition to the plateau of the earned income tax credit is increased to \$3,000 for MFJ and this amount is indexed after 2003.