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Overview

Changes the age requirement for the senior citizen property tax deferral program so that only one spouse in a married couple must be at least 65 years old at the time the initial deferral is granted. Requires the other spouse to be at least 62 years old.

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Program qualifications. Changes the age requirement for the senior citizen property tax deferral program so that at the time deferral is first granted only one spouse must be at least 65 years old. Requires the other spouse to be at least 62 years old. Under present law both spouses must be at least 65 years old for a married couple to qualify for the deferral. Effective for applications for deferral filed on or after July 1, 2006.