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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 105/3-5 35 ILCS 110/3-5 35 ILCS 115/3-5 35 ILCS 120/2-5

Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. Provides that tangible personal property sold by or on behalf of the State Treasurer pursuant to the Revised Uniform Unclaimed Property Act is exempt.

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AN ACT concerning revenue.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Use Tax Act is amended by changing Section
3-5 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 105/3-5)

Sec. 3-5. Exemptions. Use of the following tangible
personal property is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act:

9 Personal property purchased from a corporation, (1)institution. association, foundation, 10 society, or organization, other than a limited liability company, that is 11 organized and operated as a not-for-profit service enterprise 12 for the benefit of persons 65 years of age or older if the 13 14 personal property was not purchased by the enterprise for the purpose of resale by the enterprise. 15

16 (2) Personal property purchased by a not-for-profit
17 Illinois county fair association for use in conducting,
18 operating, or promoting the county fair.

(3) Personal property purchased by a not-for-profit arts or cultural organization that establishes, by proof required by the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that is organized and operated primarily for the presentation or

support of arts or cultural programming, activities, or 1 2 services. These organizations include, but are not limited to, 3 music and dramatic arts organizations such as symphony orchestras and theatrical groups, arts and cultural service 4 5 organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations, and media arts organizations. On and after July 1, 2001 (the 6 7 effective date of Public Act 92-35), however, an entity 8 otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make tax-free 9 purchases unless it has an active identification number issued 10 by the Department.

11 (4) Personal property purchased by a governmental body, by 12 society, association, foundation, а corporation, or institution organized and operated exclusively for charitable, 13 14 religious, or educational purposes, or by a not-for-profit corporation, society, association, foundation, institution, or 15 16 organization that has no compensated officers or employees and 17 that is organized and operated primarily for the recreation of persons 55 years of age or older. A limited liability company 18 19 may qualify for the exemption under this paragraph only if the 20 limited liability company is organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes. On and after July 1, 21 22 1987, however, no entity otherwise eligible for this exemption 23 shall make tax-free purchases unless it has an active exemption identification number issued by the Department. 24

(5) Until July 1, 2003, a passenger car that is a
 replacement vehicle to the extent that the purchase price of

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1 the car is subject to the Replacement Vehicle Tax.

2 (6) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again on September 1, 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and 3 equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new 4 5 and used, and including that manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for graphic 6 7 production, and including machinery and equipment arts 8 purchased for lease. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals 9 acting as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals 10 acting as catalysts effect a direct and immediate change upon a graphic arts product. Beginning on July 1, 2017, graphic 11 12 arts machinery and equipment is included in the manufacturing 13 and assembling machinery and equipment exemption under 14 paragraph (18).

15 (7)

(7) Farm chemicals.

16 (8) Legal tender, currency, medallions, or gold or silver 17 coinage issued by the State of Illinois, the government of the 18 United States of America, or the government of any foreign 19 country, and bullion.

(9) Personal property purchased from a teacher-sponsored
 student organization affiliated with an elementary or
 secondary school located in Illinois.

(10) A motor vehicle that is used for automobile renting,
as defined in the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax
Act.

26 (11) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used,

including that manufactured on special order, certified by the 1 2 purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or 3 State or federal agricultural programs, including individual replacement parts for the machinery and equipment, including 4 5 machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including implements of husbandry defined in Section 1-130 of the 6 7 Illinois Vehicle Code, farm machinery and agricultural 8 chemical and fertilizer spreaders, and nurse wagons required to be registered under Section 3-809 of the Illinois Vehicle 9 10 Code, but excluding other motor vehicles required to be 11 registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. Horticultural 12 polyhouses or hoop houses used for propagating, growing, or 13 overwintering plants shall be considered farm machinery and equipment under this item (11). Agricultural chemical tender 14 15 tanks and dry boxes shall include units sold separately from a 16 motor vehicle required to be licensed and units sold mounted 17 on a motor vehicle required to be licensed if the selling price of the tender is separately stated. 18

19 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision 20 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not 21 22 limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders, 23 or spreaders. Precision farming equipment includes, but is not limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors, 24 25 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other 26 such equipment.

Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers, 1 2 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the 3 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited 4 5 to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and 6 7 agricultural chemicals. This item (11) is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90. 8

9 (12) Until June 30, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold 10 to or used by an air common carrier, certified by the carrier 11 to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the 12 conduct of its business as an air common carrier, for a flight 13 destined for or returning from a location or locations outside 14 the United States without regard to previous or subsequent 15 domestic stopovers.

Beginning July 1, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold 16 17 to or used by an air carrier, certified by the carrier to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of 18 its business as an air common carrier, for a flight that (i) is 19 20 engaged in foreign trade or is engaged in trade between the United States and any of its possessions and (ii) transports 21 22 at least one individual or package for hire from the city of 23 origination to the city of final destination on the same aircraft, without regard to a change in the flight number of 24 25 that aircraft.

26 (13) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately

stated on customers' bills for the purchase and consumption of food and beverages purchased at retail from a retailer, to the extent that the proceeds of the service charge are in fact turned over as tips or as a substitute for tips to the employees who participate directly in preparing, serving, hosting or cleaning up the food or beverage function with respect to which the service charge is imposed.

(14) Until July 1, 2003, oil field exploration, drilling, 8 9 and production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of 10 rigs, rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) 11 pipe and tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, 12 (iii) pumps and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow 13 lines, (v) any individual replacement part for oil field exploration, drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) 14 machinery and equipment purchased for lease; but excluding 15 16 motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois 17 Vehicle Code.

18 (15) Photoprocessing machinery and equipment, including 19 repair and replacement parts, both new and used, including 20 that manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser 21 to be used primarily for photoprocessing, and including 22 photoprocessing machinery and equipment purchased for lease.

(16) Until July 1, 2023, coal and aggregate exploration, mining, off-highway hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment, including replacement parts and equipment, and including equipment purchased for lease, but

excluding motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. The changes made to this Section by Public Act 97-767 apply on and after July 1, 2003, but no claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456) for such taxes paid during the period beginning July 1, 2003 and ending on August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456).

8 (17) Until July 1, 2003, distillation machinery and 9 equipment, sold as a unit or kit, assembled or installed by the 10 retailer, certified by the user to be used only for the 11 production of ethyl alcohol that will be used for consumption 12 as motor fuel or as a component of motor fuel for the personal 13 use of the user, and not subject to sale or resale.

(18) Manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment 14 15 used primarily in the process of manufacturing or assembling 16 tangible personal property for wholesale or retail sale or 17 lease, whether that sale or lease is made directly by the manufacturer or by some other person, whether the materials 18 19 used in the process are owned by the manufacturer or some other 20 person, or whether that sale or lease is made apart from or as 21 an incident to the seller's engaging in the service occupation 22 of producing machines, tools, dies, jigs, patterns, gauges, or 23 other similar items of no commercial value on special order for a particular purchaser. The exemption provided by this 24 25 paragraph (18) includes production related tangible personal property, as defined in Section 3-50, purchased on or after 26

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July 1, 2019. The exemption provided by this paragraph (18) 1 2 does not include machinery and equipment used in (i) the generation of electricity for wholesale or retail sale; (ii) 3 the generation or treatment of natural or artificial gas for 4 5 wholesale or retail sale that is delivered to customers through pipes, pipelines, or mains; or (iii) the treatment of 6 7 water for wholesale or retail sale that is delivered to customers through pipes, pipelines, or mains. The provisions 8 9 of Public Act 98-583 are declaratory of existing law as to the 10 meaning and scope of this exemption. Beginning on July 1, 11 2017, the exemption provided by this paragraph (18) includes, 12 but is not limited to, graphic arts machinery and equipment, as defined in paragraph (6) of this Section. 13

(19) Personal property delivered to a purchaser or purchaser's donee inside Illinois when the purchase order for that personal property was received by a florist located outside Illinois who has a florist located inside Illinois deliver the personal property.

19 (20) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock20 for direct agricultural production.

(21) (21) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or racing for prizes. This item (21) is exempt from the

provisions of Section 3-90, and the exemption provided for under this item (21) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1, 2008 for such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on January 1, 2008.

6 (22) Computers and communications equipment utilized for 7 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis, 8 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients purchased by a 9 lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would 10 11 otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a 12 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 13 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of 14 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased 15 in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used 16 in any other non-exempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for 17 the tax imposed under this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the fair market value of the property 18 19 at the time the non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall 20 collect or attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by 21 22 this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the 23 tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly 24 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall 25 have a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the 26 lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee

1 for any reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 2 Department.

(23) Personal property purchased by a lessor who leases 3 the property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or 4 5 in effect at the time the lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a governmental body that has 6 7 been issued an active sales tax exemption identification 8 number by the Department under Section 1g of the Retailers' 9 Occupation Tax Act. If the property is leased in a manner that 10 does not qualify for this exemption or used in any other 11 non-exempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the tax 12 imposed under this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case 13 may be, based on the fair market value of the property at the 14 time the non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or 15 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that 16 purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this 17 Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly 18 19 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall 20 have a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the 21 lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee 22 for any reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 23 Department.

(24) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after
December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or
before December 31, 2004, personal property that is donated

for disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster who reside within the declared disaster area.

8 (25) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after 9 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or 10 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is used in 11 the performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, 12 including but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads, bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, 13 14 water and sewer line extensions, water distribution and purification facilities, storm water drainage and retention 15 16 facilities, and sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a 17 State or federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois when such repairs are initiated on facilities located 18 in the declared disaster area within 6 months after the 19 20 disaster.

(26) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds purchased at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" as that term is used in the Wildlife Code. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

(27) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a

corporation, limited liability company, society, association, 1 2 foundation, or institution that is determined by the 3 Department to be organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a 4 5 corporation, limited liability company, society, association, 6 foundation, or institution organized and operated exclusively 7 for educational purposes" means all tax-supported public schools, private schools that offer systematic instruction in 8 9 useful branches of learning by methods common to public 10 schools and that compare favorably in their scope and 11 intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported 12 schools, and vocational or technical schools or institutes 13 organized and operated exclusively to provide a course of study of not less than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare 14 15 individuals to follow a trade or to pursue a manual, 16 technical, mechanical, industrial, business, or commercial 17 occupation.

(28) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property, 18 19 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the 20 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school, a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if 21 22 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school 23 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph 24 25 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising 26

entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from another individual or entity that sold the property for the purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

(29) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31, 6 7 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and 8 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and 9 other items, and replacement parts for these machines. 10 Beginning January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines 11 and parts for machines used in commercial, coin-operated 12 amusement and vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the gross receipts derived from the use of the 13 14 commercial, coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This 15 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

16 (30) Beginning January 1, 2001 and through June 30, 2016, 17 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, 18 soft drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate 19 20 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines, 21 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing 22 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human 23 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical assistance under Article V of the Illinois Public Aid Code who 24 25 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in 26 the Nursing Home Care Act, or in a licensed facility as defined

in the ID/DD Community Care Act, the MC/DD Act, or the
 Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation Act of 2013.

(31) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of 3 Public Act 92-227), computers and communications equipment 4 5 utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used in the analysis, or treatment of hospital 6 diagnosis, patients 7 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease 8 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the 9 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this 10 Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 11 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of 12 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used 13 14 in any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for 15 the tax imposed under this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as 16 the case may be, based on the fair market value of the property 17 at the time the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or attempt to collect an amount (however designated) 18 19 that purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by 20 this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the 21 tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly 22 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall 23 have a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the 24 lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee 25 for any reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 26 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of

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(32) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of 2 Public Act 92-227), personal property purchased by a lessor 3 who leases the property, under a lease of one year or longer 4 5 executed or in effect at the time the lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a governmental body 6 7 has been issued an active sales tax that exemption 8 identification number by the Department under Section 1q of 9 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the property is leased 10 in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or used in 11 any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the 12 tax imposed under this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the fair market value of the property at 13 14 the time the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect 15 or attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that 16 purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this 17 Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly 18 19 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall 20 have a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee 21 22 for any reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 23 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90. 24

(33) On and after July 1, 2003 and through June 30, 2004,
the use in this State of motor vehicles of the second division

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with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 8,000 pounds and that 1 2 are subject to the commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code. Beginning on 3 July 1, 2004 and through June 30, 2005, the use in this State 4 5 of motor vehicles of the second division: (i) with a gross vehicle weight rating in excess of 8,000 pounds; (ii) that are 6 7 subject to the commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code; and (iii) that 8 9 are primarily used for commercial purposes. Through June 30, 10 2005, this exemption applies to repair and replacement parts 11 added after the initial purchase of such a motor vehicle if 12 that motor vehicle is used in a manner that would qualify for the rolling stock exemption otherwise provided for in this 13 14 Act. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "used for 15 commercial purposes" means the transportation of persons or property in furtherance of any commercial or industrial 16 17 enterprise, whether for-hire or not.

(34) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property 18 used in the construction or maintenance of a community water 19 20 supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental operated by a not-for-profit 21 Protection Act, that is 22 corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued 23 under Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90. 24

(35) Beginning January 1, 2010 and continuing through
 December 31, 2024, materials, parts, equipment, components,

and furnishings incorporated into or upon an aircraft as part 1 2 of the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the aircraft. 3 This exemption includes consumable supplies used in the modification, 4 5 refurbishment, completion, replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any materials, parts, 6 equipment, components, and consumable supplies used in the 7 8 modification, replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft 9 engines or power plants, whether such engines or power plants installed or uninstalled upon any such aircraft. 10 are 11 "Consumable supplies" include, but are not limited to, 12 adhesive, sandpaper, general purpose lubricants, tape, 13 cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective films. This 14 exemption applies only to the use of qualifying tangible 15 personal property by persons who modify, refurbish, complete, 16 repair, replace, or maintain aircraft and who (i) hold an Air 17 Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation Administration, (ii) 18 19 have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct operations in 20 accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation Regulations. 21 The exemption does not include aircraft operated by a 22 commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air 23 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129 of the Federal Aviation Regulations. The changes made to 24 25 this paragraph (35) by Public Act 98-534 are declarative of 26 existing law. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the

exemption under this paragraph (35) applies continuously from January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2024; however, no claim for credit or refund is allowed for taxes paid as a result of the disallowance of this exemption on or after January 1, 2015 and prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly.

7 (36) Tangible personal property purchased by а 8 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section 9 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of 10 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but 11 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is 12 transferred municipality without further to the any consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time 13 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the 14 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt 15 16 instruments issued by the public-facilities corporation in 17 connection with the development of the municipal convention hall. This exemption includes existing public-facilities 18 corporations as provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois 19 20 Municipal Code. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90. 21

(37) Beginning January 1, 2017 and through December 31,
2026, menstrual pads, tampons, and menstrual cups.

(38) Merchandise that is subject to the Rental Purchase
Agreement Occupation and Use Tax. The purchaser must certify
that the item is purchased to be rented subject to a rental

purchase agreement, as defined in the Rental Purchase Agreement Act, and provide proof of registration under the Rental Purchase Agreement Occupation and Use Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

5 (39) Tangible personal property purchased by a purchaser 6 who is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act by operation of 7 federal law. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of 8 Section 3-90.

9 (40) Qualified tangible personal property used in the 10 construction or operation of a data center that has been 11 granted a certificate of exemption by the Department of 12 Commerce and Economic Opportunity, whether that tangible 13 personal property is purchased by the owner, operator, or tenant of the data center or by a contractor or subcontractor 14 15 of the owner, operator, or tenant. Data centers that would 16 have qualified for a certificate of exemption prior to January 17 1, 2020 had Public Act 101-31 been in effect may apply for and obtain an exemption for subsequent purchases of computer 18 19 equipment or enabling software purchased or leased to upgrade, 20 supplement, or replace computer equipment or enabling software 21 purchased or leased in the original investment that would have 22 qualified.

The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall grant a certificate of exemption under this item (40) to qualified data centers as defined by Section 605-1025 of the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the

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For the purposes of this item (40):

3 "Data center" means a building or a series of 4 buildings rehabilitated or constructed to house working 5 servers in one physical location or multiple sites within 6 the State of Illinois.

7 "Qualified tangible personal property" means: 8 electrical systems and equipment; climate control and 9 chilling equipment and systems; mechanical systems and 10 equipment; monitoring and secure systems; emergency 11 generators; hardware; computers; servers; data storage 12 devices; network connectivity equipment; racks; cabinets; 13 telecommunications cabling infrastructure; raised floor 14 systems; peripheral components or systems; software; 15 mechanical, electrical, or plumbing systems; battery 16 systems; cooling systems and towers; temperature control 17 other cabling; and other systems; data center infrastructure equipment and systems necessary to operate 18 19 qualified tangible personal property, including fixtures; 20 and component parts of any of the foregoing, including 21 installation, maintenance, repair, refurbishment, and 22 replacement of qualified tangible personal property to 23 generate, transform, transmit, distribute, or manage 24 electricity necessary to operate qualified tangible 25 personal property; and all other tangible personal 26 property that is essential to the operations of a computer

data center. The term "qualified tangible personal property" also includes building materials physically incorporated in to the qualifying data center. To document the exemption allowed under this Section, the retailer must obtain from the purchaser a copy of the certificate of eligibility issued by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

8 This item (40) is exempt from the provisions of Section 9 3-90.

10 <u>(41) Tangible personal property sold by or on behalf of</u> 11 <u>the State Treasurer pursuant to the Revised Uniform Unclaimed</u> 12 <u>Property Act. This item (41) is exempt from the provisions of</u> 13 <u>Section 3-90.</u>

14 (Source: P.A. 101-9, eff. 6-5-19; 101-31, eff. 6-28-19; 15 101-81, eff. 7-12-19; 101-629, eff. 2-5-20; 102-16, eff. 16 6-17-21.)

Section 10. The Service Use Tax Act is amended by changingSection 3-5 as follows:

19 (35 ILCS 110/3-5)

20 Sec. 3-5. Exemptions. Use of the following tangible 21 personal property is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act: 22 (1) Personal property purchased from a corporation, 23 society, association, foundation, institution, or 24 organization, other than a limited liability company, that is

1 organized and operated as a not-for-profit service enterprise 2 for the benefit of persons 65 years of age or older if the 3 personal property was not purchased by the enterprise for the 4 purpose of resale by the enterprise.

5 (2) Personal property purchased by a non-profit Illinois 6 county fair association for use in conducting, operating, or 7 promoting the county fair.

8 (3) Personal property purchased by a not-for-profit arts 9 or cultural organization that establishes, by proof required 10 by the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption 11 under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that 12 is organized and operated primarily for the presentation or support of arts or cultural programming, activities, 13 or services. These organizations include, but are not limited to, 14 15 music and dramatic arts organizations such as symphony 16 orchestras and theatrical groups, arts and cultural service 17 organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations, and media arts organizations. On and after July 1, 2001 (the 18 effective date of Public Act 92-35), however, an entity 19 20 otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification number issued 21 22 by the Department.

(4) Legal tender, currency, medallions, or gold or silver
coinage issued by the State of Illinois, the government of the
United States of America, or the government of any foreign
country, and bullion.

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(5) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again on September 1, 1 2 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new 3 and used, and including that manufactured on special order or 4 5 purchased for lease, certified by the purchaser to be used 6 primarily for graphic arts production. Equipment includes 7 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and 8 9 immediate change upon a graphic arts product. Beginning on 10 July 1, 2017, graphic arts machinery and equipment is included 11 in the manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment 12 exemption under Section 2 of this Act.

13 (6) Personal property purchased from a teacher-sponsored 14 student organization affiliated with an elementary or 15 secondary school located in Illinois.

(7) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used, 16 17 including that manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or 18 State or federal agricultural programs, including individual 19 20 replacement parts for the machinery and equipment, including machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including 21 22 implements of husbandry defined in Section 1-130 of the 23 Illinois Vehicle Code, farm machinery and agricultural chemical and fertilizer spreaders, and nurse wagons required 24 25 to be registered under Section 3-809 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, but excluding other motor vehicles required to be 26

registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. Horticultural 1 2 polyhouses or hoop houses used for propagating, growing, or overwintering plants shall be considered farm machinery and 3 equipment under this item (7). Agricultural chemical tender 4 5 tanks and dry boxes shall include units sold separately from a motor vehicle required to be licensed and units sold mounted 6 7 on a motor vehicle required to be licensed if the selling price 8 of the tender is separately stated.

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17 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers, sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the 18 19 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture 20 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and 21 22 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and 23 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75. 24

(8) Until June 30, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold
to or used by an air common carrier, certified by the carrier

to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of its business as an air common carrier, for a flight destined for or returning from a location or locations outside the United States without regard to previous or subsequent domestic stopovers.

Beginning July 1, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold 6 7 to or used by an air carrier, certified by the carrier to be 8 used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of 9 its business as an air common carrier, for a flight that (i) is 10 engaged in foreign trade or is engaged in trade between the 11 United States and any of its possessions and (ii) transports 12 at least one individual or package for hire from the city of origination to the city of final destination on the same 13 14 aircraft, without regard to a change in the flight number of 15 that aircraft.

16 (9) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately 17 stated on customers' bills for the purchase and consumption of food and beverages acquired as an incident to the purchase of a 18 19 service from a serviceman, to the extent that the proceeds of 20 the service charge are in fact turned over as tips or as a 21 substitute for tips to the employees who participate directly 22 in preparing, serving, hosting or cleaning up the food or 23 beverage function with respect to which the service charge is 24 imposed.

(10) Until July 1, 2003, oil field exploration, drilling,
and production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of

rigs, rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) 1 2 pipe and tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow 3 lines, (v) any individual replacement part for oil field 4 5 exploration, drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and equipment purchased for lease; but excluding 6 7 motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. 8

9 (11) Proceeds from the sale of photoprocessing machinery 10 and equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both 11 new and used, including that manufactured on special order, 12 certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for 13 photoprocessing, and including photoprocessing machinery and 14 equipment purchased for lease.

15 (12) Until July 1, 2023, coal and aggregate exploration, 16 mining, off-highway hauling, processing, maintenance, and 17 reclamation equipment, including replacement parts and equipment, and including equipment purchased for lease, but 18 excluding motor vehicles required to be registered under the 19 20 Illinois Vehicle Code. The changes made to this Section by Public Act 97-767 apply on and after July 1, 2003, but no claim 21 22 for credit or refund is allowed on or after August 16, 2013 23 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456) for such taxes paid during the period beginning July 1, 2003 and ending on August 24 25 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456).

26 (13) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock

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1 for direct agricultural production.

2 (14) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club 3 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter 4 5 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or 6 racing for prizes. This item (14) is exempt from the 7 8 provisions of Section 3-75, and the exemption provided for 9 under this item (14) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 10 1995, but no claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after 11 January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for 12 such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 13 95-88). 14

15 (15) Computers and communications equipment utilized for 16 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis, 17 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or 18 longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would 19 20 otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 21 22 identification number by the Department under Section 1q of 23 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used 24 25 in any other non-exempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for 26 the tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case

may be, based on the fair market value of the property at the 1 2 time the non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or 3 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this 4 5 Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any 6 7 such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal 8 right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor. If, 9 however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any 10 reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 11 Department.

12 (16) Personal property purchased by a lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or 13 14 in effect at the time the lessor would otherwise be subject to 15 the tax imposed by this Act, to a governmental body that has 16 been issued an active tax exemption identification number by 17 the Department under Section 1g of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the property is leased in a manner that does not 18 19 qualify for this exemption or is used in any other non-exempt 20 manner, the lessor shall be liable for the tax imposed under 21 this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the 22 fair market value of the property at the time the 23 non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or attempt 24 to collect an amount (however designated) that purports to 25 reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the 26 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid

by the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the Department.

6 (17) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after 7 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or 8 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is donated for disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared 9 10 disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a 11 manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a 12 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification 13 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster 14 15 who reside within the declared disaster area.

16 (18) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after 17 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or before December 31, 2004, personal property that is used in 18 19 the performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, 20 including but not limited to municipal roads and streets, 21 access roads, bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, 22 water and sewer line extensions, water distribution and 23 purification facilities, storm water drainage and retention 24 facilities, and sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a 25 State or federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering 26 Illinois when such repairs are initiated on facilities located

1 in the declared disaster area within 6 months after the 2 disaster.

3 (19) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds purchased 4 at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" as that term is 5 used in the Wildlife Code. This paragraph is exempt from the 6 provisions of Section 3-75.

(20) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section 7 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a 8 9 corporation, limited liability company, society, association, 10 foundation, or institution that is determined bv the 11 Department to be organized and operated exclusively for 12 educational purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a 13 corporation, limited liability company, society, association, foundation, or institution organized and operated exclusively 14 15 for educational purposes" means all tax-supported public 16 schools, private schools that offer systematic instruction in 17 useful branches of learning by methods common to public schools and that compare favorably in their scope and 18 19 intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported 20 schools, and vocational or technical schools or institutes organized and operated exclusively to provide a course of 21 22 study of not less than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare 23 individuals to follow a trade or to pursue a manual, technical, mechanical, industrial, business, or commercial 24 25 occupation.

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(21) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,

including food, purchased through fundraising events for the 1 2 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school, 3 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school 4 5 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph 6 7 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of 8 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising 9 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from 10 another individual or entity that sold the property for the 11 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits 12 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is 13 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

(22) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31, 14 15 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and 16 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and 17 other items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines 18 and parts for machines used in commercial, coin-operated 19 20 amusement and vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the gross receipts derived from the use of the 21 22 commercial, coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This 23 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

(23) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 2016,
food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages,

soft drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate 1 2 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines, 3 medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing drugs, materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human 4 5 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical assistance under Article V of the Illinois Public Aid Code who 6 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in 7 8 the Nursing Home Care Act, or in a licensed facility as defined 9 in the ID/DD Community Care Act, the MC/DD Act, or the 10 Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation Act of 2013.

11 (24) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of 12 Public Act 92-227), computers and communications equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used in the 13 14 diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients 15 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease 16 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the 17 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 18 19 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of 20 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased 21 in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used 22 in any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for 23 the tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the fair market value of the property at the 24 25 time the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or 26 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that

purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this 1 2 Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not 3 been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal 4 5 right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any 6 reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the 7 8 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of 9 Section 3-75.

(25) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of 10 Public Act 92-227), personal property purchased by a lessor 11 12 who leases the property, under a lease of one year or longer 13 executed or in effect at the time the lessor would otherwise be 14 subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a governmental body 15 that has been issued an active tax exemption identification 16 number by the Department under Section 1g of the Retailers' 17 Occupation Tax Act. If the property is leased in a manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in any other 18 19 nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the tax 20 imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the fair market value of the property at the time the 21 22 nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or attempt 23 to collect an amount (however designated) that purports to 24 reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the 25 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid 26 by the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount

1 from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a 2 refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that 3 amount is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor 4 is liable to pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph 5 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

6 (26) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property 7 used in the construction or maintenance of a community water 8 supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental 9 Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit 10 corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued 11 under Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This 12 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

13 (27) Beginning January 1, 2010 and continuing through 14 December 31, 2024, materials, parts, equipment, components, 15 and furnishings incorporated into or upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, 16 17 repair, or maintenance of the aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in the modification, 18 19 refurbishment, completion, replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any materials, parts, 20 equipment, components, and consumable supplies used in the 21 22 modification, replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft 23 engines or power plants, whether such engines or power plants 24 installed or uninstalled upon any such aircraft. are "Consumable supplies" include, but are not 25 limited to, 26 adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose lubricants,

cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective films. This 1 2 exemption applies only to the use of qualifying tangible 3 personal property transferred incident to the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance 4 5 of aircraft by persons who (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate an approved repair station by the 6 Federal Aviation Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, 7 8 and (iii) conduct operations in accordance with Part 145 of 9 the Federal Aviation Regulations. The exemption does not 10 include aircraft operated by a commercial air carrier 11 providing scheduled passenger air service pursuant to 12 authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129 of the Federal 13 Aviation Regulations. The changes made to this paragraph (27) by Public Act 98-534 are declarative of existing law. It is the 14 15 intent of the General Assembly that the exemption under this 16 paragraph (27) applies continuously from January 1, 2010 17 through December 31, 2024; however, no claim for credit or refund is allowed for taxes paid as a result of the 18 disallowance of this exemption on or after January 1, 2015 and 19 20 prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly. 21

22 (28)Tangible personal property purchased by а 23 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of 24 25 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but 26 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is

municipality without 1 transferred to the anv further 2 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the 3 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt 4 5 instruments issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with the development of the municipal convention 6 7 hall. This exemption includes existing public-facilities 8 corporations as provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois 9 Municipal Code. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions 10 of Section 3-75.

(29) Beginning January 1, 2017 and through December 31,
 2026, menstrual pads, tampons, and menstrual cups.

13 (30) Tangible personal property transferred to a purchaser 14 who is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act by operation of 15 federal law. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of 16 Section 3-75.

17 (31) Qualified tangible personal property used in the construction or operation of a data center that has been 18 granted a certificate of exemption by the Department of 19 Commerce and Economic Opportunity, whether that tangible 20 personal property is purchased by the owner, operator, or 21 22 tenant of the data center or by a contractor or subcontractor 23 of the owner, operator, or tenant. Data centers that would have qualified for a certificate of exemption prior to January 24 25 1, 2020 had this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly 26 been in effect, may apply for and obtain an exemption for

subsequent purchases of computer equipment or enabling software purchased or leased to upgrade, supplement, or replace computer equipment or enabling software purchased or leased in the original investment that would have qualified.

5 The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall 6 grant a certificate of exemption under this item (31) to 7 qualified data centers as defined by Section 605-1025 of the 8 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the 9 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.

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For the purposes of this item (31):

11 "Data center" means a building or a series of 12 buildings rehabilitated or constructed to house working 13 servers in one physical location or multiple sites within 14 the State of Illinois.

15 "Oualified tangible personal property" means: 16 electrical systems and equipment; climate control and 17 chilling equipment and systems; mechanical systems and equipment; monitoring and secure systems; emergency 18 19 generators; hardware; computers; servers; data storage 20 devices; network connectivity equipment; racks; cabinets; 21 telecommunications cabling infrastructure; raised floor 22 systems; peripheral components or systems; software; 23 mechanical, electrical, or plumbing systems; battery systems; cooling systems and towers; temperature control 24 25 other cabling; and other systems; data center 26 infrastructure equipment and systems necessary to operate

qualified tangible personal property, including fixtures; 1 2 and component parts of any of the foregoing, including 3 installation, maintenance, repair, refurbishment, and replacement of qualified tangible personal property to 4 5 generate, transform, transmit, distribute, or manage 6 electricity necessary to operate qualified tangible 7 personal property; and all other tangible personal 8 property that is essential to the operations of a computer 9 data center. The term "qualified tangible personal 10 property" also includes building materials physically 11 incorporated in to the qualifying data center. To document 12 the exemption allowed under this Section, the retailer 13 must obtain from the purchaser a copy of the certificate of eligibility issued by the Department of Commerce and 14 15 Economic Opportunity.

16 This item (31) is exempt from the provisions of Section 17 3-75.

18 (32) Tangible personal property sold by or on behalf of
 19 the State Treasurer pursuant to the Revised Uniform Unclaimed
 20 Property Act. This item (32) is exempt from the provisions of
 21 Section 3-75.
 22 (Source: P.A. 101-31, eff. 6-28-19; 101-81, eff. 7-12-19;

23 101-629, eff. 2-5-20; 102-16, eff. 6-17-21.)

24 Section 15. The Service Occupation Tax Act is amended by 25 changing Section 3-5 as follows:

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Sec. 3-5. Exemptions. The following tangible personal
property is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act:

4 (1) Personal property sold by a corporation, society, 5 association, foundation, institution, or organization, other 6 than a limited liability company, that is organized and 7 operated as a not-for-profit service enterprise for the 8 benefit of persons 65 years of age or older if the personal 9 property was not purchased by the enterprise for the purpose 10 of resale by the enterprise.

11 (2) Personal property purchased by a not-for-profit 12 Illinois county fair association for use in conducting, 13 operating, or promoting the county fair.

14 (3) Personal property purchased by any not-for-profit arts 15 or cultural organization that establishes, by proof required 16 by the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that 17 is organized and operated primarily for the presentation or 18 support of arts or cultural programming, activities, or 19 20 services. These organizations include, but are not limited to, 21 music and dramatic arts organizations such as symphony 22 orchestras and theatrical groups, arts and cultural service organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations, 23 and media arts organizations. On and after July 1, 2001 (the 24 effective date of Public Act 92-35), however, an entity 25

otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification number issued by the Department.

4 (4) Legal tender, currency, medallions, or gold or silver
5 coinage issued by the State of Illinois, the government of the
6 United States of America, or the government of any foreign
7 country, and bullion.

8 (5) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again on September 1, 9 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and 10 equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new 11 and used, and including that manufactured on special order or 12 purchased for lease, certified by the purchaser to be used 13 primarily for graphic arts production. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts but only if the 14 15 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and 16 immediate change upon a graphic arts product. Beginning on 17 July 1, 2017, graphic arts machinery and equipment is included in the manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment 18 exemption under Section 2 of this Act. 19

20 (6) Personal property sold by a teacher-sponsored student 21 organization affiliated with an elementary or secondary school 22 located in Illinois.

(7) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used, including that manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or State or federal agricultural programs, including individual

replacement parts for the machinery and equipment, including 1 2 machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including implements of husbandry defined in Section 1-130 of the 3 Illinois Vehicle Code, farm machinery and agricultural 4 5 chemical and fertilizer spreaders, and nurse wagons required to be registered under Section 3-809 of the Illinois Vehicle 6 7 Code, but excluding other motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. Horticultural 8 9 polyhouses or hoop houses used for propagating, growing, or 10 overwintering plants shall be considered farm machinery and 11 equipment under this item (7). Agricultural chemical tender 12 tanks and dry boxes shall include units sold separately from a 13 motor vehicle required to be licensed and units sold mounted 14 on a motor vehicle required to be licensed if the selling price 15 of the tender is separately stated.

16 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision 17 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not 18 19 limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders, 20 or spreaders. Precision farming equipment includes, but is not 21 limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors, 22 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other 23 such equipment.

Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers, sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the computer-assisted operation of production agriculture

facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

6 (8) Until June 30, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold 7 to or used by an air common carrier, certified by the carrier 8 to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the 9 conduct of its business as an air common carrier, for a flight 10 destined for or returning from a location or locations outside 11 the United States without regard to previous or subsequent 12 domestic stopovers.

13 Beginning July 1, 2013, fuel and petroleum products sold 14 to or used by an air carrier, certified by the carrier to be 15 used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of 16 its business as an air common carrier, for a flight that (i) is 17 engaged in foreign trade or is engaged in trade between the United States and any of its possessions and (ii) transports 18 at least one individual or package for hire from the city of 19 origination to the city of final destination on the same 20 aircraft, without regard to a change in the flight number of 21 22 that aircraft.

(9) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately stated on customers' bills for the purchase and consumption of food and beverages, to the extent that the proceeds of the service charge are in fact turned over as tips or as a

substitute for tips to the employees who participate directly in preparing, serving, hosting or cleaning up the food or beverage function with respect to which the service charge is imposed.

5 (10) Until July 1, 2003, oil field exploration, drilling, and production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of 6 7 rigs, rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) 8 pipe and tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, 9 (iii) pumps and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow 10 lines, (v) any individual replacement part for oil field 11 exploration, drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) 12 machinery and equipment purchased for lease; but excluding 13 motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. 14

(11) Photoprocessing machinery and equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new and used, including that manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for photoprocessing, and including photoprocessing machinery and equipment purchased for lease.

20 (12) Until July 1, 2023, coal and aggregate exploration, mining, off-highway hauling, processing, maintenance, 21 and 22 reclamation equipment, including replacement parts and 23 equipment, and including equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to be registered under the 24 Illinois Vehicle Code. The changes made to this Section by 25 26 Public Act 97-767 apply on and after July 1, 2003, but no claim

for credit or refund is allowed on or after August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456) for such taxes paid during the period beginning July 1, 2003 and ending on August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456).

5 (13) Beginning January 1, 1992 and through June 30, 2016, food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the 6 7 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, 8 soft drinks and food that has been prepared for immediate 9 consumption) and prescription and non-prescription medicines, 10 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing 11 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human 12 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical 13 assistance under Article V of the Illinois Public Aid Code who 14 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in 15 the Nursing Home Care Act, or in a licensed facility as defined 16 in the ID/DD Community Care Act, the MC/DD Act, or the 17 Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation Act of 2013.

18 (14) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock19 for direct agricultural production.

(15) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or racing for prizes. This item (15) is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55, and the exemption provided for

under this item (15) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88).

7 (16) Computers and communications equipment utilized for 8 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis, 9 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor 10 who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer 11 executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a 12 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 13 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of 14 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

(17) Personal property sold to a lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

(18) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or before December 31, 2004, personal property that is donated for disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a

1 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution 2 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification 3 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster 4 who reside within the declared disaster area.

5 (19) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or 6 7 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is used in 8 the performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, 9 including but not limited to municipal roads and streets, 10 access roads, bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, 11 water and sewer line extensions, water distribution and 12 purification facilities, storm water drainage and retention 13 facilities, and sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering 14 15 Illinois when such repairs are initiated on facilities located 16 in the declared disaster area within 6 months after the 17 disaster.

18 (20) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds sold at a 19 "game breeding and hunting preserve area" as that term is used 20 in the Wildlife Code. This paragraph is exempt from the 21 provisions of Section 3-55.

(21) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a corporation, limited liability company, society, association, foundation, or institution that is determined by the Department to be organized and operated exclusively for

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educational purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a 1 2 corporation, limited liability company, society, association, foundation, or institution organized and operated exclusively 3 for educational purposes" means all tax-supported public 4 5 schools, private schools that offer systematic instruction in 6 useful branches of learning by methods common to public 7 schools and that compare favorably in their scope and 8 intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported 9 schools, and vocational or technical schools or institutes 10 organized and operated exclusively to provide a course of 11 study of not less than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare individuals to follow a trade or to pursue a manual, 12 13 technical, mechanical, industrial, business, or commercial 14 occupation.

(22) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property, 15 16 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the 17 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school, a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if 18 19 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school 20 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph 21 22 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of 23 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from 24 another individual or entity that sold the property for the 25 26 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits

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from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

(23) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31, 3 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and 4 5 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other items, and replacement parts for these machines. 6 7 Beginning January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines 8 and parts for machines used in commercial, coin-operated 9 amusement and vending business if a use or occupation tax is 10 paid on the gross receipts derived from the use of the 11 commercial, coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This 12 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

13 (24) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of 14 Public Act 92-227), computers and communications equipment 15 utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used in the 16 diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to 17 a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a 18 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption 19 20 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt 21 22 from the provisions of Section 3-55.

(25) Beginning on August 2, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-227), personal property sold to a lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a

1 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption 2 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of 3 the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt 4 from the provisions of Section 3-55.

5 (26) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 6 2016, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois 7 retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized purchasing activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt of the property 8 9 in Illinois, temporarily store the property in Illinois (i) 10 for the purpose of subsequently transporting it outside this 11 State for use or consumption thereafter solely outside this 12 State or (ii) for the purpose of being processed, fabricated, 13 or manufactured into, attached to, or incorporated into other tangible personal property to be transported outside this 14 15 State and thereafter used or consumed solely outside this 16 State. The Director of Revenue shall, pursuant to rules 17 adopted in accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, issue a permit to any taxpayer in good standing 18 with the Department who is eligible for the exemption under 19 this paragraph (26). The permit issued under this paragraph 20 (26) shall authorize the holder, to the extent and in the 21 22 manner specified in the rules adopted under this Act, to 23 purchase tangible personal property from a retailer exempt from the taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall maintain 24 25 all necessary books and records to substantiate the use and 26 consumption of all such tangible personal property outside of

1 the State of Illinois.

(27) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property
used in the construction or maintenance of a community water
supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental
Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit
corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued
under Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This
paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

9 (28)Tangible personal property sold to а 10 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section 11 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of 12 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but 13 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is municipality without 14 transferred to the any further 15 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time 16 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the 17 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments issued by the public-facilities corporation in 18 connection with the development of the municipal convention 19 20 This exemption includes existing public-facilities hall. corporations as provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois 21 22 Municipal Code. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions 23 of Section 3-55.

(29) Beginning January 1, 2010 and continuing through
 December 31, 2024, materials, parts, equipment, components,
 and furnishings incorporated into or upon an aircraft as part

of the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, 1 2 repair, or maintenance of the aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in the 3 modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, 4 repair, and 5 maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable supplies used in the 6 7 modification, replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft 8 engines or power plants, whether such engines or power plants 9 installed or uninstalled upon any such aircraft. are 10 "Consumable supplies" include, but are not limited to, 11 adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose lubricants, 12 cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective films. This 13 exemption applies only to the transfer of qualifying tangible 14 personal property incident to the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of an aircraft 15 16 by persons who (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are 17 empowered to operate an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and 18 (iii) conduct operations in accordance with Part 145 of the 19 20 Federal Aviation Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated by a commercial air carrier providing 21 22 scheduled passenger air service pursuant to authority issued 23 121 or Part 129 of the Federal Aviation under Part Regulations. The changes made to this paragraph (29) by Public 24 25 Act 98-534 are declarative of existing law. It is the intent of 26 the General Assembly that the exemption under this paragraph

1 (29) applies continuously from January 1, 2010 through 2 December 31, 2024; however, no claim for credit or refund is 3 allowed for taxes paid as a result of the disallowance of this 4 exemption on or after January 1, 2015 and prior to the 5 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General 6 Assembly.

7 (30) Beginning January 1, 2017 and through December 31,
8 2026, menstrual pads, tampons, and menstrual cups.

9 (31) Tangible personal property transferred to a purchaser 10 who is exempt from tax by operation of federal law. This 11 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

12 (32) Qualified tangible personal property used in the 13 construction or operation of a data center that has been granted a certificate of exemption by the Department of 14 15 Commerce and Economic Opportunity, whether that tangible 16 personal property is purchased by the owner, operator, or 17 tenant of the data center or by a contractor or subcontractor of the owner, operator, or tenant. Data centers that would 18 have qualified for a certificate of exemption prior to January 19 20 1, 2020 had this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly been in effect, may apply for and obtain an exemption for 21 22 subsequent purchases of computer equipment or enabling 23 software purchased or leased to upgrade, supplement, or 24 replace computer equipment or enabling software purchased or 25 leased in the original investment that would have qualified.

26 The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall

1 grant a certificate of exemption under this item (32) to 2 qualified data centers as defined by Section 605-1025 of the 3 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the 4 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.

For the purposes of this item (32):

6 "Data center" means a building or a series of 7 buildings rehabilitated or constructed to house working 8 servers in one physical location or multiple sites within 9 the State of Illinois.

10 "Qualified tangible personal property" means: 11 electrical systems and equipment; climate control and 12 chilling equipment and systems; mechanical systems and 13 equipment; monitoring and secure systems; emergency 14 generators; hardware; computers; servers; data storage 15 devices; network connectivity equipment; racks; cabinets; 16 telecommunications cabling infrastructure; raised floor 17 systems; peripheral components or systems; software; mechanical, electrical, or plumbing systems; battery 18 19 systems; cooling systems and towers; temperature control 20 systems; other cabling; and other data center 21 infrastructure equipment and systems necessary to operate 22 qualified tangible personal property, including fixtures; 23 and component parts of any of the foregoing, including 24 installation, maintenance, repair, refurbishment, and 25 replacement of qualified tangible personal property to 26 generate, transform, transmit, distribute, or manage

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electricity necessary to operate qualified tangible 1 2 personal property; and all other tangible personal 3 property that is essential to the operations of a computer data center. The term "qualified tangible 4 personal 5 property" also includes building materials physically incorporated in to the qualifying data center. To document 6 7 the exemption allowed under this Section, the retailer 8 must obtain from the purchaser a copy of the certificate 9 of eligibility issued by the Department of Commerce and 10 Economic Opportunity.

This item (32) is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

13 (33) Tangible personal property sold by or on behalf of
14 the State Treasurer pursuant to the Revised Uniform Unclaimed
15 Property Act. This item (33) is exempt from the provisions of
16 Section 3-55.
17 (Source: P.A. 101-31, eff. 6-28-19; 101-81, eff. 7-12-19;
18 101-629, eff. 2-5-20; 102-16, eff. 6-17-21.)

Section 20. The Retailers' Occupation Tax Act is amended by changing Section 2-5 as follows:

21 (35 ILCS 120/2-5)

22 Sec. 2-5. Exemptions. Gross receipts from proceeds from 23 the sale of the following tangible personal property are 24 exempt from the tax imposed by this Act:

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(1) Farm chemicals.

2 (2) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used, 3 including that manufactured on special order, certified by purchaser to be used primarily for production 4 the 5 agriculture or State or federal agricultural programs, 6 including individual replacement parts for the machinery 7 and equipment, including machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including implements of husbandry defined 8 9 in Section 1-130 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, farm 10 machinery and agricultural chemical and fertilizer 11 spreaders, and nurse wagons required to be registered 12 under Section 3-809 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, but excluding other motor vehicles required to be registered 13 14 under the Illinois Vehicle Code. Horticultural polyhouses 15 or hoop houses used for propagating, growing, or 16 overwintering plants shall be considered farm machinery 17 and equipment under this item (2). Agricultural chemical tender tanks and dry boxes shall include units sold 18 19 separately from a motor vehicle required to be licensed 20 and units sold mounted on a motor vehicle required to be 21 licensed, if the selling price of the tender is separately 22 stated.

Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders, or spreaders. Precision farming equipment
 includes, but is not limited to, soil testing sensors,
 computers, monitors, software, global positioning and

mapping systems, and other such equipment.

5 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers, 6 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the computer-assisted operation of production agriculture 7 8 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not 9 limited to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of 10 animal and crop data for the purpose of formulating animal 11 diets and agricultural chemicals. This item (2) is exempt 12 from the provisions of Section 2-70.

(3) Until July 1, 2003, distillation machinery and
equipment, sold as a unit or kit, assembled or installed
by the retailer, certified by the user to be used only for
the production of ethyl alcohol that will be used for
consumption as motor fuel or as a component of motor fuel
for the personal use of the user, and not subject to sale
or resale.

(4) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again September
1, 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery
and equipment, including repair and replacement parts,
both new and used, and including that manufactured on
special order or purchased for lease, certified by the
purchaser to be used primarily for graphic arts
production. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals

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acting as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and immediate change upon a graphic arts product. Beginning on July 1, 2017, graphic arts machinery and equipment is included in the manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment exemption under paragraph (14).

7 (5) A motor vehicle that is used for automobile
8 renting, as defined in the Automobile Renting Occupation
9 and Use Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from the
10 provisions of Section 2-70.

11 (6) Personal property sold by a teacher-sponsored 12 student organization affiliated with an elementary or 13 secondary school located in Illinois.

14 (7) Until July 1, 2003, proceeds of that portion of
15 the selling price of a passenger car the sale of which is
16 subject to the Replacement Vehicle Tax.

17 (8) Personal property sold to an Illinois county fair
18 association for use in conducting, operating, or promoting
19 the county fair.

(9) Personal property sold to a not-for-profit arts or
cultural organization that establishes, by proof required
by the Department by rule, that it has received an
exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue
Code and that is organized and operated primarily for the
presentation or support of arts or cultural programming,
activities, or services. These organizations include, but

are not limited to, music and dramatic arts organizations 1 2 such as symphony orchestras and theatrical groups, arts 3 and cultural service organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations, and media arts organizations. 4 5 On and after July 1, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-35), however, an entity otherwise eligible for this 6 7 exemption shall not make tax-free purchases unless it has 8 an active identification number issued by the Department.

9 (10) Personal property sold by a corporation, society, 10 association, foundation, institution, or organization, 11 other than a limited liability company, that is organized 12 and operated as a not-for-profit service enterprise for 13 the benefit of persons 65 years of age or older if the 14 personal property was not purchased by the enterprise for 15 the purpose of resale by the enterprise.

16 (11) Personal property sold to a governmental body, to 17 corporation, society, association, foundation, а or 18 institution organized and operated exclusively for 19 charitable, religious, or educational purposes, or to a 20 not-for-profit corporation, society, association, 21 foundation, institution, or organization that has no 22 compensated officers or employees and that is organized 23 and operated primarily for the recreation of persons 55 24 years of age or older. A limited liability company may 25 qualify for the exemption under this paragraph only if the 26 limited liability company is organized and operated

exclusively for educational purposes. On and after July 1, 1987, however, no entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall make tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification number issued by the Department.

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(12-5) On and after July 1, 2003 and through June 30, 6 7 2004, motor vehicles of the second division with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 8,000 pounds that are subject 8 9 to the commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 10 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code. Beginning on July 1, 11 2004 and through June 30, 2005, the use in this State of 12 motor vehicles of the second division: (i) with a gross vehicle weight rating in excess of 8,000 pounds; (ii) that 13 14 are subject to the commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code; and 15 16 (iii) that are primarily used for commercial purposes. 17 Through June 30, 2005, this exemption applies to repair and replacement parts added after the initial purchase of 18 such a motor vehicle if that motor vehicle is used in a 19 20 manner that would qualify for the rolling stock exemption otherwise provided for in this Act. For purposes of this 21 22 paragraph, "used for commercial purposes" means the 23 transportation of persons or property in furtherance of 24 any commercial or industrial enterprise whether for-hire 25 or not.

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(13) Proceeds from sales to owners, lessors, or

1 shippers of tangible personal property that is utilized by 2 interstate carriers for hire for use as rolling stock 3 moving in interstate commerce and equipment operated by a telecommunications provider, licensed as a common carrier 4 Federal Communications Commission, 5 bv the which is 6 permanently installed in or affixed to aircraft moving in 7 interstate commerce.

8 (14) Machinery and equipment that will be used by the 9 purchaser, or a lessee of the purchaser, primarily in the 10 process of manufacturing or assembling tangible personal 11 property for wholesale or retail sale or lease, whether 12 the sale or lease is made directly by the manufacturer or by some other person, whether the materials used in the 13 14 process are owned by the manufacturer or some other 15 person, or whether the sale or lease is made apart from or 16 as an incident to the seller's engaging in the service 17 occupation of producing machines, tools, dies, jigs, patterns, gauges, or other similar items of no commercial 18 19 value on special order for a particular purchaser. The 20 exemption provided by this paragraph (14) does not include 21 machinery and equipment used in (i) the generation of 22 electricity for wholesale or retail sale; (ii) the 23 generation or treatment of natural or artificial gas for 24 wholesale or retail sale that is delivered to customers 25 through pipes, pipelines, or mains; or (iii) the treatment 26 of water for wholesale or retail sale that is delivered to 1 through pipes, pipelines, or mains. The customers 2 provisions of Public Act 98-583 are declaratory of 3 existing law as the meaning and scope of this to exemption. Beginning on July 1, 2017, the exemption 4 5 provided by this paragraph (14) includes, but is not limited to, graphic arts machinery and equipment, as 6 7 defined in paragraph (4) of this Section.

8 (15) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately 9 stated on customers' bills for purchase and consumption of 10 food and beverages, to the extent that the proceeds of the 11 service charge are in fact turned over as tips or as a 12 substitute for tips to the employees who participate directly in preparing, serving, hosting or cleaning up the 13 14 food or beverage function with respect to which the 15 service charge is imposed.

16 (16) Tangible personal property sold to a purchaser if 17 the purchaser is exempt from use tax by operation of 18 federal law. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions 19 of Section 2-70.

20 (17) Tangible personal property sold to a common 21 carrier by rail or motor that receives the physical 22 possession of the property in Illinois and that transports 23 the property, or shares with another common carrier in the 24 transportation of the property, out of Illinois on a 25 standard uniform bill of lading showing the seller of the 26 property as the shipper or consignor of the property to a

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destination outside Illinois, for use outside Illinois.

(18) Legal tender, currency, medallions, or gold or
silver coinage issued by the State of Illinois, the
government of the United States of America, or the
government of any foreign country, and bullion.

Until July 1, 2003, oil field exploration, 6 (19)7 drilling, and production equipment, including (i) rigs and 8 parts of rigs, rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover 9 rigs, (ii) pipe and tubular goods, including casing and 10 drill strings, (iii) pumps and pump-jack units, (iv) 11 storage tanks and flow lines, (V) any individual 12 replacement part for oil field exploration, drilling, and 13 production equipment, and (vi) machinery and equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles required 14 15 to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

16 (20)Photoprocessing machinery and equipment, 17 including repair and replacement parts, both new and used, including that manufactured on special order, certified by 18 the purchaser to be used primarily for photoprocessing, 19 20 and including photoprocessing machinery and equipment purchased for lease. 21

22 (21)Until July 1, 2023, coal and aggregate 23 mining, off-highway hauling, processing, exploration, 24 maintenance, and reclamation equipment, including 25 replacement parts and equipment, and including equipment 26 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. The changes made to this Section by Public Act 97-767 apply on and after July 1, 2003, but no claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456) for such taxes paid during the period beginning July 1, 2003 and ending on August 16, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 98-456).

8 (22) Until June 30, 2013, fuel and petroleum products 9 sold to or used by an air carrier, certified by the carrier 10 to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the 11 conduct of its business as an air common carrier, for a 12 flight destined for or returning from a location or 13 locations outside the United States without regard to 14 previous or subsequent domestic stopovers.

15 Beginning July 1, 2013, fuel and petroleum products 16 sold to or used by an air carrier, certified by the carrier to be used for consumption, shipment, or storage in the 17 conduct of its business as an air common carrier, for a 18 19 flight that (i) is engaged in foreign trade or is engaged 20 in trade between the United States and any of its 21 possessions and (ii) transports at least one individual or 22 package for hire from the city of origination to the city 23 of final destination on the same aircraft, without regard 24 to a change in the flight number of that aircraft.

(23) A transaction in which the purchase order is
 received by a florist who is located outside Illinois, but

1 2 who has a florist located in Illinois deliver the property to the purchaser or the purchaser's donee in Illinois.

3 (24) Fuel consumed or used in the operation of ships, 4 barges, or vessels that are used primarily in or for the 5 transportation of property or the conveyance of persons 6 for hire on rivers bordering on this State if the fuel is 7 delivered by the seller to the purchaser's barge, ship, or 8 vessel while it is afloat upon that bordering river.

9 (25) Except as provided in item (25-5) of this 10 Section, а motor vehicle sold in this State to а 11 nonresident even though the motor vehicle is delivered to 12 the nonresident in this State, if the motor vehicle is not to be titled in this State, and if a drive-away permit is 13 14 issued to the motor vehicle as provided in Section 3-603 15 of the Illinois Vehicle Code or if the nonresident 16 purchaser has vehicle registration plates to transfer to 17 the motor vehicle upon returning to his or her home state. 18 issuance of the drive-away permit or having the The 19 out-of-state registration plates to be transferred is 20 prima facie evidence that the motor vehicle will not be titled in this State. 21

(25-5) The exemption under item (25) does not apply if the state in which the motor vehicle will be titled does not allow a reciprocal exemption for a motor vehicle sold and delivered in that state to an Illinois resident but titled in Illinois. The tax collected under this Act on

the sale of a motor vehicle in this State to a resident of 1 2 another state that does not allow a reciprocal exemption 3 shall be imposed at a rate equal to the state's rate of tax on taxable property in the state in which the purchaser is 4 5 a resident, except that the tax shall not exceed the tax 6 that would otherwise be imposed under this Act. At the 7 time of the sale, the purchaser shall execute a statement, signed under penalty of perjury, of his or her intent to 8 9 title the vehicle in the state in which the purchaser is a 10 resident within 30 days after the sale and of the fact of 11 the payment to the State of Illinois of tax in an amount 12 equivalent to the state's rate of tax on taxable property in his or her state of residence and shall submit the 13 14 statement to the appropriate tax collection agency in his 15 or her state of residence. In addition, the retailer must 16 retain a signed copy of the statement in his or her 17 records. Nothing in this item shall be construed to removal of the vehicle from this state 18 require the 19 following the filing of an intent to title the vehicle in 20 the purchaser's state of residence if the purchaser titles 21 the vehicle in his or her state of residence within 30 days 22 after the date of sale. The tax collected under this Act in 23 accordance with this item (25-5) shall be proportionately distributed as if the tax were collected at the 6.25% 24 25 general rate imposed under this Act.

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(25-7) Beginning on July 1, 2007, no tax is imposed

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under this Act on the sale of an aircraft, as defined in
 Section 3 of the Illinois Aeronautics Act, if all of the
 following conditions are met:

4 (1) the aircraft leaves this State within 15 days 5 after the later of either the issuance of the final 6 billing for the sale of the aircraft, or the 7 authorized approval for return to service, completion 8 of the maintenance record entry, and completion of the 9 test flight and ground test for inspection, as 10 required by 14 C.F.R. 91.407;

(2) the aircraft is not based or registered in this State after the sale of the aircraft; and

13 (3) the seller retains in his or her books and 14 records and provides to the Department a signed and 15 dated certification from the purchaser, on a form 16 prescribed by the Department, certifying that the 17 requirements of this item (25-7) are met. The certificate must also include the name and address of 18 19 the purchaser, the address of the location where the 20 aircraft is to be titled or registered, the address of the primary physical location of the aircraft, and 21 22 other information that the Department may reasonably 23 require.

24 For purposes of this item (25-7):

25 "Based in this State" means hangared, stored, or 26 otherwise used, excluding post-sale customizations as

defined in this Section, for 10 or more days in each
 12-month period immediately following the date of the sale
 of the aircraft.

"Registered in this State" means aircraft 4 an 5 registered with the Department of Transportation, 6 Aeronautics Division, or titled or registered with the 7 Federal Aviation Administration to an address located in this State. 8

9 This paragraph (25-7) is exempt from the provisions of 10 Section 2-70.

11 (26) Semen used for artificial insemination of
 12 livestock for direct agricultural production.

13 (27) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with 14 and meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse 15 Club Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American 16 Ouarter Horse Association, United States Trotting 17 Association, or Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or racing for prizes. This item (27) 18 19 is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70, and the exemption provided for under this item (27) applies for 20 all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no claim for 21 22 credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1, 2008 23 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for such taxes 24 paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending 25 on January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 26 95-88).

1 (28) Computers and communications equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used in the 2 3 diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease of 4 5 one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the 6 purchase, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption identification number by the Department under 7 8 Section 1g of this Act.

9 (29) Personal property sold to a lessor who leases the 10 property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or 11 in effect at the time of the purchase, to a governmental 12 body that has been issued an active tax exemption 13 identification number by the Department under Section 1g 14 of this Act.

15 (30) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after 16 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on 17 or before December 31, 2004, personal property that is donated for disaster relief to be used in a State or 18 19 federally declared disaster area in Illinois or bordering 20 Illinois by a manufacturer or retailer that is registered 21 in this State to a corporation, society, association, 22 foundation, or institution that has been issued a sales 23 tax exemption identification number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster who reside within the 24 25 declared disaster area.

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(31) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after

December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on 1 2 or before December 31, 2004, personal property that is 3 used in the performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including but not limited to municipal roads and 4 streets, access roads, bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal 5 6 systems, water and sewer line extensions, water 7 distribution and purification facilities, storm water 8 drainage and retention facilities, and sewage treatment 9 facilities, resulting from a State or federally declared 10 disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois when such 11 repairs are initiated on facilities located in the 12 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

13 (32) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds sold 14 at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" as that 15 term is used in the Wildlife Code. This paragraph is 16 exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

17 (33) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is 18 19 donated to a corporation, limited liability company, 20 society, association, foundation, or institution that is 21 determined by the Department to be organized and operated 22 exclusively for educational purposes. For purposes of this 23 exemption, "a corporation, limited liability company, 24 society, association, foundation, or institution organized 25 and operated exclusively for educational purposes" means 26 all tax-supported public schools, private schools that

systematic instruction in useful branches 1 offer of 2 learning by methods common to public schools and that 3 compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported schools, and 4 5 vocational or technical schools or institutes organized and operated exclusively to provide a course of study of 6 7 not less than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare 8 individuals to follow a trade or to pursue a manual, 9 technical, mechanical, industrial, business, or commercial 10 occupation.

11 (34) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property, 12 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary 13 14 school, a group of those schools, or one or more school 15 districts if the events are sponsored by an entity 16 recognized by the school district that consists primarily 17 of volunteers and includes parents and teachers of the This paragraph does not apply to 18 school children. 19 fundraising events (i) for the benefit of private home 20 instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising entity 21 purchases the personal property sold at the events from 22 another individual or entity that sold the property for 23 the purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that 24 profits from the sale to the fundraising entity. This 25 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70. 26

(35) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December

31, 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that 1 2 prepare and serve hot food and beverages, including 3 coffee, soup, and other items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning January 1, 2002 and through June 4 5 30, 2003, machines and parts for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and vending business 6 7 if a use or occupation tax is paid on the gross receipts 8 derived from the use of the commercial, coin-operated 9 amusement and vending machines. This paragraph is exempt 10 from the provisions of Section 2-70.

11 (35-5) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 12 2016, food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic 13 14 beverages, soft drinks, and food that has been prepared 15 for immediate consumption) and prescription and 16 nonprescription medicines, drugs, medical appliances, and 17 insulin, urine testing materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human use, when purchased for use 18 19 by a person receiving medical assistance under Article V 20 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who resides in a licensed 21 long-term care facility, as defined in the Nursing Home 22 Care Act, or a licensed facility as defined in the ID/DD 23 Community Care Act, the MC/DD Act, or the Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation Act of 2013. 24

(36) Beginning August 2, 2001, computers and
 communications equipment utilized for any hospital purpose

1 equipment used in the diagnosis, analysis, and or 2 treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor who leases 3 the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a 4 5 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption identification number by the Department under Section 1q 6 7 of this Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70. 8

9 (37) Beginning August 2, 2001, personal property sold 10 to a lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one 11 year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the 12 purchase, to a governmental body that has been issued an 13 exemption identification number by the active tax 14 Department under Section 1g of this Act. This paragraph is 15 exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

16 (38) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 17 2016, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized 18 purchasing activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt 19 of the property in Illinois, temporarily store the 20 property in Illinois (i) for the purpose of subsequently 21 22 transporting it outside this State for use or consumption 23 thereafter solely outside this State or (ii) for the 24 purpose of being processed, fabricated, or manufactured 25 into, attached to, or incorporated into other tangible 26 personal property to be transported outside this State and

thereafter used or consumed solely outside this State. The 1 2 Director of Revenue shall, pursuant to rules adopted in 3 accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, issue a permit to any taxpayer in good standing with the 4 5 Department who is eligible for the exemption under this paragraph (38). The permit issued under this paragraph 6 (38) shall authorize the holder, to the extent and in the 7 8 manner specified in the rules adopted under this Act, to 9 purchase tangible personal property from a retailer exempt from the taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall 10 11 maintain all necessary books and records to substantiate 12 the use and consumption of all such tangible personal 13 property outside of the State of Illinois.

14 (39) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal 15 property used in the construction or maintenance of a 16 community water supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of 17 the Environmental Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit corporation that holds a valid water supply 18 19 permit issued under Title IV of the Environmental 20 Protection Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70. 21

(40) Beginning January 1, 2010 and continuing through
December 31, 2024, materials, parts, equipment,
components, and furnishings incorporated into or upon an
aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the

aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used 1 2 in the modification, refurbishment, completion, 3 replacement, repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any materials, parts, equipment, components, and 4 5 consumable supplies used in the modification, replacement, 6 repair, and maintenance of aircraft engines or power 7 plants, whether such engines or power plants are installed uninstalled upon any such aircraft. "Consumable 8 or 9 supplies" include, but are not limited to, adhesive, tape, 10 sandpaper, general purpose lubricants, cleaning solution, 11 latex gloves, and protective films. This exemption applies 12 only to the sale of qualifying tangible personal property to persons who modify, refurbish, complete, replace, or 13 14 maintain an aircraft and who (i) hold an Air Agency 15 Certificate and are empowered to operate an approved 16 repair station by the Federal Aviation Administration, 17 (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation 18 19 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft 20 operated by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air service pursuant to authority issued under 21 22 Part 121 or Part 129 of the Federal Aviation Regulations. 23 The changes made to this paragraph (40) by Public Act 24 98-534 are declarative of existing law. It is the intent 25 of the General Assembly that the exemption under this 26 paragraph (40) applies continuously from January 1, 2010

through December 31, 2024; however, no claim for credit or refund is allowed for taxes paid as a result of the disallowance of this exemption on or after January 1, 2015 and prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly.

6 (41)Tangible personal property sold to а 7 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section 8 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of 9 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, 10 but only if the legal title to the municipal convention 11 hall is transferred to the municipality without any 12 further consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time of the completion of the municipal convention 13 14 hall or upon the retirement or redemption of any bonds or 15 other debt instruments issued by the public-facilities 16 corporation in connection with the development of the 17 municipal convention hall. This exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as provided in 18 19 Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code. This 20 paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

21 (42) Beginning January 1, 2017 and through December
22 31, 2026, menstrual pads, tampons, and menstrual cups.

(43) Merchandise that is subject to the Rental Purchase Agreement Occupation and Use Tax. The purchaser must certify that the item is purchased to be rented subject to a rental purchase agreement, as defined in the

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Rental Purchase Agreement Act, and provide proof of registration under the Rental Purchase Agreement Occupation and Use Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

5 (44) Qualified tangible personal property used in the construction or operation of a data center that has been 6 7 granted a certificate of exemption by the Department of 8 Commerce and Economic Opportunity, whether that tangible 9 personal property is purchased by the owner, operator, or tenant of the data center or by a contractor 10 or 11 subcontractor of the owner, operator, or tenant. Data 12 centers that would have qualified for a certificate of 13 exemption prior to January 1, 2020 had this amendatory Act 14 of the 101st General Assembly been in effect, may apply 15 for and obtain an exemption for subsequent purchases of 16 computer equipment or enabling software purchased or 17 leased to upgrade, supplement, or replace computer equipment or enabling software purchased or leased in the 18 19 original investment that would have qualified.

The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall grant a certificate of exemption under this item (44) to qualified data centers as defined by Section 605-1025 of the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.

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For the purposes of this item (44):

1 "Data center" means a building or a series of 2 buildings rehabilitated or constructed to house 3 working servers in one physical location or multiple 4 sites within the State of Illinois.

5 "Qualified tangible personal property" means: electrical systems and equipment; climate control and 6 7 chilling equipment and systems; mechanical systems and 8 equipment; monitoring and secure systems; emergency 9 generators; hardware; computers; servers; data storage 10 devices; network connectivity equipment; racks; 11 cabinets; telecommunications cabling infrastructure; 12 raised floor systems; peripheral components or 13 systems; software; mechanical, electrical, or plumbing 14 systems; battery systems; cooling systems and towers; 15 temperature control systems; other cabling; and other 16 data center infrastructure equipment and systems 17 necessary to operate qualified tangible personal property, including fixtures; and component parts of 18 19 of the foregoing, including installation, any 20 maintenance, repair, refurbishment, and replacement of qualified tangible personal property to generate, 21 22 transform, transmit, distribute, or manage electricity 23 necessary to operate qualified tangible personal 24 property; and all other tangible personal property 25 that is essential to the operations of a computer data 26 center. The term "qualified tangible personal

property" also includes building materials physically incorporated <u>into</u> in to the qualifying data center. To document the exemption allowed under this Section, the retailer must obtain from the purchaser a copy of the certificate of eligibility issued by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

7 This item (44) is exempt from the provisions of
8 Section 2-70.

9 (45) Beginning January 1, 2020 and through December 31, 2020, sales of tangible personal property made by a 10 11 marketplace seller over a marketplace for which tax is due 12 under this Act but for which use tax has been collected and remitted to the Department by a marketplace facilitator 13 14 under Section 2d of the Use Tax Act are exempt from tax 15 under this Act. A marketplace seller claiming this 16 exemption shall maintain books and records demonstrating 17 that the use tax on such sales has been collected and remitted by a marketplace facilitator. Marketplace sellers 18 19 that have properly remitted tax under this Act on such 20 sales may file a claim for credit as provided in Section 6 21 of this Act. No claim is allowed, however, for such taxes 22 for which a credit or refund has been issued to the 23 marketplace facilitator under the Use Tax Act, or for 24 which the marketplace facilitator has filed a claim for 25 credit or refund under the Use Tax Act.

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(46) Tangible personal property sold by or on behalf

1	of	the	State	e Trea	Treasurer		pursuant		the	Revised	Uniform	
2	Un	clain	ned Pr	operty	Act.	This	item	(46) is	exempt	from	the
3	provisions of Section 2-70.											
4	(Sourc	e: P	P.A. 1	01-31,	eff.	6-2	8-19;	10	1-81	, eff.	7-12	-19;

5 101-629, eff. 2-5-20; 102-16, eff. 6-17-21; 102-634, eff.
6 8-27-21; revised 11-9-21.)