



95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1090

Introduced 2/8/2007, by Rep. Michael K. Smith

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 105/3-5	from Ch. 120, par. 439.3-5
35 ILCS 110/3-5	from Ch. 120, par. 439.33-5
35 ILCS 115/3-5	from Ch. 120, par. 439.103-5
35 ILCS 120/2-5	from Ch. 120, par. 441-5

Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. Exempts, from taxation under the Acts, personal property that is used to modify a motor vehicle for use by a qualified disabled veteran as the driver or a passenger of that vehicle. Defines "qualified disabled veteran" as a person who: (i) is or was member of the Armed Forces of the United States, the Illinois National Guard, or any reserve component of the Armed Forces of the United States who served on active duty in connection with Operation Desert Storm, Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom; (ii) became disabled as a result of that active duty service; and (iii) did not receive a discharge that was less than an honorable discharge. Provides that the Acts' sunset provisions do not apply to these exemptions. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

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

6 (35 ILCS 105/3-5) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.3-5)

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

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

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.

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

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

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

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

1 the car is subject to the Replacement Vehicle Tax.

2 (6) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again on September 1,
3 2004, graphic arts machinery and equipment, including repair
4 and replacement parts, both new and used, and including that
5 manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be
6 used primarily for graphic arts production, and including
7 machinery and equipment purchased for lease. Equipment
8 includes chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts but only if
9 the chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct
10 and immediate change upon a graphic arts product.

11 (7) Farm chemicals.

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

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

19 (10) A motor vehicle of the first division, a motor vehicle
20 of the second division that is a self-contained motor vehicle
21 designed or permanently converted to provide living quarters
22 for recreational, camping, or travel use, with direct walk
23 through to the living quarters from the driver's seat, or a
24 motor vehicle of the second division that is of the van
25 configuration designed for the transportation of not less than
26 7 nor more than 16 passengers, as defined in Section 1-146 of

1 the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is used for automobile renting,
2 as defined in the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax
3 Act.

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

23 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision
24 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be
25 installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not
26 limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders,

1 or spreaders. Precision farming equipment includes, but is not
2 limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors,
3 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other
4 such equipment.

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

13 (12) Fuel and petroleum products sold to or used by an air
14 common carrier, certified by the carrier to be used for
15 consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of its
16 business as an air common carrier, for a flight destined for or
17 returning from a location or locations outside the United
18 States without regard to previous or subsequent domestic
19 stopovers.

20 (13) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately
21 stated on customers' bills for the purchase and consumption of
22 food and beverages purchased at retail from a retailer, to the
23 extent that the proceeds of the service charge are in fact
24 turned over as tips or as a substitute for tips to the
25 employees who participate directly in preparing, serving,
26 hosting or cleaning up the food or beverage function with

1 respect to which the service charge is imposed.

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

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

16 (16) Until July 1, 2003, coal exploration, mining,
17 offhighway hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation
18 equipment, including replacement parts and equipment, and
19 including equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor
20 vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle
21 Code.

22 (17) Until July 1, 2003, distillation machinery and
23 equipment, sold as a unit or kit, assembled or installed by the
24 retailer, certified by the user to be used only for the
25 production of ethyl alcohol that will be used for consumption
26 as motor fuel or as a component of motor fuel for the personal

1 use of the user, and not subject to sale or resale.

2 (18) Manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment
3 used primarily in the process of manufacturing or assembling
4 tangible personal property for wholesale or retail sale or
5 lease, whether that sale or lease is made directly by the
6 manufacturer or by some other person, whether the materials
7 used in the process are owned by the manufacturer or some other
8 person, or whether that sale or lease is made apart from or as
9 an incident to the seller's engaging in the service occupation
10 of producing machines, tools, dies, jigs, patterns, gauges, or
11 other similar items of no commercial value on special order for
12 a particular purchaser.

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

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

20 (21) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
21 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
22 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
23 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
24 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
25 racing for prizes.

26 (22) Computers and communications equipment utilized for

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

23 (23) Personal property purchased by a lessor who leases the
24 property, under a lease of one year or longer executed or in
25 effect at the time the lessor would otherwise be subject to the
26 tax imposed by this Act, to a governmental body that has been

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

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

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

13 (26) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds purchased
14 at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" or an "exotic
15 game hunting area" as those terms are used in the Wildlife Code
16 or at a hunting enclosure approved through rules adopted by the
17 Department of Natural Resources. This paragraph is exempt from
18 the provisions of Section 3-90.

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

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

11 (28) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,
12 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
13 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,
14 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
15 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
16 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
17 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
18 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of
19 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
20 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
21 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
22 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
23 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
24 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

25 (29) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
26 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and

1 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
2 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
3 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
4 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
5 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
6 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
7 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
8 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

9 (30) Beginning January 1, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
10 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
11 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
12 drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate
13 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines,
14 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
15 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
16 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
17 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
18 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
19 the Nursing Home Care Act.

20 (31) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
21 of the 92nd General Assembly, computers and communications
22 equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used
23 in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients
24 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease
25 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the
26 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this

1 Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
2 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
3 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a
4 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in
5 any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the
6 tax imposed under this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the
7 case may be, based on the fair market value of the property at
8 the time the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect
9 or attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that
10 purports to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this
11 Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax
12 has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly
13 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall have
14 a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor.
15 If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any
16 reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the
17 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of
18 Section 3-90.

19 (32) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
20 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property purchased by a
21 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
22 longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would
23 otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a
24 governmental body that has been issued an active sales tax
25 exemption identification number by the Department under
26 Section 1g of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the

1 property is leased in a manner that does not qualify for this
2 exemption or used in any other nonexempt manner, the lessor
3 shall be liable for the tax imposed under this Act or the
4 Service Use Tax Act, as the case may be, based on the fair
5 market value of the property at the time the nonqualifying use
6 occurs. No lessor shall collect or attempt to collect an amount
7 (however designated) that purports to reimburse that lessor for
8 the tax imposed by this Act or the Service Use Tax Act, as the
9 case may be, if the tax has not been paid by the lessor. If a
10 lessor improperly collects any such amount from the lessee, the
11 lessee shall have a legal right to claim a refund of that
12 amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount is not
13 refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is liable to
14 pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph is exempt
15 from the provisions of Section 3-90.

16 (33) On and after July 1, 2003 and through June 30, 2004,
17 the use in this State of motor vehicles of the second division
18 with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 8,000 pounds and that
19 are subject to the commercial distribution fee imposed under
20 Section 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code. Beginning on July
21 1, 2004 and through June 30, 2005, the use in this State of
22 motor vehicles of the second division: (i) with a gross vehicle
23 weight rating in excess of 8,000 pounds; (ii) that are subject
24 to the commercial distribution fee imposed under Section
25 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code; and (iii) that are
26 primarily used for commercial purposes. Through June 30, 2005,

1 this exemption applies to repair and replacement parts added
2 after the initial purchase of such a motor vehicle if that
3 motor vehicle is used in a manner that would qualify for the
4 rolling stock exemption otherwise provided for in this Act. For
5 purposes of this paragraph, the term "used for commercial
6 purposes" means the transportation of persons or property in
7 furtherance of any commercial or industrial enterprise,
8 whether for-hire or not.

9 (34) Beginning July 1, 2007, personal property used to
10 modify a motor vehicle for use by a qualified disabled veteran
11 as the driver or a passenger of that vehicle. For the purpose
12 of this item (34), a "qualified disabled veteran" means a
13 person who: (i) is or was member of the Armed Forces of the
14 United States, the Illinois National Guard, or any reserve
15 component of the Armed Forces of the United States who served
16 on active duty in connection with Operation Desert Storm,
17 Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom; (ii)
18 became disabled as a result of that active duty service; and
19 (iii) did not receive a discharge that was less than an
20 honorable discharge. This item (34) is exempt from the
21 provisions of Section Section 3-90.

22 (Source: P.A. 93-23, eff. 6-20-03; 93-24, eff. 6-20-03; 93-840,
23 eff. 7-30-04; 93-1033, eff. 9-3-04; 94-1002, eff. 7-3-06.)

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

1 (35 ILCS 110/3-5) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.33-5)

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15 cultural organization that establishes, by proof required by
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18 organized and operated primarily for the presentation or
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18 student organization affiliated with an elementary or
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1 Illinois Vehicle Code, farm machinery and agricultural
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18 limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors,
19 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other
20 such equipment.

21 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers,
22 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the
23 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture
24 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited
25 to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and
26 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and

1 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the
2 provisions of Section 3-75.

3 (8) Fuel and petroleum products sold to or used by an air
4 common carrier, certified by the carrier to be used for
5 consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of its
6 business as an air common carrier, for a flight destined for or
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12 food and beverages acquired as an incident to the purchase of a
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15 substitute for tips to the employees who participate directly
16 in preparing, serving, hosting or cleaning up the food or
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20 and production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
21 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
22 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps
23 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
24 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
25 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
26 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles

1 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

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

22 (18) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after
23 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or
24 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is used in the
25 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
26 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,

1 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
2 line extensions, water distribution and purification
3 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
4 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
5 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
6 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
7 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

8 (19) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds purchased
9 at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" or an "exotic
10 game hunting area" as those terms are used in the Wildlife Code
11 or at a hunting enclosure approved through rules adopted by the
12 Department of Natural Resources. This paragraph is exempt from
13 the provisions of Section 3-75.

14 (20) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
15 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a
16 corporation, limited liability company, society, association,
17 foundation, or institution that is determined by the Department
18 to be organized and operated exclusively for educational
19 purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a corporation,
20 limited liability company, society, association, foundation,
21 or institution organized and operated exclusively for
22 educational purposes" means all tax-supported public schools,
23 private schools that offer systematic instruction in useful
24 branches of learning by methods common to public schools and
25 that compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the
26 course of study presented in tax-supported schools, and

1 vocational or technical schools or institutes organized and
2 operated exclusively to provide a course of study of not less
3 than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare individuals to
4 follow a trade or to pursue a manual, technical, mechanical,
5 industrial, business, or commercial occupation.

6 (21) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,
7 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
8 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,
9 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
10 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
11 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
12 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
13 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of
14 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
15 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
16 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
17 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
18 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
19 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

20 (22) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
21 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
22 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
23 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
24 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
25 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
26 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the

1 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
2 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
3 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

4 (23) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
5 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
6 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
7 drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate
8 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines,
9 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
10 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
11 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
12 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
13 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
14 the Nursing Home Care Act.

15 (24) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
16 of the 92nd General Assembly, computers and communications
17 equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used
18 in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients
19 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease
20 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the
21 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this
22 Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
23 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
24 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a
25 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in
26 any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the

1 tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may
2 be, based on the fair market value of the property at the time
3 the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or
4 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports
5 to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the
6 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by
7 the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount
8 from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a
9 refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount
10 is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is
11 liable to pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph is
12 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

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

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

9 (26) Beginning July 1, 2007, personal property used to
10 modify a motor vehicle for use by a qualified disabled veteran
11 as the driver or a passenger of that vehicle. For the purpose
12 of this item (26), a "qualified disabled veteran" means a
13 person who: (i) is or was member of the Armed Forces of the
14 United States, the Illinois National Guard, or any reserve
15 component of the Armed Forces of the United States who served
16 on active duty in connection with Operation Desert Storm,
17 Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom; (ii)
18 became disabled as a result of that active duty service; and
19 (iii) did not receive a discharge that was less than honorable
20 discharge. This item (26) is exempt from the provisions of
21 Section Section 3-75.

22 (Source: P.A. 93-24, eff. 6-20-03; 93-840, eff. 7-30-04;
23 94-1002, eff. 7-3-06.)

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

1 (35 ILCS 115/3-5) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.103-5)

2 Sec. 3-5. Exemptions. The following tangible personal
3 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 benefit
8 of persons 65 years of age or older if the personal property
9 was not purchased by the enterprise for the purpose of resale
10 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 by
16 the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under
17 Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that is
18 organized and operated primarily for the presentation or
19 support of arts or cultural programming, activities, or
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
23 organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations,
24 and media arts organizations. On and after the effective date
25 of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, however,

1 an entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make
2 tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification
3 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, graphic arts machinery and equipment, including repair
10 and replacement parts, both new and used, and including that
11 manufactured on special order or purchased for lease, certified
12 by the purchaser to be used primarily for graphic arts
13 production. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals acting
14 as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals acting as
15 catalysts effect a direct and immediate change upon a graphic
16 arts product.

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

20 (7) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used,
21 including that manufactured on special order, certified by the
22 purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or
23 State or federal agricultural programs, including individual
24 replacement parts for the machinery and equipment, including
25 machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including
26 implements of husbandry defined in Section 1-130 of the

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

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

21 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers,
22 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the
23 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture
24 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited
25 to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and
26 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and

1 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the
2 provisions of Section 3-55.

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

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

18 (10) Until July 1, 2003, oil field exploration, drilling,
19 and production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
20 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
21 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps
22 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
23 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
24 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
25 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles
26 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

6 (12) Until July 1, 2003, coal exploration, mining,
7 offhighway hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation
8 equipment, including replacement parts and equipment, and
9 including equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor
10 vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle
11 Code.

12 (13) Beginning January 1, 1992 and through June 30, 2011,
13 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
14 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
15 drinks and food that has been prepared for immediate
16 consumption) and prescription and non-prescription medicines,
17 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
18 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
19 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
20 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
21 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
22 the Nursing Home Care Act.

23 (14) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
24 for direct agricultural production.

25 (15) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
26 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club

1 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
2 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
3 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
4 racing for prizes.

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

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

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

1 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
2 who reside within the declared disaster area.

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

15 (20) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds sold at a
16 "game breeding and hunting preserve area" or an "exotic game
17 hunting area" as those terms are used in the Wildlife Code or
18 at a hunting enclosure approved through rules adopted by the
19 Department of Natural Resources. This paragraph is exempt from
20 the provisions of Section 3-55.

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

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

13 (22) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,
14 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
15 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,
16 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
17 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
18 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
19 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
20 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of
21 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
22 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
23 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
24 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
25 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
26 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

1 (23) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
2 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
3 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
4 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
5 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
6 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
7 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
8 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
9 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
10 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

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

21 (25) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
22 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property sold to a
23 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
24 longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
25 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption
26 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the

1 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from
2 the provisions of Section 3-55.

3 (26) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30,
4 2011, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois
5 retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized purchasing
6 activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt of the property
7 in Illinois, temporarily store the property in Illinois (i) for
8 the purpose of subsequently transporting it outside this State
9 for use or consumption thereafter solely outside this State or
10 (ii) for the purpose of being processed, fabricated, or
11 manufactured into, attached to, or incorporated into other
12 tangible personal property to be transported outside this State
13 and thereafter used or consumed solely outside this State. The
14 Director of Revenue shall, pursuant to rules adopted in
15 accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act,
16 issue a permit to any taxpayer in good standing with the
17 Department who is eligible for the exemption under this
18 paragraph (26). The permit issued under this paragraph (26)
19 shall authorize the holder, to the extent and in the manner
20 specified in the rules adopted under this Act, to purchase
21 tangible personal property from a retailer exempt from the
22 taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall maintain all
23 necessary books and records to substantiate the use and
24 consumption of all such tangible personal property outside of
25 the State of Illinois.

26 (27) Beginning July 1, 2007, personal property used to

1 modify a motor vehicle for use by a qualified disabled veteran
2 as the driver or a passenger of that vehicle. For the purpose
3 of this item (27), a "qualified disabled veteran" means a
4 person who: (i) is or was member of the Armed Forces of the
5 United States, the Illinois National Guard, or any reserve
6 component of the Armed Forces of the United States who served
7 on active duty in connection with Operation Desert Storm,
8 Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom; (ii)
9 became disabled as a result of that active duty service; and
10 (iii) did not receive a discharge that was less than an
11 honorable discharge. This item (27) is exempt from the
12 provisions of Section Section 3-55.

13 (Source: P.A. 93-24, eff. 6-20-03; 93-840, eff. 7-30-04;
14 94-1002, eff. 7-3-06.)

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

17 (35 ILCS 120/2-5) (from Ch. 120, par. 441-5)

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

21 (1) Farm chemicals.

22 (2) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used,
23 including that manufactured on special order, certified by the
24 purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or

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

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

25 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers,
26 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the

1 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture
2 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited
3 to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and
4 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and
5 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the
6 provisions of Section 2-70.

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

13 (4) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again September 1,
14 2004, graphic arts machinery and equipment, including repair
15 and replacement parts, both new and used, and including that
16 manufactured on special order or purchased for lease, certified
17 by the purchaser to be used primarily for graphic arts
18 production. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals acting
19 as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals acting as
20 catalysts effect a direct and immediate change upon a graphic
21 arts product.

22 (5) A motor vehicle of the first division, a motor vehicle
23 of the second division that is a self-contained motor vehicle
24 designed or permanently converted to provide living quarters
25 for recreational, camping, or travel use, with direct walk
26 through access to the living quarters from the driver's seat,

1 or a motor vehicle of the second division that is of the van
2 configuration designed for the transportation of not less than
3 7 nor more than 16 passengers, as defined in Section 1-146 of
4 the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is used for automobile renting,
5 as defined in the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax
6 Act.

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

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

13 (8) Personal property sold to an Illinois county fair
14 association for use in conducting, operating, or promoting the
15 county fair.

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

1 of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, however,
2 an entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make
3 tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification
4 number issued by the Department.

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

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

26 (12) Tangible personal property sold to interstate

1 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
2 commerce or to lessors under leases of one year or longer
3 executed or in effect at the time of purchase by interstate
4 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
5 commerce and equipment operated by a telecommunications
6 provider, licensed as a common carrier by the Federal
7 Communications Commission, which is permanently installed in
8 or affixed to aircraft moving in interstate commerce.

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

1 (13) Proceeds from sales to owners, lessors, or shippers of
2 tangible personal property that is utilized by interstate
3 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
4 commerce and equipment operated by a telecommunications
5 provider, licensed as a common carrier by the Federal
6 Communications Commission, which is permanently installed in
7 or affixed to aircraft moving in 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 the
12 sale or lease is made directly by the manufacturer or by some
13 other person, whether the materials used in the process are
14 owned by the manufacturer or some other person, or whether the
15 sale or lease is made apart from or as an incident to the
16 seller's engaging in the service occupation of producing
17 machines, tools, dies, jigs, patterns, gauges, or other similar
18 items of no commercial value on special order for a particular
19 purchaser.

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

1 (16) Petroleum products sold to a purchaser if the seller
2 is prohibited by federal law from charging tax to the
3 purchaser.

4 (17) Tangible personal property sold to a common carrier by
5 rail or motor that receives the physical possession of the
6 property in Illinois and that transports the property, or
7 shares with another common carrier in the transportation of the
8 property, out of Illinois on a standard uniform bill of lading
9 showing the seller of the property as the shipper or consignor
10 of the property to a destination outside Illinois, for use
11 outside Illinois.

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

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

25 (20) Photoprocessing machinery and equipment, including
26 repair and replacement parts, both new and used, including that

1 manufactured on special order, certified by the purchaser to be
2 used primarily for photoprocessing, and including
3 photoprocessing machinery and equipment purchased for lease.

4 (21) Until July 1, 2003, coal exploration, mining,
5 offhighway hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation
6 equipment, including replacement parts and equipment, and
7 including equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor
8 vehicles required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle
9 Code.

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

16 (23) A transaction in which the purchase order is received
17 by a florist who is located outside Illinois, but who has a
18 florist located in Illinois deliver the property to the
19 purchaser or the purchaser's donee in Illinois.

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

26 (25) Except as provided in item (25-5) of this Section, a

1 motor vehicle sold in this State to a nonresident even though
2 the motor vehicle is delivered to the nonresident in this
3 State, if the motor vehicle is not to be titled in this State,
4 and if a drive-away permit is issued to the motor vehicle as
5 provided in Section 3-603 of the Illinois Vehicle Code or if
6 the nonresident purchaser has vehicle registration plates to
7 transfer to the motor vehicle upon returning to his or her home
8 state. The issuance of the drive-away permit or having the
9 out-of-state registration plates to be transferred is prima
10 facie evidence that the motor vehicle will not be titled in
11 this State.

12 (25-5) The exemption under item (25) does not apply if the
13 state in which the motor vehicle will be titled does not allow
14 a reciprocal exemption for a motor vehicle sold and delivered
15 in that state to an Illinois resident but titled in Illinois.
16 The tax collected under this Act on the sale of a motor vehicle
17 in this State to a resident of another state that does not
18 allow a reciprocal exemption shall be imposed at a rate equal
19 to the state's rate of tax on taxable property in the state in
20 which the purchaser is a resident, except that the tax shall
21 not exceed the tax that would otherwise be imposed under this
22 Act. At the time of the sale, the purchaser shall execute a
23 statement, signed under penalty of perjury, of his or her
24 intent to title the vehicle in the state in which the purchaser
25 is a resident within 30 days after the sale and of the fact of
26 the payment to the State of Illinois of tax in an amount

1 equivalent to the state's rate of tax on taxable property in
2 his or her state of residence and shall submit the statement to
3 the appropriate tax collection agency in his or her state of
4 residence. In addition, the retailer must retain a signed copy
5 of the statement in his or her records. Nothing in this item
6 shall be construed to require the removal of the vehicle from
7 this state following the filing of an intent to title the
8 vehicle in the purchaser's state of residence if the purchaser
9 titles the vehicle in his or her state of residence within 30
10 days after the date of sale. The tax collected under this Act
11 in accordance with this item (25-5) shall be proportionately
12 distributed as if the tax were collected at the 6.25% general
13 rate imposed under this Act.

14 (26) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
15 for direct agricultural production.

16 (27) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
17 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
18 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
19 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
20 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
21 racing for prizes.

22 (28) Computers and communications equipment utilized for
23 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis,
24 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor
25 who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer
26 executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a

1 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
2 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of
3 this Act.

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

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

19 (31) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after
20 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or
21 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is used in the
22 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
23 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
24 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
25 line extensions, water distribution and purification
26 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and

1 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
2 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
3 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
4 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

5 (32) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds sold at a
6 "game breeding and hunting preserve area" or an "exotic game
7 hunting area" as those terms are used in the Wildlife Code or
8 at a hunting enclosure approved through rules adopted by the
9 Department of Natural Resources. This paragraph is exempt from
10 the provisions of Section 2-70.

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

1 follow a trade or to pursue a manual, technical, mechanical,
2 industrial, business, or commercial occupation.

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

17 (35) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
18 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
19 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
20 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
21 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
22 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
23 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
24 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
25 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
26 is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

1 (35-5) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
2 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
3 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
4 drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate
5 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines,
6 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
7 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
8 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
9 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
10 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
11 the Nursing Home Care Act.

12 (36) Beginning August 2, 2001, computers and
13 communications equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and
14 equipment used in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of
15 hospital patients sold to a lessor who leases the equipment,
16 under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at
17 the time of the purchase, to a hospital that has been issued an
18 active tax exemption identification number by the Department
19 under Section 1g of this Act. This paragraph is exempt from the
20 provisions of Section 2-70.

21 (37) Beginning August 2, 2001, personal property sold to a
22 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
23 longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
24 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption
25 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of
26 this Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of

1 Section 2-70.

2 (38) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30,
3 2011, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois
4 retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized purchasing
5 activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt of the property
6 in Illinois, temporarily store the property in Illinois (i) for
7 the purpose of subsequently transporting it outside this State
8 for use or consumption thereafter solely outside this State or
9 (ii) for the purpose of being processed, fabricated, or
10 manufactured into, attached to, or incorporated into other
11 tangible personal property to be transported outside this State
12 and thereafter used or consumed solely outside this State. The
13 Director of Revenue shall, pursuant to rules adopted in
14 accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act,
15 issue a permit to any taxpayer in good standing with the
16 Department who is eligible for the exemption under this
17 paragraph (38). The permit issued under this paragraph (38)
18 shall authorize the holder, to the extent and in the manner
19 specified in the rules adopted under this Act, to purchase
20 tangible personal property from a retailer exempt from the
21 taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall maintain all
22 necessary books and records to substantiate the use and
23 consumption of all such tangible personal property outside of
24 the State of Illinois.

25 (39) Beginning July 1, 2007, personal property used to
26 modify a motor vehicle for use by a qualified disabled veteran

1 as the driver or a passenger of that vehicle. For the purpose
2 of this item (39), a "qualified disabled veteran" means a
3 person who: (i) is or was member of the Armed Forces of the
4 United States, the Illinois National Guard, or any reserve
5 component of the Armed Forces of the United States who served
6 on active duty in connection with Operation Desert Storm,
7 Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom; (ii)
8 became disabled as a result of that active duty service; and
9 (iii) did not receive a discharge that was less than an
10 honorable discharge. This item (39) is exempt from the
11 provisions of Section Section 2-70.

12 (Source: P.A. 93-23, eff. 6-20-03; 93-24, eff. 6-20-03; 93-840,
13 eff. 7-30-04; 93-1033, eff. 9-3-04; 93-1068, eff. 1-15-05;
14 94-1002, eff. 7-3-06.)

15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
16 becoming law.