



96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB3345

Introduced 2/10/2010, by Sen. James F. Clayborne, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/219 new
35 ILCS 105/3-5
35 ILCS 110/3-5
35 ILCS 115/3-5
35 ILCS 120/2-5

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates a credit equal to 10% of the amount spent during the taxable year on equipment purchased for use at an energy facility. Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. Restores specified tax exemptions beginning on the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends the Property Tax Code to add a provision concerning real property taxes at energy facilities. Contains a nonacceleration clause. Contains a severability clause.

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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 Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by adding
5 Section 219 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 5/219 new)

7 Sec. 219. Tax credit for equipment used at an energy
8 facility. For taxable years ending on or after December 31,
9 2010, each corporation subject to this Act shall be entitled to
10 a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of
11 Section 201 of this Act in an amount equal to 10% of the amount
12 spent during the taxable year by the corporation on equipment
13 purchased for use at an energy facility, as that term is
14 defined in Section 1-10 of the Illinois Power Agency Act. For
15 purposes of this credit, the amount spent on the equipment
16 shall be defined as the basis of the equipment used to compute
17 the depreciation deduction for federal income tax purposes.

18 The credit shall be allowed for the taxable year in which
19 the equipment purchased is placed in service, or, if the amount
20 of the credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether
21 it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later
22 amended, the excess may be carried forward and applied to the
23 tax liability of the 10 taxable years following the excess

1 credit years. The credit shall be applied to the earliest year
2 for which there is a liability. If there is credit from more
3 than one taxable year that is available to offset a liability,
4 the earlier credit shall be applied first. This Section is
5 exempt from the provisions of Section 250 of this Act.

6 Section 10. The Use Tax Act is amended by changing Section
7 3-5 as follows:

8 (35 ILCS 105/3-5)

9 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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

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

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

22 (3) Personal property purchased by a not-for-profit arts or
23 cultural organization that establishes, by proof required by
24 the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under

1 Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that is
2 organized and operated primarily for the presentation or
3 support of arts or cultural programming, activities, or
4 services. These organizations include, but are not limited to,
5 music and dramatic arts organizations such as symphony
6 orchestras and theatrical groups, arts and cultural service
7 organizations, local arts councils, visual arts organizations,
8 and media arts organizations. On and after the effective date
9 of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, however,
10 an entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make
11 tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification
12 number issued by the Department.

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

1 (5) Until July 1, 2003, a passenger car that is a
2 replacement vehicle to the extent that the purchase price of
3 the car is subject to the Replacement Vehicle Tax.

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

14 (7) Farm chemicals.

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

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

22 (10) A motor vehicle of the first division, a motor vehicle
23 of the second division that is a self-contained motor vehicle
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26 through to the living quarters from the driver's seat, or a

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

26 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision

1 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be
2 installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not
3 limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders,
4 or spreaders. Precision farming equipment includes, but is not
5 limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors,
6 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other
7 such equipment.

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

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

23 (13) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately
24 stated on customers' bills for the purchase and consumption of
25 food and beverages purchased at retail from a retailer, to the
26 extent that the proceeds of the service charge are in fact

1 turned over as tips or as a substitute for tips to the
2 employees who participate directly in preparing, serving,
3 hosting or cleaning up the food or beverage function with
4 respect to which the service charge is imposed.

5 (14) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
6 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
7 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
8 production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
9 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
10 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps
11 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
12 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
13 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
14 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles
15 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

21 (16) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
22 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
23 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
24 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
25 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
26 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles

1 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
2 purposes of this item (16), equipment includes roof bolts and
3 explosives.

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

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

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

26 (20) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock

1 for direct agricultural production.

2 (21) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
3 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
4 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
5 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
6 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
7 racing for prizes. This item (21) is exempt from the provisions
8 of Section 3-90, and the exemption provided for under this item
9 (21) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no
10 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1,
11 2008 for such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30,
12 2000 and ending on January 1, 2008.

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

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

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

1 claim a refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however,
2 that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the
3 lessor is liable to pay that amount to the Department.

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

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

26 (26) Beginning July 1, 1999, game or game birds purchased

1 at a "game breeding and hunting preserve area" or an "exotic
2 game hunting area" as those terms are used in the Wildlife Code
3 or at a hunting enclosure approved through rules adopted by the
4 Department of Natural Resources. This paragraph is exempt from
5 the provisions of Section 3-90.

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

24 (28) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,
25 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
26 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,

1 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
2 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
3 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
4 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
5 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of
6 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
7 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
8 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
9 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
10 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
11 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

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

22 (30) Beginning January 1, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
23 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
24 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
25 drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate
26 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines,

1 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
2 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
3 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
4 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
5 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
6 the Nursing Home Care Act.

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

1 a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor.
2 If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any
3 reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the
4 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of
5 Section 3-90.

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

1 pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph is exempt
2 from the provisions of Section 3-90.

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

22 (34) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property
23 used in the construction or maintenance of a community water
24 supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental
25 Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit
26 corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued under

1 Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This paragraph is
2 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

3 (35) Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,
4 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
5 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
6 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
7 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in
8 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
9 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
10 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
11 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
12 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
13 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
14 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
15 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
16 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
17 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
18 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
19 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
20 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
21 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
22 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
23 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
24 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
25 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

26 (36) ~~(35)~~ Tangible personal property purchased by a

1 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
2 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
3 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but
4 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is
5 transferred to the municipality without any further
6 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time
7 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the
8 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
9 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
10 the development of the municipal convention hall. This
11 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
12 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
13 This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

14 (37) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
15 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
16 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
17 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
18 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
19 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
20 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

21 (38) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
22 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
23 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
24 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

25 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
26 eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-532, eff. 8-14-09;

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16 vehicle required to be licensed if the selling price of the
17 tender is separately stated.

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

26 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers,

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

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

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

23 (14) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
24 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
25 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
26 production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,

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

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

13 (16) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
14 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
15 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
16 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
17 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
18 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
19 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
20 purposes of this item (16), equipment includes roof bolts and
21 explosives.

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. This item (21) is exempt from the provisions
26 of Section 3-90, and the exemption provided for under this item

1 (21) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no
2 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1,
3 2008 for such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30,
4 2000 and ending on January 1, 2008.

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

1 Department.

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

22 (24) 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 donated for
25 disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared
26 disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a

1 manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a
2 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution
3 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification
4 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
5 who reside within the declared disaster area.

6 (25) 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 used in the
9 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
10 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
11 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
12 line extensions, water distribution and purification
13 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
14 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
15 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
16 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
17 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

24 (27) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
25 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a
26 corporation, limited liability company, society, association,

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

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

1 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
2 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
3 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

4 (29) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
5 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
6 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
7 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
8 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
9 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
10 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
11 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
12 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
13 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

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

26 (31) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act

1 of the 92nd General Assembly, computers and communications
2 equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used
3 in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients
4 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease
5 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the
6 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this
7 Act, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
8 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
9 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a
10 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is 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
13 case may be, based on the fair market value of the property at
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
18 has not been paid by the lessor. If a lessor improperly
19 collects any such amount from the lessee, the lessee shall have
20 a legal right to claim a refund of that amount from the lessor.
21 If, however, that amount is not refunded to the lessee for any
22 reason, the lessor is liable to pay that amount to the
23 Department. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of
24 Section 3-90.

25 (32) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
26 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property purchased by a

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

22 (33) On and after July 1, 2003 and through June 30, 2004,
23 the use in this State of motor vehicles of the second division
24 with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 8,000 pounds and that
25 are subject to the commercial distribution fee imposed under
26 Section 3-815.1 of the Illinois Vehicle Code. Beginning on July

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

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

22 (35) Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,
23 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
24 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
25 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
26 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in

1 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
2 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
3 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
4 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
5 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
6 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
7 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
8 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
9 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
10 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
11 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
12 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
13 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
14 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
15 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
16 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
17 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
18 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

19 (36) ~~(35)~~ Tangible personal property purchased by a
20 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
21 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
22 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but
23 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is
24 transferred to the municipality without any further
25 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time
26 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the

1 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
2 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
3 the development of the municipal convention hall. This
4 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
5 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
6 This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-90.

7 (37) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
8 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
9 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
10 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
11 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
12 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
13 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

14 (38) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
15 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
16 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
17 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

18 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
19 eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-339, eff. 7-1-10;
20 96-532, eff. 8-14-09; 96-759, eff. 1-1-10; revised 9-25-09.)

21 Section 15. The Service Use Tax Act is amended by changing
22 Section 3-5 as follows:

23 (35 ILCS 110/3-5)

24 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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

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

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

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

1 number issued by the Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

17 (10) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
18 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
19 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
20 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
3 and equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new
4 and used, including that manufactured on special order,
5 certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for
6 photoprocessing, and including photoprocessing machinery and
7 equipment purchased for lease.

8 (12) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
9 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
10 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
11 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
12 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
13 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
14 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
15 purposes of this item (12), equipment includes roof bolts and
16 explosives.

17 (13) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
18 for direct agricultural production.

19 (14) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
20 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
21 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
22 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
23 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
24 racing for prizes. This item (14) is exempt from the provisions
25 of Section 3-75, and the exemption provided for under this item
26 (14) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no

1 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after the effective
2 date of this amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly for
3 such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and
4 ending on the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 95th
5 General Assembly.

6 (15) 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
10 longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would
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 the
14 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a
15 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in
16 any other non-exempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the
17 tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may
18 be, based on the fair market value of the property at the time
19 the non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or
20 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports
21 to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the
22 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by
23 the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount
24 from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a
25 refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount
26 is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is

1 liable to pay that amount to the Department.

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

22 (17) 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 donated for
25 disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared
26 disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a

1 manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a
2 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution
3 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification
4 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
5 who reside within the declared disaster area.

6 (18) 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 used in the
9 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
10 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
11 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
12 line extensions, water distribution and purification
13 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
14 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
15 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
16 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
17 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

24 (20) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
25 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a
26 corporation, limited liability company, society, association,

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

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

1 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
2 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
3 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

4 (22) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
5 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
6 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
7 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
8 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
9 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
10 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
11 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
12 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
13 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

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

25 (24) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
26 of the 92nd General Assembly, computers and communications

1 equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used
2 in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients
3 purchased by a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease
4 of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time the
5 lessor would otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this
6 Act, to a 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 nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the
11 tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may
12 be, based on the fair market value of the property at the time
13 the nonqualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or
14 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports
15 to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the
16 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by
17 the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount
18 from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a
19 refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount
20 is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is
21 liable to pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph is
22 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

23 (25) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
24 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property purchased by a
25 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
26 longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would

1 otherwise be subject to the tax imposed by this Act, to a
2 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption
3 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
4 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the property is leased in a
5 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in
6 any other nonexempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the
7 tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may
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16 is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is
17 liable to pay that amount to the Department. This paragraph is
18 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

19 (26) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property
20 used in the construction or maintenance of a community water
21 supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental
22 Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit
23 corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued under
24 Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This paragraph is
25 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

26 (27) Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,

1 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
2 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
3 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
4 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in
5 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
6 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
7 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
8 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
9 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
10 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
11 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
12 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
13 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
14 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
15 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
16 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
17 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
18 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
19 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
20 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
21 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
22 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

23 (28) ~~(27)~~ Tangible personal property purchased by a
24 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
25 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
26 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but

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

11 (29) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
12 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
13 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
14 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
15 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
16 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
17 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

18 (30) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
19 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
20 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
21 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

22 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
23 eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-532, eff. 8-14-09;
24 96-759, eff. 1-1-10; revised 9-25-09.)

25 (Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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

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

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

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

1 number issued by the Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

17 (10) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
18 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
19 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
20 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
3 and equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new
4 and used, including that manufactured on special order,
5 certified by the purchaser to be used primarily for
6 photoprocessing, and including photoprocessing machinery and
7 equipment purchased for lease.

8 (12) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
9 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
10 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
11 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
12 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
13 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
14 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
15 purposes of this item (12), equipment includes roof bolts and
16 explosives.

17 (13) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
18 for direct agricultural production.

19 (14) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
20 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
21 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
22 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
23 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
24 racing for prizes. This item (14) is exempt from the provisions
25 of Section 3-75, and the exemption provided for under this item
26 (14) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no

1 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after the effective
2 date of this amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly for
3 such taxes paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and
4 ending on the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 95th
5 General Assembly.

6 (15) 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
10 longer executed or in effect at the time the lessor would
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 the
14 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. If the equipment is leased in a
15 manner that does not qualify for this exemption or is used in
16 any other non-exempt manner, the lessor shall be liable for the
17 tax imposed under this Act or the Use Tax Act, as the case may
18 be, based on the fair market value of the property at the time
19 the non-qualifying use occurs. No lessor shall collect or
20 attempt to collect an amount (however designated) that purports
21 to reimburse that lessor for the tax imposed by this Act or the
22 Use Tax Act, as the case may be, if the tax has not been paid by
23 the lessor. If a lessor improperly collects any such amount
24 from the lessee, the lessee shall have a legal right to claim a
25 refund of that amount from the lessor. If, however, that amount
26 is not refunded to the lessee for any reason, the lessor is

1 liable to pay that amount to the Department.

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

22 (17) 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 donated for
25 disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared
26 disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a

1 manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a
2 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution
3 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification
4 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
5 who reside within the declared disaster area.

6 (18) 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 used in the
9 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
10 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
11 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
12 line extensions, water distribution and purification
13 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
14 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
15 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
16 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
17 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

24 (20) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
25 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a
26 corporation, limited liability company, society, association,

1 foundation, or institution that is determined by the Department
2 to be organized and operated exclusively for educational
3 purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a corporation,
4 limited liability company, society, association, foundation,
5 or institution organized and operated exclusively for
6 educational purposes" means all tax-supported public schools,
7 private schools that offer systematic instruction in useful
8 branches of learning by methods common to public schools and
9 that compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the
10 course of study presented in tax-supported schools, and
11 vocational or technical schools or institutes organized and
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13 than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare individuals to
14 follow a trade or to pursue a manual, technical, mechanical,
15 industrial, business, or commercial occupation.

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17 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
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21 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
22 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
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24 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
25 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
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3 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-75.

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5 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
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20 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
21 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
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24 the Nursing Home Care Act, or in a licensed facility as defined
25 in the MR/DD Community Care Act.

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12 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
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14 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
15 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
16 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
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6 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
7 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
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9 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
10 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
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14 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
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1 Section 20. The Service Occupation Tax Act is amended by
2 changing Section 3-5 as follows:

3 (35 ILCS 115/3-5)

4 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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6 property is exempt from the tax imposed by this Act:

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9 than a limited liability company, that is organized and
10 operated as a not-for-profit service enterprise for the benefit
11 of persons 65 years of age or older if the personal property
12 was not purchased by the enterprise for the purpose of resale
13 by the enterprise.

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

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18 or cultural organization that establishes, by proof required by
19 the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under
20 Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that is
21 organized and operated primarily for the presentation or
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23 services. These organizations include, but are not limited to,
24 music and dramatic arts organizations such as symphony
25 orchestras and theatrical groups, arts and cultural service

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22 located in Illinois.

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

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

16 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision
17 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be
18 installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not
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.

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

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

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

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

21 (10) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
22 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
23 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
24 production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
25 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
26 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps

1 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
2 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
3 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
4 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles
5 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

11 (12) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
12 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
13 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
14 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
15 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
16 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
17 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
18 purposes of this item (12), equipment includes roof bolts and
19 explosives.

20 (13) Beginning January 1, 1992 and through June 30, 2011,
21 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
22 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
23 drinks and food that has been prepared for immediate
24 consumption) and prescription and non-prescription medicines,
25 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
26 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human

1 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
2 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
3 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in
4 the Nursing Home Care Act.

5 (14) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
6 for direct agricultural production.

7 (15) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
8 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
9 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
10 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
11 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
12 racing for prizes. This item (15) is exempt from the provisions
13 of Section 3-55, and the exemption provided for under this item
14 (15) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no
15 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1,
16 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for such taxes
17 paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on
18 January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88).

19 (16) Computers and communications equipment utilized for
20 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis,
21 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor
22 who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer
23 executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
24 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
25 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
26 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

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

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

17 (19) 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 used in the
20 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
21 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
22 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
23 line extensions, water distribution and purification
24 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
25 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
26 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois

1 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
2 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

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

1 (22) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,
2 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
3 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,
4 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
5 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
6 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
7 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
8 does not apply to fundraising events (i) for the benefit of
9 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
10 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
11 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
12 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
13 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
14 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

15 (23) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
16 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
17 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
18 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
19 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
20 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
21 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
22 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
23 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
24 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

25 (24) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
26 of the 92nd General Assembly, computers and communications

1 equipment utilized for any hospital purpose and equipment used
2 in the diagnosis, analysis, or treatment of hospital patients
3 sold to a lessor who leases the equipment, under a lease of one
4 year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the
5 purchase, to a hospital that has been issued an active tax
6 exemption identification number by the Department under
7 Section 1g of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph
8 is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

9 (25) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
10 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property sold to a
11 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
12 longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
13 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption
14 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
15 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from
16 the provisions of Section 3-55.

17 (26) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30,
18 2011, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois
19 retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized purchasing
20 activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt of the property
21 in Illinois, temporarily store the property in Illinois (i) for
22 the purpose of subsequently transporting it outside this State
23 for use or consumption thereafter solely outside this State or
24 (ii) for the purpose of being processed, fabricated, or
25 manufactured into, attached to, or incorporated into other
26 tangible personal property to be transported outside this State

1 and thereafter used or consumed solely outside this State. The
2 Director of Revenue shall, pursuant to rules adopted in
3 accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act,
4 issue a permit to any taxpayer in good standing with the
5 Department who is eligible for the exemption under this
6 paragraph (26). The permit issued under this paragraph (26)
7 shall authorize the holder, to the extent and in the manner
8 specified in the rules adopted under this Act, to purchase
9 tangible personal property from a retailer exempt from the
10 taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall maintain all
11 necessary books and records to substantiate the use and
12 consumption of all such tangible personal property outside of
13 the State of Illinois.

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

21 (28) Tangible personal property sold to a
22 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
23 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
24 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but
25 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is
26 transferred to the municipality without any further

1 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time
2 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the
3 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
4 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
5 the development of the municipal convention hall. This
6 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
7 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
8 This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

9 (29) ~~(28)~~ Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,
10 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
11 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
12 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
13 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in
14 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
15 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
16 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
17 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
18 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
19 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
20 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
21 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
22 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
23 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
24 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
25 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
26 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct

1 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
2 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
3 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
4 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
5 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

6 (30) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
7 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
8 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
9 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
10 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
11 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
12 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

13 (31) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
14 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
15 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
16 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

17 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
18 eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-532, eff. 8-14-09;
19 96-759, eff. 1-1-10; revised 9-25-09.)

20 (Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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

23 (1) Personal property sold by a corporation, society,
24 association, foundation, institution, or organization, other
25 than a limited liability company, that is organized and

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

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

8 (3) Personal property purchased by any not-for-profit arts
9 or cultural organization that establishes, by proof required by
10 the Department by rule, that it has received an exemption under
11 Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that is
12 organized and operated primarily for the presentation or
13 support of arts or cultural programming, activities, or
14 services. These organizations include, but are not limited to,
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,
18 and media arts organizations. On and after the effective date
19 of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, however,
20 an entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make
21 tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification
22 number issued by the Department.

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

1 (5) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again on September 1,
2 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and
3 equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new and
4 used, and including that manufactured on special order or
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
8 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and
9 immediate change upon a graphic arts product.

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

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

1 this item (7). Agricultural chemical tender tanks and dry boxes
2 shall include units sold separately from a motor vehicle
3 required to be licensed and units sold mounted on a motor
4 vehicle required to be licensed if the selling price of the
5 tender is separately stated.

6 Farm machinery and equipment shall include precision
7 farming equipment that is installed or purchased to be
8 installed on farm machinery and equipment including, but not
9 limited to, tractors, harvesters, sprayers, planters, seeders,
10 or spreaders. Precision farming equipment includes, but is not
11 limited to, soil testing sensors, computers, monitors,
12 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other
13 such equipment.

14 Farm machinery and equipment also includes computers,
15 sensors, software, and related equipment used primarily in the
16 computer-assisted operation of production agriculture
17 facilities, equipment, and activities such as, but not limited
18 to, the collection, monitoring, and correlation of animal and
19 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and
20 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the
21 provisions of Section 3-55.

22 (8) Fuel and petroleum products sold to or used by an air
23 common carrier, certified by the carrier to be used for
24 consumption, shipment, or storage in the conduct of its
25 business as an air common carrier, for a flight destined for or
26 returning from a location or locations outside the United

1 States without regard to previous or subsequent domestic
2 stopovers.

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

11 (10) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
12 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
13 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
14 production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
15 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
16 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps
17 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
18 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
19 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
20 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles
21 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

1 (12) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
2 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
3 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
4 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
5 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
6 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
7 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
8 purposes of this item (12), equipment includes roof bolts and
9 explosives.

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

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

24 (15) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and
25 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
26 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter

1 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
2 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
3 racing for prizes. This item (15) is exempt from the provisions
4 of Section 3-55, and the exemption provided for under this item
5 (15) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no
6 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1,
7 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for such taxes
8 paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on
9 January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88).

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

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

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

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

8 (19) 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 the
11 performance of infrastructure repairs in this State, including
12 but not limited to municipal roads and streets, access roads,
13 bridges, sidewalks, waste disposal systems, water and sewer
14 line extensions, water distribution and purification
15 facilities, storm water drainage and retention facilities, and
16 sewage treatment facilities, resulting from a State or
17 federally declared disaster in Illinois or bordering Illinois
18 when such repairs are initiated on facilities located in the
19 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

26 (21) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section

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

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

1 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
2 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
3 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
4 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
5 exempt from the provisions of Section 3-55.

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

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

26 (25) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act

1 of the 92nd General Assembly, personal property sold to a
2 lessor who leases the property, under a lease of one year or
3 longer executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
4 governmental body that has been issued an active tax exemption
5 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of the
6 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. This paragraph is exempt from
7 the provisions of Section 3-55.

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

1 taxes imposed by this Act. Taxpayers shall maintain all
2 necessary books and records to substantiate the use and
3 consumption of all such tangible personal property outside of
4 the State of Illinois.

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

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

26 (29) ~~(28)~~ Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,

1 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
2 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
3 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
4 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in
5 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
6 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
7 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
8 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
9 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
10 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
11 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
12 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
13 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
14 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
15 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
16 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
17 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
18 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
19 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
20 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
21 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
22 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

23 (30) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
24 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
25 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
26 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including

1 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
2 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
3 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

4 (31) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
5 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
6 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
7 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

8 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
9 eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-339, eff. 7-1-10;
10 96-532, eff. 8-14-09; 96-759, eff. 1-1-10; revised 9-25-09.)

11 Section 25. The Retailers' Occupation Tax Act is amended by
12 changing Sections 2-5 as follows:

13 (35 ILCS 120/2-5)

14 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 96-339)

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

18 (1) Farm chemicals.

19 (2) Farm machinery and equipment, both new and used,
20 including that manufactured on special order, certified by the
21 purchaser to be used primarily for production agriculture or
22 State or federal agricultural programs, including individual
23 replacement parts for the machinery and equipment, including
24 machinery and equipment purchased for lease, and including

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

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

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

1 crop data for the purpose of formulating animal diets and
2 agricultural chemicals. This item (7) is exempt from the
3 provisions of Section 2-70.

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

10 (4) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again September 1,
11 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and
12 equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new and
13 used, and including that manufactured on special order or
14 purchased for lease, certified by the purchaser to be used
15 primarily for graphic arts production. Equipment includes
16 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts but only if the
17 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and
18 immediate change upon a graphic arts product.

19 (5) 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 access to the living quarters from the driver's seat,
24 or a 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. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section
4 2-70.

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

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

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

14 (9) Personal property sold to a not-for-profit arts or
15 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,
26 an entity otherwise eligible for this exemption shall not make

1 tax-free purchases unless it has an active identification
2 number issued by the Department.

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

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

24 (12) Tangible personal property sold to interstate
25 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
26 commerce or to lessors under leases of one year or longer

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

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

25 (13) Proceeds from sales to owners, lessors, or shippers of
26 tangible personal property that is utilized by interstate

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

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

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

25 (16) Petroleum products sold to a purchaser if the seller
26 is prohibited by federal law from charging tax to the

1 purchaser.

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

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

14 (19) Until July 1 2003, and beginning again on the
15 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
16 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
17 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, and beginning again on the
5 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
6 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
7 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
8 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
9 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
10 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
11 purposes of this item (21), equipment includes roof bolts and
12 explosives.

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

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

23 (24) Fuel consumed or used in the operation of ships,
24 barges, or vessels that are used primarily in or for the
25 transportation of property or the conveyance of persons for
26 hire on rivers bordering on this State if the fuel is delivered

1 by the seller to the purchaser's barge, ship, or vessel while
2 it is afloat upon that bordering river.

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

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

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

17 (25-7) Beginning on July 1, 2007, no tax is imposed under
18 this Act on the sale of an aircraft, as defined in Section 3 of
19 the Illinois Aeronautics Act, if all of the following
20 conditions are met:

21 (1) the aircraft leaves this State within 15 days after
22 the later of either the issuance of the final billing for
23 the sale of the aircraft, or the authorized approval for
24 return to service, completion of the maintenance record
25 entry, and completion of the test flight and ground test
26 for inspection, as required by 14 C.F.R. 91.407;

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

3 (3) the seller retains in his or her books and records
4 and provides to the Department a signed and dated
5 certification from the purchaser, on a form prescribed by
6 the Department, certifying that the requirements of this
7 item (25-7) are met. The certificate must also include the
8 name and address of the purchaser, the address of the
9 location where the aircraft is to be titled or registered,
10 the address of the primary physical location of the
11 aircraft, and other information that the Department may
12 reasonably require.

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

14 "Based in this State" means hangared, stored, or otherwise
15 used, excluding post-sale customizations as defined in this
16 Section, for 10 or more days in each 12-month period
17 immediately following the date of the sale of the aircraft.

18 "Registered in this State" means an aircraft registered
19 with the Department of Transportation, Aeronautics Division,
20 or titled or registered with the Federal Aviation
21 Administration to an address located in this State.

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

24 (26) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
25 for direct agricultural production.

26 (27) Horses, or interests in horses, registered with and

1 meeting the requirements of any of the Arabian Horse Club
2 Registry of America, Appaloosa Horse Club, American Quarter
3 Horse Association, United States Trotting Association, or
4 Jockey Club, as appropriate, used for purposes of breeding or
5 racing for prizes. This item (27) is exempt from the provisions
6 of Section 2-70, and the exemption provided for under this item
7 (27) applies for all periods beginning May 30, 1995, but no
8 claim for credit or refund is allowed on or after January 1,
9 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88) for such taxes
10 paid during the period beginning May 30, 2000 and ending on
11 January 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-88).

12 (28) Computers and communications equipment utilized for
13 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis,
14 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor
15 who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer
16 executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
17 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
18 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of
19 this Act.

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

25 (30) Beginning with taxable years ending on or after
26 December 31, 1995 and ending with taxable years ending on or

1 before December 31, 2004, personal property that is donated for
2 disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared
3 disaster area in Illinois or bordering Illinois by a
4 manufacturer or retailer that is registered in this State to a
5 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution
6 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification
7 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
8 who reside within the declared disaster area.

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

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

1 (33) A motor vehicle, as that term is defined in Section
2 1-146 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is donated to a
3 corporation, limited liability company, society, association,
4 foundation, or institution that is determined by the Department
5 to be organized and operated exclusively for educational
6 purposes. For purposes of this exemption, "a corporation,
7 limited liability company, society, association, foundation,
8 or institution organized and operated exclusively for
9 educational purposes" means all tax-supported public schools,
10 private schools that offer systematic instruction in useful
11 branches of learning by methods common to public schools and
12 that compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the
13 course of study presented in tax-supported schools, and
14 vocational or technical schools or institutes organized and
15 operated exclusively to provide a course of study of not less
16 than 6 weeks duration and designed to prepare individuals to
17 follow a trade or to pursue a manual, technical, mechanical,
18 industrial, business, or commercial occupation.

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

1 private home instruction or (ii) for which the fundraising
2 entity purchases the personal property sold at the events from
3 another individual or entity that sold the property for the
4 purpose of resale by the fundraising entity and that profits
5 from the sale to the fundraising entity. This paragraph is
6 exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

7 (35) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
8 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
9 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
10 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
11 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
12 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
13 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
14 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
15 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
16 is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

17 (35-5) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
18 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
19 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft
20 drinks, and food that has been prepared for immediate
21 consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines,
22 drugs, medical appliances, and insulin, urine testing
23 materials, syringes, and needles used by diabetics, for human
24 use, when purchased for use by a person receiving medical
25 assistance under Article 5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code who
26 resides in a licensed long-term care facility, as defined in

1 the Nursing Home Care Act.

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

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

18 (38) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30,
19 2011, tangible personal property purchased from an Illinois
20 retailer by a taxpayer engaged in centralized purchasing
21 activities in Illinois who will, upon receipt of the property
22 in Illinois, temporarily store the property in Illinois (i) for
23 the purpose of subsequently transporting it outside this State
24 for use or consumption thereafter solely outside this State or
25 (ii) for the purpose of being processed, fabricated, or
26 manufactured into, attached to, or incorporated into other

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

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

22 (40) Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,
23 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
24 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
25 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
26 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in

1 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
2 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
3 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
4 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
5 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
6 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
7 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
8 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
9 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
10 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
11 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
12 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
13 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
14 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
15 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
16 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
17 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
18 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

19 (41) ~~(40)~~ Tangible personal property sold to a
20 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
21 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
22 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but
23 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is
24 transferred to the municipality without any further
25 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time
26 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the

1 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
2 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
3 the development of the municipal convention hall. This
4 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
5 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
6 This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

7 (42) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
8 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
9 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
10 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
11 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
12 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
13 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

14 (43) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
15 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
16 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
17 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

18 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-233, eff. 8-16-07; 95-304,
19 eff. 8-20-07; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-707, eff. 1-11-08;
20 95-876, eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-532, eff.
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24 sale of the following tangible personal property are exempt
25 from the tax imposed by this Act:

1 (1) Farm chemicals.

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

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

1 software, global positioning and mapping systems, and other
2 such equipment.

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

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

17 (4) Until July 1, 2003 and beginning again September 1,
18 2004 through August 30, 2014, graphic arts machinery and
19 equipment, including repair and replacement parts, both new and
20 used, and including that manufactured on special order or
21 purchased for lease, certified by the purchaser to be used
22 primarily for graphic arts production. Equipment includes
23 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts but only if the
24 chemicals or chemicals acting as catalysts effect a direct and
25 immediate change upon a graphic arts product.

26 (5) A motor vehicle of the first division, a motor vehicle

1 of the second division that is a self contained motor vehicle
2 designed or permanently converted to provide living quarters
3 for recreational, camping, or travel use, with direct walk
4 through access to the living quarters from the driver's seat,
5 or a motor vehicle of the second division that is of the van
6 configuration designed for the transportation of not less than
7 7 nor more than 16 passengers, as defined in Section 1-146 of
8 the Illinois Vehicle Code, that is used for automobile renting,
9 as defined in the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax
10 Act. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section
11 2-70.

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

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

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

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

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

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

17 (11) Personal property sold to a governmental body, to a
18 corporation, society, association, foundation, or institution
19 organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious,
20 or educational purposes, or to a not-for-profit corporation,
21 society, association, foundation, institution, or organization
22 that has no compensated officers or employees and that is
23 organized and operated primarily for the recreation of persons
24 55 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

1 exclusively for educational purposes. On and after July 1,
2 1987, however, no entity otherwise eligible for this exemption
3 shall make tax-free purchases unless it has an active
4 identification number issued by the Department.

5 (12) Tangible personal property sold to interstate
6 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
7 commerce or to lessors under leases of one year or longer
8 executed or in effect at the time of purchase by interstate
9 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
10 commerce and equipment operated by a telecommunications
11 provider, licensed as a common carrier by the Federal
12 Communications Commission, which is permanently installed in
13 or affixed to aircraft moving in interstate commerce.

14 (12-5) On and after July 1, 2003 and through June 30, 2004,
15 motor vehicles of the second division with a gross vehicle
16 weight in excess of 8,000 pounds that are subject to the
17 commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 3-815.1 of
18 the Illinois Vehicle Code. Beginning on July 1, 2004 and
19 through June 30, 2005, the use in this State of motor vehicles
20 of the second division: (i) with a gross vehicle weight rating
21 in excess of 8,000 pounds; (ii) that are subject to the
22 commercial distribution fee imposed under Section 3-815.1 of
23 the Illinois Vehicle Code; and (iii) that are primarily used
24 for commercial purposes. Through June 30, 2005, this exemption
25 applies to repair and replacement parts added after the initial
26 purchase of such a motor vehicle if that motor vehicle is used

1 in a manner that would qualify for the rolling stock exemption
2 otherwise provided for in this Act. For purposes of this
3 paragraph, "used for commercial purposes" means the
4 transportation of persons or property in furtherance of any
5 commercial or industrial enterprise whether for-hire or not.

6 (13) Proceeds from sales to owners, lessors, or shippers of
7 tangible personal property that is utilized by interstate
8 carriers for hire for use as rolling stock moving in interstate
9 commerce and equipment operated by a telecommunications
10 provider, licensed as a common carrier by the Federal
11 Communications Commission, which is permanently installed in
12 or affixed to aircraft moving in interstate commerce.

13 (14) Machinery and equipment that will be used by the
14 purchaser, or a lessee of the purchaser, primarily in the
15 process of manufacturing or assembling tangible personal
16 property for wholesale or retail sale or lease, whether the
17 sale or lease is made directly by the manufacturer or by some
18 other person, whether the materials used in the process are
19 owned by the manufacturer or some other person, or whether the
20 sale or lease is made apart from or as an incident to the
21 seller's engaging in the service occupation of producing
22 machines, tools, dies, jigs, patterns, gauges, or other similar
23 items of no commercial value on special order for a particular
24 purchaser.

25 (15) Proceeds of mandatory service charges separately
26 stated on customers' bills for purchase and consumption of food

1 and beverages, to the extent that the proceeds of the service
2 charge are in fact turned over as tips or as a substitute for
3 tips to the employees who participate directly in preparing,
4 serving, hosting or cleaning up the food or beverage function
5 with respect to which the service charge is imposed.

6 (16) Petroleum products sold to a purchaser if the seller
7 is prohibited by federal law from charging tax to the
8 purchaser.

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

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

21 (19) Until July 1 2003, and beginning again on the
22 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
23 Assembly and thereafter, oil field exploration, drilling, and
24 production equipment, including (i) rigs and parts of rigs,
25 rotary rigs, cable tool rigs, and workover rigs, (ii) pipe and
26 tubular goods, including casing and drill strings, (iii) pumps

1 and pump-jack units, (iv) storage tanks and flow lines, (v) any
2 individual replacement part for oil field exploration,
3 drilling, and production equipment, and (vi) machinery and
4 equipment purchased for lease; but excluding motor vehicles
5 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

11 (21) Until July 1, 2003, and beginning again on the
12 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General
13 Assembly and thereafter, coal exploration, mining, offhighway
14 hauling, processing, maintenance, and reclamation equipment,
15 including replacement parts and equipment, and including
16 equipment purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles
17 required to be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code. For
18 purposes of this item (21), equipment includes roof bolts and
19 explosives.

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

26 (23) A transaction in which the purchase order is received

1 by a florist who is located outside Illinois, but who has a
2 florist located in Illinois deliver the property to the
3 purchaser or the purchaser's donee in Illinois.

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

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

22 (25-5) The exemption under item (25) does not apply if the
23 state in which the motor vehicle will be titled does not allow
24 a reciprocal exemption for a motor vehicle sold and delivered
25 in that state to an Illinois resident but titled in Illinois.
26 The tax collected under this Act on the sale of a motor vehicle

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

24 (25-7) Beginning on July 1, 2007, no tax is imposed under
25 this Act on the sale of an aircraft, as defined in Section 3 of
26 the Illinois Aeronautics Act, if all of the following

1 conditions are met:

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

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

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

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

21 "Based in this State" means hangared, stored, or otherwise
22 used, excluding post-sale customizations as defined in this
23 Section, for 10 or more days in each 12-month period
24 immediately following the date of the sale of the aircraft.

25 "Registered in this State" means an aircraft registered
26 with the Department of Transportation, Aeronautics Division,

1 or titled or registered with the Federal Aviation
2 Administration to an address located in this State.

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

5 (26) Semen used for artificial insemination of livestock
6 for direct agricultural production.

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

19 (28) Computers and communications equipment utilized for
20 any hospital purpose and equipment used in the diagnosis,
21 analysis, or treatment of hospital patients sold to a lessor
22 who leases the equipment, under a lease of one year or longer
23 executed or in effect at the time of the purchase, to a
24 hospital that has been issued an active tax exemption
25 identification number by the Department under Section 1g of
26 this Act.

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

6 (30) 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
9 disaster relief to be used in a State or federally declared
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
13 that has been issued a sales tax exemption identification
14 number by the Department that assists victims of the disaster
15 who reside within the declared disaster area.

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

1 declared disaster area within 6 months after the disaster.

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

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

26 (34) Beginning January 1, 2000, personal property,

1 including food, purchased through fundraising events for the
2 benefit of a public or private elementary or secondary school,
3 a group of those schools, or one or more school districts if
4 the events are sponsored by an entity recognized by the school
5 district that consists primarily of volunteers and includes
6 parents and teachers of the school children. This paragraph
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 2-70.

14 (35) Beginning January 1, 2000 and through December 31,
15 2001, new or used automatic vending machines that prepare and
16 serve hot food and beverages, including coffee, soup, and other
17 items, and replacement parts for these machines. Beginning
18 January 1, 2002 and through June 30, 2003, machines and parts
19 for machines used in commercial, coin-operated amusement and
20 vending business if a use or occupation tax is paid on the
21 gross receipts derived from the use of the commercial,
22 coin-operated amusement and vending machines. This paragraph
23 is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

24 (35-5) Beginning August 23, 2001 and through June 30, 2011,
25 food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the
26 premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft

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

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

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

26 (38) Beginning on January 1, 2002 and through June 30,

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

23 (39) Beginning January 1, 2008, tangible personal property
24 used in the construction or maintenance of a community water
25 supply, as defined under Section 3.145 of the Environmental
26 Protection Act, that is operated by a not-for-profit

1 corporation that holds a valid water supply permit issued under
2 Title IV of the Environmental Protection Act. This paragraph is
3 exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

4 (40) Beginning January 1, 2010, materials, parts,
5 equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or
6 upon an aircraft as part of the modification, refurbishment,
7 completion, replacement, repair, or maintenance of the
8 aircraft. This exemption includes consumable supplies used in
9 the modification, refurbishment, completion, replacement,
10 repair, and maintenance of aircraft, but excludes any
11 materials, parts, equipment, components, and consumable
12 supplies used in the modification, replacement, repair, and
13 maintenance of aircraft engines or power plants, whether such
14 engines or power plants are installed or uninstalled upon any
15 such aircraft. "Consumable supplies" include, but are not
16 limited to, adhesive, tape, sandpaper, general purpose
17 lubricants, cleaning solution, latex gloves, and protective
18 films. This exemption applies only to those organizations that
19 (i) hold an Air Agency Certificate and are empowered to operate
20 an approved repair station by the Federal Aviation
21 Administration, (ii) have a Class IV Rating, and (iii) conduct
22 operations in accordance with Part 145 of the Federal Aviation
23 Regulations. The exemption does not include aircraft operated
24 by a commercial air carrier providing scheduled passenger air
25 service pursuant to authority issued under Part 121 or Part 129
26 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

1 (41) ~~(40)~~ Tangible personal property sold to a
2 public-facilities corporation, as described in Section
3 11-65-10 of the Illinois Municipal Code, for purposes of
4 constructing or furnishing a municipal convention hall, but
5 only if the legal title to the municipal convention hall is
6 transferred to the municipality without any further
7 consideration by or on behalf of the municipality at the time
8 of the completion of the municipal convention hall or upon the
9 retirement or redemption of any bonds or other debt instruments
10 issued by the public-facilities corporation in connection with
11 the development of the municipal convention hall. This
12 exemption includes existing public-facilities corporations as
13 provided in Section 11-65-25 of the Illinois Municipal Code.
14 This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 2-70.

15 (42) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
16 of the 96th General Assembly, equipment used at an energy
17 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
18 Illinois Power Agency Act, located within the State, including
19 replacement parts and equipment and including equipment
20 purchased for lease, but excluding motor vehicles required to
21 be registered under the Illinois Vehicle Code.

22 (43) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
23 of the 96th General Assembly, feedstock used at an energy
24 facility, as that term is defined in Section 1-10 of the
25 Illinois Power Agency Act, located in this State.

26 (Source: P.A. 95-88, eff. 1-1-08; 95-233, eff. 8-16-07; 95-304,

1 eff. 8-20-07; 95-538, eff. 1-1-08; 95-707, eff. 1-11-08;
2 95-876, eff. 8-21-08; 96-116, eff. 7-31-09; 96-339, eff.
3 7-1-10; 96-532, eff. 8-14-09; 96-759, eff. 1-1-10; revised
4 9-25-09.)

5 Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act makes
6 changes in a statute that is represented in this Act by text
7 that is not yet or no longer in effect (for example, a Section
8 represented by multiple versions), the use of that text does
9 not accelerate or delay the taking effect of (i) the changes
10 made by this Act or (ii) provisions derived from any other
11 Public Act.

12 Section 97. Severability. The provisions of this Act are
13 severable under Section 1.31 of the Statute on Statutes.