

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

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1 AMEND House Bill No. 253, Page 1, Line 3 of the title by deleting the words "business income"
2 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "businesses"; and

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4 Further amend said bill, Page 6, Section 143.013, Line 85 by inserting after said line the following:

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6 "144.030. 1. There is hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of sections 144.010
7 to 144.525 and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed or payable pursuant to sections
8 144.010 to 144.525 such retail sales as may be made in commerce between this state and any other
9 state of the United States, or between this state and any foreign country, and any retail sale which the
10 state of Missouri is prohibited from taxing pursuant to the Constitution or laws of the United States
11 of America, and such retail sales of tangible personal property which the general assembly of the
12 state of Missouri is prohibited from taxing or further taxing by the constitution of this state.

13 2. There are also specifically exempted from the provisions of the local sales tax law as
14 defined in section 32.085, section 238.235, and sections 144.010 to 144.525 and 144.600 to 144.761
15 and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed or payable pursuant to the local sales tax law as
16 defined in section 32.085, section 238.235, and sections 144.010 to 144.525 and 144.600 to 144.745:

17 (1) Motor fuel or special fuel subject to an excise tax of this state, unless all or part of such
18 excise tax is refunded pursuant to section 142.824; or upon the sale at retail of fuel to be consumed in
19 manufacturing or creating gas, power, steam, electrical current or in furnishing water to be sold
20 ultimately at retail; or feed for livestock or poultry; or grain to be converted into foodstuffs which are
21 to be sold ultimately in processed form at retail; or seed, limestone or fertilizer which is to be used
22 for seeding, liming or fertilizing crops which when harvested will be sold at retail or will be fed to
23 livestock or poultry to be sold ultimately in processed form at retail; economic poisons registered
24 pursuant to the provisions of the Missouri pesticide registration law (sections 281.220 to 281.310)
25 which are to be used in connection with the growth or production of crops, fruit trees or orchards
26 applied before, during, or after planting, the crop of which when harvested will be sold at retail or
27 will be converted into foodstuffs which are to be sold ultimately in processed form at retail;

28 (2) Materials, manufactured goods, machinery and parts which when used in manufacturing,
29 processing, compounding, mining, producing or fabricating become a component part or ingredient
30 of the new personal property resulting from such manufacturing, processing, compounding, mining,
31 producing or fabricating and which new personal property is intended to be sold ultimately for final
32 use or consumption; and materials, including without limitation, gases and manufactured goods,

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1 including without limitation slagging materials and firebrick, which are ultimately consumed in the
2 manufacturing process by blending, reacting or interacting with or by becoming, in whole or in part,
3 component parts or ingredients of steel products intended to be sold ultimately for final use or
4 consumption;

5 (3) Materials, replacement parts and equipment purchased for use directly upon, and for the
6 repair and maintenance or manufacture of, motor vehicles, watercraft, railroad rolling stock or
7 aircraft engaged as common carriers of persons or property;

8 (4) Motor vehicles registered in excess of fifty-four thousand pounds, and the trailers pulled
9 by such motor vehicles, that are actually used in the normal course of business to haul property on
10 the public highways of the state, and that are capable of hauling loads commensurate with the motor
11 vehicle's registered weight; and the materials, replacement parts, and equipment purchased for use
12 directly upon, and for the repair and maintenance or manufacture of such vehicles. For purposes of
13 this subdivision "motor vehicle" and "public highway" shall have the meaning as ascribed in section
14 390.020;

15 (5) Replacement machinery, equipment, and parts and the materials and supplies solely
16 required for the installation or construction of such replacement machinery, equipment, and parts,
17 used directly in manufacturing, mining, fabricating or producing a product which is intended to be
18 sold ultimately for final use or consumption; and machinery and equipment, and the materials and
19 supplies required solely for the operation, installation or construction of such machinery and
20 equipment, purchased and used to establish new, or to replace or expand existing, material recovery
21 processing plants in this state. For the purposes of this subdivision, a "material recovery processing
22 plant" means a facility that has as its primary purpose the recovery of materials into a useable
23 product or a different form which is used in producing a new product and shall include a facility or
24 equipment which are used exclusively for the collection of recovered materials for delivery to a
25 material recovery processing plant but shall not include motor vehicles used on highways. For
26 purposes of this section, the terms motor vehicle and highway shall have the same meaning pursuant
27 to section 301.010. Material recovery is not the reuse of materials within a manufacturing process or
28 the use of a product previously recovered. The material recovery processing plant shall qualify
29 under the provisions of this section regardless of ownership of the material being recovered;

30 (6) Machinery and equipment, and parts and the materials and supplies solely required for
31 the installation or construction of such machinery and equipment, purchased and used to establish
32 new or to expand existing manufacturing, mining or fabricating plants in the state, including any
33 titled manufacturing or mining equipment, if such machinery and equipment is used directly in
34 manufacturing, mining or fabricating a product which is intended to be sold ultimately for final use
35 or consumption;

36 (7) Tangible personal property which is used exclusively in the manufacturing, processing,
37 modification or assembling of products sold to the United States government or to any agency of the
38 United States government;

39 (8) Animals or poultry used for breeding or feeding purposes, or captive wildlife;

40 (9) Newsprint, ink, computers, photosensitive paper and film, toner, printing plates and other
41 machinery, equipment, replacement parts and supplies used in producing newspapers published for

1 dissemination of news to the general public;

2 (10) The rentals of films, records or any type of sound or picture transcriptions for public
3 commercial display;

4 (11) Pumping machinery and equipment used to propel products delivered by pipelines
5 engaged as common carriers;

6 (12) Railroad rolling stock for use in transporting persons or property in interstate commerce
7 and motor vehicles licensed for a gross weight of twenty-four thousand pounds or more or trailers
8 used by common carriers, as defined in section 390.020, in the transportation of persons or property;

9 (13) Electrical energy used in the actual primary manufacture, processing, compounding,
10 mining or producing of a product, or electrical energy used in the actual secondary processing or
11 fabricating of the product, or a material recovery processing plant as defined in subdivision (5) of
12 this subsection, in facilities owned or leased by the taxpayer, if the total cost of electrical energy so
13 used exceeds ten percent of the total cost of production, either primary or secondary, exclusive of the
14 cost of electrical energy so used or if the raw materials used in such processing contain at least
15 twenty-five percent recovered materials as defined in section 260.200. There shall be a rebuttable
16 presumption that the raw materials used in the primary manufacture of automobiles contain at least
17 twenty-five percent recovered materials. For purposes of this subdivision, "processing" means any
18 mode of treatment, act or series of acts performed upon materials to transform and reduce them to a
19 different state or thing, including treatment necessary to maintain or preserve such processing by the
20 producer at the production facility;

21 (14) Anodes which are used or consumed in manufacturing, processing, compounding,
22 mining, producing or fabricating and which have a useful life of less than one year;

23 (15) Machinery, equipment, appliances and devices purchased or leased and used solely for
24 the purpose of preventing, abating or monitoring air pollution, and materials and supplies solely
25 required for the installation, construction or reconstruction of such machinery, equipment, appliances
26 and devices;

27 (16) Machinery, equipment, appliances and devices purchased or leased and used solely for
28 the purpose of preventing, abating or monitoring water pollution, and materials and supplies solely
29 required for the installation, construction or reconstruction of such machinery, equipment, appliances
30 and devices;

31 (17) Tangible personal property purchased by a rural water district;

32 (18) All amounts paid or charged for admission or participation or other fees paid by or other
33 charges to individuals in or for any place of amusement, entertainment or recreation, games or
34 athletic events, including museums, fairs, zoos and planetariums, owned or operated by a
35 municipality or other political subdivision where all the proceeds derived therefrom benefit the
36 municipality or other political subdivision and do not inure to any private person, firm, or
37 corporation;

38 (19) All sales of insulin and prosthetic or orthopedic devices as defined on January 1, 1980,
39 by the federal Medicare program pursuant to Title XVIII of the Social Security Act of 1965,
40 including the items specified in Section 1862(a)(12) of that act, and also specifically including
41 hearing aids and hearing aid supplies and all sales of drugs which may be legally dispensed by a

1 licensed pharmacist only upon a lawful prescription of a practitioner licensed to administer those
2 items, including samples and materials used to manufacture samples which may be dispensed by a
3 practitioner authorized to dispense such samples and all sales or rental of medical oxygen, home
4 respiratory equipment and accessories, hospital beds and accessories and ambulatory aids, all sales or
5 rental of manual and powered wheelchairs, stairway lifts, Braille writers, electronic Braille
6 equipment and, if purchased or rented by or on behalf of a person with one or more physical or
7 mental disabilities to enable them to function more independently, all sales or rental of scooters,
8 reading machines, electronic print enlargers and magnifiers, electronic alternative and augmentative
9 communication devices, and items used solely to modify motor vehicles to permit the use of such
10 motor vehicles by individuals with disabilities or sales of over-the-counter or nonprescription drugs
11 to individuals with disabilities, and drugs required by the Food and Drug Administration to meet the
12 over-the-counter drug product labeling requirements in 21 CFR 201.66, or its successor, as
13 prescribed by a health care practitioner licensed to prescribe;

14 (20) All sales made by or to religious and charitable organizations and institutions in their
15 religious, charitable or educational functions and activities and all sales made by or to all elementary
16 and secondary schools operated at public expense in their educational functions and activities;

17 (21) All sales of aircraft to common carriers for storage or for use in interstate commerce
18 and all sales made by or to not-for-profit civic, social, service or fraternal organizations, including
19 fraternal organizations which have been declared tax-exempt organizations pursuant to Section
20 501(c)(8) or (10) of the 1986 Internal Revenue Code, as amended, in their civic or charitable
21 functions and activities and all sales made to eleemosynary and penal institutions and industries of
22 the state, and all sales made to any private not-for-profit institution of higher education not otherwise
23 excluded pursuant to subdivision (20) of this subsection or any institution of higher education
24 supported by public funds, and all sales made to a state relief agency in the exercise of relief
25 functions and activities;

26 (22) All ticket sales made by benevolent, scientific and educational associations which are
27 formed to foster, encourage, and promote progress and improvement in the science of agriculture and
28 in the raising and breeding of animals, and by nonprofit summer theater organizations if such
29 organizations are exempt from federal tax pursuant to the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code
30 and all admission charges and entry fees to the Missouri state fair or any fair conducted by a county
31 agricultural and mechanical society organized and operated pursuant to sections 262.290 to 262.530;

32 (23) All sales made to any private not-for-profit elementary or secondary school, all sales of
33 feed additives, medications or vaccines administered to livestock or poultry in the production of food
34 or fiber, all sales of pesticides used in the production of crops, livestock or poultry for food or fiber,
35 all sales of bedding used in the production of livestock or poultry for food or fiber, all sales of
36 propane or natural gas, electricity or diesel fuel used exclusively for drying agricultural crops,
37 natural gas used in the primary manufacture or processing of fuel ethanol as defined in section
38 142.028, natural gas, propane, and electricity used by an eligible new generation cooperative or an
39 eligible new generation processing entity as defined in section 348.432, and all sales of farm
40 machinery and equipment, other than airplanes, motor vehicles and trailers, and any freight charges
41 on any exempt item. As used in this subdivision, the term "feed additives" means tangible personal

1 property which, when mixed with feed for livestock or poultry, is to be used in the feeding of
2 livestock or poultry. As used in this subdivision, the term "pesticides" includes adjuvants such as
3 crop oils, surfactants, wetting agents and other assorted pesticide carriers used to improve or enhance
4 the effect of a pesticide and the foam used to mark the application of pesticides and herbicides for the
5 production of crops, livestock or poultry. As used in this subdivision, the term "farm machinery and
6 equipment" means new or used farm tractors and such other new or used farm machinery and
7 equipment and repair or replacement parts thereon and any accessories for and upgrades to such farm
8 machinery and equipment, rotary mowers used exclusively for agricultural purposes, and supplies
9 and lubricants used exclusively, solely, and directly for producing crops, raising and feeding
10 livestock, fish, poultry, pheasants, chukar, quail, or for producing milk for ultimate sale at retail,
11 including field drain tile, and one-half of each purchaser's purchase of diesel fuel therefor which is:

12 (a) Used exclusively for agricultural purposes;

13 (b) Used on land owned or leased for the purpose of producing farm products; and

14 (c) Used directly in producing farm products to be sold ultimately in processed form or
15 otherwise at retail or in producing farm products to be fed to livestock or poultry to be sold
16 ultimately in processed form at retail;

17 (24) Except as otherwise provided in section 144.032, all sales of metered water service,
18 electricity, electrical current, natural, artificial or propane gas, wood, coal or home heating oil for
19 domestic use and in any city not within a county, all sales of metered or unmetered water service for
20 domestic use:

21 (a) "Domestic use" means that portion of metered water service, electricity, electrical
22 current, natural, artificial or propane gas, wood, coal or home heating oil, and in any city not within
23 a county, metered or unmetered water service, which an individual occupant of a residential premises
24 uses for nonbusiness, noncommercial or nonindustrial purposes. Utility service through a single or
25 master meter for residential apartments or condominiums, including service for common areas and
26 facilities and vacant units, shall be deemed to be for domestic use. Each seller shall establish and
27 maintain a system whereby individual purchases are determined as exempt or nonexempt;

28 (b) Regulated utility sellers shall determine whether individual purchases are exempt or
29 nonexempt based upon the seller's utility service rate classifications as contained in tariffs on file
30 with and approved by the Missouri public service commission. Sales and purchases made pursuant
31 to the rate classification "residential" and sales to and purchases made by or on behalf of the
32 occupants of residential apartments or condominiums through a single or master meter, including
33 service for common areas and facilities and vacant units, shall be considered as sales made for
34 domestic use and such sales shall be exempt from sales tax. Sellers shall charge sales tax upon the
35 entire amount of purchases classified as nondomestic use. The seller's utility service rate
36 classification and the provision of service thereunder shall be conclusive as to whether or not the
37 utility must charge sales tax;

38 (c) Each person making domestic use purchases of services or property and who uses any
39 portion of the services or property so purchased for a nondomestic use shall, by the fifteenth day of
40 the fourth month following the year of purchase, and without assessment, notice or demand, file a
41 return and pay sales tax on that portion of nondomestic purchases. Each person making nondomestic

1 purchases of services or property and who uses any portion of the services or property so purchased
2 for domestic use, and each person making domestic purchases on behalf of occupants of residential
3 apartments or condominiums through a single or master meter, including service for common areas
4 and facilities and vacant units, under a nonresidential utility service rate classification may, between
5 the first day of the first month and the fifteenth day of the fourth month following the year of
6 purchase, apply for credit or refund to the director of revenue and the director shall give credit or
7 make refund for taxes paid on the domestic use portion of the purchase. The person making such
8 purchases on behalf of occupants of residential apartments or condominiums shall have standing to
9 apply to the director of revenue for such credit or refund;

10 (25) All sales of handicraft items made by the seller or the seller's spouse if the seller or the
11 seller's spouse is at least sixty-five years of age, and if the total gross proceeds from such sales do not
12 constitute a majority of the annual gross income of the seller;

13 (26) Excise taxes, collected on sales at retail, imposed by Sections 4041, 4061, 4071, 4081,
14 4091, 4161, 4181, 4251, 4261 and 4271 of Title 26, United States Code. The director of revenue
15 shall promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 536 to eliminate all state and local sales taxes on such
16 excise taxes;

17 (27) Sales of fuel consumed or used in the operation of ships, barges, or waterborne vessels
18 which are used primarily in or for the transportation of property or cargo, or the conveyance of
19 persons for hire, on navigable rivers bordering on or located in part in this state, if such fuel is
20 delivered by the seller to the purchaser's barge, ship, or waterborne vessel while it is afloat upon such
21 river;

22 (28) All sales made to an interstate compact agency created pursuant to sections 70.370 to
23 70.441 or sections 238.010 to 238.100 in the exercise of the functions and activities of such agency
24 as provided pursuant to the compact;

25 (29) Computers, computer software and computer security systems purchased for use by
26 architectural or engineering firms headquartered in this state. For the purposes of this subdivision,
27 "headquartered in this state" means the office for the administrative management of at least four
28 integrated facilities operated by the taxpayer is located in the state of Missouri;

29 (30) All livestock sales when either the seller is engaged in the growing, producing or
30 feeding of such livestock, or the seller is engaged in the business of buying and selling, bartering or
31 leasing of such livestock;

32 (31) All sales of barges which are to be used primarily in the transportation of property or
33 cargo on interstate waterways;

34 (32) Electrical energy or gas, whether natural, artificial or propane, water, or other utilities
35 which are ultimately consumed in connection with the manufacturing of cellular glass products or in
36 any material recovery processing plant as defined in subdivision (5) of this subsection;

37 (33) Notwithstanding other provisions of law to the contrary, all sales of pesticides or
38 herbicides used in the production of crops, aquaculture, livestock or poultry;

39 (34) Tangible personal property and utilities purchased for use or consumption directly or
40 exclusively in the research and development of agricultural/biotechnology and plant genomics
41 products and prescription pharmaceuticals consumed by humans or animals;

1 (35) All sales of grain bins for storage of grain for resale;

2 (36) All sales of feed which are developed for and used in the feeding of pets owned by a
3 commercial breeder when such sales are made to a commercial breeder, as defined in section
4 273.325, and licensed pursuant to sections 273.325 to 273.357;

5 (37) All purchases by a contractor on behalf of an entity located in another state, provided
6 that the entity is authorized to issue a certificate of exemption for purchases to a contractor under the
7 provisions of that state's laws. For purposes of this subdivision, the term "certificate of exemption"
8 shall mean any document evidencing that the entity is exempt from sales and use taxes on purchases
9 pursuant to the laws of the state in which the entity is located. Any contractor making purchases on
10 behalf of such entity shall maintain a copy of the entity's exemption certificate as evidence of the
11 exemption. If the exemption certificate issued by the exempt entity to the contractor is later
12 determined by the director of revenue to be invalid for any reason and the contractor has accepted the
13 certificate in good faith, neither the contractor or the exempt entity shall be liable for the payment of
14 any taxes, interest and penalty due as the result of use of the invalid exemption certificate. Materials
15 shall be exempt from all state and local sales and use taxes when purchased by a contractor for the
16 purpose of fabricating tangible personal property which is used in fulfilling a contract for the
17 purpose of constructing, repairing or remodeling facilities for the following:

18 (a) An exempt entity located in this state, if the entity is one of those entities able to issue
19 project exemption certificates in accordance with the provisions of section 144.062; or

20 (b) An exempt entity located outside the state if the exempt entity is authorized to issue an
21 exemption certificate to contractors in accordance with the provisions of that state's law and the
22 applicable provisions of this section;

23 (38) All sales or other transfers of tangible personal property to a lessor who leases the
24 property under a lease of one year or longer executed or in effect at the time of the sale or other
25 transfer to an interstate compact agency created pursuant to sections 70.370 to 70.441 or sections
26 238.010 to 238.100;

27 (39) Sales of tickets to any collegiate athletic championship event that is held in a facility
28 owned or operated by a governmental authority or commission, a quasi-governmental agency, a state
29 university or college or by the state or any political subdivision thereof, including a municipality, and
30 that is played on a neutral site and may reasonably be played at a site located outside the state of
31 Missouri. For purposes of this subdivision, "neutral site" means any site that is not located on the
32 campus of a conference member institution participating in the event;

33 (40) All purchases by a sports complex authority created under section 64.920, and all sales
34 of utilities by such authority at the authority's cost that are consumed in connection with the
35 operation of a sports complex leased to a professional sports team;

36 (41) Beginning January 1, 2009, but not after January 1, 2015, materials, replacement parts,
37 and equipment purchased for use directly upon, and for the modification, replacement, repair, and
38 maintenance of aircraft, aircraft power plants, and aircraft accessories;

39 (42) Sales of sporting clays, wobble, skeet, and trap targets to any shooting range or similar
40 places of business for use in the normal course of business and money received by a shooting range
41 or similar places of business from patrons and held by a shooting range or similar place of business

- 1 for redistribution to patrons at the conclusion of a shooting event."; and
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- 3 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 4 accordingly.