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## **HOUSE BILL 2326**

## AN ACT

AMENDING SECTIONS 3-561, 3-563, 42-5009, 42-5022, 42-5061 AND 42-5159, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL FEED TAX.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona: Section 1. Section 3-561, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to 2 3 read: 4 3-561. <u>Definitions</u> In this article, unless the context otherwise requires: 5 "Food product" includes: 6 <del>2.</del> 1. 7 (a) Every product of the soil in its natural or manufactured state. 8 Beef and beef products. (b) 9 (c) Swine and pork products. (d) Fowls and poultry products. 10 11 (e) Eggs and egg products. 12 (f) Milk and milk products. 13 (q) Lamb and sheep products. 14 (h) ANIMAL FEED THAT IS GROWN OR RAISED BY THE PRODUCER AND SOLD AS 15 FEED FOR LIVESTOCK, POULTRY OR RATITES PURCHASED OR RAISED FOR SLAUGHTER, 16 INCLUDING LIVESTOCK PURCHASED OR RAISED FOR PRODUCTION OR USE, SUCH AS MILK 17 COWS, BREEDING BULLS, LAYING HENS AND RIDING OR WORK HORSES. 18 1. 2. "Producer" includes owners, proprietors or tenants of 19 agricultural lands, orchards, farms and gardens whereon WHERE food products 20 are grown, raised or prepared for market. 21 Sec. 2. Section 3-563, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 3-563. Tax, license or fee against producers and purchasers 22 23 prohibited 24 No A tax, license or fee shall MAY NOT be imposed, OR levied upon, Α. 25 ON OR demanded or collected from: 26 A producer for a sale of a food product as defined in this article. 1. 27 , and 28 2. A PURCHASER OF A FOOD PRODUCT FROM A PRODUCER. 29 B. No A penalty or punishment shall MAY NOT be imposed on account of 30 the sale OF A FOOD PRODUCT, except for A violation of laws providing for 31 inspection. 32 B. C. A municipal ordinance which THAT seeks to impose or subject a 33 producer, OR A PURCHASER OF A FOOD PRODUCT FROM A PRODUCER, to a tax, license 34 or fee shall be IS void, except that all such products in common with similar 35 products offered for sale by persons not the producers thereof shall be ARE 36 subject to inspection. A municipal ordinance providing for inspection shall 37 IS not be valid unless it applies in the same manner and terms to other persons offering similar products for sale. 38 39 Sec. 3. Section 42-5009, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 40 42-5009. Certificates establishing deductions; liability for 41 making false certificate 42 A person who conducts any business classified under article 2 of Α. 43 this chapter may establish entitlement to the allowable deductions from the

44 tax base of that business by both:

1 1. Marking the invoice for the transaction to indicate that the gross 2 proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the transaction was deducted 3 from the tax base.

4 2. Obtaining a certificate executed by the purchaser indicating the 5 name and address of the purchaser, the precise nature of the business of the purchaser, the purpose for which the purchase was made, the necessary facts 6 7 to establish the appropriate deduction and the tax license number of the 8 purchaser to the extent the deduction depends on the purchaser conducting 9 business classified under article 2 of this chapter and a certification that the person executing the certificate is authorized to do so on behalf of the 10 11 purchaser. The certificate may be disregarded if the seller has reason to 12 believe that the information contained in the certificate is not accurate or 13 complete.

B. A person who does not comply with subsection A of this section may establish entitlement to the deduction by presenting facts necessary to support the entitlement, but the burden of proof is on that person.

17 C. The department may prescribe a form for the certificate described 18 in subsection A of this section. Under such rules as it may prescribe, the 19 department may also describe transactions with respect to which a person is 20 not entitled to rely solely on the information contained in the certificate 21 provided for in subsection A of this section but must instead obtain such 22 additional information as required by the rules in order to be entitled to 23 the deduction.

24 D. If a seller is entitled to a deduction by complying with subsection 25 A of this section, the department may require the purchaser that caused the 26 execution of the certificate to establish the accuracy and completeness of 27 the information required to be contained in the certificate that would 28 entitle the seller to the deduction. If the purchaser cannot establish the 29 accuracy and completeness of the information, the purchaser is liable in an 30 amount equal to any tax, penalty and interest that the seller would have been 31 required to pay under this article if the seller had not complied with 32 subsection A of this section. Payment of the amount under this subsection 33 exempts the purchaser from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of 34 this chapter. The amount shall be treated as tax revenues collected from the 35 seller in order to designate the distribution base for purposes of section 42-5029. 36

37 If a seller is entitled to a deduction by complying with subsection Ε. 38 B of this section, the department may require the purchaser to establish the 39 accuracy and completeness of the information provided to the seller that 40 entitled the seller to the deduction. If the purchaser cannot establish the 41 accuracy and completeness of the information, the purchaser is liable in an 42 amount equal to any tax, penalty and interest that the seller would have been 43 required to pay under this article if the seller had not complied with 44 subsection B of this section. Payment of the amount under this subsection 45 exempts the purchaser from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of

this chapter. The amount shall be treated as tax revenues collected from the seller in order to designate the distribution base for purposes of section 42-5029.

4 F. The department may prescribe a form for a certificate used to 5 establish entitlement to the deductions described in section 42-5061. subsection A, paragraph 46 and section 42-5063, subsection B, paragraph 3. 6 7 Under rules the department may prescribe, the department may also require 8 additional information for the seller to be entitled to the deduction. If a 9 seller is entitled to the deductions described in section 42-5061, subsection A, paragraph 46 and section 42-5063, subsection B, paragraph 3, the 10 11 department may require the purchaser who executed the certificate to 12 establish the accuracy and completeness of the information contained in the 13 certificate that would entitle the seller to the deduction. If the purchaser 14 cannot establish the accuracy and completeness of the information, the 15 purchaser is liable in an amount equal to any tax, penalty and interest that 16 the seller would have been required to pay under this article. Payment of 17 the amount under this subsection exempts the purchaser from liability for any 18 tax imposed under article 4 of this chapter. The amount shall be treated as 19 tax revenues collected from the seller in order to designate the distribution 20 base for purposes of section 42-5029.

21 G. If a seller claims a deduction under section 42-5061, subsection A, paragraph 25 and establishes entitlement to the deduction with an exemption 22 23 letter that the purchaser received from the department and the exemption 24 letter was based on a contingent event, the department may require the 25 purchaser that received the exemption letter to establish the satisfaction of 26 the contingent event within a reasonable time. If the purchaser cannot 27 establish the satisfaction of the event, the purchaser is liable in an amount 28 equal to any tax, penalty and interest that the seller would have been 29 required to pay under this article if the seller had not been furnished the 30 exemption letter. Payment of the amount under this subsection exempts the 31 purchaser from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of this chapter. 32 The amount shall be treated as tax revenues collected from the seller in 33 order to designate the distribution base for purposes of section 42-5029. For the purposes of this subsection, "reasonable time" means a time 34 35 limitation that the department determines and that does not exceed the time 36 limitations pursuant to section 42-1104.

H. The department shall prescribe forms for certificates used to establish the satisfaction of the criteria necessary to qualify the sale of a motor vehicle for the deductions described in section 42-5061, subsection A, paragraph 14, paragraph 28, subdivision (a) and paragraph 44 and subsection U. Except as provided in subsection J of this section, to establish entitlement to these deductions, a motor vehicle dealer shall retain: 1 1. A valid certificate as prescribed by this subsection completed by 2 the purchaser and obtained prior to the issuance of the nonresident 3 registration permit authorized by section 28-2154.

4 2. A copy of the nonresident registration permit authorized by section5 28-2154.

6 3. A legible copy of a current valid driver license issued to the 7 purchaser by another state or foreign country that indicates an address 8 outside of this state. For the sale of a motor vehicle to a nonresident 9 entity, the entity's representative must have a current valid driver license 10 issued by the same jurisdiction as that in which the entity is located.

4. For the purposes of the deduction provided by section 42-5061,
subsection A, paragraph 14, a certificate documenting the delivery of the
motor vehicle to an out-of-state location.

14 Ι. Notwithstanding subsection A, paragraph 2 of this section, if a 15 motor vehicle dealer has established entitlement to a deduction by complying with subsection H of this section, the department may require the purchaser 16 17 who executed the certificate to establish the accuracy and completeness of 18 the information contained in the certificate that entitled the motor vehicle 19 dealer to the deduction. If the purchaser cannot establish the accuracy and 20 completeness of the information, the purchaser is liable in an amount equal 21 to any tax, penalty and interest that the motor vehicle dealer would have 22 been required to pay under this article and under articles IV and V of the 23 model city tax code as defined in section 42-6051. Payment of the amount 24 under this subsection exempts the purchaser from liability for any tax 25 imposed under article 4 of this chapter and any tax imposed under article VI 26 of the model city tax code as defined in section 42-6051. The amount shall 27 be treated as tax revenues collected from the motor vehicle dealer in order 28 to designate the distribution base for purposes of section 42-5029.

J. To establish entitlement to the deduction described in section 42-5061, subsection A, paragraph 44, a public consignment auction dealer as defined in section 28-4301 shall submit the valid certificate prescribed by subsection H of this section to the department and retain a copy for its records.

34 K. Notwithstanding any other law, compliance with subsection H of this 35 section by a motor vehicle dealer entitles the motor vehicle dealer to the 36 exemption provided in section 42-6004, subsection A, paragraph 4.

37 The department shall prescribe a form for a certificate to be used L. 38 by a person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 when the person 39 is engaged by a contractor that is subject to tax under section 42-5075 for a 40 project that is taxable under section 42-5075. The certificate permits the 41 person purchasing tangible personal property to be incorporated or fabricated 42 by the person into any real property, structure, project, development or 43 improvement to provide documentation to a retailer that the sale of tangible 44 personal property qualifies for the deduction under section 42-5061, 45 subsection A, paragraph 27, subdivision (b). A prime contractor shall obtain

the certificate from the department and shall provide a copy to any such person working on the project. The prime contractor shall obtain a new certificate for each project to which this subsection applies. For the purposes of this subsection, the following apply:

5 1. The person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 may use 6 the certificate issued pursuant to this subsection only with respect to 7 tangible personal property that will be incorporated into a project for which 8 the gross receipts are subject to tax under section 42-5075.

9 2. The department shall issue the certificate to the prime contractor 10 on receiving sufficient documentation to establish that the prime contractor 11 meets the requirements of this subsection.

12 If any person uses the certificate provided under this subsection 3. 13 to purchase tangible personal property to be used in a project that is not 14 subject to tax under section 42-5075, the person is liable in an amount equal 15 to any tax, penalty and interest that the seller would have been required to 16 pay under this article if the seller had not complied with subsection A of 17 this section. Payment of the amount under this section exempts the person 18 from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of this chapter. The 19 amount shall be sourced under section 42-5040, subsection A, paragraph 2.

M. Notwithstanding any other law, compliance with subsection L of this section by a person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 entitles the person to the exemption allowed by section 465, subsection (k) of the model city tax code when purchasing tangible personal property to be incorporated or fabricated by the person into any real property, structure, project, development or improvement.

N. THE REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTIONS A AND B OF THIS SECTION DO NOT
APPLY TO OWNERS, PROPRIETORS OR TENANTS OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS OR FARMS WHO
SELL LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY FEED THAT IS GROWN OR RAISED ON THEIR LANDS TO ANY
OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. PERSONS WHO FEED THEIR OWN LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY.

2. PERSONS WHO ARE ENGAGED IN THE BUSINESS OF PRODUCING LIVESTOCK OR
 POULTRY COMMERCIALLY.

33 3. PERSONS WHO ARE ENGAGED IN THE BUSINESS OF FEEDING LIVESTOCK OR
 34 POULTRY COMMERCIALLY OR WHO BOARD LIVESTOCK NONCOMMERCIALLY.

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Sec. 4. Section 42-5022, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 42-5022. <u>Burden of proving sale not at retail</u>

The burden of proving that a sale of tangible personal property was not a sale at retail shall be <del>upon</del> ON the person who made <del>it</del> THE SALE, unless EITHER:

1. Such THE person has taken from the purchaser a certificate signed by and bearing the name and address of the purchaser that the property was purchased for resale in the ordinary course of business and that he has a valid license, with the number thereof, to sell the kind of property purchased. 2. THE PERSON IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENT OF A CERTIFICATE PURSUANT
 TO SECTION 42-5009, SUBSECTION N.

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Sec. 5. Section 42-5061, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 42-5061. <u>Retail classification: definitions</u>

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A. The retail classification is comprised of the business of selling tangible personal property at retail. The tax base for the retail classification is the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the business. The tax imposed on the retail classification does not apply to the gross proceeds of sales or gross income from:

10 1. Professional or personal service occupations or businesses that 11 involve sales or transfers of tangible personal property only as 12 inconsequential elements.

Services rendered in addition to selling tangible personal property
 at retail.

15 3. Sales of warranty or service contracts. The storage, use or 16 consumption of tangible personal property provided under the conditions of 17 such contracts is subject to tax under section 42-5156.

4. Sales of tangible personal property by any nonprofit organization
 organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and recognized by
 the United States internal revenue service under section 501(c)(3) of the
 internal revenue code.

5. Sales to persons engaged in business classified under the restaurant classification of articles used by human beings for food, drink or condiment, whether simple, mixed or compounded.

6. Business activity that is properly included in any other business
classification that is taxable under this article.

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7. The sale of stocks and bonds.

8. Drugs and medical oxygen, including delivery hose, mask or tent, regulator and tank, on the prescription of a member of the medical, dental or veterinarian profession who is licensed by law to administer such substances.

9. Prosthetic appliances as defined in section 23-501 AND AS
prescribed or recommended by a health professional who is licensed pursuant
to title 32, chapter 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 or 29.

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Insulin, insulin syringes and glucose test strips.
 Prescription eyeglasses or contact lenses.

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12. Hearing aids as defined in section 36-1901.

13. Durable medical equipment that has a centers for medicare and medicaid services common procedure code, is designated reimbursable by medicare, is prescribed by a person who is licensed under title 32, chapter 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 17 or 29, can withstand repeated use, is primarily and customarily used to serve a medical purpose, is generally not useful to a person in the absence of illness or injury and is appropriate for use in the home. 1 14. Sales of motor vehicles to nonresidents of this state for use 2 outside this state if the motor vehicle dealer ships or delivers the motor 3 vehicle to a destination out of this state.

4 15. Food, as provided in and subject to the conditions of article 3 of 5 this chapter and section 42-5074.

16. Items purchased with United States department of agriculture food 6 7 stamp coupons issued under the food stamp act of 1977 (P.L. 95-113; 91 Stat. 8 958) or food instruments issued under section 17 of the child nutrition act 9 (P.L. 95-627; 92 Stat. 3603; P.L. 99-661, section 4302; 42 United States Code 10 section 1786).

11 17. Textbooks by any bookstore that are required by any state 12 university or community college.

13 18. Food and drink to a person that is engaged in a business that is 14 classified under the restaurant classification and that provides such food 15 and drink without monetary charge to its employees for their own consumption 16 on the premises during the employees' hours of employment.

17 19. Articles of food, drink or condiment and accessory tangible 18 personal property to a school district or charter school if such articles and 19 accessory tangible personal property are to be prepared and served to persons 20 for consumption on the premises of a public school within the district or on 21 the premises of the charter school during school hours.

22 20. Lottery tickets or shares pursuant to title 5, chapter 5.1, 23 article 1.

24 21. The sale of cash equivalents and the sale of precious metal 25 bullion and monetized bullion to the ultimate consumer, but the sale of coins or other forms of money for manufacture into jewelry or works of art is 26 27 subject to the tax and the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived 28 from the redemption of any cash equivalent by the holder as a means of 29 payment for goods or services that are taxable under this article is subject 30 to the tax. For the purposes of this paragraph:

31 (a) "Cash equivalents" means items or intangibles, whether or not 32 negotiable, that are sold to one or more persons, through which a value 33 denominated in money is purchased in advance and may be redeemed in full or 34 in part for tangible personal property, intangibles or services. Cash 35 equivalents include gift cards, stored value cards, gift certificates, 36 vouchers, traveler's checks, money orders or other instruments, orders or 37 electronic mechanisms, such as an electronic code, personal identification 38 number or digital payment mechanism, or any other prepaid intangible right to 39 acquire tangible personal property, intangibles or services in the future, 40 whether from the seller of the cash equivalent or from another person. Cash 41 equivalents do not include either of the following:

42 (i) Items or intangibles that are sold to one or more persons, through 43 which a value is not denominated in money.

44 (ii) Prepaid calling cards or prepaid authorization numbers for 45 telecommunications services made taxable by subsection P of this section.

1 (b) "Monetized bullion" means coins and other forms of money that are 2 manufactured from gold, silver or other metals and that have been or are used 3 as a medium of exchange in this or another state, the United States or a 4 foreign nation.

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(c) "Precious metal bullion" means precious metal, including gold, silver, platinum, rhodium and palladium, that has been smelted or refined so 7 that its value depends on its contents and not on its form.

8 22. Motor vehicle fuel and use fuel that are subject to a tax imposed 9 under title 28, chapter 16, article 1, sales of use fuel to a holder of a valid single trip use fuel tax permit issued under section 28-5739, sales of 10 11 aviation fuel that are subject to the tax imposed under section 28-8344 and 12 sales of jet fuel that are subject to the tax imposed under article 8 of this 13 chapter.

23. Tangible personal property sold to a person engaged in the 14 15 business of leasing or renting such property under the personal property 16 rental classification if such property is to be leased or rented by such 17 person.

18 24. Tangible personal property sold in interstate or foreign commerce 19 if prohibited from being so taxed by the constitution of the United States or 20 the constitution of this state.

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25. Tangible personal property sold to:

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(a) A qualifying hospital as defined in section 42-5001.

23 (b) A qualifying health care organization as defined in section 24 42-5001 if the tangible personal property is used by the organization solely 25 to provide health and medical related educational and charitable services.

26 (c) A qualifying health care organization as defined in section 27 42-5001 if the organization is dedicated to providing educational, 28 therapeutic, rehabilitative and family medical education training for blind 29 and visually impaired children and children with multiple disabilities from 30 the time of birth to age twenty-one.

31 (d) A qualifying community health center as defined in section 32 42-5001.

33 (e) A nonprofit charitable organization that has gualified under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code and that regularly serves 34 35 meals to the needy and indigent on a continuing basis at no cost.

36 (f) For taxable periods beginning from and after June 30, 2001, a 37 nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3)of the internal revenue code and that provides residential apartment housing 38 39 for low income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that 40 qualifies for a federal housing subsidy, if the tangible personal property is 41 used by the organization solely to provide residential apartment housing for 42 low income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that qualifies 43 for a federal housing subsidy.

44 (g) A qualifying health sciences educational institution as defined in 45 section 42-5001.

(h) Any person representing or working on behalf of another person
described in subdivisions (a) through (g) of this paragraph if the tangible
personal property is incorporated or fabricated into a project described in
section 42-5075, subsection 0.

5 26. Magazines or other periodicals or other publications by this state 6 to encourage tourist travel.

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27. Tangible personal property sold to:

8 (a) A person that is subject to tax under this article by reason of 9 being engaged in business classified under section 42-5075 or to a 10 subcontractor working under the control of a person engaged in business 11 classified under section 42-5075, if the property so sold is any of the 12 following:

(i) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into any real property,structure, project, development or improvement as part of the business.

15 (ii) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into any project 16 described in section 42-5075, subsection 0.

17 (iii) Used in environmental response or remediation activities under18 section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.

(b) A person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 and that has been provided a copy of a certificate under section 42-5009, subsection L, if the property so sold is incorporated or fabricated by the person into the real property, structure, project, development or improvement described in the certificate.

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28. The sale of a motor vehicle to:

(a) A nonresident of this state if the purchaser's state of residence does not allow a corresponding use tax exemption to the tax imposed by article 1 of this chapter and if the nonresident has secured a special ninety day nonresident registration permit for the vehicle as prescribed by sections 28-2154 and 28-2154.01.

30 (b) An enrolled member of an Indian tribe who resides on the Indian 31 reservation established for that tribe.

29. Tangible personal property purchased in this state by a nonprofit 33 charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the 34 United States internal revenue code and that engages in and uses such 35 property exclusively in programs for persons with mental or physical 36 disabilities if the programs are exclusively for training, job placement, 37 rehabilitation or testing.

30. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization 39 that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4) or 501(c)(6) 40 of the internal revenue code if the organization is associated with a major 41 league baseball team or a national touring professional golfing association 42 and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any 43 private shareholder or individual. 1 31. Sales of commodities, as defined by title 7 United States Code 2 section 2, that are consigned for resale in a warehouse in this state in or 3 from which the commodity is deliverable on a contract for future delivery 4 subject to the rules of a commodity market regulated by the United States 5 commodity futures trading commission.

32. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization 6 7 that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), 501(c)(6), 8 501(c)(7) or 501(c)(8) of the internal revenue code if the organization 9 sponsors or operates a rodeo featuring primarily farm and ranch animals and 10 no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any 11 private shareholder or individual.

12 33. Sales of seeds, seedlings, roots, bulbs, cuttings and other 13 propagative material to persons who use those items to commercially produce agricultural, horticultural, viticultural or floricultural crops in this 14 15 state.

16 Machinery, equipment, technology or related supplies that are only 34. 17 useful to assist a person with a physical disability as defined in section 18 46-191 or a person who has a developmental disability as defined in section 19 36–551 or has a head injury as defined in section 41–3201 to be more 20 independent and functional.

21 35. Sales of natural gas or liquefied petroleum gas used to propel a 22 motor vehicle.

23 36. Paper machine clothing, such as forming fabrics and dryer felts, 24 sold to a paper manufacturer and directly used or consumed in paper 25 manufacturing.

26 37. Coal, petroleum, coke, natural gas, virgin fuel oil and 27 electricity sold to a qualified environmental technology manufacturer, 28 producer or processor as defined in section 41-1514.02 and directly used or 29 consumed in the generation or provision of on-site power or energy solely for 30 manufacturing, producing or environmental technology processing or 31 environmental protection. This paragraph shall apply for twenty full 32 consecutive calendar or fiscal years from the date the first paper 33 manufacturing machine is placed in service. In the case of an environmental 34 technology manufacturer, producer or processor who does not manufacture 35 paper, the time period shall begin with the date the first manufacturing, 36 processing or production equipment is placed in service.

37 38. Sales of liquid, solid or gaseous chemicals used in manufacturing, 38 processing, fabricating, mining, refining, metallurgical operations, research 39 and development and, beginning on January 1, 1999, printing, if using or 40 consuming the chemicals, alone or as part of an integrated system of 41 chemicals, involves direct contact with the materials from which the product 42 is produced for the purpose of causing or permitting a chemical or physical 43 change to occur in the materials as part of the production process. This 44 paragraph does not include chemicals that are used or consumed in activities 45 such as packaging, storage or transportation but does not affect any

1 deduction for such chemicals that is otherwise provided by this section. For 2 the purposes of this paragraph, "printing" means a commercial printing 3 operation and includes job printing, engraving, embossing, copying and 4 bookbinding.

5 39. Through December 31, 1994, personal property liquidation 6 transactions, conducted by a personal property liquidator. From and after 7 December 31, 1994, personal property liquidation transactions shall be 8 taxable under this section provided that nothing in this subsection shall be 9 construed to authorize the taxation of casual activities or transactions 10 under this chapter. For the purposes of this paragraph:

11 (a) "Personal property liquidation transaction" means a sale of 12 personal property made by a personal property liquidator acting solely on 13 behalf of the owner of the personal property sold at the dwelling of the 14 owner or on the death of any owner, on behalf of the surviving spouse, if 15 any, any devisee or heir or the personal representative of the estate of the 16 deceased, if one has been appointed.

(b) "Personal property liquidator" means a person who is retained toconduct a sale in a personal property liquidation transaction.

40. Sales of food, drink and condiment for consumption within the premises of any prison, jail or other institution under the jurisdiction of the state department of corrections, the department of public safety, the department of juvenile corrections or a county sheriff.

41. A motor vehicle and any repair and replacement parts and tangible personal property becoming a part of such motor vehicle sold to a motor carrier who is subject to a fee prescribed in title 28, chapter 16, article 4 and who is engaged in the business of leasing or renting such property.

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42. SALES OF:

28 (a) LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY TO PERSONS ENGAGING IN THE BUSINESSES OF29 FARMING, RANCHING OR PRODUCING LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY.

30 (b) Livestock and poultry feed, salts, vitamins and other additives 31 for livestock or poultry consumption that are sold to persons <del>who are</del> 32 engaged FOR USE OR CONSUMPTION BY THEIR OWN LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY, FOR USE OR 33 CONSUMPTION in THE BUSINESSES OF FARMING, RANCHING AND producing OR FEEDING 34 livestock, poultry, or livestock or poultry products or who are engaged 35 in feeding livestock or poultry commercially FOR USE OR CONSUMPTION IN 36 NONCOMMERCIAL BOARDING OF LIVESTOCK. For the purposes of this paragraph, 37 "poultry" includes ratites.

43. Sales of implants used as growth promotants and injectable medicines, not already exempt under paragraph 8 of this subsection, for livestock or poultry owned by or in possession of persons who are engaged in producing livestock, poultry, or livestock or poultry products or who are engaged in feeding livestock or poultry commercially. For the purposes of this paragraph, "poultry" includes ratites.

44 44. Sales of motor vehicles at auction to nonresidents of this state 45 for use outside this state if the vehicles are shipped or delivered out of 1 this state, regardless of where title to the motor vehicles passes or its 2 free on board point.

45. Tangible personal property sold to a person engaged in business and subject to tax under the transient lodging classification if the tangible personal property is a personal hygiene item or articles used by human beings for food, drink or condiment, except alcoholic beverages, that are furnished without additional charge to and intended to be consumed by the transient during the transient's occupancy.

9 46. Sales of alternative fuel, as defined in section 1-215, to a used 10 oil fuel burner who has received a permit to burn used oil or used oil fuel 11 under section 49-426 or 49-480.

12 47. Sales of materials that are purchased by or for publicly funded 13 libraries including school district libraries, charter school libraries, 14 community college libraries, state university libraries or federal, state, 15 county or municipal libraries for use by the public as follows:

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(a) Printed or photographic materials, beginning August 7, 1985.

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(b) Electronic or digital media materials, beginning July 17, 1994.

Tangible personal property sold to a commercial airline and 18 48. 19 consisting of food, beverages and condiments and accessories used for serving 20 the food and beverages, if those items are to be provided without additional 21 charge to passengers for consumption in flight. For the purposes of this paragraph, "commercial airline" means a person holding a federal certificate 22 23 of public convenience and necessity or foreign air carrier permit for air 24 transportation to transport persons, property or United States mail in 25 intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.

49. Sales of alternative fuel vehicles if the vehicle was manufactured as a diesel fuel vehicle and converted to operate on alternative fuel and equipment that is installed in a conventional diesel fuel motor vehicle to convert the vehicle to operate on an alternative fuel, as defined in section 1-215.

50. Sales of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquor by a person that is licensed in this state as a wholesaler by the department of liquor licenses and control pursuant to title 4, chapter 2, article 1.

51. Sales of tangible personal property to be incorporated or installed as part of environmental response or remediation activities under section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.

52. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(6) of the internal revenue code if the organization produces, organizes or promotes cultural or civic related festivals or events and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

42 53. Application services that are designed to assess or test student 43 learning or to promote curriculum design or enhancement purchased by or for 44 any school district, charter school, community college or state university. 45 For the purposes of this paragraph: 1 2 (a) "Application services" means software applications provided remotely using hypertext transfer protocol or another network protocol.

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(b) "Curriculum design or enhancement" means planning, implementing or reporting on courses of study, lessons, assignments or other learning 4 5 activities.

54. Sales of motor vehicle fuel and use fuel to a qualified business 6 7 under section 41-1516 for off-road use in harvesting, processing or 8 transporting qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as 9 defined in section 41-1516.

55. Sales of repair parts installed in equipment used directly by a 10 11 qualified business under section 41-1516 in harvesting, processing or 12 transporting qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as 13 defined in section 41-1516.

14 56. Sales or other transfers of renewable energy credits or any other 15 unit created to track energy derived from renewable energy resources. For the purposes of this paragraph, "renewable energy credit" means a unit 16 17 created administratively by the corporation commission or governing body of a 18 public power utility to track kilowatt hours of electricity derived from a 19 renewable energy resource or the kilowatt hour equivalent of conventional 20 energy resources displaced by distributed renewable energy resources.

21 57. Computer data center equipment purchased by the owner, operator or qualified colocation tenant of the computer data center or an authorized 22 23 agent of the owner, operator or qualified colocation tenant during the 24 qualification period for use in a computer data center that is certified by 25 the Arizona commerce authority under section 41-1519. To qualify for this 26 deduction, at the time of purchase, the owner, operator or qualified 27 colocation tenant must present to the retailer its certificate that is issued 28 pursuant to section 41-1519 and that establishes its qualification for the 29 deduction. For the purposes of this paragraph, "computer data center", "computer data center equipment", "qualification period" and "qualified 30 31 colocation tenant" have the same meanings prescribed in section 41-1519.

32 58. Orthodontic devices dispensed by a dental professional who is 33 licensed under title 32, chapter 11 to a patient as part of the practice of 34 dentistry.

35 59. Sales of tangible personal property incorporated or fabricated into a project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, that is located 36 37 within the exterior boundaries of an Indian reservation for which the owner, 38 as defined in section 42-5075, of the project is an Indian tribe or an 39 affiliated Indian. For the purposes of this paragraph:

40 "Affiliated Indian" means an individual native American Indian who (a) 41 is duly registered on the tribal rolls of the Indian tribe for whose benefit 42 the Indian reservation was established.

43 (b) "Indian reservation" means all lands that are within the limits of 44 areas set aside by the United States for the exclusive use and occupancy of

an Indian tribe by treaty, law or executive order and that are recognized as
 Indian reservations by the United States department of the interior.

3 (c) "Indian tribe" means any organized nation, tribe, band or 4 community that is recognized as an Indian tribe by the United States 5 department of the interior and includes any entity formed under the laws of 6 the Indian tribe.

B. In addition to the deductions from the tax base prescribed by
subsection A of this section, the gross proceeds of sales or gross income
derived from sales of the following categories of tangible personal property
shall be deducted from the tax base:

11 or equipment, used directly in manufacturing, 1. Machinery. processing, fabricating, job printing, refining or metallurgical operations. 12 13 The terms "manufacturing", "processing", "fabricating", "job printing", 14 "refining" and "metallurgical" as used in this paragraph refer to and include 15 those operations commonly understood within their ordinary meaning. 16 "Metallurgical operations" includes leaching, milling, precipitating, 17 smelting and refining.

2. Mining machinery, or equipment, used directly in the process of extracting ores or minerals from the earth for commercial purposes, including equipment required to prepare the materials for extraction and handling, loading or transporting such extracted material to the surface. "Mining" includes underground, surface and open pit operations for extracting ores and minerals.

3. Tangible personal property sold to persons engaged in business classified under the telecommunications classification, including a person representing or working on behalf of such a person in a manner described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, and consisting of central office switching equipment, switchboards, private branch exchange equipment, microwave radio equipment and carrier equipment including optical fiber, coaxial cable and other transmission media that are components of carrier systems.

4. Machinery, equipment or transmission lines used directly in
 producing or transmitting electrical power, but not including distribution.
 Transformers and control equipment used at transmission substation sites
 constitute equipment used in producing or transmitting electrical power.

5. Neat animals, horses, asses, sheep, ratites, swine or goats used or to be used as breeding or production stock, including sales of breedings or ownership shares in such animals used for breeding or production.

6. Pipes or valves four inches in diameter or larger used to transport oil, natural gas, artificial gas, water or coal slurry, including compressor units, regulators, machinery and equipment, fittings, seals and any other part that is used in operating the pipes or valves.

42 7. Aircraft, navigational and communication instruments and other43 accessories and related equipment sold to:

44 (a) A person holding a federal certificate of public convenience and
 45 necessity, a supplemental air carrier certificate under federal aviation

1 regulations (14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121) or a foreign air 2 carrier permit for air transportation for use as or in conjunction with or 3 becoming a part of aircraft to be used to transport persons, property or 4 United States mail in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.

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(b) Any foreign government.

6 (c) Persons who are not residents of this state and who will not use 7 such property in this state other than in removing such property from this 8 state. This subdivision also applies to corporations that are not 9 incorporated in this state, regardless of maintaining a place of business in 10 this state, if the principal corporate office is located outside this state 11 and the property will not be used in this state other than in removing the 12 property from this state.

8. Machinery, tools, equipment and related supplies used or consumed directly in repairing, remodeling or maintaining aircraft, aircraft engines or aircraft component parts by or on behalf of a certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.

Railroad rolling stock, rails, ties and signal control equipment
 used directly to transport persons or property.

19 10. Machinery or equipment used directly to drill for oil or gas or 20 used directly in the process of extracting oil or gas from the earth for 21 commercial purposes.

11. Buses or other urban mass transit vehicles that are used directly to transport persons or property for hire or pursuant to a governmentally adopted and controlled urban mass transportation program and that are sold to bus companies holding a federal certificate of convenience and necessity or operated by any city, town or other governmental entity or by any person contracting with such governmental entity as part of a governmentally adopted and controlled program to provide urban mass transportation.

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12. Groundwater measuring devices required under section 45-604.

13. New machinery and equipment consisting of tractors, tractor-drawn implements, self-powered implements, machinery and equipment necessary for extracting milk, and machinery and equipment necessary for cooling milk and livestock, and drip irrigation lines not already exempt under paragraph 6 of this subsection and that are used for commercial production of agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and floricultural crops and products in this state. For the purposes of this paragraph:

37 (a) "New machinery and equipment" means machinery and equipment that
 38 have never been sold at retail except pursuant to leases or rentals that do
 39 not total two years or more.

40 (b) "Self-powered implements" includes machinery and equipment that 41 are electric-powered.

42 14. Machinery or equipment used in research and development. For the 43 purposes of this paragraph, "research and development" means basic and 44 applied research in the sciences and engineering, and designing, developing 45 or testing prototypes, processes or new products, including research and 1 development of computer software that is embedded in or an integral part of 2 the prototype or new product or that is required for machinery or equipment 3 otherwise exempt under this section to function effectively. Research and 4 development do not include manufacturing quality control, routine consumer 5 product testing, market research, sales promotion, sales service, research in 6 social sciences or psychology, computer software research that is not 7 included in the definition of research and development, or other 8 nontechnological activities or technical services.

9 15. Tangible personal property that is used by either of the following 10 to receive, store, convert, produce, generate, decode, encode, control or 11 transmit telecommunications information:

(a) Any direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission
 service that operates pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations part 25.

14 (b) Any satellite television or data transmission facility, if both of 15 the following conditions are met:

(i) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes,
transmitted by the facility during the test period were transmitted to or on
behalf of one or more direct broadcast satellite television or data
transmission services that operate pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations
part 25.

(ii) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes, transmitted by or on behalf of those direct broadcast television or data transmission services during the test period were transmitted by the facility to or on behalf of those services.

For the purposes of subdivision (b) of this paragraph, "test period" means the three hundred sixty-five day period beginning on the later of the date on which the tangible personal property is purchased or the date on which the direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission service first transmits information to its customers.

30 16. Clean rooms that are used for manufacturing, processing, 31 fabrication or research and development, as defined in paragraph 14 of this 32 subsection, of semiconductor products. For the purposes of this paragraph, 33 "clean room" means all property that comprises or creates an environment 34 where humidity, temperature, particulate matter and contamination are 35 precisely controlled within specified parameters, without regard to whether 36 the property is actually contained within that environment or whether any of 37 the property is affixed to or incorporated into real property. Clean room:

38 (a) Includes the integrated systems, fixtures, piping, movable 39 partitions, lighting and all property that is necessary or adapted to reduce 40 contamination or to control airflow, temperature, humidity, chemical purity 41 or other environmental conditions or manufacturing tolerances, as well as the 42 production machinery and equipment operating in conjunction with the clean 43 room environment.

(b) Does not include the building or other permanent, nonremovablecomponent of the building that houses the clean room environment.

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17. Machinery and equipment used directly in the feeding of poultry, 2 the environmental control of housing for poultry, the movement of eggs within a production and packaging facility or the sorting or cooling of eggs. This 4 exemption does not apply to vehicles used for transporting eggs.

5 18. Machinery or equipment, including related structural components, that is employed in connection with manufacturing, processing, fabricating, 6 7 job printing, refining, mining, natural gas pipelines, metallurgical 8 operations, telecommunications, producing or transmitting electricity or 9 research and development and that is used directly to meet or exceed rules or regulations adopted by the federal energy regulatory commission, the United 10 11 States environmental protection agency, the United States nuclear regulatory 12 commission, the Arizona department of environmental quality or a political 13 subdivision of this state to prevent, monitor, control or reduce land, water 14 or air pollution.

15 19. Machinery and equipment that are sold to a person engaged in the commercial production of livestock, livestock products or agricultural, 16 17 horticultural, viticultural or floricultural crops or products in this state, 18 including a person representing or working on behalf of such a person in a 19 manner described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, if the machinery and 20 equipment are used directly and primarily to prevent, monitor, control or 21 reduce air, water or land pollution.

22 20. Machinery or equipment that enables a television station to 23 originate and broadcast or to receive and broadcast digital television 24 signals and that was purchased to facilitate compliance with the 25 telecommunications act of 1996 (P.L. 104-104; 110 Stat. 56; 47 United States 26 Code section 336) and the federal communications commission order issued 27 April 21, 1997 (47 Code of Federal Regulations part 73). This paragraph does 28 not exempt any of the following:

29 (a) Repair or replacement parts purchased for the machinery or 30 equipment described in this paragraph.

31 (b) Machinery or equipment purchased to replace machinery or equipment 32 for which an exemption was previously claimed and taken under this paragraph.

33 (c) Any machinery or equipment purchased after the television station 34 has ceased analog broadcasting, or purchased after November 1, 2009, 35 whichever occurs first.

21. Qualifying equipment that is purchased from and after June 30, 36 37 2004 through June 30, 2024 by a qualified business under section 41-1516 for harvesting or processing qualifying forest products removed from qualifying 38 39 projects as defined in section 41-1516. To qualify for this deduction, the 40 qualified business at the time of purchase must present its certification 41 approved by the department.

42 C. The deductions provided by subsection B of this section do not 43 include sales of:

44 1. Expendable materials. For the purposes of this paragraph, 45 expendable materials do not include any of the categories of tangible 1 personal property specified in subsection B of this section regardless of the 2 cost or useful life of that property.

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2. Janitorial equipment and hand tools.

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3. Office equipment, furniture and supplies.

5 4. Tangible personal property used in selling or distributing 6 activities, other than the telecommunications transmissions described in 7 subsection B, paragraph 15 of this section.

8 5. Motor vehicles required to be licensed by this state, except buses 9 or other urban mass transit vehicles specifically exempted pursuant to 10 subsection B, paragraph 11 of this section, without regard to the use of such 11 motor vehicles.

6. Shops, buildings, docks, depots and all other materials of whateverkind or character not specifically included as exempt.

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7. Motors and pumps used in drip irrigation systems.

15 8. Machinery and equipment or other tangible personal property used by
16 a contractor in the performance of a contract.

17 D. In addition to the deductions from the tax base prescribed by 18 subsection A of this section, there shall be deducted from the tax base the 19 gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales of machinery, 20 equipment, materials and other tangible personal property used directly and 21 predominantly to construct a qualified environmental technology manufacturing, producing or processing facility as described in section 22 23 41-1514.02. This subsection applies for ten full consecutive calendar or 24 fiscal years after the start of initial construction.

E. In computing the tax base, gross proceeds of sales or gross income from retail sales of heavy trucks and trailers does not include any amount attributable to federal excise taxes imposed by 26 United States Code section 4051.

F. If a person is engaged in an occupation or business to which subsection A of this section applies, the person's books shall be kept so as to show separately the gross proceeds of sales of tangible personal property and the gross income from sales of services, and if not so kept the tax shall be imposed on the total of the person's gross proceeds of sales of tangible personal property and gross income from services.

G. If a person is engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at both wholesale and retail, the tax under this section applies only to the gross proceeds of the sales made other than at wholesale if the person's books are kept so as to show separately the gross proceeds of sales of each class, and if the books are not so kept, the tax under this section applies to the gross proceeds of every sale so made.

H. A person who engages in manufacturing, baling, crating, boxing,
barreling, canning, bottling, sacking, preserving, processing or otherwise
preparing for sale or commercial use any livestock, agricultural or
horticultural product or any other product, article, substance or commodity
and who sells the product of such business at retail in this state is deemed,

1 as to such sales, to be engaged in business classified under the retail 2 classification. This subsection does not apply to:

3 1. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS WHO ARE OWNERS, PROPRIETORS OR TENANTS OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS, ORCHARDS, FARMS OR GARDENS WHERE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS 4 5 ARE GROWN. RAISED OR PREPARED FOR MARKET AND WHO ARE MARKETING THEIR OWN 6 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.

> 2. Businesses classified under the:

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(a) Transporting classification. 1

9 <del>2.</del> (b) Utilities classification.

<del>3.</del> (c) Telecommunications classification. 10

11 4. (d) Pipeline classification. Private car line classification.

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13 <del>6.</del> (f) Publication classification.

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<del>7.</del> (g) Job printing classification. Prime contracting classification. 8. (h)

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9. (i) Restaurant classification.

17 Ι. The gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the 18 following shall be deducted from the tax base for the retail classification: 19

1. Sales made directly to the United States government or its 20 departments or agencies by a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer.

21 2. Sales made directly to a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer if such sales are of any ingredient or component part of products 22 23 sold directly to the United States government or its departments or agencies 24 by the manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer.

25 Overhead materials or other tangible personal property that is used 3. 26 in performing a contract between the United States government and a 27 manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer, including property used in 28 performing a subcontract with a government contractor who is a manufacturer, 29 modifier, assembler or repairer, to which title passes to the government 30 under the terms of the contract or subcontract.

31 4. Sales of overhead materials or other tangible personal property to 32 a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer if the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the property by the manufacturer, 33 modifier, assembler or repairer will be exempt under paragraph 3 of this 34 35 subsection.

36 J. There shall be deducted from the tax base fifty percent of the 37 gross proceeds or gross income from any sale of tangible personal property 38 made directly to the United States government or its departments or agencies 39 that is not deducted under subsection I of this section.

40 K. The department shall require every person claiming a deduction 41 provided by subsection I or J of this section to file on forms prescribed by 42 the department at such times as the department directs a sworn statement 43 disclosing the name of the purchaser and the exact amount of sales on which 44 the exclusion or deduction is claimed.

L. In computing the tax base, gross proceeds of sales or gross income
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1. A manufacturer's cash rebate on the sales price of a motor vehicle if the buyer assigns the buyer's right in the rebate to the retailer.

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5 2. The waste tire disposal fee imposed pursuant to section 44-1302. 6 M. There shall be deducted from the tax base the amount received from 7 sales of solar energy devices. The retailer shall register with the 8 department as a solar energy retailer. By registering, the retailer 9 acknowledges that it will make its books and records relating to sales of 10 solar energy devices available to the department for examination.

N. In computing the tax base in the case of the sale or transfer of wireless telecommunications equipment as an inducement to a customer to enter into or continue a contract for telecommunications services that are taxable under section 42-5064, gross proceeds of sales or gross income does not include any sales commissions or other compensation received by the retailer as a result of the customer entering into or continuing a contract for the telecommunications services.

0. For the purposes of this section, a sale of wireless telecommunications equipment to a person who holds the equipment for sale or transfer to a customer as an inducement to enter into or continue a contract for telecommunications services that are taxable under section 42-5064 is considered to be a sale for resale in the regular course of business.

P. Retail sales of prepaid calling cards or prepaid authorization numbers for telecommunications services, including sales of reauthorization of a prepaid card or authorization number, are subject to tax under this section.

27 Q. For the purposes of this section, the diversion of gas from a 28 pipeline by a person engaged in the business of:

29 1. Operating a natural or artificial gas pipeline, for the sole 30 purpose of fueling compressor equipment to pressurize the pipeline, is not a 31 sale of the gas to the operator of the pipeline.

Converting natural gas into liquefied natural gas, for the sole
 purpose of fueling compressor equipment used in the conversion process, is
 not a sale of gas to the operator of the compressor equipment.

R. For the purposes of this section, the transfer of title or possession of coal from an owner or operator of a power plant to a person in the business of refining coal is not a sale of coal if both of the following apply:

39 1. The transfer of title or possession of the coal is for the purpose40 of refining the coal.

2. The title or possession of the coal is transferred back to the owner or operator of the power plant after completion of the coal refining process. For the purposes of this paragraph, "coal refining process" means the application of a coal additive system that aids in the reduction of 1 power plant emissions during the combustion of coal and the treatment of flue 2 gas.

3 S. If a seller is entitled to a deduction pursuant to subsection B, 4 paragraph 15, subdivision (b) of this section, the department may require the 5 purchaser to establish that the requirements of subsection B, paragraph 15, subdivision (b) of this section have been satisfied. If the purchaser cannot 6 7 establish that the requirements of subsection B, paragraph 15, subdivision 8 (b) of this section have been satisfied, the purchaser is liable in an amount 9 equal to any tax, penalty and interest which THAT the seller would have been 10 required to pay under article 1 of this chapter if the seller had not made a 11 deduction pursuant to subsection B, paragraph 15, subdivision (b) of this 12 section. Payment of the amount under this subsection exempts the purchaser 13 from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of this chapter and 14 related to the tangible personal property purchased. The amount shall be 15 treated as transaction privilege tax to the purchaser and as tax revenues 16 collected from the seller to designate the distribution base pursuant to 17 section 42-5029.

18 T. For the purposes of section 42-5032.01, the department shall 19 separately account for revenues collected under the retail classification 20 from businesses selling tangible personal property at retail:

21 1. On the premises of a multipurpose facility that is owned, leased or 22 operated by the tourism and sports authority pursuant to title 5, chapter 8.

23 2. At professional football contests that are held in a stadium 24 located on the campus of an institution under the jurisdiction of the Arizona 25 board of regents.

26 U. In computing the tax base for the sale of a motor vehicle to a 27 nonresident of this state, if the purchaser's state of residence allows a 28 corresponding use tax exemption to the tax imposed by article 1 of this 29 chapter and the rate of the tax in the purchaser's state of residence is 30 lower than the rate prescribed in article 1 of this chapter or if the 31 purchaser's state of residence does not impose an excise tax, and the 32 nonresident has secured a special ninety day nonresident registration permit 33 for the vehicle as prescribed by sections 28-2154 and 28-2154.01, there shall 34 be deducted from the tax base a portion of the gross proceeds or gross income 35 from the sale so that the amount of transaction privilege tax that is paid in 36 this state is equal to the excise tax that is imposed by the purchaser's 37 state of residence on the nonexempt sale or use of the motor vehicle.

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"Aircraft" includes: 1.

40 (a) An airplane flight simulator that is approved by the federal 41 aviation administration for use as a phase II or higher flight simulator 42 under appendix H, 14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121.

43 (b) Tangible personal property that is permanently affixed or attached 44 as a component part of an aircraft that is owned or operated by a 45 certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.

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1 2. "Other accessories and related equipment" includes aircraft 2 accessories and equipment such as ground service equipment that physically 3 contact aircraft at some point during the overall carrier operation.

3. "Selling at retail" means a sale for any purpose other than for resale in the regular course of business in the form of tangible personal property, but transfer of possession, lease and rental as used in the definition of sale mean only such transactions as are found on investigation to be in lieu of sales as defined without the words lease or rental.

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For the purposes of subsection I of this section:

1. "Assembler" means a person who unites or combines products, wares
 or articles of manufacture so as to produce a change in form or substance
 without changing or altering the component parts.

2. "Manufacturer" means a person who is principally engaged in the
fabrication, production or manufacture of products, wares or articles for use
from raw or prepared materials, imparting to those materials new forms,
qualities, properties and combinations.

17 3. "Modifier" means a person who reworks, changes or adds to products,18 wares or articles of manufacture.

4. "Overhead materials" means tangible personal property, the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from that would otherwise be included in the retail classification, and that are used or consumed in the performance of a contract, the cost of which is charged to an overhead expense account and allocated to various contracts based on generally accepted accounting principles and consistent with government contract accounting standards.

26 5. "Repairer" means a person who restores or renews products, wares or 27 articles of manufacture.

28 6. "Subcontract" means an agreement between a contractor and any 29 person who is not an employee of the contractor for furnishing of supplies or 30 services that, in whole or in part, are necessary to the performance of one 31 or more government contracts, or under which any portion of the contractor's 32 obligation under one or more government contracts is performed, undertaken or 33 assumed and that includes provisions causing title to overhead materials or 34 other tangible personal property used in the performance of the subcontract 35 to pass to the government or that includes provisions incorporating such 36 title passing clauses in a government contract into the subcontract.

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Sec. 6. Section 42-5159, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 42-5159. <u>Exemptions</u>

A. The tax levied by this article does not apply to the storage, use or consumption in this state of the following described tangible personal property:

Tangible personal property sold in this state, the gross receipts
 from the sale of which are included in the measure of the tax imposed by
 articles 1 and 2 of this chapter.

2. Tangible personal property, the sale or use of which has already been subjected to an excise tax at a rate equal to or exceeding the tax imposed by this article under the laws of another state of the United States. If the excise tax imposed by the other state is at a rate less than the tax imposed by this article, the tax imposed by this article is reduced by the amount of the tax already imposed by the other state.

7 3. Tangible personal property, the storage, use or consumption of 8 which the constitution or laws of the United States prohibit this state from 9 taxing or to the extent that the rate or imposition of tax is 10 unconstitutional under the laws of the United States.

A. Tangible personal property that directly enters into and becomes an
 ingredient or component part of any manufactured, fabricated or processed
 article, substance or commodity for sale in the regular course of business.

14 5. Motor vehicle fuel and use fuel, the sales, distribution or use of 15 which in this state is subject to the tax imposed under title 28, chapter 16, article 1, use fuel that is sold to or used by a person holding a valid 16 17 single trip use fuel tax permit issued under section 28-5739, aviation fuel, 18 the sales, distribution or use of which in this state is subject to the tax 19 imposed under section 28-8344, and jet fuel, the sales, distribution or use 20 of which in this state is subject to the tax imposed under article 8 of this 21 chapter.

6. Tangible personal property brought into this state by an individual who was a nonresident at the time the property was purchased for storage, use or consumption by the individual if the first actual use or consumption of the property was outside this state, unless the property is used in conducting a business in this state.

7. Purchases of implants used as growth promotants and injectable medicines, not already exempt under paragraph 16 of this subsection, for livestock and poultry owned by, or in possession of, persons who are engaged in producing livestock, poultry, or livestock or poultry products, or who are engaged in feeding livestock or poultry commercially. For the purposes of this paragraph, "poultry" includes ratites.

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8. PURCHASES OF:

34 (a) LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY TO PERSONS ENGAGING IN THE BUSINESSES OF
 35 FARMING, RANCHING OR PRODUCING LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY.

(b) Livestock, AND poultry FEED, supplies, feed, salts, vitamins and
 other additives SOLD TO PERSONS for use or consumption in the businesses of
 farming, ranching and PRODUCING OR feeding livestock or poultry, not
 including fertilizers, herbicides and insecticides OR FOR USE OR CONSUMPTION
 IN NONCOMMERCIAL BOARDING OF LIVESTOCK. For the purposes of this paragraph,
 "poultry" includes ratites.

9. Seeds, seedlings, roots, bulbs, cuttings and other propagative
material for use in commercially producing agricultural, horticultural,
viticultural or floricultural crops in this state.

1 10. Tangible personal property not exceeding two hundred dollars in 2 any one month purchased by an individual at retail outside the continental 3 limits of the United States for the individual's own personal use and 4 enjoyment.

5 11. Advertising supplements that are intended for sale with newspapers 6 published in this state and that have already been subjected to an excise tax 7 under the laws of another state in the United States that equals or exceeds 8 the tax imposed by this article.

9 12. Materials that are purchased by or for publicly funded libraries 10 including school district libraries, charter school libraries, community 11 college libraries, state university libraries or federal, state, county or 12 municipal libraries for use by the public as follows:

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(a) Printed or photographic materials, beginning August 7, 1985.

14 15 (b) Electronic or digital media materials, beginning July 17, 1994.13. Tangible personal property purchased by:

16 (a) A hospital organized and operated exclusively for charitable 17 purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any 18 private shareholder or individual.

19 (b) A hospital operated by this state or a political subdivision of 20 this state.

(c) A licensed nursing care institution or a licensed residential care institution or a residential care facility operated in conjunction with a licensed nursing care institution or a licensed kidney dialysis center, which provides medical services, nursing services or health related services and is not used or held for profit.

(d) A qualifying health care organization, as defined in section
42-5001, if the tangible personal property is used by the organization solely
to provide health and medical related educational and charitable services.

(e) A qualifying health care organization as defined in section
42-5001 if the organization is dedicated to providing educational,
therapeutic, rehabilitative and family medical education training for blind
and visually impaired children and children with multiple disabilities from
the time of birth to age twenty-one.

(f) A nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the United States internal revenue code and that engages in and uses such property exclusively in programs for persons with mental or physical disabilities if the programs are exclusively for training, job placement, rehabilitation or testing.

(g) A person that is subject to tax under this chapter by reason of being engaged in business classified under section 42-5075, or a subcontractor working under the control of a person that is engaged in business classified under section 42-5075, if the tangible personal property is any of the following: 1 (i) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into a structure, 2 project, development or improvement in fulfillment of a contract.

3 (ii) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into any project 4 described in section 42-5075, subsection 0.

5 (iii) Used in environmental response or remediation activities under 6 section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.

(h) A person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 and that 7 8 has been provided a copy of a certificate described in section 42-5009, 9 subsection L, if the property purchased is incorporated or fabricated by the person into the real property, structure, project, development or improvement 10 11 described in the certificate.

12 (i) A nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under 13 section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code if the property is purchased 14 from the parent or an affiliate organization that is located outside this 15 state.

16 (j) A qualifying community health center as defined in section 17 42-5001.

18 (k) A nonprofit charitable organization that has gualified under 19 section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code and that regularly serves 20 meals to the needy and indigent on a continuing basis at no cost.

21 (1) A person engaged in business under the transient lodging 22 classification if the property is a personal hygiene item or articles used by 23 human beings for food, drink or condiment, except alcoholic beverages, which 24 are furnished without additional charge to and intended to be consumed by the 25 transient during the transient's occupancy.

26 (m) For taxable periods beginning from and after June 30, 2001, a 27 nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) 28 of the internal revenue code and that provides residential apartment housing 29 for low income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that 30 qualifies for a federal housing subsidy, if the tangible personal property is 31 used by the organization solely to provide residential apartment housing for 32 low income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that qualifies 33 for a federal housing subsidy.

34 (n) A qualifying health sciences educational institution as defined in 35 section 42-5001.

36 (o) A person representing or working on behalf of any person described 37 in subdivision (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (i), (j), (k), (m) or (n) of this paragraph, if the tangible personal property is incorporated or 38 39 fabricated into a project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0.

40 Commodities, as defined by title 7 United States Code section 2, 14. 41 that are consigned for resale in a warehouse in this state in or from which 42 the commodity is deliverable on a contract for future delivery subject to the 43 rules of a commodity market regulated by the United States commodity futures 44 trading commission.

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- 15. Tangible personal property sold by:

(a) Any nonprofit organization organized and operated exclusively for
 charitable purposes and recognized by the United States internal revenue
 service under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code.

(b) A nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4) or 501(c)(6) of the internal revenue code if the organization is associated with a major league baseball team or a national touring professional golfing association and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

10 (c) A nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under 11 section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), 501(c)(6), 501(c)(7) or 501(c)(8) of the 12 internal revenue code if the organization sponsors or operates a rodeo 13 featuring primarily farm and ranch animals and no part of the organization's 14 net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

15 16. Drugs and medical oxygen, including delivery hose, mask or tent, 16 regulator and tank, on the prescription of a member of the medical, dental or 17 veterinarian profession who is licensed by law to administer such substances.

18 17. Prosthetic appliances, as defined in section 23-501, prescribed or 19 recommended by a person who is licensed, registered or otherwise 20 professionally credentialed as a physician, dentist, podiatrist, 21 chiropractor, naturopath, homeopath, nurse or optometrist.

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18. Prescription eyeglasses and contact lenses.

23 24 19. Insulin, insulin syringes and glucose test strips.

20. Hearing aids as defined in section 36-1901.

25 21. Durable medical equipment that has a centers for medicare and 26 medicaid services common procedure code, is designated reimbursable by 27 medicare, is prescribed by a person who is licensed under title 32, chapter 28 7, 13, 17 or 29, can withstand repeated use, is primarily and customarily 29 used to serve a medical purpose, is generally not useful to a person in the 30 absence of illness or injury and is appropriate for use in the home.

31 22. Food, as provided in and subject to the conditions of article 3 of 32 this chapter and section 42-5074.

23. Items purchased with United States department of agriculture food stamp coupons issued under the food stamp act of 1977 (P.L. 95-113; 91 Stat. 958) or food instruments issued under section 17 of the child nutrition act (P.L. 95-627; 92 Stat. 3603; P.L. 99-661, section 4302; 42 United States Code section 1786).

38 24. Food and drink provided without monetary charge by a taxpayer that 39 is subject to section 42-5074 to its employees for their own consumption on 40 the premises during the employees' hours of employment.

25. Tangible personal property that is used or consumed in a business
subject to section 42-5074 for human food, drink or condiment, whether
simple, mixed or compounded.

44 26. Food, drink or condiment and accessory tangible personal property 45 that are acquired for use by or provided to a school district or charter 1 school if they are to be either served or prepared and served to persons for 2 consumption on the premises of a public school in the school district or on 3 the premises of the charter school during school hours.

4 27. Lottery tickets or shares purchased pursuant to title 5, chapter 5 5.1, article 1.

6 28. Textbooks, sold by a bookstore, that are required by any state 7 university or community college.

8 29. Magazines, other periodicals or other publications produced by 9 this state to encourage tourist travel.

10 30. Paper machine clothing, such as forming fabrics and dryer felts, 11 purchased by a paper manufacturer and directly used or consumed in paper 12 manufacturing.

13 31. Coal, petroleum, coke, natural gas, virgin fuel oil and 14 electricity purchased by a qualified environmental technology manufacturer, 15 producer or processor as defined in section 41-1514.02 and directly used or 16 consumed in the generation or provision of on-site power or energy solely for 17 environmental technology manufacturing, producing or processing or environmental protection. This paragraph shall apply for twenty full 18 19 consecutive calendar or fiscal years from the date the first paper 20 manufacturing machine is placed in service. In the case of an environmental 21 technology manufacturer, producer or processor who does not manufacture 22 paper, the time period shall begin with the date the first manufacturing, 23 processing or production equipment is placed in service.

24 32. Motor vehicles that are removed from inventory by a motor vehicle 25 dealer as defined in section 28-4301 and that are provided to:

26 (a) Charitable or educational institutions that are exempt from 27 taxation under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code.

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(b) Public educational institutions.

(c) State universities or affiliated organizations of a state
 university if no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the
 benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

32 33. Natural gas or liquefied petroleum gas used to propel a motor 33 vehicle.

34 34. Machinery, equipment, technology or related supplies that are only 35 useful to assist a person with a physical disability as defined in section 36 46-191 or a person who has a developmental disability as defined in section 37 36-551 or has a head injury as defined in section 41-3201 to be more 38 independent and functional.

39 35. Liquid, solid or gaseous chemicals used in manufacturing, 40 processing, fabricating, mining, refining, metallurgical operations, research 41 and development and, beginning on January 1, 1999, printing, if using or 42 consuming the chemicals, alone or as part of an integrated system of 43 chemicals, involves direct contact with the materials from which the product 44 is produced for the purpose of causing or permitting a chemical or physical 45 change to occur in the materials as part of the production process. This paragraph does not include chemicals that are used or consumed in activities such as packaging, storage or transportation but does not affect any exemption for such chemicals that is otherwise provided by this section. For the purposes of this paragraph, "printing" means a commercial printing operation and includes job printing, engraving, embossing, copying and bookbinding.

7 36. Food, drink and condiment purchased for consumption within the 8 premises of any prison, jail or other institution under the jurisdiction of 9 the state department of corrections, the department of public safety, the 10 department of juvenile corrections or a county sheriff.

11 37. A motor vehicle and any repair and replacement parts and tangible 12 personal property becoming a part of such motor vehicle sold to a motor 13 carrier who is subject to a fee prescribed in title 28, chapter 16, article 4 14 and who is engaged in the business of leasing or renting such property.

15 38. Tangible personal property that is or directly enters into and 16 becomes an ingredient or component part of cards used as prescription plan 17 identification cards.

18 39. Overhead materials or other tangible personal property that is 19 used in performing a contract between the United States government and a 20 manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer, including property used in 21 performing a subcontract with a government contractor who is a manufacturer, 22 modifier, assembler or repairer, to which title passes to the government 23 under the terms of the contract or subcontract. For the purposes of this 24 paragraph:

(a) "Overhead materials" means tangible personal property, the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from which would otherwise be included in the retail classification, that is used or consumed in the performance of a contract, the cost of which is charged to an overhead expense account and allocated to various contracts based on generally accepted accounting principles and consistent with government contract accounting standards.

32 (b) "Subcontract" means an agreement between a contractor and any 33 person who is not an employee of the contractor for furnishing of supplies or 34 services that, in whole or in part, are necessary to the performance of one 35 or more government contracts, or under which any portion of the contractor's 36 obligation under one or more government contracts is performed, undertaken or 37 assumed, and that includes provisions causing title to overhead materials or 38 other tangible personal property used in the performance of the subcontract 39 to pass to the government or that includes provisions incorporating such 40 title passing clauses in a government contract into the subcontract.

40. Through December 31, 1994, tangible personal property sold 42 pursuant to a personal property liquidation transaction, as defined in 43 section 42-5061. From and after December 31, 1994, tangible personal 44 property sold pursuant to a personal property liquidation transaction, as 45 defined in section 42-5061, if the gross proceeds of the sales were included 1 in the measure of the tax imposed by article 1 of this chapter or if the 2 personal property liquidation was a casual activity or transaction.

41. Wireless telecommunications equipment that is held for sale or transfer to a customer as an inducement to enter into or continue a contract for telecommunications services that are taxable under section 42-5064.

6 42. Alternative fuel, as defined in section 1-215, purchased by a used 7 oil fuel burner who has received a permit to burn used oil or used oil fuel 8 under section 49-426 or 49-480.

9 43. Tangible personal property purchased by a commercial airline and 10 consisting of food, beverages and condiments and accessories used for serving 11 the food and beverages, if those items are to be provided without additional charge to passengers for consumption in flight. For the purposes of this 12 paragraph, "commercial airline" means a person holding a federal certificate 13 14 of public convenience and necessity or foreign air carrier permit for air 15 transportation to transport persons, property or United States mail in 16 intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.

17 44. Alternative fuel vehicles if the vehicle was manufactured as a 18 diesel fuel vehicle and converted to operate on alternative fuel and 19 equipment that is installed in a conventional diesel fuel motor vehicle to 20 convert the vehicle to operate on an alternative fuel, as defined in section 21 1-215.

45. Gas diverted from a pipeline, by a person engaged in the businessof:

(a) Operating a natural or artificial gas pipeline, and used or
 consumed for the sole purpose of fueling compressor equipment that
 pressurizes the pipeline.

(b) Converting natural gas into liquefied natural gas, and used or
 consumed for the sole purpose of fueling compressor equipment used in the
 conversion process.

46. Tangible personal property that is excluded, exempt or deductible
 from transaction privilege tax pursuant to section 42-5063.

47. Tangible personal property purchased to be incorporated or
 installed as part of environmental response or remediation activities under
 section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.

48. Tangible personal property sold by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(6) of the internal revenue code if the organization produces, organizes or promotes cultural or civic related festivals or events and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

40 49. Prepared food, drink or condiment donated by a restaurant as 41 classified in section 42-5074, subsection A to a nonprofit charitable 42 organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the internal 43 revenue code and that regularly serves meals to the needy and indigent on a 44 continuing basis at no cost. 50. Application services that are designed to assess or test student learning or to promote curriculum design or enhancement purchased by or for any school district, charter school, community college or state university. For the purposes of this paragraph:

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(a) "Application services" means software applications provided remotely using hypertext transfer protocol or another network protocol.

7 (b) "Curriculum design or enhancement" means planning, implementing or 8 reporting on courses of study, lessons, assignments or other learning 9 activities.

10 51. Motor vehicle fuel and use fuel to a qualified business under 11 section 41-1516 for off-road use in harvesting, processing or transporting 12 qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as defined in 13 section 41-1516.

52. Repair parts installed in equipment used directly by a qualified business under section 41-1516 in harvesting, processing or transporting qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as defined in section 41-1516.

18 53. Renewable energy credits or any other unit created to track energy 19 derived from renewable energy resources. For the purposes of this paragraph, 20 "renewable energy credit" means a unit created administratively by the 21 corporation commission or governing body of a public power entity to track 22 kilowatt hours of electricity derived from a renewable energy resource or the 23 kilowatt hour equivalent of conventional energy resources displaced by 24 distributed renewable energy resources.

25 54. Computer data center equipment purchased by the owner, operator or 26 qualified colocation tenant of the computer data center or an authorized 27 agent of the owner, operator or qualified colocation tenant during the 28 qualification period for use in a computer data center that is certified by 29 the Arizona commerce authority under section 41-1519. To qualify for this 30 deduction, at the time of purchase, the owner, operator or qualified 31 colocation tenant must present to the retailer its certificate that is issued 32 pursuant to section 41-1519 and that establishes its qualification for the 33 deduction. For the purposes of this paragraph, "computer data center", 34 "computer data center equipment", "qualification period" and "qualified 35 colocation tenant" have the same meanings prescribed in section 41-1519.

36 55. Coal acquired from an owner or operator of a power plant by a 37 person who is responsible for refining coal if both of the following apply:

38 (a) The transfer of title or possession of the coal is for the purpose39 of refining the coal.

40 (b) The title or possession of the coal is transferred back to the 41 owner or operator of the power plant after completion of the coal refining 42 process. For the purposes of this subdivision, "coal refining process" means 43 the application of a coal additive system that aids the reduction of power 44 plant emissions during the combustion of coal and the treatment of flue gas. 1 56. Tangible personal property incorporated or fabricated into a 2 project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, that is located within 3 the exterior boundaries of an Indian reservation for which the owner, as defined in section 42-5075, of the project is an Indian tribe or an 4 5 affiliated Indian. For the purposes of this paragraph:

(a) "Affiliated Indian" means an individual native American Indian who 6 7 is duly registered on the tribal rolls of the Indian tribe for whose benefit 8 the Indian reservation was established.

9 (b) "Indian reservation" means all lands that are within the limits of areas set aside by the United States for the exclusive use and occupancy of 10 11 an Indian tribe by treaty, law or executive order and that are recognized as 12 Indian reservations by the United States department of the interior.

13 (c) "Indian tribe" means any organized nation, tribe, band or community that is recognized as an Indian tribe by the United States 14 15 department of the interior and includes any entity formed under the laws of 16 the Indian tribe.

17 B. In addition to the exemptions allowed by subsection A of this 18 section, the following categories of tangible personal property are also 19 exempt:

20 1. Machinery, or equipment, used directly in manufacturing, 21 processing, fabricating, job printing, refining or metallurgical operations. 22 The terms "manufacturing", "processing", "fabricating", "job printing", 23 "refining" and "metallurgical" as used in this paragraph refer to and include 24 those operations commonly understood within their ordinary meaning. 25 "Metallurgical operations" includes leaching, milling, precipitating, 26 smelting and refining.

27 2. Machinery, or equipment, used directly in the process of extracting 28 ores or minerals from the earth for commercial purposes, including equipment 29 required to prepare the materials for extraction and handling, loading or 30 transporting such extracted material to the surface. "Mining" includes 31 underground, surface and open pit operations for extracting ores and 32 minerals.

33 Tangible personal property sold to persons engaged in business 3. 34 classified under the telecommunications classification under section 42-5064, 35 including a person representing or working on behalf of such a person in a manner described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, and consisting of central 36 37 office switching equipment, switchboards, private branch exchange equipment, 38 microwave radio equipment and carrier equipment including optical fiber, 39 coaxial cable and other transmission media that are components of carrier 40 systems.

41 4. Machinery, equipment or transmission lines used directly in 42 producing or transmitting electrical power, but not including distribution. 43 Transformers and control equipment used at transmission substation sites 44 constitute equipment used in producing or transmitting electrical power.

5. Neat animals, horses, asses, sheep, ratites, swine or goats used or to be used as breeding or production stock, including sales of breedings or ownership shares in such animals used for breeding or production.

6. Pipes or valves four inches in diameter or larger used to transport oil, natural gas, artificial gas, water or coal slurry, including compressor units, regulators, machinery and equipment, fittings, seals and any other part that is used in operating the pipes or valves.

8 7. Aircraft, navigational and communication instruments and other 9 accessories and related equipment sold to:

10 (a) A person holding a federal certificate of public convenience and 11 necessity, a supplemental air carrier certificate under federal aviation 12 regulations (14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121) or a foreign air 13 carrier permit for air transportation for use as or in conjunction with or 14 becoming a part of aircraft to be used to transport persons, property or 15 United States mail in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.

16 (b) Any foreign government, or sold to persons who are not residents 17 of this state and who will not use such property in this state other than in 18 removing such property from this state.

8. Machinery, tools, equipment and related supplies used or consumed directly in repairing, remodeling or maintaining aircraft, aircraft engines or aircraft component parts by or on behalf of a certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.

9. Rolling stock, rails, ties and signal control equipment used
directly to transport persons or property.

25 10. Machinery or equipment used directly to drill for oil or gas or 26 used directly in the process of extracting oil or gas from the earth for 27 commercial purposes.

11. Buses or other urban mass transit vehicles that are used directly to transport persons or property for hire or pursuant to a governmentally adopted and controlled urban mass transportation program and that are sold to bus companies holding a federal certificate of convenience and necessity or operated by any city, town or other governmental entity or by any person contracting with such governmental entity as part of a governmentally adopted and controlled program to provide urban mass transportation.

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12. Groundwater measuring devices required under section 45-604.

13. New machinery and equipment consisting of tractors, tractor-drawn implements, self-powered implements, machinery and equipment necessary for extracting milk, and machinery and equipment necessary for cooling milk and livestock, and drip irrigation lines not already exempt under paragraph 6 of this subsection and that are used for commercial production of agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and floricultural crops and products in this state. For the purposes of this paragraph:

(a) "New machinery and equipment" means machinery or equipment that
 has never been sold at retail except pursuant to leases or rentals that do
 not total two years or more.

1 (b) "Self-powered implements" includes machinery and equipment that 2 are electric-powered.

3 14. Machinery or equipment used in research and development. For the purposes of this paragraph, "research and development" means basic and 4 5 applied research in the sciences and engineering, and designing, developing or testing prototypes, processes or new products, including research and 6 7 development of computer software that is embedded in or an integral part of 8 the prototype or new product or that is required for machinery or equipment 9 otherwise exempt under this section to function effectively. Research and 10 development do not include manufacturing quality control, routine consumer 11 product testing, market research, sales promotion, sales service, research in 12 social sciences or psychology, computer software research that is not 13 included in the definition of research and development, or other nontechnological activities or technical services. 14

15. Tangible personal property that is used by either of the following 16 to receive, store, convert, produce, generate, decode, encode, control or 17 transmit telecommunications information:

(a) Any direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission
 service that operates pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations part 25.

20 (b) Any satellite television or data transmission facility, if both of 21 the following conditions are met:

(i) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes,
 transmitted by the facility during the test period were transmitted to or on
 behalf of one or more direct broadcast satellite television or data
 transmission services that operate pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations
 part 25.

(ii) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes,
transmitted by or on behalf of those direct broadcast television or data
transmission services during the test period were transmitted by the facility
to or on behalf of those services.

For the purposes of subdivision (b) of this paragraph, "test period" means the three hundred sixty-five day period beginning on the later of the date on which the tangible personal property is purchased or the date on which the direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission service first transmits information to its customers.

36 16. Clean rooms that are used for manufacturing, processing, 37 fabrication or research and development, as defined in paragraph 14 of this subsection, of semiconductor products. For the purposes of this paragraph, 38 39 "clean room" means all property that comprises or creates an environment 40 where humidity, temperature, particulate matter and contamination are 41 precisely controlled within specified parameters, without regard to whether 42 the property is actually contained within that environment or whether any of 43 the property is affixed to or incorporated into real property. Clean room:

44 (a) Includes the integrated systems, fixtures, piping, movable 45 partitions, lighting and all property that is necessary or adapted to reduce 1 contamination or to control airflow, temperature, humidity, chemical purity 2 or other environmental conditions or manufacturing tolerances, as well as the 3 production machinery and equipment operating in conjunction with the clean 4 room environment.

5 (b) Does not include the building or other permanent, nonremovable 6 component of the building that houses the clean room environment.

7 17. Machinery and equipment that are used directly in the feeding of 8 poultry, the environmental control of housing for poultry, the movement of 9 eggs within a production and packaging facility or the sorting or cooling of 10 eggs. This exemption does not apply to vehicles used for transporting eggs.

11 18. Machinery or equipment, including related structural components, 12 that is employed in connection with manufacturing, processing, fabricating, 13 job printing, refining, mining, natural gas pipelines, metallurgical 14 operations, telecommunications, producing or transmitting electricity or 15 research and development and that is used directly to meet or exceed rules or 16 regulations adopted by the federal energy regulatory commission, the United 17 States environmental protection agency, the United States nuclear regulatory 18 commission, the Arizona department of environmental quality or a political 19 subdivision of this state to prevent, monitor, control or reduce land, water 20 or air pollution.

19. Machinery and equipment that are used in the commercial production of livestock, livestock products or agricultural, horticultural, viticultural or floricultural crops or products in this state and that are used directly and primarily to prevent, monitor, control or reduce air, water or land pollution.

20. Machinery or equipment that enables a television station to 27 originate and broadcast or to receive and broadcast digital television 28 signals and that was purchased to facilitate compliance with the 29 telecommunications act of 1996 (P.L. 104-104; 110 Stat. 56; 47 United States 30 Code section 336) and the federal communications commission order issued 31 April 21, 1997 (47 Code of Federal Regulations part 73). This paragraph does 32 not exempt any of the following:

33 (a) Repair or replacement parts purchased for the machinery or
 34 equipment described in this paragraph.

(b) Machinery or equipment purchased to replace machinery or equipment
 for which an exemption was previously claimed and taken under this paragraph.

37 (c) Any machinery or equipment purchased after the television station
 38 has ceased analog broadcasting, or purchased after November 1, 2009,
 39 whichever occurs first.

40 21. Qualifying equipment that is purchased from and after June 30, 41 2004 through June 30, 2024 by a qualified business under section 41-1516 for 42 harvesting or processing qualifying forest products removed from qualifying 43 projects as defined in section 41-1516. To qualify for this exemption, the 44 qualified business must obtain and present its certification from the Arizona 45 commerce authority at the time of purchase. 1 C. The exemptions provided by subsection B of this section do not 2 include:

1. Expendable materials. For the purposes of this paragraph, expendable materials do not include any of the categories of tangible personal property specified in subsection B of this section regardless of the cost or useful life of that property.

7 8 2. Janitorial equipment and hand tools.

3. Office equipment, furniture and supplies.

9 4. Tangible personal property used in selling or distributing 10 activities, other than the telecommunications transmissions described in 11 subsection B, paragraph 15 of this section.

5. Motor vehicles required to be licensed by this state, except buses or other urban mass transit vehicles specifically exempted pursuant to subsection B, paragraph 11 of this section, without regard to the use of such motor vehicles.

16 6. Shops, buildings, docks, depots and all other materials of whatever 17 kind or character not specifically included as exempt.

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7. Motors and pumps used in drip irrigation systems.

8. Machinery and equipment or tangible personal property used by a
 contractor in the performance of a contract.

D. The following shall be deducted in computing the purchase price of electricity by a retail electric customer from a utility business:

Revenues received from sales of ancillary services, electric
 distribution services, electric generation services, electric transmission
 services and other services related to providing electricity to a retail
 electric customer who is located outside this state for use outside this
 state if the electricity is delivered to a point of sale outside this state.

28 2. Revenues received from providing electricity, including ancillary 29 services, electric distribution services, electric generation services, 30 electric transmission services and other services related to providing 31 electricity with respect to which the transaction privilege tax imposed under 32 section 42-5063 has been paid.

E. The tax levied by this article does not apply to the purchase of solar energy devices from a retailer that is registered with the department as a solar energy retailer or a solar energy contractor.

36 F. The following shall be deducted in computing the purchase price of 37 electricity by a retail electric customer from a utility business:

38 1. Fees charged by a municipally owned utility to persons constructing 39 residential, commercial or industrial developments or connecting residential, 40 commercial or industrial developments to a municipal utility system or 41 systems if the fees are segregated and used only for capital expansion, 42 system enlargement or debt service of the utility system or systems.

A. Reimbursement or contribution compensation to any person or persons
owning a utility system for property and equipment installed to provide
utility access to, on or across the land of an actual utility consumer if the

property and equipment become the property of the utility. This deduction shall not exceed the value of such property and equipment.

3 G. The tax levied by this article does not apply to the purchase price 4 of electricity or natural gas by:

1. A business that is principally engaged in manufacturing or smelting operations and that uses at least fifty-one percent of the electricity or natural gas in the manufacturing or smelting operations. This paragraph does not apply to gas transportation services. For the purposes of this paragraph:

10 (a) "Gas transportation services" means the services of transporting 11 natural gas to a natural gas customer or to a natural gas distribution 12 facility if the natural gas was purchased from a supplier other than the 13 utility.

(b) "Manufacturing" means the performance as a business of an integrated series of operations that places tangible personal property in a form, composition or character different from that in which it was acquired and transforms it into a different product with a distinctive name, character or use. Manufacturing does not include processing, fabricating, job printing, mining, generating electricity or operating a restaurant.

20 (c) "Principally engaged" means at least fifty-one percent of the 21 business is a manufacturing or smelting operation.

(d) "Smelting" means to melt or fuse a metalliferous mineral, oftenwith an accompanying chemical change, usually to separate the metal.

24 2. A business that operates an international operations center in this 25 state and that is certified by the Arizona commerce authority pursuant to 26 section 41-1520.

27 28 H. For the purposes of subsection B of this section:

1. "Aircraft" includes:

(a) An airplane flight simulator that is approved by the federal
 aviation administration for use as a phase II or higher flight simulator
 under appendix H, 14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121.

32 (b) Tangible personal property that is permanently affixed or attached 33 as a component part of an aircraft that is owned or operated by a 34 certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.

35 2. "Other accessories and related equipment" includes aircraft
 36 accessories and equipment such as ground service equipment that physically
 37 contact aircraft at some point during the overall carrier operation.

I. For the purposes of subsection D of this section, "ancillary
 services", "electric distribution service", "electric generation service",
 "electric transmission service" and "other services" have the same meanings
 prescribed in section 42-5063.