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S. B. No. 14

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A BILL

To amend sections 122.075, 122.71, 122.72, 122.74,	1
122.75, 122.87, 122.88, 122.89, 122.90, 125.831,	2
169.05, 4141.01, 4141.09, 4141.241, 4141.29,	3
4141.291, 4141.293, 4301.20, 5733.01, 5733.98,	4
5739.01, 5739.02, 5739.025, 5747.01, 5747.98,	5
5751.01, 5751.98, and 6301.06, to enact sections	б
122.084, 122.721, 122.731, 122.891, 4141.294,	7
4141.302, 4141.50 to 4141.57, 5709.29, 5747.61,	8
5751.55, 6301.021, 6303.01, and 6303.02, and to	9
repeal sections 901.13, 5733.46, 5733.48, 5747.28,	10
5747.29, 5747.70, 5747.75, 5747.77, and 5751.53 of	11
the Revised Code to authorize programs and tax	12
credits to encourage the hiring of unemployed	13
individuals, to make changes to the Unemployment	14
Compensation Law, to authorize grants and tax	15
credits for the rehabilitation of distressed areas	16
and the expansion of broadband connections to	17
rural areas, to create a revolving loan fund and a	18
bonding program for small businesses, to make	19
changes to the Minority Business Bonding Program,	20
to levy taxes, and to make an appropriation.	21

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 122.075, 122.71, 122.72, 122.74, 22 122.75, 122.87, 122.88, 122.89, 122.90, 125.831, 169.05, 4141.01, 23 4141.09, 4141.241, 4141.29, 4141.291, 4141.293, 4301.20, 5733.01, 24 5733.98, 5739.01, 5739.02, 5739.025, 5747.01, 5747.98, 5751.01, 25 5751.98, and 6301.06 be amended and sections 122.084, 122.721, 26 122.731, 122.891, 4141.294, 4141.302, 4141.50, 4141.51, 4141.52, 27 4141.53, 4141.54, 4141.55, 4141.56, 4141.57, 5709.29, 5747.61, 28 5751.55, 6301.021, 6303.01, and 6303.02 of the Revised Code be 29 enacted to read as follows: 30

Sec. 122.075. (A) As used in this section: 31

(1) "Alternative fuel" has the same meaning as in section 125.831 of the Revised Code.

(2) "Biodiesel" means a mono-alkyl ester combustible liquid
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fuel that is derived from vegetable oils or animal fats, or any
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combination of those reagents, and that meets American society for
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testing and materials specification D6751-03a for biodiesel fuel
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(B100) blend stock distillate fuels.

(3) "Diesel fuel" and "gasoline" have the same meanings as insection 5735.01 of the Revised Code.40

(4) "Ethanol" has the same meaning as in section 5733.46 of 41 the Revised Code means fermentation ethyl alcohol derived from 42 agricultural products, including potatoes, cereal, grains, cheese 43 whey, and sugar beets; forest products; or other renewable 44 resources, including residue and waste generated from the 45 production, processing, and marketing of agricultural products, 46 forest products, and other renewable resources that meet all of 47 the specifications in the American society for testing and 48 materials (ASTM) specification D 4806-88 and is denatured as 49

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Regulations.

(5) "Blended biodiesel" means diesel fuel containing at least twenty per cent biodiesel by volume.

(6) "Blended gasoline" means gasoline containing at least 54 eighty-five per cent ethanol by volume. 55

(7) "Incremental cost" means either of the following:

(a) The difference in cost between blended gasoline and 57 gasoline containing ten per cent or less ethanol at the time that 58 the blended gasoline is purchased; 59

(b) The difference in cost between blended biodiesel and 60 diesel fuel containing two per cent or less biodiesel at the time 61 that the blended biodiesel is purchased. 62

(B) For the purpose of improving the air quality in this 63 state, the director of development services shall establish an 64 alternative fuel transportation program under which the director 65 may make grants and loans to businesses, nonprofit organizations, 66 public school systems, or local governments for the purchase and 67 installation of alternative fuel refueling or distribution 68 facilities and terminals, for the purchase and use of alternative 69 fuel, and to pay the costs of educational and promotional 70 materials and activities intended for prospective alternative fuel 71 consumers, fuel marketers, and others in order to increase the 72 availability and use of alternative fuel. 73

(C) The director, in consultation with the director of 74 agriculture, shall adopt rules in accordance with Chapter 119. of 75 the Revised Code that are necessary for the administration of the 76 alternative fuel transportation program. The rules shall establish 77 at least all of the following: 78

(1) An application form and procedures governing the 79

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gasoline;

application process for receiving funds under the program;	80
(2) A procedure for prioritizing the award of grants and	81
loans under the program. The procedures shall give preference to	82
all of the following:	83
(a) Publicly accessible refueling facilities;	84
(b) Entities applying to the program that have secured	85
funding from other sources, including, but not limited to, private	86
or federal incentives;	87
(c) Entities that have presented compelling evidence of	88
demand in the market in which the facilities or terminals will be	89
located;	90
(d) Entities that have committed to utilizing purchased or	91
installed facilities or terminals for the greatest number of	92
years;	93
years,	55
(e) Entities that will be purchasing or installing facilities	94
or terminals for any type of alternative fuel.	95
(3) A requirement that the maximum incentive for the purchase	96
and installation of an alternative fuel refueling or distribution	97
facility or terminal be eighty per cent of the cost of the	98
facility or terminal, except that at least twenty per cent of the	99
total net cost of the facility or terminal shall be incurred by	100
the recipient and not compensated for by any other source;	101
(4) A requirement that the maximum incentive for the purchase	102
of alternative fuel be eighty per cent of the cost of the fuel or,	103
in the case of blended biodiesel or blended gasoline, eighty per	104
cent of the incremental cost of the blended biodiesel or blended	105

(5) Any other criteria, procedures, or guidelines that the
director determines are necessary to administer the program,
including fees, charges, interest rates, and payment schedules.

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(D) An applicant for a grant or loan under this section that
sells motor vehicle fuel at retail shall agree that if the
applicant receives funding, the applicant will report to the
director the gallon or gallon equivalent amounts of alternative
fuel the applicant sells at retail in this state for a period of
three years after the project is completed.

The director shall enter into a written confidentiality 116 agreement with the applicant regarding the gallon or gallon 117 equivalent amounts sold as described in this division, and upon 118 execution of the agreement this information is not a public 119 record. 120

(E) There is hereby created in the state treasury the 121 alternative fuel transportation fund. The fund shall consist of 122 money transferred to the fund under division (C) of section 123 125.836 and under division (B)(2) of section 3706.27 of the 124 Revised Code, money that is appropriated to it by the general 125 assembly, and money as may be specified by the general assembly 126 from the advanced energy fund created by section 4928.61 of the 127 Revised Code. Money in the fund shall be used to make grants and 128 loans under the alternative fuel transportation program and by the 129 director in the administration of that program. 130

Sec. 122.084. As used in this section, a "small business" is131a business that has fewer than five hundred employees and that132conducts operations in this state.133

The director of development services, under Chapter 119. of134the Revised Code, shall adopt, and may amend and rescind, as135necessary and proper, to improve, rules that establish and provide136for the administration of a small business microloan revolving137loan program to assist small businesses. The director shall138include the following in the rules:139

(A) Qualifications to be met by small businesses that seek to 140

receive microloans through the program;	141
(B) Procedures according to which small businesses shall	142
apply for microloans through the program;	143
(C) Criteria for reviewing applications for microloans, and	144
criteria for selecting small businesses that are entitled to	145
receive microloans;	146
(D) Standards for determining the amount of microloans;	147
(E) Specifications identifying the purposes to which	148
microloans may be applied, and methods through which the use of	149
microloans can be accounted for;	150
(F) Standards for setting the interest to be paid on	151
microloans, and standards for fixing the terms according to which	152
<u>microloans are to be repaid;</u>	153
(G) Procedures to be implemented upon default in repayment of	154
microloans;	155
(H) Qualifications to be met by, and procedures for	156
approving, business training programs in which individuals having	157
control of small businesses are required to have participated in	158
as a condition of receiving microloans; and	159
(I) Any other qualifications, procedures, criteria,	160
specifications, methods, or standards necessary and proper for	161
efficient and successful establishment and administration of the	162
<u>small business microloan revolving loan program as a coherent</u>	163
program to assist small businesses.	164
The director may prescribe forms that are necessary for	165
efficient and successful administration of the small business	166
<u>microloan revolving loan program. The forms do not need to be</u>	167
prescribed by rule.	168
The small business microloan revolving loan program is for	169
the general purposes of assisting small businesses to meet	170

capitalization requirements, expand business operations, and	171
<u>create and retain jobs. A small business may not use a microloan</u>	172
to pay debts that are outstanding at the time the microloan is	173
disbursed to the small business.	174
The amount of a microloan may not exceed fifty thousand	175
dollars. The interest charged on a microloan shall be a fixed rate	176
that is at or below the market rate in the community in which the	177
microloan applicant is doing business.	178
The director shall disburse microloans through the several	179
Ohio small business development centers. The individual or	180
individuals having control of a small business, as a condition of	181
receiving a microloan, shall have participated in and successfully	182
completed an approved business training program provided by or	183
through a small business development center or the development	184
services agency.	185
There is hereby created the small business microloan	186
revolving loan fund in the state treasury. The fund consists of	187
money appropriated to the fund, money received in repayment of	188
microloans made from the fund, and investment earnings on money in	189
the fund. The director shall use money in the fund to make	190
microloans to qualified small businesses through the small	191
business microloan revolving loan program, and to pay reasonable	192
costs of administering the program. All investment earnings on	193
money in the fund shall be credited to the fund.	194
Sec. 122.71. As used in sections 122.71 to 122.83 of the	195
Revised Code:	196
(A) "Financial institution" means any banking corporation,	197
trust company, insurance company, savings and loan association,	198
building and loan association, or corporation, partnership,	199
federal lending agency, foundation, or other institution engaged	200
in lending or investing funds for industrial or business purposes.	201

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(B) "Project" means any real or personal property connected 202
with or being a part of an industrial, distribution, commercial, 203
or research facility to be acquired, constructed, reconstructed, 204
enlarged, improved, furnished, or equipped, or any combination 205
thereof, with the aid provided under sections 122.71 to 122.83 of 206
the Revised Code, for industrial, commercial, distribution, and 207
research development of the state. 208

(C) "Mortgage" means the lien imposed on a project by a 209
mortgage on real property, or by financing statements on personal 210
property, or a combination of a mortgage and financing statements 211
when a project consists of both real and personal property. 212

(D) "Mortgagor" means the principal user of a project or the
 person, corporation, partnership, or association unconditionally
 guaranteeing performance by the principal user of its obligations
 under the mortgage.

(E)(1) "Minority business enterprise" means an individual who 217 is a United States citizen and owns and controls a business, or a 218 partnership, corporation, or joint venture of any kind that is 219 owned and controlled by United States citizens, which citizen or 220 citizens are residents of this state and are members of one of the 221 following economically disadvantaged groups: Blacks or African 222 Americans, American Indians, Hispanics or Latinos, and Asians. 223

(2) "Owned and controlled" means that at least fifty-one per 224 cent of the business, including corporate stock if a corporation, 225 is owned by persons who belong to one or more of the groups set 226 forth in division (E)(1) of this section, and that those owners 227 have control over the management and day-to-day operations of the 228 business and an interest in the capital, assets, and profits and 229 losses of the business proportionate to their percentage of 230 ownership. In order to qualify as a minority business enterprise, 231 a business shall have been owned and controlled by those persons 232 at least one year prior to being awarded a contract pursuant to 233 this section. (F) "Community improvement corporation" means a corporation 235 organized under Chapter 1724. of the Revised Code. 236 (G) "Ohio development corporation" means a corporation 237

organized under Chapter 1726. of the Revised Code.

(H) "Minority contractors business assistance organization" 239 means an entity engaged in the provision of management and 240 technical business assistance to minority business enterprise 241 entrepreneurs. 242

(I) "Minority business supplier development council" means a 243 nonprofit organization established as an affiliate of the national 244 minority supplier development council. 245

(J) "Regional economic development entity" means an entity 246 that is under contract with the director of development services 247 to administer a loan program under this chapter in a particular 248 area of the state. 249

(K) "Community development corporation" means a corporation 250 organized under Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code that consists of 251 residents of the community and business and civic leaders and that 252 has as a principal purpose one or more of the following: the 253 revitalization and development of a low- to moderate-income 254 neighborhood or community; the creation of jobs for low- to 255 moderate-income residents; the development of commercial 256 facilities and services; providing training, technical assistance, 257 and financial assistance to small businesses; and planning, 258 developing, or managing low-income housing or other community 259 development activities. 260

(L) "Small business" means a business operating in this state 261 having five million dollars or less in annual payroll 262 expenditures. 263

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programs created p	pursuant to	sections	122.71 to	o 122.89 of	the 266
Revised Code.					267

(B) The board shall consist of ten members. The director of 268 development services or the director's designee shall be a voting 269 member on the board. Seven members shall be appointed by the 270 governor with the advice and consent of the senate and selected 271 because of their knowledge of and experience in industrial, 272 business, and commercial financing, suretyship, construction, and 273 their understanding of the problems of minority business 274 enterprises; one member also shall be a member of the senate and 275 appointed by the president of the senate, and one member also 276 shall be a member of the house of representatives and appointed by 277 the speaker of the house of representatives. With respect to the 278 board, all of the following apply: 279

(1) Not more than four of the members of the board appointed280by the governor shall be of the same political party.281

(2) Each member shall hold office from the date of themember's appointment until the end of the term for which themember was appointed.

(3) The terms of office for the seven members appointed by 285 the governor shall be for seven years, commencing on the first day 286 of October and ending on the thirtieth day of September of the 287 seventh year, except that of the original seven members, three 288 shall be appointed for three years and two shall be appointed for 289 five years. 290

(4) Any member of the board is eligible for reappointment. 291

(5) Any member appointed to fill a vacancy occurring prior to 292the expiration of the term for which the member's predecessor was 293

term. 295 (6) Any member shall continue in office subsequent to the 296 expiration date of the member's term until the member's successor 297 takes office, or until a period of sixty days has elapsed, 298 whichever occurs first. 299 (7) Before entering upon official duties as a member of the 300 board, each member shall take an oath as provided by Section 7 of 301 Article XV, Ohio Constitution. 302 (8) The governor may, at any time, remove any member 303 appointed by the governor pursuant to section 3.04 of the Revised 304 Code. 305 (9) Notwithstanding section 101.26 of the Revised Code, 306 members shall receive their necessary and actual expenses while 307 engaged in the business of the board and shall be paid at the per 308 diem rate of step 1 of pay range 31 of section 124.15 of the 309 Revised Code. 310 (10) Six members of the board constitute a quorum and the 311 affirmative vote of six members is necessary for any action taken 312 by the board. 313

(11) In the event of the absence of a member appointed by the 314 president of the senate or by the speaker of the house of 315 representatives, either of the following persons may serve in the 316 member's absence: 317

(a) The president of the senate or the speaker of the house 318 of representatives, whoever appointed the absent member; 319

(b) A member of the senate or of the house of representatives 320 of the same political party as the absent member, as designated by 321 the president of the senate or the speaker of the house of 322 representatives, whoever appointed the absent member. 323

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(12) The board shall annually elect one of its members as324chairperson and another as vice-chairperson.325

(13) The board shall meet on the second Tuesday of each 326 month. 327

Sec. 122.721. The small business development financing328advisory board is established to assist in carrying out the329programs created under section 122.891 of the Revised Code.330

The board consists of ten members. The director of 331 development services or the director's designee is a voting member 332 of the board. Seven members shall be appointed by the governor 333 with the advice and consent of the senate, and shall have 334 knowledge of and experience in industrial, business, and 335 commercial financing, suretyship, and construction, and an 336 understanding of the problems of small businesses. One member 337 shall be a member of the senate appointed by the president of the 338 senate, and one member shall be a member of the house of 339 representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of 340 representatives. 341

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Each member shall hold office from the date of the member's350appointment until the end of the term for which the member was351appointed.352

<u>A member is eligible for reappointment.</u> 353

<u>A member appointed to fill a vacancy occurring prior to the</u>	354
expiration of the term for which the member's predecessor was	355
appointed shall hold office for the remainder of the predecessor's	356
term.	357
A member shall continue in office subsequent to the	358
expiration date of the member's term until the member's successor	359
takes office, or until a period of sixty days has elapsed,	360
whichever occurs first.	361
Before entering upon official duties as a member, the member	362
shall take an oath as provided by Ohio Constitution, Article XV,	363
Section 7.	364
The governor, at any time under section 3.04 of the Revised	365
Code, may remove a member appointed by the governor.	366
Notwithstanding section 101.26 of the Revised Code, members	367
are entitled to their necessary and actual expenses while engaged	368
in the business of the board and shall be paid at the per diem	369
rate of step 1 of pay range 31 of section 124.15 of the Revised	370
<u>Code.</u>	371
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affirmative vote of six members is necessary for any action taken	373
by the board.	374
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senate or by the speaker of the house of representatives is	376
absent, either of the following persons may serve in the member's	377
absence: the president of the senate or the speaker of the house	378
of representatives, whoever appointed the absent member, or a	379
member of the senate or of the house of representatives of the	380
same political party as the absent member, as designated by the	381
president of the senate or the speaker of the house of	382
representatives, whoever appointed the absent member.	383
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chairperson and another member as vice-chairperson.	385
The board shall meet on the second Tuesday of each month.	386
Sec. 122.731. (A) The powers and duties provided in section	387
122.891 of the Revised Code are established in order to promote	388
the welfare of the people of the state by encouraging the	389
establishment and expansion of small businesses; to stabilize the	390
economy; to provide employment; to assist in the development	391
within the state of industrial, commercial, distribution, and	392
research activities required for the people of the state, and for	393
their gainful employment; and otherwise to create or preserve jobs	394
and employment opportunities and to improve the economic welfare	395
of the people of the state. It is determined that the	396
accomplishment of those purposes is essential so that the people	397
of the state may maintain their present high standards of living	398
in comparison with the people of other states and so that	399
opportunities for employment and for favorable markets for the	400
products of the state's natural resources, agriculture, and	401
manufacturing will be improved. It further is determined that it	402
therefore is necessary to establish the program authorized under	403
section 122.891 of the Revised Code, to establish the small	404
business development financing advisory board, and to vest it and	405
the director of development services with the powers and duties	406
provided in that section.	407
(B) The small business development financing advisory board	408
shall do all of the following:	409
(1) Make recommendations to the director with regard to	410
applications for assistance under section 122.891 of the Revised	411
<u>Code;</u>	412
(2) Advise the director in the administration of section	413
122.891 of the Revised Code; and	414

(3) Adopt bylaws to govern the conduct of the business of the	415
board.	416
The board may revise its recommendations to reflect any	417
changes in the proposed assistance made by the director.	418
Sec. 122.74. (A)(1) The director of development services	419
shall do all of the following:	420
(a) Receive applications for assistance under sections 122.71	421
to 122.89 122.891 of the Revised Code and applications from surety	422
companies for bond guarantees under section 122.90 of the Revised	423
Code, and, after processing but subject to division (A)(2) of this	424
section, forward them to the minority development financing	425
advisory board or small business development financing advisory	426
board, as applicable, together with necessary supporting	427
information;	428
(b) Receive the recommendations of the board respective	429
boards and make a final determination whether to approve the	430
application for assistance;	431
(c) Receive recommendations from a regional economic	432
development entity for loans made under section 122.76 of the	433
Revised Code and make a final determination, notwithstanding	434
divisions (A)(1) and (2) of this section, whether to approve the	435
proposed loan;	436
(d) Transmit the director's determinations to approve	437
assistance to the controlling board unless such assistance falls	438
under section 122.90 of the Revised Code and has been previously	439
approved by the controlling board, together with any information	440

the controlling board requires for its review and decision as to 441 whether to approve the assistance. 442

(2) The director is not required to submit any determination, 443data, terms, or any other application materials or information to 444

the minority development financing advisory board when provision 445 of the assistance has been recommended to the director by a 446 regional economic development entity or when an application for a 447 surety company for bond guarantees under section 122.90 of the 448 Revised Code has been previously approved by the controlling 449 board. 450

(B) The director may do all of the following: 451

(1) Fix the rate of interest and charges to be made upon or 452 with respect to moneys loaned or guaranteed by the director and 453 the terms upon which mortgages and lease rentals may be guaranteed 454 and the rates of charges to be made for them and make provisions 455 for the operation of the funds established by the director in 456 accordance with this section and sections 122.80, 122.88, and 457 122.90 of the Revised Code; 458

(2) Loan and guarantee moneys from the fund established in
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accordance with section 122.80 of the Revised Code pursuant to and
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in compliance with sections 122.71 to 122.90 of the Revised Code.
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(3) Acquire in the name of the director any property of any
kind or character in accordance with sections 122.71 to 122.90 of
the Revised Code, by purchase, purchase at foreclosure, or
exchange on such terms and in such manner as the director
considers proper;

(4) Make and enter into all contracts and agreements
hecessary or incidental to the performance of the director's
duties and the exercise of the director's powers under sections
122.71 to 122.90 of the Revised Code;

(5) Maintain, protect, repair, improve, and insure any
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(7) exchange, or lease for the consideration and on the terms and in
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(7) the manner as the director considers proper, but the director
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(7) shall not operate any such property as a business except as the

lessor of it;

(6)(a) When the cost of any contract for the maintenance, 477 protection, repair, or improvement of any property held by the 478 director, other than compensation for personal services, involves 479 an expenditure of more than fifty thousand dollars, the director 480 shall make a written contract with the lowest responsive and 481 responsible bidder in accordance with section 9.312 of the Revised 482 Code after advertisement for not less than two consecutive weeks 483 in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where such 484 contract, or some substantial part of it, is to be performed, and 485 in such other publications as the director determines, which 486 notice shall state the general character of the work and the 487 general character of the materials to be furnished, the place 488 where plans and specifications therefor may be examined, and the 489 time and place of receiving bids. 490

(b) Each bid for a contract for the construction, demolition, 491
alteration, repair, or reconstruction of an improvement shall 492
contain the full name of every person interested in it and meet 493
the requirements of section 153.54 of the Revised Code. 494

(c) Each bid for a contract, except as provided in division
(B)(6)(b) of this section, shall contain the full name of every
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(d) The director may reject any and all bids. 501

(e) A bond with good and sufficient surety, approved by the
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 director, shall be required of every contractor awarded a contract
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 except as provided in division (B)(6)(b) of this section, in an
 amount equal to at least fifty per cent of the contract price,
 conditioned upon faithful performance of the contract.

(7) Employ or contract with financial consultants,
appraisers, consulting engineers, superintendents, managers,
construction and accounting experts, attorneys, and other
employees and agents as are necessary in the director's judgment
and fix their compensation;

(8) Receive and accept grants, gifts, and contributions of 512 money, property, labor, and other things of value to be held, 513 used, and applied only for the purpose for which the grants, 514 gifts, and contributions are made, from individuals, private and 515 public corporations, from the United States or any agency thereof, 516 from the state or any agency thereof, and from any political 517 subdivision of the state, and may agree to repay any contribution 518 of money or to return any property contributed or the value 519 thereof at such times, in amounts, and on terms and conditions, 520 excluding the payment of interest, as the director determines at 521 the time the contribution is made, and may evidence the 522 obligations by notes, bonds, or other written instruments; 523

(9) Establish with the treasurer of state the funds provided
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in sections 122.80 and 122.88 of the Revised Code in addition to
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such funds as the director determines are necessary or proper;
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(10) Adopt rules under Chapter 119. of the Revised Code 527
necessary to implement sections 122.71 to 122.90 of the Revised 528
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(11) Do all acts and things necessary or proper to carry out
the powers expressly granted and the duties imposed in sections
122.71 to 122.90 of the Revised Code.
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(C)(1) All expenses and obligations incurred by the director 533 in carrying out the director's powers and in exercising the 534 director's duties under sections 122.71 to 122.90 of the Revised 535 Code shall be payable solely from revenues or other receipts or 536 income of the director, from grants, gifts, and contributions, or 537 funds established in accordance with such sections. Such sections 538 do not authorize the director to incur indebtedness or to impose 539 liability on the state or any political subdivision of the state. 540

(2) Financial statements and other data submitted to the
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director by any corporation, partnership, or person in connection
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with financial assistance provided under sections 122.71 to 122.90
of the Revised Code, or any information taken from such statements
or data for any purpose, shall not be open to public inspection.
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Sec. 122.75. The director of development <u>services</u> shall, for 546 the minority business development loan program, the minority 547 business bonding program, <u>the small business bonding program</u>, and 548 the minority business bond guarantee program under sections 122.87 549 to 122.90 of the Revised Code, do all of the following: 550

(A) Hire employees, consultants, and agents and fix their551compensation;552

(B) Adopt bylaws and rules for the regulation of the business 553
 of the minority development financing advisory board <u>and the small</u> 554
 <u>business development financing advisory board</u>; 555

(C) Receive and accept grants, gifts, and contributions of 556 557 money, property, labor, and other things of value, to be held, used, and applied only for the purpose for which the grants, 558 gifts, and contributions are made, from individuals, private and 559 public corporations, the United States or any agency of the United 560 States, the state or any agency of the state, and any political 561 subdivision of the state. The director may agree to repay any 562 contribution of money or to return any property contributed or its 563 value at such times, in amounts, and on terms and conditions, 564 excluding the payment of interest, as the director determines at 565 the time the contribution is made. The director may evidence the 566 obligations by written contracts, subject to section 122.76 of the 567 Revised Code; provided, that the director shall not thereby incur 568 indebtedness of or impose liability upon the state or any 569 political subdivision. 570

(D) Establish funds with the treasurer of state in addition 571
 to the minority <u>and small</u> business bonding fund created under 572
 section 122.88 of the Revised Code; 573

574 (E) Invest money in the funds the director establishes pursuant to division (D) of this section that is in excess of 575 current needs, in notes, bonds, or other obligations that are 576 direct obligations of or are guaranteed by the United States, or 577 in certificates of deposit or withdrawable accounts of banks, 578 trust companies, or savings and loan associations organized under 579 the laws of this state or the United States, and may credit the 580 income or sell the investments at the director's discretion; 581

(F) Acquire any property of any kind or character in
accordance with sections 122.71 to 122.83 of the Revised Code, by
purchase, purchase at foreclosure, or exchange on terms and in a
manner the director considers proper;

(G)(1) Maintain, protect, repair, improve, and insure any 586 property the director has acquired and dispose of it by sale, 587 exchange, or lease for the consideration and on terms and in a 588 manner the director considers proper. The director may not operate 589 any property as a business except as a lessor of the property. 590 When the cost of any contract for the maintenance, protection, 591 repair, or improvement of any property of the advisory board 592 connected with the minority business development loan program, 593 other than compensation for personal services, involves an 594 expenditure of more than one thousand dollars, the director shall 595 enter into a written contract with the lowest and best bidder 596 after advertisement for not less than four consecutive weeks in a 597 newspaper of general circulation in the county where the contract, 598 or some substantial part of it, is to be performed, and in other 599 publications as the director determines. The notice shall state 600 the general character of the work and the general character of the601materials to be furnished, the place where plans and602specifications for the work and materials may be examined, and the603time and place of receiving bids.604

(2) Each bid for a contract for the construction, demolition, 605
alteration, repair, or reconstruction of an improvement shall 606
contain the full name of every person interested in it and meet 607
the requirements of section 153.54 of the Revised Code. 608

(3) Each bid for a contract, except as provided in division 609 (G)(2) of this section, shall contain the full name of every 610 person interested in it and shall be accompanied by a bond or 611 certified check on a solvent bank, in the amount of ten per cent 612 of the bid, that if the bid is accepted a contract will be entered 613 into and the performance of its proposal secured. The director may 614 reject any or all bids. A bond with good and sufficient surety, 615 approved by the director, shall be required of all contractors in 616 an amount equal to at least one hundred per cent of the contract 617 price, conditioned upon faithful performance of the contract. 618

(H) Expend money appropriated to the department of 619
development services agency by the general assembly for the 620
purposes of sections 122.71 to 122.83 and 122.87 to 122.90 of the 621
Revised Code; 622

(I) Do all acts and things necessary or proper to carry out
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the powers expressly granted and the duties imposed in sections
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122.71 to 122.83 and 122.87 to 122.90 of the Revised Code.
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Sec. 122.87. As used in sections 122.87 to 122.90 of the 626 Revised Code: 627

(A) "Surety company" means a company that is authorized by628the department of insurance to issue bonds as surety.629

(B) "Minority business" means any of the following 630

occupations:	631
(1) Minority construction contractor;	632
(2) Minority seller;	633
(3) Minority service vendor.	634
(C) "Minority construction contractor" means a person who is	635
both a construction contractor and an owner of a minority business	636
enterprise certified under division (B) of section 123.151 of the	637
Revised Code.	638

(D) "Minority seller" means a person who is both a seller of
goods and an owner of a minority business enterprise listed on the
special minority business enterprise bid notification list under
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division (B) of section 125.08 of the Revised Code.
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(E) "Minority service vendor" means a person who is both a
 vendor of services and an owner of a minority business enterprise
 11 listed on the special minority business enterprise bid
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 notification list under division (B) of section 125.08 of the
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 Revised Code.

(F) "Minority business enterprise" has the meaning given in 648section 122.71 of the Revised Code. 649

(G) "EDGE business enterprise" means a sole proprietorship,
association, partnership, corporation, limited liability
corporation, or joint venture certified as a participant in the
encouraging diversity, growth, and equity program by the director
of administrative services under section 123.152 of the Revised
Code.

(H) "Small business" means a business operating in this state656having five million dollars or less in annual payroll657expenditures.658

Sec. 122.88. (A) There is hereby created in the state 659

treasury the minority and small business bonding fund, consisting 660 of moneys deposited or credited to it pursuant to section 169.05 661 of the Revised Code; all grants, gifts, and contributions received 662 pursuant to division (B)(9) of section 122.74 of the Revised Code; 663 all moneys recovered following defaults; and any other moneys 664 obtained by the director of development services for the purposes 665 of sections 122.87 to 122.90 of the Revised Code. The fund shall 666 be administered by the director. Moneys in the fund shall be held 667 in trust for the purposes of sections 122.87 to 122.90 of the 668 Revised Code. 669

(B) Any claims against the state arising from defaults shall 670 be payable from the minority and small business bonding program 671 administrative and loss reserve fund as provided in division (C) 672 of this section or from the minority and small business bonding 673 fund. Nothing in sections 122.87 to 122.90 of the Revised Code 674 grants or pledges to any obligee or other person any state moneys 675 other than the moneys in the minority and small business bonding 676 program administrative and loss reserve fund or the minority and 677 small business bonding fund, or moneys available to the minority 678 and small business bonding fund upon request of the director in 679 accordance with division (B) of section 169.05 of the Revised 680 Code. 681

(C) There is hereby created in the state treasury the 682 minority and small business bonding program administrative and 683 loss reserve fund, consisting of all premiums charged and 684 collected in accordance with section sections 122.89 and 122.891 685 of the Revised Code and any interest income earned from the moneys 686 in the minority and small business bonding fund. All expenses of 687 the director and, the minority development financing advisory 688 board, and the small business development financing advisory board 689 in carrying out the purposes of sections 122.87 to 122.90 of the 690 Revised Code shall be paid from the minority and small business 691

bonding program administrative and loss reserve fund. 692

Any moneys to the credit of the minority and small business 693 bonding program administrative and loss reserve fund in excess of 694 the amount necessary to fund the appropriation authority for the 695 minority and small business bonding program administrative and 696 loss reserve fund shall be held as a loss reserve to pay claims 697 arising from defaults on surety bonds underwritten in accordance 698 with section 122.89 or 122.891 of the Revised Code or guaranteed 699 in accordance with section 122.90 of the Revised Code. If the 700 balance of funds in the minority and small business bonding 701 program administrative and loss reserve fund is insufficient to 702 pay a claim against the state arising from default, then such 703 claim shall be payable from the minority and small business 704 bonding fund. 705

Sec. 122.89. (A) The director of development services may 706 execute bonds as surety for minority businesses as principals, on 707 contracts with the state, any political subdivision or 708 instrumentality thereof, or any person as the obligee. The 709 director as surety may exercise all the rights and powers of a 710 company authorized by the department of insurance to execute bonds 711 as surety but shall not be subject to any requirements of a surety 712 company under Title XXXIX of the Revised Code nor to any rules of 713 the department of insurance. 714

(B) The director, with the advice of the minority development 715 financing advisory board, shall adopt rules under Chapter 119. of 716 the Revised Code establishing procedures for application for 717 surety bonds by minority businesses and for review and approval of 718 applications. The board shall review each application in 719 accordance with the rules and, based on the bond worthiness of 720 each applicant, shall refer all qualified applicants to the 721 director. Based on the recommendation of the board, the director 722

shall determine whether or not the applicant shall receive	723
bonding. The rules shall establish the maximum amount of any bond	724
issued at two million dollars.	725
(C) The rules of the board shall require the minority	726
business to pay a premium in advance for the bond to be	727
established by the director, with the advice of the board after	728
the director receives advice from the superintendent of insurance	729
regarding the standard market rates for premiums for similar	730
bonds. All premiums paid by minority businesses shall be paid into	731
the minority and small business bonding program administrative and	732
loss reserve fund.	733
(D) The rules of the board shall provide for a retainage of	734
money paid to the minority business or EDGE business enterprise of	735
fifteen per cent for a contract valued at more than fifty thousand	736
dollars and for a retainage of twelve per cent for a contract	737
valued at fifty thousand dollars or less.	738
(E) The penal sum amounts of all outstanding bonds issued by	739
the director shall not exceed the amount of moneys in the minority	740
and small business bonding fund and available to the fund under	741
division (B) of section 169.05 of the Revised Code.	742
(F) The superintendent of insurance shall provide such	743
technical and professional assistance as is considered necessary	744
by the director, including providing advice regarding the standard	745
market rates for bond premiums as described under division (C) of	746
this section.	747

(G) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the
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contrary, a minority business or EDGE business enterprise may bid
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or enter into a contract with the state or with any
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instrumentality of the state without being required to provide a
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bond as follows:

(1) For the first contract that a minority business or EDGE 753

business enterprise enters into with the state or with any 754 particular instrumentality of the state, the minority business or 755 EDGE business enterprise may bid or enter into a contract valued 756 at twenty-five thousand dollars or less without being required to 757 provide a bond, but only if the minority business or EDGE business 758 enterprise is participating in a qualified contractor assistance 759 program or has successfully completed a qualified contractor 760 assistance program after the effective date of this amendment 761 <u>October 16, 2009;</u> 762

(2) After the state or any particular instrumentality of the 763 state has accepted the first contract as completed and all 764 subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the 765 minority business or EDGE business enterprise may bid or enter 766 into a second contract with the state or with that particular 767 instrumentality of the state valued at fifty thousand dollars or 768 less without being required to provide a bond, but only if the 769 minority business or EDGE business enterprise is participating in 770 a qualified contractor assistance program or has successfully 771 completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the 772 effective date of this amendment October 16, 2009; 773

(3) After the state or any particular instrumentality of the 774 state has accepted the second contract as completed and all 775 subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the 776 minority business or EDGE business enterprise may bid or enter 777 into a third contract with the state or with that particular 778 instrumentality of the state valued at one hundred thousand 779 dollars or less without being required to provide a bond, but only 780 if the minority business or EDGE business enterprise has 781 successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance program 782 after the effective date of this amendment October 16, 2009; 783

(4) After the state or any particular instrumentality of thestate has accepted the third contract as completed and all785

subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the 786 minority business or EDGE business enterprise may bid or enter 787 into a fourth contract with the state or with that particular 788 instrumentality of the state valued at three hundred thousand 789 dollars or less without being required to provide a bond, but only 790 if the minority business or EDGE business enterprise has 791 successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance program 792 after the effective date of this amendment October 16, 2009; 793

(5) After the state or any instrumentality of the state has 794 accepted the fourth contract as completed and all subcontractors 795 and suppliers on the contract have been paid, upon a showing that 796 with respect to a contract valued at four hundred thousand dollars 797 or less with the state or with any particular instrumentality of 798 the state, that the minority business or EDGE business enterprise 799 either has been denied a bond by two surety companies or that the 800 minority business or EDGE business enterprise has applied to two 801 surety companies for a bond and, at the expiration of sixty days 802 after making the application, has neither received nor been denied 803 a bond, the minority business or EDGE business enterprise may 804 repeat its participation in the unbonded state contractor program. 805 Under no circumstances shall a minority business or EDGE business 806 enterprise be permitted to participate in the unbonded state 807 contractor program more than twice. 808

(H) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the
contrary, a minority business or EDGE business enterprise may bid
or enter into a contract with any political subdivision of the
state or with any instrumentality of a political subdivision
without being required to provide a bond as follows:

(1) For the first contract that the minority business or EDGE 814
 business enterprise enters into with any particular political 815
 subdivision of the state or with any particular instrumentality of 816
 a political subdivision, the minority business or EDGE business 817

enterprise may bid or enter into a contract valued at twenty-five 818 thousand dollars or less without being required to provide a bond, 819 but only if the minority business or EDGE business enterprise is 820 participating in a qualified contractor assistance program or has 821 successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance program 822 after the effective date of this amendment October 16, 2009; 823

(2) After any political subdivision of the state or any 824 instrumentality of a political subdivision has accepted the first 825 contract as completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the 826 contract have been paid, the minority business or EDGE business 827 enterprise may bid or enter into a second contract with that 828 particular political subdivision of the state or with that 829 particular instrumentality of a political subdivision valued at 830 fifty thousand dollars or less without being required to provide a 831 bond, but only if the minority business or EDGE business 832 enterprise is participating in a qualified contractor assistance 833 program or has successfully completed a qualified contractor 834 assistance program after the effective date of this amendment 835 <u>October 16, 2009;</u> 836

(3) After any political subdivision of the state or any 837 instrumentality of a political subdivision has accepted the second 838 contract as completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the 839 contract have been paid, the minority business or EDGE business 840 enterprise may bid or enter into a third contract with that 841 particular political subdivision of the state or with that 842 particular instrumentality of a political subdivision valued at 843 one hundred thousand dollars or less without being required to 844 provide a bond, but only if the minority business or EDGE business 845 enterprise has successfully completed a qualified contractor 846 assistance program after the effective date of this amendment 847 <u>October 16, 2009;</u> 848

(4) After any political subdivision of the state or any 849

instrumentality of a political subdivision has accepted the third 850 contract as completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the 851 contract have been paid, the minority business or EDGE business 852 enterprise may bid or enter into a fourth contract with that 853 particular political subdivision of the state or with that 854 particular instrumentality of a political subdivision valued at 855 two hundred thousand dollars or less without being required to 856 provide a bond, but only if the minority business or EDGE business 857 enterprise has successfully completed a qualified contractor 858 assistance program after the effective date of this amendment 859 <u>October 16, 2009;</u> 860

(5) After any political subdivision of the state or any 861 instrumentality of a political subdivision has accepted the fourth 862 contract as completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the 863 contract have been paid, upon a showing that with respect to a 864 contract valued at three hundred thousand dollars or less with any 865 political subdivision of the state or any instrumentality of a 866 political subdivision, that the minority business or EDGE business 867 enterprise either has been denied a bond by two surety companies 868 or that the minority business or EDGE business enterprise has 869 applied to two surety companies for a bond and, at the expiration 870 of sixty days after making the application, has neither received 871 nor been denied a bond, the minority business or EDGE business 872 enterprise may repeat its participation in the unbonded political 873 subdivision contractor program. Under no circumstances shall a 874 minority business or EDGE business enterprise be permitted to 875 participate in the unbonded political subdivision contractor 876 program more than twice. 877

(I) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the
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 contrary, if a minority business or EDGE business enterprise has
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 entered into two or more contracts with the state or with any
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 instrumentality of the state, the minority business or EDGE
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business enterprise may bid or enter into a contract with a 882 political subdivision of the state or with any instrumentality of 883 a political subdivision valued at the level at which the minority 884 business or EDGE business enterprise would qualify if entering 885 into an additional contract with the state. 886

(J) The director of development services shall coordinate and 887 oversee the unbonded state contractor program described in 888 division (G) of this section, the unbonded political subdivision 889 contractor program described in division (H) of this section, and 890 the approval of a qualified contractor assistance program. The 891 director shall prepare an annual report and submit it to the 892 governor and the general assembly on or before the first day of 893 February that includes the following: information on the 894 director's activities for the preceding calendar year regarding 895 the unbonded state contractor program, the unbonded political 896 subdivision contractor program, and the qualified contractor 897 assistance program; a summary and description of the operations 898 and activities of these programs; an assessment of the 899 achievements of these programs; and a recommendation as to whether 900 these programs need to continue. 901

(K) As used in this section:

(1) "EDGE business enterprise" means an EDGE business903enterprise certified under section 123.152 of the Revised Code.904

(2) "Qualified contractor assistance program" means an
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educational program or technical assistance program for business
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development that is designed to assist a minority business or EDGE
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business enterprise in becoming eligible for bonding and has been
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approved by the director of development services for use as
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required under this section.

(3) "Successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance911program" means the minority business or EDGE business enterprise912

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completed such a program on or after the effective date of this	913
amendment October 16, 2009.	914
(4) "Unbonded state contractor program" means the program	915
described in division (G) of this section.	916
(5) "Unbonded political subdivision contractor program" means	917
the program described in division (H) of this section.	918
Sec. 122.891. (A) As used in this section:	919
(1) "Qualified contractor assistance program" means an	920
educational program or technical assistance program for business	921
development that is designed to assist a small business in	922
becoming eligible for bonding and that has been approved by the	923
director of development services for operation and attendance as	924
required under this section.	925
(2) "Successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance	926
program" means the small business completed such a program on or	927
after the effective date of this section.	928
(3) "Unbonded state contractor program" means the program	929
described in division (H) of this section.	930
(4) "Unbonded political subdivision contractor program" means	931
the program described in division (I) of this section.	932
(B) The director may execute bonds as surety for small	933
businesses as principals on contracts with the state or	934
instrumentality thereof, a political subdivision or	935
instrumentality thereof, or any person as the obligee. The	936
director as surety may exercise all the rights and powers of a	937
company authorized by the department of insurance to execute bonds	938
as surety, but shall not be subject to any requirements of a	939
surety company under Title XXXIX of the Revised Code or to any	940
rules of the department or superintendent of insurance.	941
(C) The director, with the advice of the small business	942

development financing advisory board, shall adopt rules under	943
Chapter 119. of the Revised Code establishing procedures whereby	944
small businesses shall apply for surety bonds, and for the review	945
and approval of applications. The board shall review each	946
application in accordance with the rules and, based upon the bond	947
worthiness of each applicant, shall refer all qualified applicants	948
to the director. Based on the recommendation of the board, the	949
director shall determine whether or not the applicant is entitled	950
to receive bonding. The rules shall establish the maximum amount	951
of any bond issued at two million dollars.	952
(D) The rules shall require the small business to pay a	953
premium in advance for the bond. The premium shall be established	954
by the director, with the advice of the board, after the director	955
has received advice from the superintendent of insurance regarding	956
the standard market rates for premiums for similar bonds. All	957
premiums paid by small businesses shall be paid into the minority	958
and small business bonding program administrative and loss reserve	959
<u>fund.</u>	960
(E) The rules shall provide for a retainage of money paid to	961
the small business of fifteen per cent for a contract valued at	962
more than fifty thousand dollars and for a retainage of twelve per	963
cent for a contract valued at fifty thousand dollars or less.	964
(F) The penal sum amounts of all outstanding bonds issued by	965
the director shall not exceed the amount of money in and available	966
to the minority and small business bonding fund under division (B)	967
of section 169.05 of the Revised Code.	968
(G) The superintendent of insurance shall provide technical	969
and professional assistance as is considered necessary by the	970
director, including providing advice regarding the standard market	971
rates for bond premiums as described under division (D) of this	972
section.	973

(H) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the	974
<u>contrary, a small business may bid or enter into a contract with</u>	975
the state or with any instrumentality of the state without being	976
required to provide a bond as follows:	977
(1) For the first contract that a small business enters into	978
with the state or with any particular instrumentality of the	979
state, the small business may bid or enter into a contract valued	980
at twenty-five thousand dollars or less without being required to	981
provide a bond, but only if the small business is participating in	982
a qualified contractor assistance program or has successfully	983
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	984
effective date of this section.	985
(2) After the state or the particular instrumentality of the	986
state has accepted the first contract as completed and all	987
subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the	988
small business may bid or enter into a second contract with the	989
state or with that particular instrumentality of the state valued	990
at fifty thousand dollars or less without being required to	991
provide a bond, but only if the small business is participating in	992
a qualified contractor assistance program or has successfully	993
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	994
effective date of this section.	995
(3) After the state or the particular instrumentality of the	996
state has accepted the second contract as completed and all	997
subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the	998
small business may bid or enter into a third contract with the	999
state or with that particular instrumentality of the state valued	1000
at one hundred thousand dollars or less without being required to	1001
provide a bond, but only if the small business has successfully	1002
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	1003
effective date of this section.	1004

(4) After the state or the particular instrumentality of the 1005

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state has accepted the third contract as completed and all	1006
subcontractors and suppliers on the contract have been paid, the	1007
small business may bid or enter into a fourth contract with the	1008
state or with that particular instrumentality of the state valued	1009
at three hundred thousand dollars or less without being required	1010
to provide a bond, but only if the small business has successfully	1011
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	1012
effective date of this section.	1013
(5) After the state or the instrumentality of the state has	1014
accepted the fourth contract as completed and all subcontractors	1015
and suppliers on the contract have been paid, upon a showing that	1016
with respect to a contract valued at four hundred thousand dollars	1017
or less with the state or with any particular instrumentality of	1018
the state, that the small business either has been denied a bond	1019
by two surety companies or that the small business has applied to	1020
two surety companies for a bond and, at the expiration of sixty	1021
days after making the application, has neither received nor been	1022
denied a bond, the small business may repeat its participation in	1023
the unbonded state contractor program. Under no circumstances	1024
shall a small business be permitted to participate in the unbonded	1025
state contractor program more than twice.	1026
(I) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the	1027
contrary, a small business may bid or enter into a contract with	1028
any political subdivision of the state or with any instrumentality	1029
of a political subdivision without being required to provide a	1030
bond as follows:	1031
(1) For the first contract that the small business enters	1032
into with any particular political subdivision of the state or	1033
with any particular instrumentality of a political subdivision,	1034
the small business may bid or enter into a contract valued at	1035
twenty-five thousand dollars or less without being required to	1036

provide a bond, but only if the small business is participating in

a qualified contractor assistance program or has successfully	1038
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	1039
effective date of this section.	1040
(2) After the political subdivision or the instrumentality of	1041
a political subdivision has accepted the first contract as	1042
completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the contract	1043
have been paid, the small business may bid or enter into a second	1044
contract with that particular political subdivision or with that	1045
particular instrumentality of a political subdivision valued at	1046
fifty thousand dollars or less without being required to provide a	1047
bond, but only if the small business is participating in a	1048
qualified contractor assistance program or has successfully	1049
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	1050
effective date of this section.	1051
(3) After the political subdivision or the instrumentality of	1052
a political subdivision has accepted the second contract as	1053
completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the contract	1054
have been paid, the small business may bid or enter into a third	1055
contract with that particular political subdivision or with that	1056
particular instrumentality of a political subdivision valued at	1057
one hundred thousand dollars or less without being required to	1058
provide a bond, but only if the small business has successfully	1059
completed a qualified contractor assistance program after the	1060
effective date of this section.	1061
(4) After the political subdivision or the instrumentality of	1062
a political subdivision has accepted the third contract as	1063
completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the contract	1064
have been paid, the small business may bid or enter into a fourth	1065
contract with that particular political subdivision of the state	1066
or with that particular instrumentality of a political subdivision	1067
valued at two hundred thousand dollars or less without being	1068

required to provide a bond, but only if the small business has 1069

successfully completed a qualified contractor assistance program	1070
after the effective date of this section.	1071
(5) After the political subdivision or the instrumentality of	1072
a political subdivision has accepted the fourth contract as	1073
completed and all subcontractors and suppliers on the contract	1074
have been paid, upon a showing that with respect to a contract	1075
valued at three hundred thousand dollars or less with any	1076
political subdivision or any instrumentality of a political	1077
subdivision, that the small business either has been denied a bond	1078
by two surety companies or that the small business has applied to	1079
two surety companies for a bond and, at the expiration of sixty	1080
days after making the application, has neither received nor been	1081
denied a bond, the small business may repeat its participation in	1082
the unbonded political subdivision contractor program. Under no	1083
circumstances shall a small business be permitted to participate	1084
in the unbonded political subdivision contractor program more than	1085
<u>twice.</u>	1086
(J) Notwithstanding any provision of the Revised Code to the	1087
contrary, if a small business has entered into two or more	1088
contracts with the state or with any instrumentality of the state,	1089
the small business may bid or enter into a contract with a	1090
political subdivision or with any instrumentality of a political	1091
subdivision valued at the level at which the small business would	1092
gualify if entering into an additional contract with the state.	1093
(K) The director of development services shall coordinate and	1094
oversee the unbonded state contractor program described in	1095
division (H) of this section, the unbonded political subdivision	1096
contractor program described in division (I) of this section, and	1097
the approval of a qualified contractor assistance program. The	1098
director shall prepare an annual report and submit it to the	1099
governor and the general assembly on or before the first day of	1100
February that includes the following: information on the	1101

director's activities for the preceding calendar year regarding	1102
the unbonded state contractor program, the unbonded political	1103
subdivision contractor program, and the qualified contractor	1104
assistance program; a summary and description of the operations	1105
and activities of these programs; an assessment of the	1106
achievements of these programs; and a recommendation as to whether	1107
these programs need to continue.	1108

Sec. 122.90. (A) The director of development services may 1109 guarantee bonds executed by sureties for minority businesses and 1110 EDGE business enterprises certified under section 123.152 of the 1111 Revised Code as principals on contracts with the state, any 1112 political subdivision or instrumentality, or any person as the 1113 obligee. The director, as guarantor, may exercise all the rights 1114 and powers of a company authorized by the department of insurance 1115 to guarantee bonds under Chapter 3929. of the Revised Code but 1116 otherwise is not subject to any laws related to a guaranty company 1117 under Title XXXIX of the Revised Code nor to any rules of the 1118 department of insurance. 1119

(B) The director shall adopt rules under Chapter 119. of the 1120
Revised Code to establish procedures for the application for bond 1121
guarantees and the review and approval of applications for bond 1122
guarantees submitted by sureties that execute bonds eligible for 1123
guarantees under division (A) of this section. 1124

(C) In accordance with rules adopted pursuant to this
section, the director may guarantee up to ninety per cent of the
loss incurred and paid by sureties on bonds guaranteed under
division (A) of this section.

(D) The penal sum amounts of all outstanding guarantees made
by the director under this section shall not exceed three times
the difference between the amount of moneys in the minority and
<u>small</u> business bonding fund and available to the fund under
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division (B) of section 169.05 of the Revised Code and the amount 1133 of all outstanding bonds issued by the director in accordance with 1134 division (A) of section 122.89 of the Revised Code. 1135 (E) The director of development, with controlling board 1136 approval, may approve one application per fiscal year from each 1137 surety bond company for bond guarantees in an amount requested to 1138 support one fiscal year of that company's activity under this 1139 section. A surety bond company that applies for a bond guarantee 1140 under this division, whether or not the guarantee is approved, is 1141 not restricted from also applying for individual bond guarantees 1142 under division (A) of this section. 1143 Sec. 125.831. As used in sections 125.831 to 125.834 of the 1144 Revised Code: 1145 (A) "Alternative fuel" means any of the following fuels used 1146 in a motor vehicle: 1147 (1) E85 blend fuel; 1148 (2) Blended biodiesel; 1149 (3) Natural gas; 1150 (4) Liquefied petroleum gas; 1151 (5) Hydrogen; 1152 (6) Compressed air; 1153 (7) Any power source, including electricity; 1154 (8) Any fuel not described in divisions (A)(1) to (7) of this 1155 section that the United States department of energy determines, by 1156 final rule, to be substantially not petroleum, and that would 1157 yield substantial energy security and environmental benefits. 1158

(B) "Biodiesel" means a mono-alkyl ester combustible liquid 1159 fuel that is derived from vegetable oils or animal fats, or any 1160 combination of those reagents that meets the American society for 1161

testing and materials specification for biodiesel fuel (B100)1162blend stock distillate fuels and any other standards that the1163director of administrative services adopts by rule.1164

(C) "Blended biodiesel" means a blend of biodiesel with 1165 petroleum based diesel fuel in which the resultant product 1166 contains not less than twenty per cent biodiesel that meets the 1167 American society for testing and materials specification for 1168 blended diesel fuel and any other standards that the director of 1169 administrative services adopts by rule. 1170

(D) "Diesel fuel" means any liquid fuel that is capable of 1171
 use in discrete form or as a blend component in the operation of 1172
 engines of the diesel type. 1173

(E) "E85 blend fuel" means fuel containing eighty-five per 1174 cent or more ethanol as defined in section 5733.46 122.075 of the 1175 Revised Code or containing any other percentage of not less than 1176 seventy per cent ethanol if the United States department of energy 1177 determines, by rule, that the lower percentage is necessary to 1178 provide for the requirements of cold start, safety, or vehicle 1179 functions, and that meets the American society for testing and 1180 materials specification for E85 blend fuel and any other standards 1181 that the director of administrative services adopts by rule. 1182

(F) "Law enforcement officer" means an officer, agent, or 1183 employee of a state agency upon whom, by statute, a duty to 1184 conserve the peace or to enforce all or certain laws is imposed 1185 and the authority to arrest violators is conferred, within the 1186 limits of that statutory duty and authority, but does not include 1187 such an officer, agent, or employee if that duty and authority is 1188 location specific. 1189

(G)(1) "Motor vehicle" means any automobile, car minivan, 1190
cargo van, passenger van, sport utility vehicle, or pickup truck 1191
with a gross vehicle weight of under twelve thousand pounds. 1192

(2) "Motor vehicle" does not include, except for the purposes 1193 of division (C) of section 125.832 of the Revised Code, any 1194 vehicle described in division (G)(1) of this section that is used 1195 by a law enforcement officer and law enforcement agency or any 1196 vehicle that is so described and that is equipped with specialized 1197 equipment that is not normally found in such a vehicle and that is 1198 used to carry out a state agency's specific and specialized duties 1199 and responsibilities. 1200

(H) "Specialized equipment" does not include standard mobile
radios with no capabilities other than voice communication,
exterior and interior lights, or roof-mounted caution lights.

(I) "State agency" means every organized body, office, board, 1204 authority, commission, or agency established by the laws of the 1205 state for the exercise of any governmental or quasi-governmental 1206 function of state government regardless of the funding source for 1207 that entity, other than any state institution of higher education, 1208 the office of the governor, lieutenant governor, auditor of state, 1209 treasurer of state, secretary of state, or attorney general, the 1210 general assembly or any legislative agency, the courts or any 1211 judicial agency, or any state retirement system or retirement 1212 program established by or referenced in the Revised Code. 1213

(J) "State institution of higher education" has the same 1214 meaning as in section 3345.011 of the Revised Code. 1215

Sec. 169.05. (A) Every holder required to file a report under 1216 section 169.03 of the Revised Code shall, at the time of filing, 1217 pay to the director of commerce ten per cent of the aggregate 1218 amount of unclaimed funds as shown on the report, except for 1219 aggregate amounts of fifty dollars or less in which case one 1220 hundred per cent shall be paid. The funds may be deposited by the 1221 director in the state treasury to the credit of the unclaimed 1222 funds trust fund, which is hereby created, or placed with a 1223

financial organization. Any interest earned on money in the trust 1224 fund shall be credited to the trust fund. The remainder of the 1225 aggregate amount of unclaimed funds as shown on the report, plus 1226 earnings accrued to date of payment to the director, shall, at the 1227 option of the director, be retained by the holder or paid to the 1228 director for deposit as agent for the mortgage funds with a 1229 financial organization as defined in section 169.01 of the Revised 1230 Code, with the funds to be in income-bearing accounts to the 1231 credit of the mortgage funds, or the holder may enter into an 1232 agreement with the director specifying the obligations of the 1233 United States in which funds are to be invested, and agree to pay 1234 the interest on the obligations to the state. Holders retaining 1235 any funds not in obligations of the United States shall enter into 1236 an agreement with the director specifying the classification of 1237 income-bearing account in which the funds will be held and pay the 1238 state interest on the funds at a rate equal to the prevailing 1239 market rate for similar funds. Moneys that the holder is required 1240 to pay to the director rather than to retain may be deposited with 1241 the treasurer of state, or placed with a financial organization. 1242

Securities and other intangible property transferred to the 1243 director shall, within a reasonable time, be converted to cash and 1244 the proceeds deposited as provided for other funds. 1245

One-half of the funds evidenced by agreements, in 1246 income-bearing accounts, or on deposit with the treasurer of state 1247 shall be allocated on the records of the director to the mortgage 1248 insurance fund created by section 122.561 of the Revised Code. Out 1249 of the remaining half, after allocation of sufficient moneys to 1250 the minority and small business bonding fund to meet the 1251 provisions of division (B) of this section, the remainder shall be 1252 allocated on the records of the director to the housing 1253 development fund created by division (A) of section 175.11 of the 1254 Revised Code. 1255

(B) The director shall serve as agent for the director of 1256 development services and as agent for the Ohio housing finance 1257 agency in making deposits and withdrawals and maintaining records 1258 pertaining to the minority and small business bonding fund created 1259 by section 122.88 of the Revised Code, the mortgage insurance 1260 fund, and the housing development fund created by section 175.11 1261 of the Revised Code. Funds from the mortgage insurance fund are 1262 available to the director of development services when those funds 1263 are to be disbursed to prevent or cure, or upon the occurrence of, 1264 a default of a mortgage insured pursuant to section 122.451 of the 1265 Revised Code. Funds from the housing development fund are 1266 available upon request to the Ohio housing finance agency, in an 1267 amount not to exceed the funds allocated on the records of the 1268 director, for the purposes of section 175.05 of the Revised Code. 1269 Funds from the minority and small business bonding fund are 1270 available to the director of development services upon request to 1271 pay obligations on bonds the director writes pursuant to section 1272 122.88 of the Revised Code; except that, unless the general 1273 assembly authorizes additional amounts, the total maximum amount 1274 of moneys that may be allocated to the minority and small business 1275 bonding fund under this division is ten million dollars. 1276

When funds are to be disbursed, the appropriate agency shall 1277 call upon the director to transfer the necessary funds to it. The 1278 director shall first withdraw the funds paid by the holders and 1279 deposited with the treasurer of state or in a financial 1280 institution as agent for the funds. Whenever these funds are 1281 inadequate to meet the request, the director shall provide for a 1282 withdrawal of funds, within a reasonable time and in the amount 1283 necessary to meet the request, from financial institutions in 1284 which the funds were retained or placed by a holder and from other 1285 holders who have retained funds, in an equitable manner as the 1286 director prescribes. In the event that the amount to be withdrawn 1287 from any one holder is less than five hundred dollars, the amount 1288 to be withdrawn is at the director's discretion. The director 1289 shall then transfer to the agency the amount of funds requested. 1290

Funds deposited in the unclaimed funds trust fund are subject 1291 to call by the director when necessary to pay claims the director 1292 allows under section 169.08 of the Revised Code, in accordance 1293 with the director's rules, to defray the necessary costs of making 1294 publications this chapter requires and to pay other operating and 1295 administrative expenses the department of commerce incurs in the 1296 administration and enforcement of this chapter. 1297

The unclaimed funds trust fund shall be assessed a 1298 proportionate share of the administrative costs of the department 1299 of commerce in accordance with procedures the director of commerce 1300 prescribes and the director of budget and management approves. The 1301 assessment shall be paid from the unclaimed funds trust fund to 1302 the division of administration fund. 1303

(C) Earnings on the accounts in financial organizations to 1304 the credit of the mortgage funds shall, at the option of the 1305 financial organization, be credited to the accounts at times and 1306 at rates as earnings are paid on other accounts of the same 1307 classification held in the financial organization or paid to the 1308 director. The director shall be notified annually, and at other 1309 times as the director may request, of the amount of the earnings 1310 credited to the accounts. Interest on unclaimed funds a holder 1311 retains shall be paid to the director or credited as specified in 1312 the agreement under which the organization retains the funds. 1313 Interest payable to the director under an agreement to invest 1314 unclaimed funds and obligations of the United States shall be paid 1315 annually by the holder to the director. Any earnings or interest 1316 the director receives under this division shall be deposited in 1317 and credited to the mortgage funds. 1318

Sec. 4141.01. As used in this chapter, unless the context 1319

otherwise requires:

(A)(1) "Employer" means the state, its instrumentalities, its 1321 political subdivisions and their instrumentalities, Indian tribes, 1322 and any individual or type of organization including any 1323 partnership, limited liability company, association, trust, 1324 estate, joint-stock company, insurance company, or corporation, 1325 whether domestic or foreign, or the receiver, trustee in 1326 bankruptcy, trustee, or the successor thereof, or the legal 1327 representative of a deceased person who subsequent to December 31, 1328 1971, or in the case of political subdivisions or their 1329 instrumentalities, subsequent to December 31, 1973: 1330

(a) Had in employment at least one individual, or in the case
of a nonprofit organization, subsequent to December 31, 1973, had
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not less than four individuals in employment for some portion of a
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day in each of twenty different calendar weeks, in either the
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current or the preceding calendar year whether or not the same
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individual was in employment in each such day; or

(b) Except for a nonprofit organization, had paid for service
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 in employment wages of fifteen hundred dollars or more in any
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 calendar quarter in either the current or preceding calendar year;
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 or

(c) Had paid, subsequent to December 31, 1977, for employment 1341 in domestic service in a local college club, or local chapter of a 1342 college fraternity or sorority, cash remuneration of one thousand 1343 dollars or more in any calendar quarter in the current calendar 1344 year or the preceding calendar year, or had paid subsequent to 1345 December 31, 1977, for employment in domestic service in a private 1346 home cash remuneration of one thousand dollars in any calendar 1347 quarter in the current calendar year or the preceding calendar 1348 year: 1349

(i) For the purposes of divisions (A)(1)(a) and (b) of this 1350

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section, there shall not be taken into account any wages paid to, 1351 or employment of, an individual performing domestic service as 1352 described in this division. 1353 (ii) An employer under this division shall not be an employer 1354 with respect to wages paid for any services other than domestic 1355 service unless the employer is also found to be an employer under 1356 division (A)(1)(a), (b), or (d) of this section. 1357 (d) As a farm operator or a crew leader subsequent to 1358 December 31, 1977, had in employment individuals in agricultural 1359 labor; and 1360 (i) During any calendar quarter in the current calendar year 1361 or the preceding calendar year, paid cash remuneration of twenty 1362 thousand dollars or more for the agricultural labor; or 1363 (ii) Had at least ten individuals in employment in 1364 agricultural labor, not including agricultural workers who are 1365 aliens admitted to the United States to perform agricultural labor 1366 pursuant to sections 1184(c) and 1101(a)(15)(H) of the 1367 "Immigration and Nationality Act," 66 Stat. 163, 189, 8 U.S.C.A. 1368 1101(a)(15)(H)(ii)(a), 1184(c), for some portion of a day in each 1369

of the twenty different calendar weeks, in either the current or 1370 preceding calendar year whether or not the same individual was in 1371 employment in each day; or 1372

(e) Is not otherwise an employer as defined under division 1373(A)(1)(a) or (b) of this section; and 1374

(i) For which, within either the current or preceding
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calendar year, service, except for domestic service in a private
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home not covered under division (A)(1)(c) of this section, is or
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was performed with respect to which such employer is liable for
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any federal tax against which credit may be taken for
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contributions required to be paid into a state unemployment fund;
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(ii) Which, as a condition for approval of this chapter for 1381

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full tax credit against the tax imposed by the "Federal1382Unemployment Tax Act," 84 Stat. 713, 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, is1383required, pursuant to such act to be an employer under this1384chapter; or1385

(iii) Who became an employer by election under division
(A)(4) or (5) of this section and for the duration of such
election; or

(f) In the case of the state, its instrumentalities, its 1389
political subdivisions, and their instrumentalities, and Indian 1390
tribes, had in employment, as defined in divisions (B)(2)(a) and 1391
(B)(2)(1) of this section, at least one individual; 1392

(g) For the purposes of division (A)(1)(a) of this section, 1393
if any week includes both the thirty-first day of December and the 1394
first day of January, the days of that week before the first day 1395
of January shall be considered one calendar week and the days 1396
beginning the first day of January another week. 1397

(2) Each individual employed to perform or to assist in 1398 performing the work of any agent or employee of an employer is 1399 employed by such employer for all the purposes of this chapter, 1400 whether such individual was hired or paid directly by such 1401 employer or by such agent or employee, provided the employer had 1402 actual or constructive knowledge of the work. All individuals 1403 performing services for an employer of any person in this state 1404 who maintains two or more establishments within this state are 1405 employed by a single employer for the purposes of this chapter. 1406

(3) An employer subject to this chapter within any calendar
year is subject to this chapter during the whole of such year and
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during the next succeeding calendar year.

(4) An employer not otherwise subject to this chapter who
files with the director of job and family services a written
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election to become an employer subject to this chapter for not
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less than two calendar years shall, with the written approval of 1413 such election by the director, become an employer subject to this 1414 chapter to the same extent as all other employers as of the date 1415 stated in such approval, and shall cease to be subject to this 1416 chapter as of the first day of January of any calendar year 1417 subsequent to such two calendar years only if at least thirty days 1418 prior to such first day of January the employer has filed with the 1419 director a written notice to that effect. 1420

(5) Any employer for whom services that do not constitute 1421 employment are performed may file with the director a written 1422 election that all such services performed by individuals in the 1423 employer's employ in one or more distinct establishments or places 1424 of business shall be deemed to constitute employment for all the 1425 purposes of this chapter, for not less than two calendar years. 1426 Upon written approval of the election by the director, such 1427 services shall be deemed to constitute employment subject to this 1428 chapter from and after the date stated in such approval. Such 1429 services shall cease to be employment subject to this chapter as 1430 of the first day of January of any calendar year subsequent to 1431 such two calendar years only if at least thirty days prior to such 1432 first day of January such employer has filed with the director a 1433 written notice to that effect. 1434

(B)(1) "Employment" means service performed by an individual 1435 for remuneration under any contract of hire, written or oral, 1436 express or implied, including service performed in interstate 1437 commerce and service performed by an officer of a corporation, 1438 without regard to whether such service is executive, managerial, 1439 or manual in nature, and without regard to whether such officer is 1440 a stockholder or a member of the board of directors of the 1441 corporation, unless it is shown to the satisfaction of the 1442 director that such individual has been and will continue to be 1443 free from direction or control over the performance of such 1444 (2) "Employment" includes:

(a) Service performed after December 31, 1977, by an 1448 individual in the employ of the state or any of its 1449 instrumentalities, or any political subdivision thereof or any of 1450 its instrumentalities or any instrumentality of more than one of 1451 the foregoing or any instrumentality of any of the foregoing and 1452 one or more other states or political subdivisions and without 1453 regard to divisions (A)(1)(a) and (b) of this section, provided 1454 that such service is excluded from employment as defined in the 1455 "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 53 Stat. 183, 26 U.S.C.A. 3301, 1456 3306(c)(7) and is not excluded under division (B)(3) of this 1457 section; or the services of employees covered by voluntary 1458 election, as provided under divisions (A)(4) and (5) of this 1459 section; 1460

(b) Service performed after December 31, 1971, by an 1461 individual in the employ of a religious, charitable, educational, 1462 or other organization which is excluded from the term "employment" 1463 as defined in the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 84 Stat. 713, 26 1464 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, solely by reason of section 26 U.S.C.A. 1465 3306(c)(8) of that act and is not excluded under division (B)(3) 1466 of this section; 1467

(c) Domestic service performed after December 31, 1977, for 1468an employer, as provided in division (A)(1)(c) of this section; 1469

(d) Agricultural labor performed after December 31, 1977, for 1470
a farm operator or a crew leader, as provided in division 1471
(A)(1)(d) of this section; 1472

(e) Service not covered under division (B)(1) of this section 1473which is performed after December 31, 1971: 1474

(i) As an agent-driver or commission-driver engaged in 1475

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distributing meat products, vegetable products, fruit products, 1476 bakery products, beverages other than milk, laundry, or 1477 dry-cleaning services, for the individual's employer or principal; 1478 (ii) As a traveling or city salesperson, other than as an 1479 agent-driver or commission-driver, engaged on a full-time basis in 1480 the solicitation on behalf of and in the transmission to the 1481 salesperson's employer or principal except for sideline sales 1482 activities on behalf of some other person of orders from 1483 wholesalers, retailers, contractors, or operators of hotels, 1484 restaurants, or other similar establishments for merchandise for 1485 resale, or supplies for use in their business operations, provided 1486 that for the purposes of division (B)(2)(e)(ii) of this section, 1487 the services shall be deemed employment if the contract of service 1488 contemplates that substantially all of the services are to be 1489 performed personally by the individual and that the individual 1490 does not have a substantial investment in facilities used in 1491 connection with the performance of the services other than in 1492 facilities for transportation, and the services are not in the 1493 nature of a single transaction that is not a part of a continuing 1494 relationship with the person for whom the services are performed. 1495 (f) An individual's entire service performed within or both 1496 within and without the state if: 1497

(i) The service is localized in this state. 1498

(ii) The service is not localized in any state, but some of 1499 the service is performed in this state and either the base of 1500 operations, or if there is no base of operations then the place 1501 from which such service is directed or controlled, is in this 1502 state or the base of operations or place from which such service 1503 is directed or controlled is not in any state in which some part 1504 of the service is performed but the individual's residence is in 1505 this state. 1506

(g) Service not covered under division (B)(2)(f)(ii) of this 1507 section and performed entirely without this state, with respect to 1508 no part of which contributions are required and paid under an 1509 unemployment compensation law of any other state, the Virgin 1510 Islands, Canada, or of the United States, if the individual 1511 performing such service is a resident of this state and the 1512 director approves the election of the employer for whom such 1513 services are performed; or, if the individual is not a resident of 1514 this state but the place from which the service is directed or 1515 controlled is in this state, the entire services of such 1516 individual shall be deemed to be employment subject to this 1517 chapter, provided service is deemed to be localized within this 1518 state if the service is performed entirely within this state or if 1519 the service is performed both within and without this state but 1520 the service performed without this state is incidental to the 1521 individual's service within the state, for example, is temporary 1522 or transitory in nature or consists of isolated transactions; 1523

(h) Service of an individual who is a citizen of the United 1524 States, performed outside the United States except in Canada after 1525 December 31, 1971, or the Virgin Islands, after December 31, 1971, 1526 and before the first day of January of the year following that in 1527 which the United States secretary of labor approves the Virgin 1528 Islands law for the first time, in the employ of an American 1529 employer, other than service which is "employment" under divisions 1530 (B)(2)(f) and (g) of this section or similar provisions of another 1531 state's law, if: 1532

(i) The employer's principal place of business in the United 1533States is located in this state; 1534

(ii) The employer has no place of business in the United
States, but the employer is an individual who is a resident of
this state; or the employer is a corporation which is organized
under the laws of this state, or the employer is a partnership or
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a trust and the number of partners or trustees who are residents 1539 of this state is greater than the number who are residents of any 1540 other state; or 1541

(iii) None of the criteria of divisions (B)(2)(f)(i) and (ii) 1542 of this section is met but the employer has elected coverage in 1543 this state or the employer having failed to elect coverage in any 1544 state, the individual has filed a claim for benefits, based on 1545 such service, under this chapter. 1546

(i) For the purposes of division (B)(2)(h) of this section, 1547 the term "American employer" means an employer who is an 1548 individual who is a resident of the United States; or a 1549 partnership, if two-thirds or more of the partners are residents 1550 of the United States; or a trust, if all of the trustees are 1551 residents of the United States; or a corporation organized under 1552 the laws of the United States or of any state, provided the term 1553 "United States" includes the states, the District of Columbia, the 1554 Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. 1555

(j) Notwithstanding any other provisions of divisions (B)(1) 1556 and (2) of this section, service, except for domestic service in a 1557 private home not covered under division (A)(1)(c) of this section, 1558 with respect to which a tax is required to be paid under any 1559 federal law imposing a tax against which credit may be taken for 1560 contributions required to be paid into a state unemployment fund, 1561 or service, except for domestic service in a private home not 1562 covered under division (A)(1)(c) of this section, which, as a 1563 condition for full tax credit against the tax imposed by the 1564 "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 84 Stat. 713, 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 1565 3311, is required to be covered under this chapter. 1566

(k) Construction services performed by any individual under a 1567
construction contract, as defined in section 4141.39 of the 1568
Revised Code, if the director determines that the employer for 1569
whom services are performed has the right to direct or control the 1570

performance of the services and that the individuals who perform1571the services receive remuneration for the services performed. The1572director shall presume that the employer for whom services are1573performed has the right to direct or control the performance of1574the services if ten or more of the following criteria apply:1575

(i) The employer directs or controls the manner or method by 1576
 which instructions are given to the individual performing 1577
 services; 1578

(ii) The employer requires particular training for theindividual performing services;1580

(iii) Services performed by the individual are integrated1581into the regular functioning of the employer;1582

(iv) The employer requires that services be provided by a 1583 particular individual; 1584

(v) The employer hires, supervises, or pays the wages of the 1585individual performing services; 1586

(vi) A continuing relationship between the employer and the
individual performing services exists which contemplates
continuing or recurring work, even if not full-time work;
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(vii) The employer requires the individual to performservices during established hours;1591

(viii) The employer requires that the individual performing 1592 services be devoted on a full-time basis to the business of the 1593 employer; 1594

(ix) The employer requires the individual to perform services 1595on the employer's premises; 1596

(x) The employer requires the individual performing services 1597to follow the order of work established by the employer; 1598

(xi) The employer requires the individual performing services 1599to make oral or written reports of progress; 1600

(xii) The employer makes payment to the individual for	1601
services on a regular basis, such as hourly, weekly, or month	1602 line
(xiii) The employer pays expenses for the individual	1603
performing services;	1604
(xiv) The employer furnishes the tools and materials for	use 1605
by the individual to perform services;	1606
(xv) The individual performing services has not invested	l in 1607
the facilities used to perform services;	1608
(xvi) The individual performing services does not realiz	zea 1609
profit or suffer a loss as a result of the performance of the	e 1610
services;	1611
(xvii) The individual performing services is not perform	ning 1612
services for more than two employers simultaneously;	1613
(xviii) The individual performing services does not make	e the 1614
services available to the general public;	1615
(xix) The employer has a right to discharge the individu	al 1616
performing services;	1617
(xx) The individual performing services has the right to	end 1618
the individual's relationship with the employer without incur	ring 1619
liability pursuant to an employment contract or agreement.	1620
(1) Service performed by an individual in the employ of	an 1621
Indian tribe as defined by section 4(e) of the "Indian	1622
Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act," 88 Stat. 22	204 1623
(1975), 25 U.S.C.A. 450b(e), including any subdivision,	1624
subsidiary, or business enterprise wholly owned by an Indian	tribe 1625
provided that the service is excluded from employment as defi	
in the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 53 Stat. 183 (1939), 2	
U.S.C.A. 3301 and 3306(c)(7) and is not excluded under divisi	
(B)(3) of this section.	1629

(3) "Employment" does not include the following services if 1630

they are found not subject to the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 1631 84 Stat. 713 (1970), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, and if the services 1632 are not required to be included under division (B)(2)(j) of this 1633 section: 1634 (a) Service performed after December 31, 1977, in 1635 agricultural labor, except as provided in division (A)(1)(d) of 1636 this section; 1637 (b) Domestic service performed after December 31, 1977, in a 1638 private home, local college club, or local chapter of a college 1639 fraternity or sorority except as provided in division (A)(1)(c) of 1640 this section; 1641 (c) Service performed after December 31, 1977, for this state 1642 or a political subdivision as described in division (B)(2)(a) of 1643 this section when performed: 1644 (i) As a publicly elected official; 1645 (ii) As a member of a legislative body, or a member of the 1646 judiciary; 1647 (iii) As a military member of the Ohio national quard; 1648 (iv) As an employee, not in the classified service as defined 1649 in section 124.11 of the Revised Code, serving on a temporary 1650 basis in case of fire, storm, snow, earthquake, flood, or similar 1651 emergency; 1652 (v) In a position which, under or pursuant to law, is 1653 designated as a major nontenured policymaking or advisory 1654 position, not in the classified service of the state, or a 1655 policymaking or advisory position the performance of the duties of 1656 which ordinarily does not require more than eight hours per week. 1657 (d) In the employ of any governmental unit or instrumentality 1658 of the United States; 1659

(e) Service performed after December 31, 1971: 1660

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(i) Service in the employ of an educational institution or 1661 institution of higher education, including those operated by the 1662 state or a political subdivision, if such service is performed by 1663 a student who is enrolled and is regularly attending classes at 1664 the educational institution or institution of higher education; or 1665

(ii) By an individual who is enrolled at a nonprofit or 1666 public educational institution which normally maintains a regular 1667 faculty and curriculum and normally has a regularly organized body 1668 of students in attendance at the place where its educational 1669 activities are carried on as a student in a full-time program, 1670 taken for credit at the institution, which combines academic 1671 instruction with work experience, if the service is an integral 1672 part of the program, and the institution has so certified to the 1673 employer, provided that this subdivision shall not apply to 1674 service performed in a program established for or on behalf of an 1675 employer or group of employers. 1676

(f) Service performed by an individual in the employ of the 1677 individual's son, daughter, or spouse and service performed by a 1678 child under the age of eighteen in the employ of the child's 1679 father or mother; 1680

(g) Service performed for one or more principals by an 1681 individual who is compensated on a commission basis, who in the 1682 performance of the work is master of the individual's own time and 1683 efforts, and whose remuneration is wholly dependent on the amount 1684 of effort the individual chooses to expend, and which service is 1685 not subject to the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 53 Stat. 183 1686 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311. Service performed after December 1687 31, 1971: 1688

(i) By an individual for an employer as an insurance agent or 1689 as an insurance solicitor, if all this service is performed for 1690 remuneration solely by way of commission; 1691

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(ii) As a home worker performing work, according to 1692 specifications furnished by the employer for whom the services are 1693 performed, on materials or goods furnished by such employer which 1694 are required to be returned to the employer or to a person 1695 designated for that purpose. 1696

(h) Service performed after December 31, 1971: 1697

1698 (i) In the employ of a church or convention or association of churches, or in an organization which is operated primarily for 1699 religious purposes and which is operated, supervised, controlled, 1700 or principally supported by a church or convention or association 1701 of churches; 1702

(ii) By a duly ordained, commissioned, or licensed minister 1703 of a church in the exercise of the individual's ministry or by a 1704 member of a religious order in the exercise of duties required by 1705 such order; or 1706

(iii) In a facility conducted for the purpose of carrying out 1707 a program of rehabilitation for individuals whose earning capacity 1708 is impaired by age or physical or mental deficiency or injury, or 1709 providing remunerative work for individuals who because of their 1710 impaired physical or mental capacity cannot be readily absorbed in 1711 the competitive labor market, by an individual receiving such 1712 rehabilitation or remunerative work. 1713

(i) Service performed after June 30, 1939, with respect to 1714 which unemployment compensation is payable under the "Railroad 1715 Unemployment Insurance Act," 52 Stat. 1094 (1938), 45 U.S.C. 351; 1716

(j) Service performed by an individual in the employ of any 1717 organization exempt from income tax under section 501 of the 1718 "Internal Revenue Code of 1954," if the remuneration for such 1719 service does not exceed fifty dollars in any calendar quarter, or 1720 if such service is in connection with the collection of dues or 1721 premiums for a fraternal beneficial society, order, or association 1722

and is performed away from the home office or is ritualistic 1723 service in connection with any such society, order, or 1724 association; 1725

(k) Casual labor not in the course of an employer's trade or 1726 business; incidental service performed by an officer, appraiser, 1727 or member of a finance committee of a bank, building and loan 1728 association, savings and loan association, or savings association 1729 when the remuneration for such incidental service exclusive of the 1730 amount paid or allotted for directors' fees does not exceed sixty 1731 dollars per calendar quarter is casual labor; 1732

(1) Service performed in the employ of a voluntary employees' 1733 beneficial association providing for the payment of life, 1734 sickness, accident, or other benefits to the members of such 1735 association or their dependents or their designated beneficiaries, 1736 if admission to a membership in such association is limited to 1737 individuals who are officers or employees of a municipal or public 1738 corporation, of a political subdivision of the state, or of the 1739 United States and no part of the net earnings of such association 1740 inures, other than through such payments, to the benefit of any 1741 private shareholder or individual; 1742

(m) Service performed by an individual in the employ of a 1743
foreign government, including service as a consular or other 1744
officer or employee or of a nondiplomatic representative; 1745

(n) Service performed in the employ of an instrumentality 1746 wholly owned by a foreign government if the service is of a 1747 character similar to that performed in foreign countries by 1748 employees of the United States or of an instrumentality thereof 1749 and if the director finds that the secretary of state of the 1750 United States has certified to the secretary of the treasury of 1751 the United States that the foreign government, with respect to 1752 whose instrumentality exemption is claimed, grants an equivalent 1753 exemption with respect to similar service performed in the foreign 1754 country by employees of the United States and of instrumentalities 1755 thereof; 1756

(o) Service with respect to which unemployment compensation
 is payable under an unemployment compensation system established
 by an act of congress;
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(p) Service performed as a student nurse in the employ of a 1760 hospital or a nurses' training school by an individual who is 1761 enrolled and is regularly attending classes in a nurses' training 1762 school chartered or approved pursuant to state law, and service 1763 performed as an intern in the employ of a hospital by an 1764 individual who has completed a four years' course in a medical 1765 school chartered or approved pursuant to state law; 1766

(q) Service performed by an individual under the age of 1767
eighteen in the delivery or distribution of newspapers or shopping 1768
news, not including delivery or distribution to any point for 1769
subsequent delivery or distribution; 1770

(r) Service performed in the employ of the United States or 1771 an instrumentality of the United States immune under the 1772 Constitution of the United States from the contributions imposed 1773 by this chapter, except that to the extent that congress permits 1774 states to require any instrumentalities of the United States to 1775 make payments into an unemployment fund under a state unemployment 1776 compensation act, this chapter shall be applicable to such 1777 instrumentalities and to services performed for such 1778 instrumentalities in the same manner, to the same extent, and on 1779 the same terms as to all other employers, individuals, and 1780 services, provided that if this state is not certified for any 1781 year by the proper agency of the United States under section 3304 1782 of the "Internal Revenue Code of 1954," the payments required of 1783 such instrumentalities with respect to such year shall be refunded 1784 by the director from the fund in the same manner and within the 1785 same period as is provided in division (E) of section 4141.09 of 1786

the Revised Code with respect to contributions erroneously	1787
collected;	1788
(s) Service performed by an individual as a member of a band	1789
or orchestra, provided such service does not represent the	1790
principal occupation of such individual, and which service is not	1791
subject to or required to be covered for full tax credit against	1792
the tax imposed by the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 53 Stat.	1793
183 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311.	1794
(t) Service performed in the employ of a day camp whose	1795
camping season does not exceed twelve weeks in any calendar year,	1796
and which service is not subject to the "Federal Unemployment Tax	1797
Act," 53 Stat. 183 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311. Service	1798
performed after December 31, 1971:	1799
(i) In the employ of a hospital, if the service is performed	1800
by a patient of the hospital, as defined in division (W) of this	1801
section;	1802
(ii) For a prison or other correctional institution by an	1803
inmate of the prison or correctional institution;	1804
(iii) Service performed after December 31, 1977, by an inmate	1805
of a custodial institution operated by the state, a political	1806
subdivision, or a nonprofit organization.	1807
(u) Service that is performed by a nonresident alien	1808
individual for the period the individual temporarily is present in	1809
the United States as a nonimmigrant under division (F), (J), (M),	1810
or (Q) of section 101(a)(15) of the "Immigration and Nationality	1811
Act," 66 Stat. 163, 8 U.S.C.A. 1101, as amended, that is excluded	1812
under section 3306(c)(19) of the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act,"	1813
53 Stat. 183 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311.	1814
(\mathbf{v}) Notwithstanding any other provisions of division $(B)(3)$	1815

(v) Notwithstanding any other provisions of division (B)(3)
(B)(3)(g), (j), (k), and (l) of this section shall not be excluded
(B)(3)(g), (j), (k), and (l) of this section shall not be excluded

from employment when performed for a nonprofit organization, as 1818 defined in division (X) of this section, or for this state or its 1819 instrumentalities, or for a political subdivision or its 1820 instrumentalities or for Indian tribes; 1821 (w) Service that is performed by an individual working as an 1822 election official or election worker if the amount of remuneration 1823 received by the individual during the calendar year for services 1824 as an election official or election worker is less than one 1825 thousand dollars; 1826 (x) Service performed for an elementary or secondary school 1827 that is operated primarily for religious purposes, that is 1828 described in subsection 501(c)(3) and exempt from federal income 1829 taxation under subsection 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 1830 U.S.C.A. 501; 1831 (y) Service performed by a person committed to a penal 1832 institution. 1833 (z) Service performed for an Indian tribe as described in 1834 division (B)(2)(1) of this section when performed in any of the 1835 following manners: 1836 (i) As a publicly elected official; 1837 (ii) As a member of an Indian tribal council; 1838 (iii) As a member of a legislative or judiciary body; 1839 (iv) In a position which, pursuant to Indian tribal law, is 1840 designated as a major nontenured policymaking or advisory 1841 position, or a policymaking or advisory position where the 1842 performance of the duties ordinarily does not require more than 1843 eight hours of time per week; 1844 (v) As an employee serving on a temporary basis in the case 1845 of a fire, storm, snow, earthquake, flood, or similar emergency. 1846

(aa) Service performed after December 31, 1971, for a 1847

nonprofit organization, this state or its instrumentalities, a 1848 political subdivision or its instrumentalities, or an Indian tribe 1849 as part of an unemployment work-relief or work-training program 1850 assisted or financed in whole or in part by any federal agency or 1851 an agency of a state or political subdivision, thereof, by an 1852 individual receiving the work-relief or work-training. 1853

(bb) Participation in a learn to earn program as defined in 1854 section 4141.293 of the Revised Code. 1855

(4) If the services performed during one half or more of any 1856 pay period by an employee for the person employing that employee 1857 constitute employment, all the services of such employee for such 1858 period shall be deemed to be employment; but if the services 1859 performed during more than one half of any such pay period by an 1860 employee for the person employing that employee do not constitute 1861 employment, then none of the services of such employee for such 1862 period shall be deemed to be employment. As used in division 1863 (B)(4) of this section, "pay period" means a period, of not more 1864 than thirty-one consecutive days, for which payment of 1865 remuneration is ordinarily made to the employee by the person 1866 employing that employee. Division (B)(4) of this section does not 1867 apply to services performed in a pay period by an employee for the 1868 person employing that employee, if any of such service is excepted 1869 by division (B)(3)(o) of this section. 1870

(C) "Benefits" means money payments payable to an individual 1871
who has established benefit rights, as provided in this chapter, 1872
for loss of remuneration due to the individual's unemployment. 1873

(D) "Benefit rights" means the weekly benefit amount and the 1874
 maximum benefit amount that may become payable to an individual 1875
 within the individual's benefit year as determined by the 1876
 director. 1877

(E) "Claim for benefits" means a claim for waiting period or 1878

benefits for a designated week.

(F) "Additional claim" means the first claim for benefits
filed following any separation from employment during a benefit
year; "continued claim" means any claim other than the first claim
for benefits and other than an additional claim.

(G)(1) "Wages" means remuneration paid to an employee by each 1884 1885 of the employee's employers with respect to employment; except that wages shall not include that part of remuneration paid during 1886 any calendar year to an individual by an employer or such 1887 employer's predecessor in interest in the same business or 1888 enterprise, which in any calendar year is in excess of eight 1889 thousand two hundred fifty dollars on and after January 1, 1992; 1890 eight thousand five hundred dollars on and after January 1, 1993; 1891 eight thousand seven hundred fifty dollars on and after January 1, 1892 1994; and nine thousand dollars on and after January 1, 1995. 1893 Remuneration in excess of such amounts shall be deemed wages 1894 subject to contribution to the same extent that such remuneration 1895 is defined as wages under the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 84 1896 Stat. 714 (1970), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, as amended. The 1897 remuneration paid an employee by an employer with respect to 1898 employment in another state, upon which contributions were 1899 required and paid by such employer under the unemployment 1900 compensation act of such other state, shall be included as a part 1901 of remuneration in computing the amount specified in this 1902 division. 1903

(2) Notwithstanding division (G)(1) of this section, if, as 1904 of the computation date for any calendar year, the director 1905 determines that the level of the unemployment compensation fund is 1906 sixty per cent or more below the minimum safe level as defined in 1907 section 4141.25 of the Revised Code, then, effective the first day 1908 of January of the following calendar year, wages subject to this 1909 chapter shall not include that part of remuneration paid during 1910

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any calendar year to an individual by an employer or such 1911 employer's predecessor in interest in the same business or 1912 enterprise which is in excess of nine thousand dollars. The 1913 increase in the dollar amount of wages subject to this chapter 1914 under this division shall remain in effect from the date of the 1915 director's determination pursuant to division (G)(2) of this 1916 section and thereafter notwithstanding the fact that the level in 1917 the fund may subsequently become less than sixty per cent below 1918 the minimum safe level. 1919

(H)(1) "Remuneration" means all compensation for personal 1920 services, including commissions and bonuses and the cash value of 1921 all compensation in any medium other than cash, except that in the 1922 case of agricultural or domestic service, "remuneration" includes 1923 only cash remuneration. Gratuities customarily received by an 1924 individual in the course of the individual's employment from 1925 persons other than the individual's employer and which are 1926 accounted for by such individual to the individual's employer are 1927 taxable wages. 1928

The reasonable cash value of compensation paid in any medium 1929 other than cash shall be estimated and determined in accordance 1930 with rules prescribed by the director, provided that 1931 "remuneration" does not include: 1932

(a) Payments as provided in divisions (b)(2) to (b)(16) of
section 3306 of the "Federal Unemployment Tax Act," 84 Stat. 713,
26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, as amended;

(b) The payment by an employer, without deduction from the 1936
remuneration of the individual in the employer's employ, of the 1937
tax imposed upon an individual in the employer's employ under 1938
section 3101 of the "Internal Revenue Code of 1954," with respect 1939
to services performed after October 1, 1941. 1940

(2) "Cash remuneration" means all remuneration paid in cash, 1941

including commissions and bonuses, but not including the cash 1942 value of all compensation in any medium other than cash. 1943

(I) "Interested party" means the director and any party to
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 whom notice of a determination of an application for benefit
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 rights or a claim for benefits is required to be given under
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 section 4141.28 of the Revised Code.

(J) "Annual payroll" means the total amount of wages subject
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 to contributions during a twelve-month period ending with the last
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 day of the second calendar quarter of any calendar year.
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(K) "Average annual payroll" means the average of the last 1951 three annual payrolls of an employer, provided that if, as of any 1952 computation date, the employer has had less than three annual 1953 payrolls in such three-year period, such average shall be based on 1954 the annual payrolls which the employer has had as of such date. 1955

(L)(1) "Contributions" means the money payments to the state 1956 unemployment compensation fund required of employers by section 1957 4141.25 of the Revised Code and of the state and any of its 1958 political subdivisions electing to pay contributions under section 1959 4141.242 of the Revised Code. Employers paying contributions shall 1960 be described as "contributory employers." 1961

(2) "Payments in lieu of contributions" means the money
 payments to the state unemployment compensation fund required of
 reimbursing employers under sections 4141.241 and 4141.242 of the
 Revised Code.

(M) An individual is "totally unemployed" in any week during 1966
which the individual performs no services and with respect to such 1967
week no remuneration is payable to the individual. 1968

(N) An individual is "partially unemployed" in any week if, 1969 due to involuntary loss of work, the total remuneration payable to 1970 the individual for such week is less than the individual's weekly 1971 benefit amount. 1972

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(0) "Week" means the calendar week ending at midnight 1973 Saturday unless an equivalent week of seven consecutive calendar 1974 days is prescribed by the director. 1975

(1) "Qualifying week" means any calendar week in an 1976 individual's base period with respect to which the individual 1977 earns or is paid remuneration in employment subject to this 1978 chapter. A calendar week with respect to which an individual earns 1979 remuneration but for which payment was not made within the base 1980 period, when necessary to qualify for benefit rights, may be 1981 considered to be a qualifying week. The number of qualifying weeks 1982 which may be established in a calendar quarter shall not exceed 1983 the number of calendar weeks in the quarter. 1984

(2) "Average weekly wage" means the amount obtained by 1985 dividing an individual's total remuneration for all qualifying 1986 weeks during the base period by the number of such qualifying 1987 weeks, provided that if the computation results in an amount that 1988 is not a multiple of one dollar, such amount shall be rounded to 1989 the next lower multiple of one dollar. 1990

(P) "Weekly benefit amount" means the amount of benefits an 1991 individual would be entitled to receive for one week of total 1992 unemployment. 1993

(Q)(1) "Base period" means the first four of the last five 1994 completed calendar quarters immediately preceding the first day of 1995 an individual's benefit year, except as provided in division 1996 (Q)(2) of this section. 1997

(2) If an individual does not have sufficient qualifying 1998 weeks and wages in the base period to qualify for benefit rights, 1999 the individual's base period shall be the four most recently 2000 completed calendar quarters preceding the first day of the 2001 individual's benefit year. Such base period shall be known as the 2002 "alternate base period." If information as to weeks and wages for 2003

the most recent quarter of the alternate base period is not 2004 available to the director from the regular quarterly reports of 2005 wage information, which are systematically accessible, the 2006 director may, consistent with the provisions of section 4141.28 of 2007 the Revised Code, base the determination of eligibility for 2008 benefits on the affidavit of the claimant with respect to weeks 2009 and wages for that calendar quarter. The claimant shall furnish 2010 payroll documentation, where available, in support of the 2011 affidavit. The determination based upon the alternate base period 2012 as it relates to the claimant's benefit rights, shall be amended 2013 when the quarterly report of wage information from the employer is 2014 timely received and that information causes a change in the 2015 determination. As provided in division (B) of section 4141.28 of 2016 the Revised Code, any benefits paid and charged to an employer's 2017 account, based upon a claimant's affidavit, shall be adjusted 2018 effective as of the beginning of the claimant's benefit year. No 2019 calendar quarter in a base period or alternate base period shall 2020 be used to establish a subsequent benefit year. 2021

(3) The "base period" of a combined wage claim, as described 2022 in division (H) of section 4141.43 of the Revised Code, shall be 2023 the base period prescribed by the law of the state in which the 2024 claim is allowed. 2025

(4) For purposes of determining the weeks that comprise a 2026
 completed calendar quarter under this division, only those weeks 2027
 ending at midnight Saturday within the calendar quarter shall be 2028
 utilized. 2029

(R)(1) "Benefit year" with respect to an individual means the 2030 fifty-two week period beginning with the first day of that week 2031 with respect to which the individual first files a valid 2032 application for determination of benefit rights, and thereafter 2033 the fifty-two week period beginning with the first day of that 2034 week with respect to which the individual next files a valid 2035

application for determination of benefit rights after the 2036 termination of the individual's last preceding benefit year, 2037 except that the application shall not be considered valid unless 2038 the individual has had employment in six weeks that is subject to 2039 this chapter or the unemployment compensation act of another 2040 state, or the United States, and has, since the beginning of the 2041 individual's previous benefit year, in the employment earned three 2042 times the average weekly wage determined for the previous benefit 2043 year. The "benefit year" of a combined wage claim, as described in 2044 division (H) of section 4141.43 of the Revised Code, shall be the 2045 benefit year prescribed by the law of the state in which the claim 2046 is allowed. Any application for determination of benefit rights 2047 made in accordance with section 4141.28 of the Revised Code is 2048 valid if the individual filing such application is unemployed, has 2049 been employed by an employer or employers subject to this chapter 2050 in at least twenty qualifying weeks within the individual's base 2051 period, and has earned or been paid remuneration at an average 2052 weekly wage of not less than twenty-seven and one-half per cent of 2053 the statewide average weekly wage for such weeks. For purposes of 2054 determining whether an individual has had sufficient employment 2055 since the beginning of the individual's previous benefit year to 2056 file a valid application, "employment" means the performance of 2057 services for which remuneration is payable. 2058

(2) Effective for benefit years beginning on and after 2059 December 26, 2004, any application for determination of benefit 2060 rights made in accordance with section 4141.28 of the Revised Code 2061 is valid if the individual satisfies the criteria described in 2062 division (R)(1) of this section, and if the reason for the 2063 individual's separation from employment is not disqualifying 2064 pursuant to division (D)(2) of section 4141.29 or section 4141.291 2065 of the Revised Code. A disqualification imposed pursuant to 2066 division (D)(2) of section 4141.29 or section 4141.291 of the 2067 Revised Code must be removed as provided in those sections as a 2068 requirement of establishing a valid application for benefit years 2069 beginning on and after December 26, 2004. 2070

(3) The statewide average weekly wage shall be calculated by 2071 the director once a year based on the twelve-month period ending 2072 the thirtieth day of June, as set forth in division (B)(3) of 2073 section 4141.30 of the Revised Code, rounded down to the nearest 2074 dollar. Increases or decreases in the amount of remuneration 2075 required to have been earned or paid in order for individuals to 2076 have filed valid applications shall become effective on Sunday of 2077 the calendar week in which the first day of January occurs that 2078 follows the twelve-month period ending the thirtieth day of June 2079 upon which the calculation of the statewide average weekly wage 2080 was based. 2081

(4) As used in this division, an individual is "unemployed" 2082 if, with respect to the calendar week in which such application is 2083 filed, the individual is "partially unemployed" or "totally 2084 unemployed" as defined in this section or if, prior to filing the 2085 application, the individual was separated from the individual's 2086 most recent work for any reason which terminated the individual's 2087 employee-employer relationship, or was laid off indefinitely or 2088 for a definite period of seven or more days. 2089

(S) "Calendar quarter" means the period of three consecutive 2090 calendar months ending on the thirty-first day of March, the 2091 thirtieth day of June, the thirtieth day of September, and the 2092 thirty-first day of December, or the equivalent thereof as the 2093 director prescribes by rule. 2094

(T) "Computation date" means the first day of the third2095calendar quarter of any calendar year.2096

(U) "Contribution period" means the calendar year beginning 2097on the first day of January of any year. 2098

(V) "Agricultural labor," for the purpose of this division, 2099

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means any service performed prior to January 1, 1972, which was 2100
agricultural labor as defined in this division prior to that date, 2101
and service performed after December 31, 1971: 2102

(1) On a farm, in the employ of any person, in connection 2103 with cultivating the soil, or in connection with raising or 2104 harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity, including 2105 the raising, shearing, feeding, caring for, training, and 2106 management of livestock, bees, poultry, and fur-bearing animals 2107 and wildlife; 2108

(2) In the employ of the owner or tenant or other operator of 2109 a farm in connection with the operation, management, conservation, 2110 improvement, or maintenance of such farm and its tools and 2111 equipment, or in salvaging timber or clearing land of brush and 2112 other debris left by hurricane, if the major part of such service 2113 is performed on a farm; 2114

(3) In connection with the production or harvesting of any 2115 commodity defined as an agricultural commodity in section 15 (g) 2116 of the "Agricultural Marketing Act," 46 Stat. 1550 (1931), 12 2117 U.S.C. 1141j, as amended, or in connection with the ginning of 2118 cotton, or in connection with the operation or maintenance of 2119 ditches, canals, reservoirs, or waterways, not owned or operated 2120 for profit, used exclusively for supplying and storing water for 2121 farming purposes; 2122

(4) In the employ of the operator of a farm in handling,
planting, drying, packing, packaging, processing, freezing,
grading, storing, or delivering to storage or to market or to a
carrier for transportation to market, in its unmanufactured state,
any agricultural or horticultural commodity, but only if the
operator produced more than one half of the commodity with respect
to which such service is performed;

(5) In the employ of a group of operators of farms, or a 2130

cooperative organization of which the operators are members, in 2131 the performance of service described in division (V)(4) of this 2132 section, but only if the operators produced more than one-half of 2133 the commodity with respect to which the service is performed; 2134

(6) Divisions (V)(4) and (5) of this section shall not bedeemed to be applicable with respect to service performed:2136

(a) In connection with commercial canning or commercial
freezing or in connection with any agricultural or horticultural
commodity after its delivery to a terminal market for distribution
for consumption; or

(b) On a farm operated for profit if the service is not in 2141 the course of the employer's trade or business. 2142

As used in division (V) of this section, "farm" includes 2143 stock, dairy, poultry, fruit, fur-bearing animal, and truck farms, 2144 plantations, ranches, nurseries, ranges, greenhouses, or other 2145 similar structures used primarily for the raising of agricultural 2146 or horticultural commodities and orchards. 2147

(W) "Hospital" means an institution which has been registered 2148 or licensed by the Ohio department of health as a hospital. 2149

(X) "Nonprofit organization" means an organization, or group 2150
of organizations, described in section 501(c)(3) of the "Internal 2151
Revenue Code of 1954," and exempt from income tax under section 2152
501(a) of that code. 2153

(Y) "Institution of higher education" means a public or 2154
nonprofit educational institution, including an educational 2155
institution operated by an Indian tribe, which: 2156

(1) Admits as regular students only individuals having a 2157
 certificate of graduation from a high school, or the recognized 2158
 equivalent; 2159

(2) Is legally authorized in this state or by the Indian 2160

tribe to provide a program of education beyond high school; and	2161
(3) Provides an educational program for which it awards a	2162
bachelor's or higher degree, or provides a program which is	2163
acceptable for full credit toward such a degree, a program of	2164
post-graduate or post-doctoral studies, or a program of training	2165
to prepare students for gainful employment in a recognized	2166
occupation.	2167
For the purposes of this division, all colleges and	2168
universities in this state are institutions of higher education.	2169
(Z) For the purposes of this chapter, "states" includes the	2170
District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and the	2171

(AA) "Alien" means, for the purposes of division (A)(1)(d) of 2173 this section, an individual who is an alien admitted to the United 2174 States to perform service in agricultural labor pursuant to 2175 sections 214 (c) and 101 (a)(15)(H) of the "Immigration and 2176 Nationality Act," 66 Stat. 163, 8 U.S.C.A. 1101.

(BB)(1) "Crew leader" means an individual who furnishes 2178 individuals to perform agricultural labor for any other employer 2179 or farm operator, and: 2180

(a) Pays, either on the individual's own behalf or on behalf
of the other employer or farm operator, the individuals so
furnished by the individual for the service in agricultural labor
performed by them;

(b) Has not entered into a written agreement with the other
employer or farm operator under which the agricultural worker is
designated as in the employ of the other employer or farm
operator.

(2) For the purposes of this chapter, any individual who is a 2189member of a crew furnished by a crew leader to perform service in 2190

agricultural labor for any other employer or farm operator shall 2191 be treated as an employee of the crew leader if: 2192

(a) The crew leader holds a valid certificate of registration 2193
under the "Farm Labor Contractor Registration Act of 1963," 90 2194
Stat. 2668, 7 U.S.C. 2041; or 2195

(b) Substantially all the members of the crew operate or 2196
 maintain tractors, mechanized harvesting or crop-dusting 2197
 equipment, or any other mechanized equipment, which is provided by 2198
 the crew leader; and 2199

(c) If the individual is not in the employment of the other 2200employer or farm operator within the meaning of division (B)(1) of 2201this section. 2202

(3) For the purposes of this division, any individual who is 2203 furnished by a crew leader to perform service in agricultural 2204 labor for any other employer or farm operator and who is not 2205 treated as in the employment of the crew leader under division 2206 (BB)(2) of this section shall be treated as the employee of the 2207 other employer or farm operator and not of the crew leader. The 2208 other employer or farm operator shall be treated as having paid 2209 cash remuneration to the individual in an amount equal to the 2210 amount of cash remuneration paid to the individual by the crew 2211 leader, either on the crew leader's own behalf or on behalf of the 2212 other employer or farm operator, for the service in agricultural 2213 labor performed for the other employer or farm operator. 2214

(CC) "Educational institution" means an institution other 2215 than an institution of higher education as defined in division (Y) 2216 of this section, including an educational institution operated by 2217 an Indian tribe, which: 2218

(1) Offers participants, trainees, or students an organized
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 course of study or training designed to transfer to them
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 knowledge, skills, information, doctrines, attitudes, or abilities
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from, by, or under the guidance of an instructor or teacher; and 2222

(2) Is approved, chartered, or issued a permit to operate as
a school by the state board of education, other government agency,
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or Indian tribe that is authorized within the state to approve,
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charter, or issue a permit for the operation of a school.
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For the purposes of this division, the courses of study or 2227 training which the institution offers may be academic, technical, 2228 trade, or preparation for gainful employment in a recognized 2229 occupation. 2230

(DD) "Cost savings day" means any unpaid day off from work in 2231 which employees continue to accrue employee benefits which have a 2232 determinable value including, but not limited to, vacation, 2233 pension contribution, sick time, and life and health insurance. 2234

(EE) "Affected unit" means a definable group of two or more2235employees, including a department or shift, designated by an2236employer to participate in a short-time compensation plan.2237

(FF) "Fringe benefit" means health insurance or a defined2238benefit plan or defined contribution plan as those terms are2239defined in the "Internal Revenue Code of 1986," 100 Stat. 2085, 262240U.S.C. 414, as amended, which is an incident to employment in2241addition to the cash remuneration earned.2242

(GG) "Normal weekly hours of work" means the number of hours2243in a week that an employee normally works for an employer, not to2244exceed forty hours and not including hours of overtime work.2245

(HH) "Participating employee" means an employee who works a2246reduced number of hours under an approved short-time compensation2247plan.2248

(II) "Short-time compensation benefit" means an unemployment2249compensation benefit that is payable to an employee participating2250in a short-time compensation plan.2251

(JJ) "Short-time compensation plan" means a plan submitted by	2252
an employer, for approval by the director, under which an employer	2253
reduces the normal weekly hours of work of the employees who are	2254
members of an affected unit in lieu of laying off those employees.	2255
(KK) "Unemployment compensation benefit" means the benefits	2256
(KK) Unemproviment compensation benefit means the benefits	2230
payable under this chapter, other than short-time compensation	2257
benefits, and includes any amount payable pursuant to an agreement	2258
under federal law providing for compensation, assistance, or	2259
allowances with respect to unemployment.	2260

Sec. 4141.09. (A) There is hereby created an unemployment 2261 compensation fund to be administered by the state without 2262 liability on the part of the state beyond the amounts paid into 2263 the fund and earned by the fund. The unemployment compensation 2264 fund shall consist of all contributions, payments in lieu of 2265 contributions described in sections 4141.241 and 4141.242 of the 2266 Revised Code, reimbursements of the federal share of extended 2267 benefits described in section 4141.301 of the Revised Code, 2268 collected under sections 4141.01 to 4141.46 4141.57 of the Revised 2269 Code, together with all interest earned upon any moneys deposited 2270 with the secretary of the treasury of the United States to the 2271 credit of the account of this state in the unemployment trust fund 2272 established and maintained pursuant to section 904 of the "Social 2273 Security Act, " any property or securities acquired through the use 2274 of moneys belonging to the fund, and all earnings of such property 2275 or securities. The unemployment compensation fund shall be used to 2276 pay benefits, short-time compensation benefits, and refunds as 2277 provided by such sections and for no other purpose. 2278

(B) The treasurer of state shall be the custodian of the
unemployment compensation fund and shall administer such fund in
accordance with the directions of the director of job and family
services. All disbursements therefrom shall be paid by the

treasurer of state on warrants drawn by the director. Such 2283 warrants may bear the facsimile signature of the director printed 2284 thereon and that of a deputy or other employee of the director 2285 charged with the duty of keeping the account of the unemployment 2286 compensation fund and with the preparation of warrants for the 2287 payment of benefits to the persons entitled thereto. Moneys in the 2288 clearing and benefit accounts shall not be commingled with other 2289 state funds, except as provided in division (C) of this section, 2290 but shall be maintained in separate accounts on the books of the 2291 depositary bank. Such money shall be secured by the depositary 2292 bank to the same extent and in the same manner as required by 2293 sections 135.01 to 135.21 of the Revised Code; and collateral 2294 pledged for this purpose shall be kept separate and distinct from 2295 any collateral pledged to secure other funds of this state. All 2296 sums recovered for losses sustained by the unemployment 2297 compensation fund shall be deposited therein. The treasurer of 2298 state shall be liable on the treasurer's official bond for the 2299 faithful performance of the treasurer's duties in connection with 2300

the unemployment compensation fund, such liability to exist in 2301 addition to any liability upon any separate bond. 2302

(C) The treasurer of state shall maintain within the 2303 unemployment compensation fund three separate accounts which shall 2304 be a clearing account, a trust fund account, and a benefit 2305 account. All moneys payable to the unemployment compensation fund, 2306 upon receipt by the director, shall be forwarded to the treasurer 2307 of state, who shall immediately deposit them in the clearing 2308 account. Refunds of contributions, or payments in lieu of 2309 contributions, payable pursuant to division (E) of this section 2310 may be paid from the clearing account upon warrants signed by a 2311 deputy or other employee of the director charged with the duty of 2312 keeping the record of the clearing account and with the 2313 preparation of warrants for the payment of refunds to persons 2314 entitled thereto. After clearance thereof, all moneys in the 2315

clearing account shall be deposited with the secretary of the 2316 treasury of the United States to the credit of the account of this 2317 state in the unemployment trust fund established and maintained 2318 pursuant to section 904 of the "Social Security Act," in 2319 accordance with requirements of the "Federal Unemployment Tax 2320 Act, " 53 Stat. 183 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301, 3304(a)(3), any law 2321 in this state relating to the deposit, administration, release, or 2322 disbursement of moneys in the possession or custody of this state 2323 to the contrary notwithstanding. The benefit account shall consist 2324 of all moneys requisitioned from this state's account in the 2325 unemployment trust fund. Federal funds may be deposited, at the 2326 director's discretion, into the benefit account. Any funds 2327 deposited into the benefit account shall be disbursed solely for 2328 payment of benefits under a federal program administered by this 2329 state and for no other purpose. Moneys in the clearing and benefit 2330 accounts may be deposited by the treasurer of state, under the 2331 direction of the director, in any bank or public depositary in 2332 which general funds of the state may be deposited, but no public 2333 deposit insurance charge or premium shall be paid out of the fund. 2334

(D) Moneys shall be requisitioned from this state's account 2335 in the unemployment trust fund solely for the payment of benefits 2336 and in accordance with regulations prescribed by the director. The 2337 director shall requisition from the unemployment trust fund such 2338 amounts, not exceeding the amount standing to this state's account 2339 therein, as are deemed necessary for the payment of benefits for a 2340 reasonable future period. Upon receipt thereof, the treasurer of 2341 state shall deposit such moneys in the benefit account. 2342 Expenditures of such money in the benefit account and refunds from 2343 the clearing account shall not require specific appropriations or 2344 other formal release by state officers of money in their custody. 2345 Any balance of moneys requisitioned from the unemployment trust 2346 fund which remains unclaimed or unpaid in the benefit account 2347 after the expiration of the period for which such sums were 2348 requisitioned shall either be deducted from estimates for and may 2349 be utilized for the payment of benefits during succeeding periods, 2350 or, in the discretion of the director, shall be redeposited with 2351 the secretary of the treasury of the United States to the credit 2352 of this state's account in the unemployment trust fund, as 2353 provided in division (C) of this section. Unclaimed or unpaid 2354 federal funds redeposited with the secretary of the treasury of 2355 the United States shall be credited to the appropriate federal 2356 account. 2357

(E) No claim for an adjustment or a refund on contribution, 2358 payment in lieu of contributions, interest, or forfeiture alleged 2359 to have been erroneously or illegally assessed or collected, or 2360 alleged to have been collected without authority, and no claim for 2361 an adjustment or a refund of any sum alleged to have been 2362 excessive or in any manner wrongfully collected shall be allowed 2363 unless an application, in writing, therefor is made within four 2364 years from the date on which such payment was made. If the 2365 director determines that such contribution, payment in lieu of 2366 contributions, interest, or forfeiture, or any portion thereof, 2367 was erroneously collected, the director shall allow such employer 2368 to make an adjustment thereof without interest in connection with 2369 subsequent contribution payments, or payments in lieu of 2370 contributions, by the employer, or the director may refund said 2371 amount, without interest, from the clearing account of the 2372 unemployment compensation fund, except as provided in division (B) 2373 of section 4141.11 of the Revised Code. For like cause and within 2374 the same period, adjustment or refund may be so made on the 2375 director's own initiative. An overpayment of contribution, payment 2376 in lieu of contributions, interest, or forfeiture for which an 2377 employer has not made application for refund prior to the date of 2378 sale of the employer's business shall accrue to the employer's 2379 successor in interest. 2380

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An application for an adjustment or a refund, or any portion 2381 thereof, that is rejected is binding upon the employer unless, 2382 within thirty days after the mailing of a written notice of 2383 rejection to the employer's last known address, or, in the absence 2384 of mailing of such notice, within thirty days after the delivery 2385 of such notice, the employer files an application for a review and 2386 redetermination setting forth the reasons therefor. The director 2387 shall promptly examine the application for review and 2388 redetermination, and if a review is granted, the employer shall be 2389 promptly notified thereof, and shall be granted an opportunity for 2390 a prompt hearing. 2391

(F) If the director finds that contributions have been paid 2392 to the director in error, and that such contributions should have 2393 been paid to a department of another state or of the United States 2394 charged with the administration of an unemployment compensation 2395 law, the director may upon request by such department or upon the 2396 director's own initiative transfer to such department the amount 2397 of such contributions, less any benefits paid to claimants whose 2398 wages were the basis for such contributions. The director may 2399 request and receive from such department any contributions or 2400 adjusted contributions paid in error to such department which 2401 should have been paid to the director. 2402

(G) In accordance with section 303(c)(3) of the Social 2403 Security Act, and section 3304(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue Code 2404 of 1954 for continuing certification of Ohio unemployment 2405 compensation laws for administrative grants and for tax credits, 2406 any interest required to be paid on advances under Title XII of 2407 the Social Security Act shall be paid in a timely manner and shall 2408 not be paid, directly or indirectly, by an equivalent reduction in 2409 the Ohio unemployment taxes or otherwise, by the state from 2410 amounts in the unemployment compensation fund. 2411

(H) The treasurer of state, under the direction of the 2412

director and in accordance with the "Cash Management Improvement 2413 Act of 1990," 104 Stat. 1061, 31 U.S.C.A. 335, 6503, shall deposit 2414 amounts of interest earned by the state on funds in the benefit 2415 account established pursuant to division (C) of this section into 2416 the department of job and family services banking fees fund, which 2417 is hereby created in the state treasury for the purpose of paying 2418 related banking costs incurred by the state for the period for 2419 which the interest is calculated, except that if the deposited 2420 interest exceeds the banking costs incurred by the state for the 2421 period for which the interest is calculated, the treasurer of 2422 state shall deposit the excess interest into the unemployment 2423 trust fund. 2424

(I) The treasurer of state, under the direction of the 2425 director, shall deposit federal funds received by the director for 2426 training and administration and for payment of benefits, job 2427 search, relocation, transportation, and subsistence allowances 2428 pursuant to the "Trade Act of 1974," 88 Stat. 1978, 19 U.S.C.A. 2429 2101, as amended; the "North American Free Trade Agreement 2430 Implementation Act, " 107 Stat. 2057 (1993), 19 U.S.C.A. 3301, as 2431 amended; and the "Trade Act of 2002," 116 Stat. 993, 19 U.S.C.A. 2432 3801, as amended, into the Trade Act training and administration 2433 account, which is hereby created for the purpose of making 2434 payments specified under those acts. The treasurer of state, under 2435 the direction of the director, may transfer funds from the Trade 2436 Act training and administration account to the benefit account for 2437 the purpose of making any payments directly to claimants for 2438 benefits, job search, relocation, transportation, and subsistence 2439 allowances, as specified by those acts. 2440

sec. 4141.241. (A)(1) Any nonprofit organization described in 2441 division (X) of section 4141.01 of the Revised Code, which becomes 2442 subject to this chapter on or after January 1, 1972, shall pay 2443 contributions under section 4141.25 of the Revised Code, unless it 2444 elects, in accordance with this division, to pay to the director 2445 of job and family services for deposit in the unemployment 2446 compensation fund an amount in lieu of contributions equal to the 2447 amount of regular benefits plus one half of extended benefits paid 2448 from that fund that is attributable to service in the employ of 2449 the nonprofit organization to individuals whose service, during 2450 the base period of the claims, was within the effective period of 2451 such election. 2452

(2) Any nonprofit organization which becomes subject to this 2453 chapter after January 1, 1972, may elect to become liable for 2454 payments in lieu of contributions for a period of not less than 2455 the remainder of that calendar year and the next calendar year, 2456 beginning with the date on which such subjectivity begins, by 2457 filing a written notice of its election with the director not 2458 later than thirty days immediately following the date of the 2459 determination of such subjectivity. 2460

(3) Any nonprofit organization which makes an election in 2461 accordance with this division will continue to be liable for 2462 payments in lieu of contributions for the period described in this 2463 division and until it files with the director a written notice 2464 terminating its election. The notice shall be filed not later than 2465 thirty days prior to the beginning of the calendar year for which 2466 the termination is to become effective. 2467

(4) Any nonprofit organization which has been paying 2468 contributions for a period subsequent to January 1, 1972, may 2469 change to a reimbursable basis by filing with the director, not 2470 later than thirty days prior to the beginning of any calendar 2471 year, a written notice of election to become liable for payments 2472 in lieu of contributions. The election shall not be terminable by 2473 the organization during that calendar year and the next calendar 2474 year. 2475

(5) The director, in accordance with any rules the director 2476

prescribes, shall notify each nonprofit organization of any 2477 determination which the director may make of its status as an 2478 employer and of the effective date of any election which it makes 2479 and of any termination of the election. Any determinations shall 2480 be subject to reconsideration, appeal, and review in accordance 2481 with section 4141.26 of the Revised Code. 2482

(B) Except as provided in division (I)(J) of section 4141.29 2483 of the Revised Code, benefits based on service with a nonprofit 2484 organization granted a reimbursing status under this section shall 2485 be payable in the same amount, on the same terms, and subject to 2486 the same conditions, as benefits payable on the basis of other 2487 service subject to this chapter. Payments in lieu of contributions 2488 shall be made in accordance with this division and division (D) of 2489 section 4141.24 of the Revised Code. 2490

(1)(a) At the end of each calendar quarter, or at the end of 2491 any other period as determined by the director under division 2492 (D)(4) of section 4141.24 of the Revised Code, the director shall 2493 bill each nonprofit organization or group of such organizations 2494 which has elected to make payments in lieu of contributions for an 2495 amount equal to the full amount of regular benefits plus one half 2496 of the amount of extended benefits paid during such quarter or 2497 other prescribed period which is attributable to service in the 2498 employ of such organization. 2499

(b) In the computation of the amount of benefits to be 2500 charged to employers liable for payments in lieu of contributions, 2501 all benefits attributable to service described in division 2502 (B)(1)(a) of this section shall be computed and charged to such 2503 organization as described in division (D) of section 4141.24 of 2504 the Revised Code, and, except as provided in division (D)(2) of 2505 section 4141.24 of the Revised Code, no portion of the amount may 2506 be charged to the mutualized account established by division (B) 2507 of section 4141.25 of the Revised Code. 2508

(c) The director may prescribe regulations under which 2509 organizations, which have elected to make payments in lieu of 2510 contributions may request permission to make such payments in 2511 equal installments throughout the year with an adjustment at the 2512 end of the year for any excess or shortage of the amount of such 2513 installment payments compared with the total amount of benefits 2514 actually charged the organization's account during the year. In 2515 making any adjustment, where the total installment payments are 2516 less than the actual benefits charged, the organization shall be 2517 liable for payment of the unpaid balance in accordance with 2518 division (B)(2) of this section. If the total installment payments 2519 exceed the actual benefits charged, all or part of the excess may, 2520 at the discretion of the director, be refunded or retained in the 2521 2522 fund as part of the payments which may be required in the next 2523 year.

(2) Payment of any bill rendered under division (B)(1) of 2524 this section shall be made not later than thirty days after the 2525 bill was mailed to the last known address of the organization or 2526 was otherwise delivered to it, unless there has been an 2527 application for review and redetermination in accordance with 2528 division (B)(4) of this section. 2529

(3) Payments made by an organization under this section shall
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not be deducted or deductible, in whole or in part, from the
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remuneration of individuals in the employ of the organization.
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(4) An organization may file an application for review and
 redetermination of the amounts appearing on any bill rendered to
 uch organization under division (B)(1) of this section. The
 application shall be filed and determined under division (D)(4) of
 section 4141.24 of the Revised Code.

(5) Past-due payments of amounts in lieu of contributions2538shall be subject to the same interest rates and collection2539procedures that apply to past-due contributions under sections2540

4141.23 and 414.27 of the Revised Code. In case of failure to file 2541 a required quarterly report within the time prescribed by the 2542 director, the nonprofit organization shall be subject to a 2543 forfeiture pursuant to section 4141.20 of the Revised Code for 2544 each quarterly report that is not timely filed. 2545

All interest and forfeitures collected under this division 2546 shall be paid into the unemployment compensation special 2547 administrative fund as provided in section 4141.11 of the Revised 2548 Code. 2549

(6) All payments in lieu of contributions collected under 2550 this section shall be paid into the unemployment compensation fund 2551 as provided in section 4141.09 of the Revised Code. Any refunds of 2552 such payments shall be paid from the unemployment compensation 2553 fund, as provided in section 4141.09 of the Revised Code. 2554

(C)(1) Any nonprofit organization, or group of such 2555 organizations approved under division (D) of this section, that 2556 elects to become liable for payments in lieu of contributions 2557 shall be required within thirty days after the effective date of 2558 its election, to execute and file with the director a surety bond 2559 approved by the director or it may elect instead to deposit with 2560 the director approved municipal or other bonds, or approved 2561 securities, or a combination thereof, or other forms of collateral 2562 security approved by the director. 2563

(2)(a) The amount of the bond or deposit required shall be 2564 equal to three per cent of the organization's wages paid for 2565 employment as defined in section 4141.01 of the Revised Code that 2566 would have been taxable had the organization been a subject 2567 employer during the four calendar quarters immediately preceding 2568 the effective date of the election, or the amount established by 2569 the director within the limitation provided in division (C)(2)(d) 2570 of this section, whichever is the less. The effective date of the 2571 amount of the bond or other collateral security required after the 2572

employer initially is determined by the director to be liable for 2573 payments in lieu of contributions shall be the renewal date in the 2574 case of a bond or the biennial anniversary of the effective date 2575 of election in the case of deposit of securities or other forms of 2576 collateral security approved by the director, whichever date shall 2577 be most recent and applicable. If the nonprofit organization did 2578 not pay wages in each of such four calendar quarters, the amount 2579 of the bond or deposit shall be as determined by the director 2580 under regulations prescribed for this purpose. 2581

(b) Any bond or other form of collateral security approved by 2582 the director deposited under this division shall be in force for a 2583 period of not less than two calendar years and shall be renewed 2584 with the approval of the director, at such times as the director 2585 may prescribe, but not less frequently than at two-year intervals 2586 as long as the organization continues to be liable for payments in 2587 lieu of contributions. The director shall require adjustments to 2588 be made in a previously filed bond or other form of collateral 2589 security as the director considers appropriate. If the bond or 2590 other form of collateral security is to be increased, the adjusted 2591 bond or collateral security shall be filed by the organization 2592 within thirty days of the date that notice of the required 2593 adjustment was mailed or otherwise delivered to it. Failure by any 2594 organization covered by such bond or collateral security to pay 2595 the full amount of payments in lieu of contributions when due, 2596 together with any applicable interest provided for in division 2597 (B)(5) of this section, shall render the surety liable on the bond 2598 or collateral security to the extent of the bond or collateral 2599 security, as though the surety was the organization. 2600

(c) Any securities accepted in lieu of surety bond by the 2601 director shall be deposited with the treasurer of state who shall 2602 have custody thereof and retain the same in the treasurer of 2603 state's possession, or release them, according to conditions 2604 prescribed by regulations of the director. Income from the 2605 securities, held in custody by the treasurer of state, shall 2606 accrue to the benefit of the depositor and shall be distributed to 2607 the depositor in the absence of any notification from the director 2608 that the depositor is in default on any payment owed to the 2609 director. The director may require the sale of any such bonds to 2610 the extent necessary to satisfy any unpaid payments in lieu of 2611 contributions, together with any applicable interest or 2612 forfeitures provided for in division (B)(5) of this section. The 2613 director shall require the employer within thirty days following 2614 any sale of deposited securities, under this subdivision, to 2615 deposit additional securities, surety bond, or combination of 2616 both, to make whole the employer's security deposit at the 2617 approved level. Any cash remaining from the sale of such 2618 securities may, at the discretion of the director, be refunded in 2619 whole or in part, or be paid into the unemployment compensation 2620 fund to cover future payments required of the organization. 2621

(d) The required bond or deposit for any nonprofit 2622 organization, or group of such organizations approved by the 2623 director under division (D) of this section, that is determined by 2624 the director to be liable for payments in lieu of contributions 2625 effective beginning on and after January 1, 1996, but prior to 2626 January 1, 1998, and the required bond or deposit for any renewed 2627 elections under division (C)(2)(b) of this section effective 2628 during that period shall not exceed one million two hundred fifty 2629 thousand dollars. The required bond or deposit for any nonprofit 2630 organization, or group of such organizations approved by the 2631 director under division (D) of this section, that is determined to 2632 be liable for payments in lieu of contributions effective on and 2633 after January 1, 1998, and the required bond or deposit for any 2634 renewed elections effective on and after January 1, 1998, shall 2635 not exceed two million dollars. 2636

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(3) If any nonprofit organization fails to file a bond or 2637 make a deposit, or to file a bond in an increased amount or to 2638 make whole the amount of a previously made deposit, as provided 2639 under this division, the director may terminate the organization's 2640 election to make payments in lieu of contributions effective for 2641 the quarter following such failure and the termination shall 2642 continue for not less than the remainder of that calendar year and 2643 the next calendar year, beginning with the quarter in which the 2644 termination becomes effective; except that the director may extend 2645 for good cause the applicable filing, deposit, or adjustment 2646 period by not more than thirty days. 2647

(D)(1) Two or more nonprofit organizations that have become 2648 liable for payments in lieu of contributions, in accordance with 2649 division (A) of this section, may file a joint application to the 2650 director for the establishment of the group account for the 2651 purpose of sharing the cost of benefits paid that are attributable 2652 to service in the employ of those employers. Notwithstanding 2653 division (E) of section 4141.242 of the Revised Code, hospitals 2654 operated by this state or a political subdivision may participate 2655 in a group account with nonprofit organizations under the 2656 procedures set forth in this section. Each application shall 2657 identify and authorize a group representative to act as the 2658 group's agent for the purposes of this division. 2659

(2) Upon the director's approval of the application, the 2660 director shall establish a group account for the employers 2661 effective as of the beginning of the calendar quarter in which the 2662 director receives the application and shall notify the group's 2663 representative of the effective date of the account. The account 2664 shall remain in effect for not less than two years and thereafter 2665 until terminated by the director or upon application by the group. 2660

(3) Upon establishment of the account, each member of thegroup shall be liable, in the event that the group representative2668

fails to pay any bill issued to it pursuant to division (B) of 2669 this section, for payments in lieu of contributions with respect 2670 to each calendar quarter in the amount that bears the same ratio 2671 to the total benefits paid in the quarter that are attributable to 2672 service performed in the employ of all members of the group as the 2673 total wages paid for service in employment by the member in the 2674 quarter bear to the total wages paid during the quarter for 2675 service performed in the employ of all members of the group. 2676

(4) The director shall adopt regulations as considered 2677 necessary with respect to the following: applications for 2678 establishment, bonding, maintenance, and termination of group 2679 accounts that are authorized by this section; addition of new 2680 members to and withdrawal of active members from such accounts; 2681 and the determination of the amounts that are payable under this 2682 division by the group representative and in the event of default 2683 in payment by the group representative, members of the group, and 2684 the time and manner of payments. 2685

Sec. 4141.29. Each eligible individual shall receive benefits 2686 as compensation for loss of remuneration due to involuntary total 2687 or partial unemployment in the amounts and subject to the 2688 conditions stipulated in this chapter. 2689

(A) No individual is entitled to a waiting period or benefits 2690for any week unless the individual: 2691

(1) Has filed a valid application for determination of 2692
 benefit rights in accordance with section 4141.28 of the Revised 2693
 Code; 2694

(2) Has made a claim for benefits in accordance with section 26954141.28 of the Revised Code; 2696

(3) Has registered at an employment office or other2697registration place maintained or designated by the director of job2698

and family services. Registration shall be made in accordance with 2699 the time limits, frequency, and manner prescribed by the director. 2700

(4)(a)(i) Is able to work and available for suitable work 2701 and, except as provided in division (A)(4)(a)(ii) of this section, 2702 is actively seeking suitable work either in a locality in which 2703 the individual has earned wages subject to this chapter during the 2704 individual's base period, or if the individual leaves that 2705 locality, then in a locality where suitable work normally is 2706 performed. 2707

(ii) The director may waive the requirement that a claimant 2708 be actively seeking work when the director finds that the 2709 individual has been laid off and the employer who laid the 2710 individual off has notified the director within ten days after the 2711 layoff, that work is expected to be available for the individual 2712 within a specified number of days not to exceed forty-five 2713 calendar days following the last day the individual worked. In the 2714 event the individual is not recalled within the specified period, 2715 this waiver shall cease to be operative with respect to that 2716 layoff. 2717

(b) The individual shall be instructed as to the efforts that 2718 the individual must make in the search for suitable work, except 2719 where the active search for work requirement has been waived under 2720 division (A)(4)(a) of this section, and shall keep a record of 2721 where and when the individual has sought work in complying with 2722 those instructions and, upon request, shall produce that record 2723 for examination by the director. 2724

(c) An individual who is attending a training course approved 2725 by the director meets the requirement of this division, if 2726 attendance was recommended by the director and the individual is 2727 regularly attending the course and is making satisfactory 2728 progress. An individual also meets the requirements of this 2729 division if the individual is participating and advancing in a 2730

training program, as defined in division (P) of section 5709.61 of 2731 the Revised Code, and if an enterprise, defined in division (B) of 2732 section 5709.61 of the Revised Code, is paying all or part of the 2733 cost of the individual's participation in the training program 2734 with the intention of hiring the individual for employment as a 2735 new employee, as defined in division (L) of section 5709.61 of the 2736 Revised Code, for at least ninety days after the individual's 2737 completion of the training program. 2738

(d) An individual who becomes unemployed while attending a 2739 regularly established school and whose base period qualifying 2740 weeks were earned in whole or in part while attending that school, 2741 meets the availability and active search for work requirements of 2742 division (A)(4)(a) of this section if the individual regularly 2743 attends the school during weeks with respect to which the 2744 individual claims unemployment benefits and makes self available 2745 on any shift of hours for suitable employment with the 2746 individual's most recent employer or any other employer in the 2747 individual's base period, or for any other suitable employment to 2748 which the individual is directed, under this chapter. 2749

(e) The director shall adopt any rules that the director 2750deems necessary for the administration of division (A)(4) of this 2751section. 2752

(f) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section, no 2753 otherwise eligible individual shall be denied benefits for any 2754 week because the individual is in training approved under section 2755 236(a)(1) of the "Trade Act of 1974," 88 Stat. 1978, 19 U.S.C.A. 2756 2296, nor shall that individual be denied benefits by reason of 2757 leaving work to enter such training, provided the work left is not 2758 suitable employment, or because of the application to any week in 2759 training of provisions in this chapter, or any applicable federal 2760 unemployment compensation law, relating to availability for work, 2761 active search for work, or refusal to accept work. 2762

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For the purposes of division (A)(4)(f) of this section, 2763 "suitable employment" means with respect to an individual, work of 2764 a substantially equal or higher skill level than the individual's 2765 past adversely affected employment, as defined for the purposes of 2766 the "Trade Act of 1974," 88 Stat. 1978, 19 U.S.C.A. 2101, and 2767 wages for such work at not less than eighty per cent of the 2768 individual's average weekly wage as determined for the purposes of 2769 that federal act. 2770

(5) Is unable to obtain suitable work. An individual who is 2771 provided temporary work assignments by the individual's employer 2772 under agreed terms and conditions of employment, and who is 2773 required pursuant to those terms and conditions to inquire with 2774 the individual's employer for available work assignments upon the 2775 conclusion of each work assignment, is not considered unable to 2776 obtain suitable employment if suitable work assignments are 2777 available with the employer but the individual fails to contact 2778 the employer to inquire about work assignments. 2779

(6) Participates in reemployment services, such as job search 2780 assistance services, if the individual has been determined to be 2781 likely to exhaust benefits under this chapter, including 2782 compensation payable pursuant to 5 U.S.C.A. Chapter 85, other than 2783 extended compensation, and needs reemployment services pursuant to 2784 the profiling system established by the director under division 2785 (K)(L) of this section, unless the director determines that: 2786

(a) The individual has completed such services; or

(b) There is justifiable cause for the claimant's failure to 2788 participate in such services. 2789

(B) An individual suffering total or partial unemployment is 2790 eligible for benefits for unemployment occurring subsequent to a 2791 waiting period of one week and no benefits shall be payable during 2792 this required waiting period. Not more than one week of waiting 2793

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period shall be required of any individual in any benefit year in 2794 order to establish the individual's eligibility for total or 2795 partial unemployment benefits. 2796 (C) The waiting period for total or partial unemployment 2797 shall commence on the first day of the first week with respect to 2798 which the individual first files a claim for benefits at an 2799 employment office or other place of registration maintained or 2800 designated by the director or on the first day of the first week 2801 with respect to which the individual has otherwise filed a claim 2802 for benefits in accordance with the rules of the department of job 2803 and family services, provided such claim is allowed by the 2804

(D) Notwithstanding division (A) of this section, no
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 individual may serve a waiting period or be paid benefits under
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 the following conditions:
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(1) For any week with respect to which the director finds 2809that: 2810

(a) The individual's unemployment was due to a labor dispute
other than a lockout at any factory, establishment, or other
premises located in this or any other state and owned or operated
by the employer by which the individual is or was last employed;
and for so long as the individual's unemployment is due to such
labor dispute. No individual shall be disqualified under this
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(i) The individual's employment was with such employer at any 2818
factory, establishment, or premises located in this state, owned 2819
or operated by such employer, other than the factory, 2820
establishment, or premises at which the labor dispute exists, if 2821
it is shown that the individual is not financing, participating 2822
in, or directly interested in such labor dispute; 2823

(ii) The individual's employment was with an employer not 2824

involved in the labor dispute but whose place of business was 2825 located within the same premises as the employer engaged in the 2826 dispute, unless the individual's employer is a wholly owned 2827 subsidiary of the employer engaged in the dispute, or unless the 2828 individual actively participates in or voluntarily stops work 2829 because of such dispute. If it is established that the claimant 2830 was laid off for an indefinite period and not recalled to work 2831 prior to the dispute, or was separated by the employer prior to 2832 the dispute for reasons other than the labor dispute, or that the 2833 individual obtained a bona fide job with another employer while 2834

the dispute was still in progress, such labor dispute shall not 2835 render the employee ineligible for benefits. 2836

(b) The individual has been given a disciplinary layoff for 2837misconduct in connection with the individual's work. 2838

(2) For the duration of the individual's unemployment if the 2839director finds that: 2840

(a) The individual quit work without just cause or has been
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 discharged for just cause in connection with the individual's
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 work, provided division (D)(2) of this section does not apply to
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 the separation of a person under any of the following
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 circumstances:

(i) Separation from employment for the purpose of entering 2846
 the armed forces of the United States if the individual is 2847
 inducted into the armed forces within one of the following 2848
 periods: 2849

(I) Thirty days after separation;

(II) One hundred eighty days after separation if the 2851 individual's date of induction is delayed solely at the discretion 2852 of the armed forces. 2853

(ii) Separation from employment pursuant to a 2854labor-management contract or agreement, or pursuant to an 2855

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established employer plan, program, or policy, which permits the 2856 employee, because of lack of work, to accept a separation from 2857 employment; 2858

(iii) The individual has left employment to accept a recall 2859 from a prior employer or, except as provided in division 2860 (D)(2)(a)(iv) of this section, to accept other employment as 2861 provided under section 4141.291 of the Revised Code, or left or 2862 was separated from employment that was concurrent employment at 2863 the time of the most recent separation or within six weeks prior 2864 to the most recent separation where the remuneration, hours, or 2865 other conditions of such concurrent employment were substantially 2866 less favorable than the individual's most recent employment and 2867 where such employment, if offered as new work, would be considered 2868 not suitable under the provisions of divisions (E) and (F) of this 2869 section. Any benefits that would otherwise be chargeable to the 2870 account of the employer from whom an individual has left 2871 employment or was separated from employment that was concurrent 2872 employment under conditions described in division (D)(2)(a)(iii) 2873 of this section, shall instead be charged to the mutualized 2874 account created by division (B) of section 4141.25 of the Revised 2875 Code, except that any benefits chargeable to the account of a 2876 reimbursing employer under division (D)(2)(a)(iii) of this section 2877 shall be charged to the account of the reimbursing employer and 2878 not to the mutualized account, except as provided in division 2879 (D)(2) of section 4141.24 of the Revised Code. 2880

(iv) When an individual has been issued a definite layoff 2881 date by the individual's employer and before the layoff date, the 2882 individual quits to accept other employment, the provisions of 2883 division (D)(2)(a)(iii) of this section apply and no 2884 disqualification shall be imposed under division (D) of this 2885 section. However, if the individual fails to meet the employment 2886 and earnings requirements of division (A)(2) of section 4141.291 2887 of the Revised Code, then the individual, pursuant to division 2888 (A)(5) of this section, shall be ineligible for benefits for any 2889 week of unemployment that occurs prior to the layoff date. 2890

(b) The individual has refused without good cause to accept 2891 an offer of suitable work when made by an employer either in 2892 person or to the individual's last known address, or has refused 2893 or failed to investigate a referral to suitable work when directed 2894 to do so by a local employment office of this state or another 2895 state, provided that this division shall not cause a 2896 disqualification for a waiting week or benefits under the 2897 following circumstances: 2898

(i) When work is offered by the individual's employer and the 2899
individual is not required to accept the offer pursuant to the 2900
terms of the labor-management contract or agreement; or 2901

(ii) When the individual is attending a training course 2902 pursuant to division (A)(4) of this section except, in the event 2903 of a refusal to accept an offer of suitable work or a refusal or 2904 failure to investigate a referral, benefits thereafter paid to 2905 such individual shall not be charged to the account of any 2906 employer and, except as provided in division (B)(1)(b) of section 2907 4141.241 of the Revised Code, shall be charged to the mutualized 2908 account as provided in division (B) of section 4141.25 of the 2909 Revised Code. 2910

(c) Such Except as otherwise provided in section 4141.294 of 2911
 the Revised Code, such individual quit work to marry or because of 2912
 marital, parental, filial, or other domestic obligations. 2913

(d) The individual became unemployed by reason of commitment 2914to any correctional institution. 2915

(e) The individual became unemployed because of dishonesty in 2916
 connection with the individual's most recent or any base period 2917
 work. Remuneration earned in such work shall be excluded from the 2918

individual's total base period remuneration and qualifying weeks 2919 that otherwise would be credited to the individual for such work 2920 in the individual's base period shall not be credited for the 2921 purpose of determining the total benefits to which the individual 2922 is eligible and the weekly benefit amount to be paid under section 2923 4141.30 of the Revised Code. Such excluded remuneration and 2924 noncredited qualifying weeks shall be excluded from the 2925 calculation of the maximum amount to be charged, under division 2926 (D) of section 4141.24 and section 4141.33 of the Revised Code, 2927 against the accounts of the individual's base period employers. In 2928 addition, no benefits shall thereafter be paid to the individual 2929 based upon such excluded remuneration or noncredited qualifying 2930 weeks. 2931

For purposes of division (D)(2)(e) of this section,2932"dishonesty" means the commission of substantive theft, fraud, or2933deceitful acts.2934

(E) No individual otherwise qualified to receive benefits 2935shall lose the right to benefits by reason of a refusal to accept 2936new work if: 2937

(1) As a condition of being so employed the individual would 2938 be required to join a company union, or to resign from or refrain 2939 from joining any bona fide labor organization, or would be denied 2940 the right to retain membership in and observe the lawful rules of 2941 any such organization. 2942

(2) The position offered is vacant due directly to a strike, 2943lockout, or other labor dispute. 2944

(3) The work is at an unreasonable distance from the 2945 individual's residence, having regard to the character of the work 2946 the individual has been accustomed to do, and travel to the place 2947 of work involves expenses substantially greater than that required 2948 for the individual's former work, unless the expense is provided 2949 for.

(4) The remuneration, hours, or other conditions of the work 2951
offered are substantially less favorable to the individual than 2952
those prevailing for similar work in the locality. 2953

(F) Subject to the special exceptions contained in division 2954 (A)(4)(f) of this section and section 4141.301 of the Revised 2955 Code, in determining whether any work is suitable for a claimant 2956 in the administration of this chapter, the director, in addition 2957 to the determination required under division (E) of this section, 2958 shall consider the degree of risk to the claimant's health, 2959 safety, and morals, the individual's physical fitness for the 2960 work, the individual's prior training and experience, the length 2961 of the individual's unemployment, the distance of the available 2962 work from the individual's residence, and the individual's 2963 prospects for obtaining local work. 2964

(G) No claimant shall be denied regular unemployment benefits
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under this section due to failing to satisfy the requirement
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regarding availability for work, failing to actively search for
suitable work, or refusing to accept suitable work as described
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under division (A) of this section, solely because the claimant is
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seeking only part-time work.

(H) The "duration of unemployment" as used in this section 2971 means the full period of unemployment next ensuing after a 2972 separation from any base period or subsequent work and until an 2973 individual has become reemployed in employment subject to this 2974 chapter, or the unemployment compensation act of another state, or 2975 of the United States, and until such individual has worked six 2976 weeks and for those weeks has earned or been paid remuneration 2977 equal to six times an average weekly wage of not less than: 2978 eighty-five dollars and ten cents per week beginning on June 26, 2979 1990; and beginning on and after January 1, 1992, twenty-seven and 2980 one-half per cent of the statewide average weekly wage as computed 2981

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each first day of January under division (B)(3) of section 4141.30 2982 of the Revised Code, rounded down to the nearest dollar, except 2983 for purposes of division (D)(2)(c) of this section, such term 2984 means the full period of unemployment next ensuing after a 2985 separation from such work and until such individual has become 2986 reemployed subject to the terms set forth above, and has earned 2987 wages equal to one-half of the individual's average weekly wage or 2988 sixty dollars, whichever is less. 2989

(H)(I) If a claimant is disqualified under division 2990 (D)(2)(a), (c), or (d) of this section or found to be qualified 2991 under the exceptions provided in division (D)(2)(a)(i), (iii), or 2992 (iv) of this section Θr_{\perp} division (A)(2) of section 4141.291 of 2993 the Revised Code, or section 4141.294 of the Revised Code, then 2994 benefits that may become payable to such claimant, which are 2995 chargeable to the account of the employer from whom the individual 2996 was separated under such conditions, shall be charged to the 2997 mutualized account provided in section 4141.25 of the Revised 2998 Code, provided that no charge shall be made to the mutualized 2999 account for benefits chargeable to a reimbursing employer, except 3000 as provided in division (D)(2) of section 4141.24 of the Revised 3001 Code. In the case of a reimbursing employer, the director shall 3002 refund or credit to the account of the reimbursing employer any 3003 over-paid benefits that are recovered under division (B) of 3004 section 4141.35 of the Revised Code. Amounts chargeable to other 3005 states, the United States, or Canada that are subject to 3006 agreements and arrangements that are established pursuant to 3007 section 4141.43 of the Revised Code shall be credited or 3008 reimbursed according to the agreements and arrangements to which 3009 the chargeable amounts are subject. 3010

(I)(J)(1) Benefits based on service in employment as provided 3011 in divisions (B)(2)(a) and (b) of section 4141.01 of the Revised 3012 Code shall be payable in the same amount, on the same terms, and 3013 subject to the same conditions as benefits payable on the basis of 3014 other service subject to this chapter; except that after December 3015 31, 1977: 3016

(a) Benefits based on service in an instructional, research, 3017 or principal administrative capacity in an institution of higher 3018 education, as defined in division (Y) of section 4141.01 of the 3019 Revised Code; or for an educational institution as defined in 3020 division (CC) of section 4141.01 of the Revised Code, shall not be 3021 paid to any individual for any week of unemployment that begins 3022 during the period between two successive academic years or terms, 3023 or during a similar period between two regular but not successive 3024 terms or during a period of paid sabbatical leave provided for in 3025 the individual's contract, if the individual performs such 3026 services in the first of those academic years or terms and has a 3027 contract or a reasonable assurance that the individual will 3028 perform services in any such capacity for any such institution in 3029 the second of those academic years or terms. 3030

(b) Benefits based on service for an educational institution 3031 or an institution of higher education in other than an 3032 instructional, research, or principal administrative capacity, 3033 shall not be paid to any individual for any week of unemployment 3034 which begins during the period between two successive academic 3035 years or terms of the employing educational institution or 3036 institution of higher education, provided the individual performed 3037 those services for the educational institution or institution of 3038 higher education during the first such academic year or term and, 3039 there is a reasonable assurance that such individual will perform 3040 those services for any educational institution or institution of 3041 higher education in the second of such academic years or terms. 3042

If compensation is denied to any individual for any week3043under division (I)(J)(1)(b) of this section and the individual was3044not offered an opportunity to perform those services for an3045

institution of higher education or for an educational institution 3046 for the second of such academic years or terms, the individual is 3047 entitled to a retroactive payment of compensation for each week 3048 for which the individual timely filed a claim for compensation and 3049 for which compensation was denied solely by reason of division 3050 $\frac{(I)}{(J)}(1)(b)$ of this section. An application for retroactive 3051 benefits shall be timely filed if received by the director or the 3052 director's deputy within or prior to the end of the fourth full 3053 calendar week after the end of the period for which benefits were 3054 denied because of reasonable assurance of employment. The 3055 provision for the payment of retroactive benefits under division 3056 (I)(J)(1)(b) of this section is applicable to weeks of 3057 unemployment beginning on and after November 18, 1983. The 3058 provisions under division (I)(J)(1)(b) of this section shall be 3059 retroactive to September 5, 1982, only if, as a condition for full 3060 tax credit against the tax imposed by the "Federal Unemployment 3061 Tax Act," 53 Stat. 183 (1939), 26 U.S.C.A. 3301 to 3311, the 3062 United States secretary of labor determines that retroactivity is 3063 required by federal law. 3064

(c) With respect to weeks of unemployment beginning after 3065 December 31, 1977, benefits shall be denied to any individual for 3066 any week which commences during an established and customary 3067 vacation period or holiday recess, if the individual performs any 3068 services described in divisions $\frac{(I)}{(J)}(1)(a)$ and (b) of this 3069 section in the period immediately before the vacation period or 3070 holiday recess, and there is a reasonable assurance that the 3071 individual will perform any such services in the period 3072 immediately following the vacation period or holiday recess. 3073

(d) With respect to any services described in division3074(I)(J)(1)(a), (b), or (c) of this section, benefits payable on the3075basis of services in any such capacity shall be denied as3076specified in division (I)(J)(1)(a), (b), or (c) of this section to3077

any individual who performs such services in an educational 3078 institution or institution of higher education while in the employ 3079 of an educational service agency. For this purpose, the term 3080 "educational service agency" means a governmental agency or 3081 governmental entity that is established and operated exclusively 3082 for the purpose of providing services to one or more educational 3083 institutions or one or more institutions of higher education. 3084

(e) Any individual employed by a county board of 3085 developmental disabilities shall be notified by the thirtieth day 3086 of April each year if the individual is not to be reemployed the 3087 following academic year. 3088

(f) Any individual employed by a school district, other than 3089 a municipal school district as defined in section 3311.71 of the 3090 Revised Code, shall be notified by the first day of June each year 3091 if the individual is not to be reemployed the following academic 3092 year. 3093

(2) No disqualification will be imposed, between academic 3094 years or terms or during a vacation period or holiday recess under 3095 this division, unless the director or the director's deputy has 3096 received a statement in writing from the educational institution 3097 or institution of higher education that the claimant has a 3098 contract for, or a reasonable assurance of, reemployment for the 3099 ensuing academic year or term. 3100

(3) If an individual has employment with an educational 3101 institution or an institution of higher education and employment 3102 with a noneducational employer, during the base period of the 3103 individual's benefit year, then the individual may become eligible 3104 for benefits during the between-term, or vacation or holiday 3105 recess, disqualification period, based on employment performed for 3106 the noneducational employer, provided that the employment is 3107 sufficient to qualify the individual for benefit rights separately 3108 from the benefit rights based on school employment. The weekly 3109

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benefit amount and maximum benefits payable during a3110disqualification period shall be computed based solely on the3111nonschool employment.3112

(J)(K) Benefits shall not be paid on the basis of employment 3113 performed by an alien, unless the alien had been lawfully admitted 3114 to the United States for permanent residence at the time the 3115 services were performed, was lawfully present for purposes of 3116 performing the services, or was otherwise permanently residing in 3117 the United States under color of law at the time the services were 3118 performed, under section 212(d)(5) of the "Immigration and 3119 Nationality Act," 66 Stat. 163, 8 U.S.C.A. 1101: 3120

(1) Any data or information required of individuals applying
 for benefits to determine whether benefits are not payable to them
 because of their alien status shall be uniformly required from all
 applicants for benefits.
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(2) In the case of an individual whose application for 3125 benefits would otherwise be approved, no determination that 3126 benefits to the individual are not payable because of the 3127 individual's alien status shall be made except upon a 3128 preponderance of the evidence that the individual had not, in 3129 fact, been lawfully admitted to the United States. 3130

(K)(L)The director shall establish and utilize a system of3131profiling all new claimants under this chapter that:3132

(1) Identifies which claimants will be likely to exhaust
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regular compensation and will need job search assistance services
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to make a successful transition to new employment;
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(2) Refers claimants identified pursuant to division
 (K)(L)(1) of this section to reemployment services, such as job
 search assistance services, available under any state or federal
 law;
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(3) Collects follow-up information relating to the services 3140

received by such claimants and the employment outcomes for such claimant's subsequent to receiving such services and utilizes such information in making identifications pursuant to division $\frac{(K)(L)}{(1)}$ of this section; and

(4) Meets such other requirements as the United States3145secretary of labor determines are appropriate.3146

(M) As used in this section, "seeking only part-time work"3147means the claimant is willing and able to work at least twelve3148hours per week.3149

sec. 4141.291. (A) Notwithstanding section 4141.29 of the 3150
Revised Code, an individual who voluntarily quits work: 3151

(1) To accept a recall from a prior employer and establishes
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that the refusal or failure to accept the recall would have
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resulted in a substantial loss of employment rights, benefits, or
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pension, under a labor-management agreement or company policy;
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(2) To accept a recall to employment from a prior employer 3156 and cannot establish that a substantial loss of employment rights, 3157 benefits, or pension was involved in the recall, or to accept 3158 other employment subject to this chapter, or the unemployment 3159 compensation act of another state, or of the United States, where 3160 the individual obtains such employment while still employed or 3161 commences such employment within seven calendar days after the 3162 last day of employment with the prior employer, and subsequent to 3163 the last day of the employment with the prior employer, works 3164 three weeks in the new employment and earns wages equal to one and 3165 one-half times the individual's average weekly wage or one hundred 3166 eighty dollars, whichever is less; 3167

(3) Shall, under the conditions specified in either division 3168
(A)(1) or (2) of this section, remove the disqualification imposed 3169
by division (D)(2)(a) of section 4141.29 of the Revised Code and 3170

shall be deemed to have fully complied with division $(G)(H)$ of	3171
such section.	3172
(B) Benefits which may become payable to such individual	3173
because of the individual's subsequent separation from the	3174
employer who recalled that individual shall be charged to employer	3175
accounts as provided in division (D) of section 4141.24 of the	3176
Revised Code.	3177
(C) Any benefits which would be chargeable to the account of	3178
the employer from whom such individual voluntarily quit to accept	3179
such recall or other employment which are not chargeable to the	3180
recalling employer as provided in this section shall be charged to	3181
the mutualized account provided in section 4141.25 of the Revised	3182
Code; except that any benefits chargeable to the account of a	3183
reimbursing employer under this division shall be charged to the	3184
account of the reimbursing employer and not the mutualized	3185
account, except as provided in division (D)(2) of section 4141.24	3186
of the Revised Code.	3187

Sec. 4141.293. (A) As used in this section, "learn to earn 3188 program" means any program established by the department of job 3189 and family services that offers a structured, supervised training 3190 opportunity to an eligible unemployment compensation claimant with 3191 a designated worksite training provider. 3192

(B) Participation in a learn to earn program is voluntary. 3193

(D) A participant in a learn to earn program shall be
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 registered at an employment office or other registration place
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 maintained or designated by the director of job and family
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services according to the procedure set forth in division $(A)(3)$	3201
of section 4141.29 of the Revised Code.	3202
(E) A learn to earn program participant may participate in a	3203
learn to earn program for a period not to exceed twenty-four hours	3204
a week for a maximum of six weeks.	3205
(F) A designated worksite training provider participating in	3206
<u>a learn to earn program shall not use a participant in the program</u>	3207
to displace any employee employed by the provider as of the date	3208
the provider participates in the program, including for any	3209
partial displacement, such as a reduction in the hours of	3210
nonovertime work, wages, or employment benefits.	3211
A designated worksite training provider participating in a	3212
<u>learn to earn program shall not permit a claimant participating in</u>	3213
the program to perform work activities related to any job for	3214
which any of the following circumstances apply:	3215
(1) Another individual is on layoff from the same or any	3216
substantially equivalent position.	3217
(2) The provider has terminated the employment of any	3218
employee or otherwise reduced the workforce of the provider with	3219
the intention of filling or partially filling the vacancy so	3220
created with the work activities to be performed by a program	3221
participant.	3222
(3) A strike or lockout is occurring at the worksite that is	3223
the designated worksite for a claimant participating in the	3224
program.	3225
(4) The position is created in a manner that infringes in any	3226
way upon the promotional opportunities of individuals currently	3227
employed by the provider as of the date of the employer's	3228
participation in a learn to earn program.	3229
(G) A designated worksite training provider participating in	3230

a learn to earn program shall not, by means of assigning work	3231
activities under the program, impair an existing contract for	3232
services or a collective bargaining agreement. Such a provider	3233
shall not undertake any activity that would be inconsistent with	3234
the terms of a collective bargaining agreement without the written	3235
concurrence of the labor organization that is signatory to the	3236
collective bargaining agreement.	3237
Sec. 4141.294. (A) As used in this section:	3238
(1) "Compelling family circumstances" means any of the	3239
<u>following:</u>	3240
(a) The claimant was separated from employment with the	3241
claimant's employer because of the claimant's illness or	3242
disability and, based upon available information, the director of	3243
job and family services finds that it was medically necessary for	3244
the claimant to stop working or change occupations.	3245
(b) The claimant was separated from work due to an immediate	3246
family member's illness or disability.	3247
(c) The claimant's spouse was transferred or employed in	3248
another city or state, the family is required to move to the	3249
location of that job, the location is outside the commuting	3250
distance of the claimant's previous employment, and the claimant	3251
separates from employment in order to move to the new location	3252
with the claimant's spouse.	3253
(2) "Disability" means a verified disability that	3254
necessitates the care of the disabled person for a period of time	3255
that exceeds the amount of time an employer will provide paid or	3256
unpaid leave. "Disability" includes mental and physical	3257
disabilities, permanent and temporary disabilities, and partial	3258
and total disabilities.	3259
(3) "Immediate family member" means a claimant's spouse,	3260

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parent, or child under the age of eighteen.	3261
(4) "Illness" means a verified illness that necessitates the	3262
care of the ill person for a period of time that exceeds the	3263
amount of time an employer will provide paid or unpaid leave.	3264
(B)(1) Notwithstanding section 4141.29 of the Revised Code, a	3265
claimant is eligible for waiting week credit and for unemployment	3266
compensation benefits if the director finds that the claimant has	3267
left work voluntarily or has been discharged because of	3268
circumstances directly resulting from domestic abuse and any of	3269
the following applies:	3270
(a) The claimant reasonably fears future domestic abuse at or	3271
en route to the workplace.	3272

(b) The claimant needs to relocate to avoid future domestic 3273 3274 abuse.

(c) The claimant reasonably believes that leaving work is 3275 necessary for the safety of the claimant or the claimant's family. 3276

(2) When determining if a claimant has experienced domestic 3277 abuse for the purpose of receiving unemployment compensation 3278 benefits, the director shall require the claimant to provide 3279 documentation of domestic abuse that may include police or court 3280 records or other documentation of abuse from a shelter worker, 3281 attorney, member of the clergy, or medical or other professional 3282 from whom the claimant has sought assistance. 3283

(3) The director shall keep confidential any documentation or 3284 evidence of domestic abuse acquired by the director pursuant to 3285 this section unless the claimant gives written consent for 3286 disclosure. 3287

(C) Notwithstanding section 4141.29 of the Revised Code, an 3288 individual is eligible for waiting week credit and for 3289 unemployment compensation benefits if the director determines that 3290

the claimant was separated from employment due to compelling	3291
family circumstances.	3292
Sec. 4141.302. (A) As used in this section:	3293
(1) "Declining occupation" means either of the following	3294
occupations:	3295
(a) An occupation in which a lack of sufficient current	3296
demand in a claimant's labor market area exists for the	3297
occupational skills for which the claimant is qualified by	3298
training and experience or current physical or mental capacity,	3299
and the lack of employment opportunities is expected to continue	3300
for an extended period of time;	3301
(b) An occupation for which a seasonal variation in demand	3302
exists in the labor market and a claimant has no other skills for	3303
which a current demand exists.	3304
(2) "Extended benefits" and "regular benefits" have the same	3305
meanings as in section 4141.301 of the Revised Code.	3306
(3) "High-demand occupation" means an occupation in a labor	3307
market area where work opportunities are available and qualified	3308
applicants are lacking as determined by the use of available labor	3309
market information.	3310
<u>(4) "Similar stipend" means an amount provided under a</u>	3311
program with similar aims, such as providing training to increase	3312
employability, as the program described in division (B)(3) of this	3313
section.	3314
(B) A claimant who otherwise is eligible for regular benefits	3315
is eligible to receive training extension benefits if the director	3316
of job and family services determines that the claimant satisfies	3317
all of the following criteria:	3318
(1) The claimant is unemployed.	3319

(2) The claimant has exhausted all rights to regular	3320
benefits, all rights to extended benefits, and all rights to	3321
benefits under section 2002 of division B, title n, known as "The	3322
Assistance for Unemployed Workers and Struggling Families Act" of	3323
the "American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009," Pub. L. No.	3324
<u>111-5, 123 Stat. 115, as amended.</u>	3325
(3) The claimant is enrolled in a training program approved	3326
by the director or in a job training program authorized under the	3327
"Workforce Investment Act of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801	3328
et seq., as amended; except that the training program must prepare	3329
the claimant for entry into a high-demand occupation if the	3330
director determines that the claimant separated from a declining	3331
occupation or has been involuntarily and indefinitely separated	3332
from employment as a result of a permanent reduction of operations	3333
at the claimant's place of employment.	3334
(4) The claimant is making satisfactory progress to complete	3335
the training as determined by the director.	3336
(C) The amount of a claimant's weekly training extension	3337
benefit shall equal the claimant's weekly benefit amount as	3338
determined for the most recent benefit year, less any deductible	3339
income as determined under section 4141.31 of the Revised Code and	3340
any reduction required by division (D) of this section. The total	3341
amount of training extension benefits payable to a claimant shall	3342
be equal to twenty-six times the claimant's average weekly benefit	3343
amount for the most recent benefit year. A claimant who is	3344
receiving training extension benefits shall not be denied training	3345
extension benefits because the claimant may not satisfy the	3346
requirements of division (A)(4) or (5) of section 4141.29 of the	3347
Revised Code. The director shall charge any training extension	3348
benefits paid pursuant to this section to the mutualized account	3349
created in section 4141.25 of the Revised Code and shall not	3350
charge an employer's account for any training extension benefits	3351

paid to a claimant.

(D) The amount of a claimant's weekly training extension	3353
benefit shall be reduced by the amount of any similar stipend or	3354
other training allowances for nontraining costs received by the	3355
claimant for the week that the weekly training extension benefit	3356
is due to the claimant.	3357

Sec. 4141.50. (A) There is hereby created the short-time	3358
compensation program. An employer who wishes to participate in the	3359
program shall submit, on an application form provided by the	3360
director of job and family services, a plan to the director that	3361
satisfies the requirements listed in section 4141.51 of the	3362
Revised Code. If an employee the employer covers under the plan is	3363
subject to a collective bargaining agreement, the employer shall	3364
have the employee's collective bargaining agent approve the plan	3365
in writing. The written approval shall include a statement as to	3366
whether the agent believes the implementation of the plan is	3367
consistent with federal law. The employer shall submit that	3368
approval to the director with the employer's proposed plan.	3369

(B) The director may adopt rules as the director determines3370necessary, including additional plan requirements, to administer3371the short-time compensation program in accordance with any3372guidance issued by the United States secretary of labor with3373respect to the short-time compensation program.3374

Sec. 4141.51. (A) The director of job and family services3375shall approve a short-time compensation plan submitted by an3376employer under section 4141.50 of the Revised Code in which the3377employer does all of the following:3378

(1) Identifies the specific affected unit or units to which3379the plan will apply, including the number of full-time or3380part-time workers in each affected unit and the percentage of3381

director to identify plan participants;

workers in each affected unit who are to be covered by the plan; 3382 (2) Identifies in the plan the employees in the affected unit 3383 by name, social security number, the employer's unemployment tax 3384 identification number, and any other information required by the 3385 3386

(3) Identifies the normal weekly hours of work for each 3387 employee in the affected unit or units identified in the plan; 3388

(4) Includes the specific percentage by which the hours of 3389 each employee in the affected unit or units will be reduced, which 3390 shall be at least ten per cent but not more than sixty per cent; 3391

(5) Includes a certification by the employer that if the 3392 employer provides fringe benefits, the employer will continue to 3393 provide fringe benefits to participating employees under the same 3394 terms and conditions as though the normal weekly hours of work of 3395 those employees had not been reduced, or to the same extent as the 3396 benefits are provided to other employees not participating in the 3397 short-time compensation program; 3398

(6) Includes a certification by the employer that the 3399 implementation of a short-time compensation plan and resulting 3400 reduction in work hours is in lieu of temporary layoffs and 3401 includes an estimate of the number of layoffs that would have 3402 occurred absent the ability to participate in the short-time 3403 compensation plan. 3404

(7) Agrees in writing to furnish the director reports 3405 relating to the operation of the plan as the director requests in 3406 accordance with section 4141.54 of the Revised Code, to allow the 3407 director access to all records necessary to approve, disapprove, 3408 or evaluate the plan, and to follow any other directive that the 3409 director determines to be necessary to implement the plan and that 3410 is consistent with the requirements for plan approval provided in 3411 division (A) of this section; 3412

implemented, includes a plan to give advance notice, if feasible,	3414
to an employee whose normal weekly hours of work will be reduced	3415
under the plan, and, if advanced notice is not feasible, provides	3416
an explanation of why that notice is not feasible;	3417
(9) Identifies any week during the effective period of the	3418
<u>plan for which the employer reqularly provides no work, such as a</u>	3419
holiday or other regularly scheduled plant closing;	3420
(10) Includes a certification by the employer that the	3421
employer's participation in the short-time compensation plan and	3422
the plan's implementation are consistent with the employer's	3423
obligations under applicable federal and state laws;	3424
(11) Includes the proposed effective date for the plan and a	3425
termination date, which shall be not more than twelve calendar	3426
months later than the proposed effective date;	3427
(12) Includes any other provision added to the application	3428
form by the director that the United States secretary of labor	3429
determines to be appropriate for purposes of a short-time	3430
compensation program.	3431
(B)(1) An employer shall not include in the employer's	3432
short-time compensation plan any employee employed by the employer	3433
<u>on a seasonal, temporary, or intermittent basis.</u>	3434
(2) As used in this division:	3435
(a) "Seasonal basis" has the same meaning as "seasonal	3436
employment" as defined in section 4141.33 of the Revised Code.	3437
(b) "Temporary basis" means any employment where an employee	3438
is expected to remain in a position for only a limited period of	3439
time or is hired by a temporary agency to fill a gap in the	3440
employer's workforce.	3441
(c) "Intermittent basis" means employment that is not	3442

continuous but may consist of periodic intervals of weekly work	3443
and intervals of no weekly work.	3444
(C) The director shall approve or deny a short-time	3445
compensation plan and shall send a written notice to the employer	3446
stating whether the director approved or denied the plan not later	3447
than thirty days after the director receives the plan. If the	3448
director denies approval of a short-time compensation plan, the	3449
director shall state the reasons for denying approval in the	3450
written notice sent to the employer. A decision denying a plan	3451
<u>shall be final, but an employer subject to a denial shall be</u>	3452
allowed to submit another short-time compensation plan for	3453
approval not earlier than fifteen days after the date of the	3454
denial.	3455
Sec. 4141.52. (A) A short-time compensation plan approved	3456
under section 4141.51 of the Revised Code takes effect on the	3457
later of the date the director of job and family services approves	3458
the plan or the date specified in the plan as the effective date.	3459
Except as otherwise provided in division (B) of this section, an	3460
approved plan expires on the termination date specified in the	3461
plan.	3462
(B) The director may terminate an approved plan for good	3463
cause at any time, including upon the request of any employees in	3464
the affected unit. A termination order issued under this division	3465
shall be in writing and shall specify the reasons for the	3466
revocation and the effective date of the revocation.	3467
(C) The director may periodically review the operation of	3468
each employer's short-time compensation plan to assure that no	3469
good cause exists for termination of the plan pursuant to division	3470
(B) of this section. For purposes of this section, good cause	3471
shall include any of the following:	3472
(1) An employer's failure to comply with assurances given in	3473

<u>the plan;</u>	3474
(2) An employer's unreasonable revision of productivity	3475
standards for the affected unit;	3476
(3) An employer's violation of any criteria on which approval	3477
<u>of the plan was based;</u>	3478
(4) Circumstances tending to defeat the intent and effective	3479
operation of the employer's short-time compensation plan.	3480
(D) An employer may terminate a short-time compensation plan	3481
at any time upon written notice to the director. Upon receipt of a	3482
termination notice from an employer, the director shall promptly	3483
notify each member of the affected unit of the plan's termination	3484
<u>date.</u>	3485
(E) An employer may submit a new application to participate	3486
in a short-time compensation plan at any time after the expiration	3487
or termination date of an existing plan.	3488
Sec. 4141.53. A participating employer may modify a	3489
short-time compensation plan approved under section 4141.51 of the	3490
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Revised Code to meet changed conditions regarding the	0 17 1
participating employer's business if the modification conforms to	3492
the basic provisions of the plan as approved by the director of	3493
job and family services. Before implementing the proposed change,	3494
the participating employer shall report the proposed change in	3495
writing to the director. If the director determines that the	3496
proposed change will result in a substantial modification of the	3497
plan approved under section 4141.51 of the Revised Code, the	3498
director shall reevaluate the proposed modified plan to determine	3499
whether the plan continues to satisfy the requirements listed in	3500
divisions (A)(1) to (12) of that section. The director shall	3501
approve or deny the modification in accordance with that section.	3502

The director shall approve or deny a proposed modification in 3503

writing, within thirty days after a modification request is	3504
received by the director. Any decision to approve or deny a	3505
proposed modification shall be promptly communicated to the	3506
employer. If a proposed modification is approved, the director	3507
shall notify the employer of the effective date of the	3508
modification.	3509
An employer is not required to request approval of a plan	3510
modification from the director if the change is not substantial,	3511
but the employer shall report every change to the director	3512
promptly and in writing. The director may terminate an employer's	3513
plan if the employer fails to comply with this reporting	3514
requirement.	3515
If an employer has reported a change to the director and has	3516
not requested approval of a plan modification, the director shall	3517
require the employer to request a modification to the plan if the	3518
director determines that the change is substantial.	3519
Approval of a modified plan does not affect the plan's	3520
original expiration date determined under section 4141.52 of the	3521
Revised Code.	3522
Sec. 4141.54. Upon request of the director of job and family	3523
services, a participating employer shall monitor and evaluate the	3523
operation of the participating employer's short-time compensation	3524
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plan and shall report the participating employer's findings to the	3520
<u>director.</u>	2271
Sec. 4141.55. (A) Notwithstanding section 4141.01, 4141.29,	3528
4141.30, or 4141.31 of the Revised Code, an individual is	3529
unemployed for purposes of this chapter in a week during which the	3530
individual is a participating employee under a short-time	3531
compensation plan approved under section 4141.51 of the Revised	3532
Code that is in effect for that week.	3533

(B) An individual is eligible to receive short-time	3534
compensation benefits for a week in which the individual satisfies	3535
all of the following:	3536
(1) The individual is employed as a member of an affected	3537
unit subject to a shared-time compensation plan that was approved	3538
before that week and is in effect for that week.	3539
(2) The individual is able to work and is available for the	3540
individual's normal weekly hours of work with the short-time	3541
compensation employer, which may include, for purposes of this	3542
section, participating in training that is approved by the	3543
director to enhance job skills, such as employer-sponsored	3544
training, or training funded by the "Workforce Investment Act of	3545
<u> 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2832, as amended.</u>	3546
(3) The individual's normal weekly hours of work have been	3547
reduced by at least ten per cent but not more than sixty per cent	3548
and the individual receives a corresponding reduction in wages.	3549
(4) The individual has been employed by an employer or	3550
employers subject to this chapter in at least twenty qualifying	3551
weeks within the individual's base period and has earned or been	3552
paid remuneration at an average weekly wage of not less than	3553
twenty-seven and one-half per cent of the statewide average weekly	3554
wage for those weeks.	3555
(5) The individual has been subject to a short-time	3556
<u>compensation plan for at least one week prior to the week for</u>	3557
which the short-time compensation benefits are to be paid, or	3558
otherwise satisfies the waiting period requirement of division (B)	3559
of section 4141.29 of the Revised Code for the individual's	3560
benefit year.	3561
(6) The individual otherwise satisfies the requirements of	3562
this chapter and is not otherwise disqualified from receiving	3563
unemployment compensation benefits.	3564

(C) Notwithstanding section 4141.29 of the Revised Code, the	3565
director of job and family services shall not deny short-time	3566
compensation benefits for a week to an otherwise eligible employee	3567
because the employee is unavailable for work other than as	3568
required under division (B)(2) of this section, is not actively	3569
searching for work, or refuses to apply for or to accept work with	3570
an employer other than with the employer who is implementing the	3571
<u>plan.</u>	3572
(D) The director shall pay an employee who is eligible for a	3573
weekly short-time compensation benefit in an amount equal to the	3574
employee's regular weekly benefit amount for a period of total	3575
unemployment as described in division (B) of section 4141.30 of	3576
the Revised Code multiplied by the nearest full percentage of	3577
reduction of the employee's normal weekly hours of work under the	3578
employer's short-time compensation plan. The director shall round	3579
the amount of a short-time compensation benefit that is not a	3580
multiple of one dollar to the next highest dollar amount.	3581
(E) An employee is not entitled to receive short-time	3582
compensation benefits and regular unemployment compensation	3583
benefits that, when combined, exceed the maximum total benefits	3584
payable to the employee in a benefit year under section 4141.30 of	3585
the Revised Code. An employee shall receive short-time	3586
compensation benefits for a maximum of fifty-two weeks regardless	3587
of whether the employee has received the total maximum benefits	3588
payable for the employee's benefit year. An individual who	3589
receives short-time compensation benefits is not entitled to	3590
receive benefits for partial unemployment under division (C) of	3591
section 4141.30 of the Revised Code for any week during which the	3592
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<u>individual participates in a short-time compensation plan. The</u>	3593
director shall not pay an individual short-time compensation plan. The	3593 3594

that exceeds the reduced hours established under the plan. Any	3597
short-time compensation benefits paid to an individual shall be	3598
deducted from the total benefits available to the individual for	3599
the individual's benefit year, as described in division (D) of	3600
section 4141.30 of the Revised Code.	3601
(F) An individual participating in a short-time compensation	3602
plan may participate in training, including a training program	3603
sponsored by the employer implementing the plan or funded under	3604
the federal "Workforce Development Act of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29	3605
U.S.C. 2801 et seq., as amended, to enhance job skills if the	3606
program is approved by the director.	3607
(G) An individual who has received all of the short-time	3608
compensation benefits and regular unemployment compensation	3609
benefits available in a benefit year is an individual who has	3610
exhausted regular benefits under section 4141.30 of the Revised	3611
Code and is entitled to receive extended benefits under section	3612
4141.301 of the Revised Code if the individual is otherwise	3613
eligible to receive benefits under that section.	3614
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Sec. 4141.56. (A) Notwithstanding section 4141.55 of the	3615
Revised Code:	3616
(1) An individual who is otherwise eligible to receive	3617
short-time compensation benefits pursuant to section 4141.55 of	3618
the Revised Code is ineligible to receive short-time compensation	3619
benefits for any week in which the employee performs work for a	3620
short-time compensation employer and another employer, and the	3621
individual's combined hours of work in the week exceed ninety per	3622
cent of the individual's normal weekly hours of work with the	3623
short-time employer.	3624
(2) An individual who is otherwise eligible to receive	3625
short-time compensation benefits pursuant to section 4141.55 of	3626
the Revised Code is eligible to receive a reduced benefit for any	3627

week in which the employee performs work for a short-time	3628
compensation employer and another employer, and the individual's	3629
combined hours of work in the week do not exceed ninety per cent	3630
of the individual's normal weekly hours of work with the	3631
short-time compensation employer. The reduced benefit amount shall	3632
be calculated by multiplying the employee's regular weekly benefit	3633
amount for a period of total unemployment, as described in	3634
division (B) of section 4141.30 of the Revised Code, by the	3635
nearest full percentage by which the employee's combined hours of	3636
work are less than the individual's normal weekly hours of work	3637
with the short-time compensation employer.	3638
(B) An individual who is not provided any work during a week	3639
by the individual's short-time compensation employer, or any other	3640
employer, and who is otherwise eligible, shall be paid benefits	3641

(C) An individual who is not provided any work by the individual's short-time compensation employer during a week, but who works for another employer during that time and is otherwise

for being totally unemployed for that week.

3645 eligible may be paid benefits for being partially unemployed for 3646 that week. 3647

Sec. 4141.57. Any short-time compensation benefits paid to an 3648 individual pursuant to sections 4141.55 and 4141.56 of the Revised 3649 Code shall be charged to an employer's account in accordance with 3650 division (D) of section 4141.24 of the Revised Code. 3651

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sec. 4301.20. This chapter and Chapter 4303. of the Revised 3653 Code do not prevent the following: 3654

(A) The storage of intoxicating liquor in bonded warehouses, 3655 established in accordance with the acts of congress and under the 3656 regulation of the United States, located in this state, or the 3657 transportation of intoxicating liquor to or from bonded warehouses 3658 of the United States wherever located; 3659

(B) A bona fide resident of this state who is the owner of a 3660
warehouse receipt from obtaining or transporting to the resident's 3661
residence for the resident's own consumption and not for resale 3662
spirituous liquor stored in a government bonded warehouse in this 3663
state or in another state prior to December 1933, subject to such 3664
terms as are prescribed by the division of liquor control; 3665

(C) The manufacture of cider from fruit for the purpose of 3666making vinegar, and nonintoxicating cider and fruit juices for use 3667and sale; 3668

(D) A licensed physician or dentist from administering or 3669
dispensing intoxicating liquor or alcohol to a patient in good 3670
faith in the actual course of the practice of the physician's or 3671
dentist's profession; 3672

(E) The sale of alcohol to physicians, dentists, druggists, 3673
veterinary surgeons, manufacturers, hospitals, infirmaries, or 3674
medical or educational institutions using the alcohol for 3675
medicinal, mechanical, chemical, or scientific purposes; 3676

(F) The sale, gift, or keeping for sale by druggists and 3677 others of any of the medicinal preparations manufactured in 3678 accordance with the formulas prescribed by the United States 3679 Pharmacopoeia and National Formulary, patent or proprietary 3680 preparations, and other bona fide medicinal and technical 3681 preparations, which contain no more alcohol than is necessary to 3682 hold the medicinal agents in solution and to preserve the same, 3683 which are manufactured and sold as medicine and not as beverages, 3684 are unfit for use for beverage purposes, and the sale of which 3685 does not require the payment of a United States liquor dealer's 3686 tax; 3687

(G) The manufacture and sale of tinctures or of toilet, 3688

medicinal, and antiseptic preparations and solutions not intended 3689
for internal human use nor to be sold as beverages, and which are 3690
unfit for beverage purposes, if upon the outside of each bottle, 3691
box, or package of which there is printed in the English language, 3692
conspicuously and legibly, the quantity by volume of alcohol in 3693
the preparation or solution; 3694

(H) The manufacture and keeping for sale of the food products 3695
 known as flavoring extracts when manufactured and sold for 3696
 cooking, culinary, or flavoring purposes, and which are unfit for 3697
 use for beverage purposes; 3698

(I) The lawful sale of wood alcohol or of ethyl alcohol for 3699
 external use when combined with other substances as to make it 3700
 unfit for internal use; 3701

(J) The manufacture, sale, and transport of ethanol or ethyl
 alcohol for use as fuel. As used in this division, "ethanol" has
 the same meaning as in section 5733.46 <u>122.075</u> of the Revised
 Code.

(K) The purchase and importation into this state or the 3706 purchase at wholesale from A or B permit holders in this state of 3707 beer and intoxicating liquor for use in manufacturing processes of 3708 nonbeverage food products under terms prescribed by the division, 3709 provided that the terms prescribed by the division shall not 3710 increase the cost of the beer or intoxicating liquor to any 3711 person, firm, or corporation purchasing and importing it into this 3712 state or purchasing it from an A or B permit holder for that use; 3713

(L) Any resident of this state or any member of the armed 3714
forces of the United States, who has attained the age of 3715
twenty-one years, from bringing into this state, for personal use 3716
and not for resale, not more than one liter of spirituous liquor, 3717
four and one-half liters of wine, or two hundred eighty-eight 3718
ounces of beer in any thirty-day period, and the same is free of 3719

any tax consent fee when the resident or member of the armed 3720 forces physically possesses and accompanies the spirituous liquor, 3721 wine, or beer on returning from a foreign country, another state, 3722 or an insular possession of the United States; 3723

(M) Persons, at least twenty-one years of age, who collect 3724 ceramic commemorative bottles containing spirituous liquor that 3725 have unbroken federal tax stamps on them from selling or trading 3726 the bottles to other collectors. The bottles shall originally have 3727 been purchased at retail from the division, legally imported under 3728 division (L) of this section, or legally imported pursuant to a 3729 supplier registration issued by the division. The sales shall be 3730 for the purpose of exchanging a ceramic commemorative bottle 3731 between private collectors and shall not be for the purpose of 3732 selling the spirituous liquor for personal consumption. The sale 3733 or exchange authorized by this division shall not occur on the 3734 premises of any permit holder, shall not be made in connection 3735 with the business of any permit holder, and shall not be made in 3736 connection with any mercantile business. 3737

(N) The sale of beer or intoxicating liquor without a liquor 3738
permit at a private residence, not more than five times per 3739
calendar year at a residence address, at an event that has the 3740
following characteristics: 3741

(1) The event is for a charitable, benevolent, or political 3742
 purpose, but shall not include any event the proceeds of which are 3743
 for the profit or gain of any individual; 3744

(2) The event has in attendance not more than fifty people; 3745

(3) The event shall be for a period not to exceed twelve3746hours;3747

(4) The sale of beer and intoxicating liquor at the event 3748shall not take place between two-thirty a.m. and five-thirty a.m.; 3749

(5) No person under twenty-one years of age shall purchase or 3750

consume beer or intoxicating liquor at the event and no beer or	3751
intoxicating liquor shall be sold to any person under twenty-one	3752
years of age at the event; and	3753
(6) No person at the event shall sell or furnish beer or	3754
intoxicating liquor to an intoxicated person.	3755
(0) The possession or consumption of beer or intoxicating	3756
liquor by a person who is under twenty-one years of age and who is	3757
a student at an accredited college or university, provided that	3758
both of the following apply:	3759
(1) The person is required to taste and expectorate the beer	3760
or intoxicating liquor for a culinary, food service, or	3761
hospitality course.	3762
(2) The person is under the direct supervision of the	3763
instructor of the culinary, food service, or hospitality course.	3764
Sec. 5709.29. (A) As used in this section:	3765
(1) "Distressed residential or commercial property" means	3766
real property that was or is used exclusively for residential or	3767
commercial purposes as classified in the county real property tax	3768
records and that is vacant, abandoned, foreclosed-upon, or located	3769
<u>in a blighted area.</u>	3770
(2) "Blighted area" has the same meaning as in section 1.08	3771
<u>of the Revised Code.</u>	3772
(3) "Qualifying improvement" means the increase in the	3773
assessed value of distressed residential or commercial property as	3774
shown on the tax list for a tax year after the tax year in which	3775
the owner of that property remodels the property.	3776
(4) "Remodel" means to make any change to a building that	3777
constitutes distressed residential or commercial property for the	3778
purpose of making it structurally more sound or more habitable or	3779
to improve its appearance.	3780

(B) If the owner of distressed residential or commercial	3781
property remodels the property within one year after first	3782
acquiring title to the property, the qualifying improvement is	3783
exempt from taxation until the tax year immediately following the	3784
tax year in which that owner transfers title to the property to	3785
another person.	3786

Sec. 5733.01. (A) The tax provided by this chapter for 3787 domestic corporations shall be the amount charged against each 3788 corporation organized for profit under the laws of this state and 3789 each nonprofit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 1729. of 3790 the Revised Code, except as provided in sections 5733.09 and 3791 5733.10 of the Revised Code, for the privilege of exercising its 3792 franchise during the calendar year in which that amount is 3793 payable, and the tax provided by this chapter for foreign 3794 corporations shall be the amount charged against each corporation 3795 organized for profit and each nonprofit corporation organized or 3796 3797 operating in the same or similar manner as nonprofit corporations organized under Chapter 1729. of the Revised Code, under the laws 3798 of any state or country other than this state, except as provided 3799 in sections 5733.09 and 5733.10 of the Revised Code, for the 3800 privilege of doing business in this state, owning or using a part 3801 or all of its capital or property in this state, holding a 3802 certificate of compliance with the laws of this state authorizing 3803 it to do business in this state, or otherwise having nexus in or 3804 with this state under the Constitution of the United States, 3805 during the calendar year in which that amount is payable. 3806

(B) A corporation is subject to the tax imposed by section 3807
5733.06 of the Revised Code for each calendar year prior to 2014 3808
that it is so organized, doing business, owning or using a part or 3809
all of its capital or property, holding a certificate of 3810
compliance, or otherwise having nexus in or with this state under 3811
the Constitution of the United States, on the first day of January 3812

of that calendar year. No credit authorized by this chapter may be3813claimed for tax year 2014 or any tax year thereafter.3814

(C) Any corporation subject to this chapter that is not
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subject to the federal income tax shall file its returns and
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compute its tax liability as required by this chapter in the same
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manner as if that corporation were subject to the federal income
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tax.

(D) For purposes of this chapter, a federally chartered
financial institution shall be deemed to be organized under the
laws of the state within which its principal office is located.
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(E) For purposes of this chapter, any person, as defined in 3823
 section 5701.01 of the Revised Code, shall be treated as a 3824
 corporation if the person is classified for federal income tax 3825
 purposes as an association taxable as a corporation, and an equity 3826
 interest in the person shall be treated as capital stock of the 3827
 person. 3828

(F) For the purposes of this chapter, "disregarded entity" 3829has the same meaning as in division (D) of section 5745.01 of the 3830Revised Code. 3831

(1) A person's interest in a disregarded entity, whether held 3832 directly or indirectly, shall be treated as the person's ownership 3833 of the assets and liabilities of the disregarded entity, and the 3834 income, including gain or loss, shall be included in the person's 3835 net income under this chapter. 3836

(2) Any sale, exchange, or other disposition of the person's 3837 interest in the disregarded entity, whether held directly or 3838 indirectly, shall be treated as a sale, exchange, or other 3839 disposition of the person's share of the disregarded entity's 3840 underlying assets or liabilities, and the gain or loss from such 3841 sale, exchange, or disposition shall be included in the person's 3842 net income under this chapter. 3843

(3) The disregarded entity's payroll, property, and sales3844factors shall be included in the person's factors.3845

(G) The tax a corporation is required to pay under this3846chapter shall be as follows:3847

(1)(a) For financial institutions, the greater of the minimum 3848 payment required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the 3849 Revised Code or the difference between all taxes charged the 3850 financial institution under this chapter, without regard to 3851 division (G)(2) of this section, less any credits allowable 3852 against such tax. 3853

(b) A corporation satisfying the description in division 3854 (E)(5), (6), (7), (8), or (10) of section 5751.01 of the Revised 3855 Code, as that section existed before its amendment by H.B. 510 of 3856 the 129th general assembly, that is not a financial institution, 3857 insurance company, or dealer in intangibles is subject to the 3858 taxes imposed under this chapter as a corporation and not subject 3859 to tax as a financial institution, and shall pay the greater of 3860 the minimum payment required under division (E) of section 5733.06 3861 of the Revised Code or the difference between all the taxes 3862 charged under this chapter, without regard to division (G)(2) of 3863 this section, less any credits allowable against such tax. 3864

(2) For all corporations other than those persons described 3865 in division (G)(1)(a) or (b) of this section, the amount under 3866 division (G)(2)(a) of this section applicable to the tax year 3867 specified less the amount under division (G)(2)(b) of this 3868 section: 3869

(a)(i) For tax year 2005, the greater of the minimum payment 3870
required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the Revised Code 3871
or the difference between all taxes charged the corporation under 3872
this chapter and any credits allowable against such tax; 3873

(ii) For tax year 2006, the greater of the minimum payment 3874

required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the Revised Code 3875 or four-fifths of the difference between all taxes charged the 3876 corporation under this chapter and any credits allowable against 3877 such tax, except the qualifying pass-through entity tax credit 3878 described in division (A)(30) and the refundable credits described 3879 in divisions (A)(31) to (35) of section 5733.98 of the Revised 3880 Code; 3881

(iii) For tax year 2007, the greater of the minimum payment 3882 required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the Revised Code 3883 or three-fifths of the difference between all taxes charged the 3884 corporation under this chapter and any credits allowable against 3885 such tax, except the qualifying pass-through entity tax credit 3886 described in division (A)(30) and the refundable credits described 3887 in divisions (A)(31) to (35) of section 5733.98 of the Revised 3888 Code; 3889

(iv) For tax year 2008, the greater of the minimum payment 3890 required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the Revised Code 3891 or two-fifths of the difference between all taxes charged the 3892 corporation under this chapter and any credits allowable against 3893 such tax, except the qualifying pass-through entity tax credit 3894 described in division (A)(30) and the refundable credits described 3895 in divisions (A)(31) to (35) of section 5733.98 of the Revised 3896 Code; 3897

(v) For tax year 2009, the greater of the minimum payment 3898 required under division (E) of section 5733.06 of the Revised Code 3899 or one-fifth of the difference between all taxes charged the 3900 corporation under this chapter and any credits allowable against 3901 such tax, except the qualifying pass-through entity tax credit 3902 described in division (A)(30) and the refundable credits described 3903 in divisions (A)(31), (32), (33), and (34) of section 5733.98 of 3904 the Revised Code; 3905

(vi) For tax year 2010 and each tax year thereafter, no tax. 3906

(b) A corporation shall subtract from the amount calculated 3907 under division (G)(2)(a)(ii), (iii), (iv), or (v) of this section 3908 any qualifying pass-through entity tax credit described in 3909 division $(A)\frac{(30)(28)}{(28)}$ and any refundable credits described in 3910 divisions $(A)\frac{(31)(29)}{(29)}$ to $\frac{(35)(33)}{(35)(33)}$ of section 5733.98 of the 3911 Revised Code to which the corporation is entitled. Any unused 3912 qualifying pass-through entity tax credit is not refundable. 3913

(c) For the purposes of computing the amount of a credit that
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may be carried forward to a subsequent tax year under division
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(G)(2) of this section, a credit is utilized against the tax for a
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tax year to the extent the credit applies against the tax for that
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tax year, even if the difference is then multiplied by the
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applicable fraction under division (G)(2)(a) of this section.

(3) Nothing in division (G) of this section eliminates or 3920
reduces the tax imposed by section 5733.41 of the Revised Code on 3921
a qualifying pass-through entity. 3922

Sec. 5733.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for 3923 calculating the amount of tax imposed by section 5733.06 of the 3924 Revised Code that is due under this chapter, a taxpayer shall 3925 claim any credits to which it is entitled in the following order, 3926 except as otherwise provided in section 5733.058 of the Revised 3927 Code: 3928

(1) For tax year 2005, the credit for taxes paid by a 3929
 qualifying pass-through entity allowed under section 5733.0611 of 3930
 the Revised Code; 3931

(2) The credit allowed for financial institutions under3932section 5733.45 of the Revised Code;3933

(3) The credit for qualifying affiliated groups under section 39345733.068 of the Revised Code; 3935

(4) The subsidiary corporation credit under section 5733.067 3936

of the Revised Code;	3937
(5) The savings and loan assessment credit under section	3938
5733.063 of the Revised Code;	3939
(6) The credit for recycling and litter prevention donations	3940
under section 5733.064 of the Revised Code;	3941
(7) The credit for employers that enter into agreements with	3942
child day-care centers under section 5733.36 of the Revised Code;	3943
(8) The credit for employers that reimburse employee child	3944
care expenses under section 5733.38 of the Revised Code;	3945
(9) The credit for maintaining railroad active grade crossing	3946
warning devices under section 5733.43 of the Revised Code;	3947
(10) The credit for purchases of lights and reflectors under	3948
section 5733.44 of the Revised Code;	3949
(11) The nonrefundable job retention credit under division	3950
(B) of section 5733.0610 of the Revised Code;	3951
(12) The credit for tax years 2008 and 2009 for selling	3952
alternative fuel under section 5733.48 of the Revised Code;	3953
(13) The second credit for purchases of new manufacturing	3954
machinery and equipment under section 5733.33 of the Revised Code;	3955
(14)(13) The job training credit under section 5733.42 of the	3956
Revised Code;	3957
(15)(14) The credit for qualified research expenses under	3958
section 5733.351 of the Revised Code;	3959
(16)(15) The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of	3960
the Revised Code;	3961
(17)(16) The credit for the eligible costs associated with a	3962
voluntary action under section 5733.34 of the Revised Code;	3963
(18)(17) The credit for employers that establish on-site	3964
child day-care centers under section 5733.37 of the Revised Code;	3965

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(19) The ethanol plant investment credit under section	3966
5733.46 of the Revised Code;	3967
(20)(18) The credit for purchases of qualifying grape	3968
production property under section 5733.32 of the Revised Code;	3969
(21)(19) The export sales credit under section 5733.069 of	3970
the Revised Code;	3971
(22)(20) The credit for research and development and	3972
technology transfer investors under section 5733.35 of the Revised	3973
Code;	3974
(23)(21) The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of	3975
the Revised Code;	3976
(24)(22) The credit for using Ohio coal under section 5733.39	3977
of the Revised Code;	3978
(25)(23) The credit for purchases of qualified low-income	3979
community investments under section 5733.58 of the Revised Code;	3980
(26)(24) The credit for small telephone companies under	3981
section 5733.57 of the Revised Code;	3982
(27)(25) The credit for eligible nonrecurring 9-1-1 charges	3983
under section 5733.55 of the Revised Code;	3984
(28)(26) For tax year 2005, the credit for providing programs	3985
to aid the communicatively impaired under division (A) of section	3986
5733.56 of the Revised Code;	3987
(29)(27) The research and development credit under section	3988
5733.352 of the Revised Code;	3989
(30)(28) For tax years 2006 and subsequent tax years, the	3990
credit for taxes paid by a qualifying pass-through entity allowed	3991
under section 5733.0611 of the Revised Code;	3992
(31)(29) The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	3993

building under section 5733.47 of the Revised Code;

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(32)(30) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	3995				
credit under division (A) of section 5733.0610 of the Revised	3996				
Code;	3997				
(33)(31) The refundable credit for tax withheld under	3998				
division (B)(2) of section 5747.062 of the Revised Code;	3999				
(34)(32) The refundable credit under section 5733.49 of the	4000				
Revised Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture capital					
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	4002				
(35)(33) For tax years 2006, 2007, and 2008, the refundable	4003				
credit allowable under division (B) of section 5733.56 of the	4004				
Revised Code;	4005				
(36)(34) The refundable motion picture production credit	4006				
under section 5733.59 of the Revised Code.	4007				
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits enumerated	4008				
in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax year shall not	4009				
exceed the tax due after allowing for any other credit that	4010				
precedes it in the order required under this section. Any excess	4011				
amount of a particular credit may be carried forward if authorized	4012				
under the section creating that credit.	4013				
Sec. 5739.01. As used in this chapter:	4014				
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(A) "Person" includes individuals, receivers, assignees,	4015				
trustees in bankruptcy, estates, firms, partnerships,	4016				
associations, joint-stock companies, joint ventures, clubs,	4017				
societies, corporations, the state and its political subdivisions,	4018				

and combinations of individuals of any form. (B) "Sale" and "selling" include all of the following transactions for a consideration in any manner, whether absolutely or conditionally whether for a price or restal is more as by

or conditionally, whether for a price or rental, in money or by 4022 exchange, and by any means whatsoever: 4023

(1) All transactions by which title or possession, or both, 4024

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license to use or consume tangible personal property is or is to 4026 be granted; 4027 (2) All transactions by which lodging by a hotel is or is to 4028 be furnished to transient guests; 4029 (3) All transactions by which: 4030 (a) An item of tangible personal property is or is to be 4031 repaired, except property, the purchase of which would not be 4032 subject to the tax imposed by section 5739.02 of the Revised Code; 4033 (b) An item of tangible personal property is or is to be 4034 installed, except property, the purchase of which would not be 4035 subject to the tax imposed by section 5739.02 of the Revised Code 4036 or property that is or is to be incorporated into and will become 4037 a part of a production, transmission, transportation, or 4038 distribution system for the delivery of a public utility service; 4039 (c) The service of washing, cleaning, waxing, polishing, or 4040 painting a motor vehicle is or is to be furnished; 4041 (d) Until August 1, 2003, industrial laundry cleaning 4042 services are or are to be provided and, on and after August 1, 4043 2003, laundry and dry cleaning services are or are to be provided; 4044 (e) Automatic data processing, computer services, or 4045 electronic information services are or are to be provided for use 4046 in business when the true object of the transaction is the receipt 4047 by the consumer of automatic data processing, computer services, 4048 or electronic information services rather than the receipt of 4049 personal or professional services to which automatic data 4050 processing, computer services, or electronic information services 4051 are incidental or supplemental. Notwithstanding any other 4052 provision of this chapter, such transactions that occur between 4053 members of an affiliated group are not sales. An "affiliated 4054

of tangible personal property, is or is to be transferred, or a

group" means two or more persons related in such a way that one 4055

person owns or controls the business operation of another member 4056 of the group. In the case of corporations with stock, one 4057 corporation owns or controls another if it owns more than fifty 4058 per cent of the other corporation's common stock with voting 4059 rights. 4060 (f) Telecommunications service, including prepaid calling 4061 service, prepaid wireless calling service, or ancillary service, 4062 is or is to be provided, but not including coin-operated telephone 4063 service; 4064 (g) Landscaping and lawn care service is or is to be 4065 provided; 4066 (h) Private investigation and security service is or is to be 4067 provided; 4068 (i) Information services or tangible personal property is 4069 provided or ordered by means of a nine hundred telephone call; 4070 (j) Building maintenance and janitorial service is or is to 4071 be provided; 4072 (k) Employment service is or is to be provided; 4073 (1) Employment placement service is or is to be provided; 4074 (m) Exterminating service is or is to be provided; 4075 (n) Physical fitness facility service is or is to be 4076 provided; 4077 (o) Recreation and sports club service is or is to be 4078 provided; 4079 (p) On and after August 1, 2003, satellite broadcasting 4080 service is or is to be provided; 4081 (q) On and after August 1, 2003, personal care service is or 4082 is to be provided to an individual. As used in this division, 4083

"personal care service" includes skin care, the application of 4084

cosmetics, manicuring, pedicuring, hair removal, tattooing, body 4085 piercing, tanning, massage, and other similar services. "Personal 4086 care service" does not include a service provided by or on the 4087 order of a licensed physician or licensed chiropractor, or the 4088 cutting, coloring, or styling of an individual's hair. 4089

(r) On and after August 1, 2003, the transportation of 4090 persons by motor vehicle or aircraft is or is to be provided, when 4091 the transportation is entirely within this state, except for 4092 transportation provided by an ambulance service, by a transit bus, 4093 as defined in section 5735.01 of the Revised Code, and 4094 transportation provided by a citizen of the United States holding 4095 a certificate of public convenience and necessity issued under 49 4096 U.S.C. 41102; 4097

(s) On and after August 1, 2003, motor vehicle towing service 4098 is or is to be provided. As used in this division, "motor vehicle 4099 towing service" means the towing or conveyance of a wrecked, 4100 disabled, or illegally parked motor vehicle. 4101

(t) On and after August 1, 2003, snow removal service is or 4102 is to be provided. As used in this division, "snow removal 4103 service" means the removal of snow by any mechanized means, but 4104 does not include the providing of such service by a person that 4105 has less than five thousand dollars in sales of such service 4106 during the calendar year. 4107

(u) Electronic publishing service is or is to be provided to 4108 a consumer for use in business, except that such transactions 4109 occurring between members of an affiliated group, as defined in 4110 division (B)(3)(e) of this section, are not sales. 4111

(4) All transactions by which printed, imprinted, 4112 overprinted, lithographic, multilithic, blueprinted, photostatic, 4113 or other productions or reproductions of written or graphic matter 4114 are or are to be furnished or transferred; 4115

(5) The production or fabrication of tangible personal 4116 property for a consideration for consumers who furnish either 4117 directly or indirectly the materials used in the production of 4118 fabrication work; and include the furnishing, preparing, or 4119 serving for a consideration of any tangible personal property 4120 consumed on the premises of the person furnishing, preparing, or 4121 serving such tangible personal property. Except as provided in 4122 section 5739.03 of the Revised Code, a construction contract 4123 pursuant to which tangible personal property is or is to be 4124 incorporated into a structure or improvement on and becoming a 4125 part of real property is not a sale of such tangible personal 4126 property. The construction contractor is the consumer of such 4127 tangible personal property, provided that the sale and 4128 installation of carpeting, the sale and installation of 4129 agricultural land tile, the sale and erection or installation of 4130 portable grain bins, or the provision of landscaping and lawn care 4131 service and the transfer of property as part of such service is 4132 never a construction contract. 4133

As used in division (B)(5) of this section: 4134

(a) "Agricultural land tile" means fired clay or concrete 4135 tile, or flexible or rigid perforated plastic pipe or tubing, 4136 incorporated or to be incorporated into a subsurface drainage 4137 system appurtenant to land used or to be used primarily in 4138 production by farming, agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture. 4139 The term does not include such materials when they are or are to 4140 be incorporated into a drainage system appurtenant to a building 4141 or structure even if the building or structure is used or to be 4142 used in such production. 4143

(b) "Portable grain bin" means a structure that is used or to4144be used by a person engaged in farming or agriculture to shelter4145the person's grain and that is designed to be disassembled without4146significant damage to its component parts.4147

(6) All transactions in which all of the shares of stock of a 4148 closely held corporation are transferred, or an ownership interest 4149 in a pass-through entity, as defined in section 5733.04 of the 4150 Revised Code, is transferred, if the corporation or pass-through 4151 entity is not engaging in business and its entire assets consist 4152 of boats, planes, motor vehicles, or other tangible personal 4153 property operated primarily for the use and enjoyment of the 4154 shareholders or owners; 4155

(7) All transactions in which a warranty, maintenance or 4156 service contract, or similar agreement by which the vendor of the 4157 warranty, contract, or agreement agrees to repair or maintain the 4158 tangible personal property of the consumer is or is to be 4159 provided; 4160

(8) The transfer of copyrighted motion picture films used 4161 solely for advertising purposes, except that the transfer of such 4162 films for exhibition purposes is not a sale; 4163

(9) On and after August 1, 2003, all transactions by which 4164 tangible personal property is or is to be stored, except such 4165 property that the consumer of the storage holds for sale in the 4166 regular course of business; 4167

(10) All transactions in which "guaranteed auto protection" 4168 is provided whereby a person promises to pay to the consumer the 4169 difference between the amount the consumer receives from motor 4170 vehicle insurance and the amount the consumer owes to a person 4171 holding title to or a lien on the consumer's motor vehicle in the 4172 event the consumer's motor vehicle suffers a total loss under the 4173 terms of the motor vehicle insurance policy or is stolen and not 4174 recovered, if the protection and its price are included in the 4175 purchase or lease agreement; 4176

(11)(a) Except as provided in division (B)(11)(b) of this 4177 section, on and after October 1, 2009, all transactions by which 4178

health care services are paid for, reimbursed, provided, 4179
delivered, arranged for, or otherwise made available by a medicaid 4180
health insuring corporation pursuant to the corporation's contract 4181
with the state. 4182

(b) If the centers for medicare and medicaid services of the 4183 United States department of health and human services determines 4184 that the taxation of transactions described in division (B)(11)(a)4185 of this section constitutes an impermissible health care-related 4186 tax under section 1903(w) of the "Social Security Act," 49 Stat. 4187 620 (1935), 42 U.S.C. 1396b(w), as amended, and regulations 4188 adopted thereunder, the director of job and family services shall 4189 notify the tax commissioner of that determination. Beginning with 4190 the first day of the month following that notification, the 4191 transactions described in division (B)(11)(a) of this section are 4192 not sales for the purposes of this chapter or Chapter 5741. of the 4193 Revised Code. The tax commissioner shall order that the collection 4194 of taxes under sections 5739.02, 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026, 4195 5741.02, 5741.021, 5741.022, and 5741.023 of the Revised Code 4196 shall cease for transactions occurring on or after that date. 4197

Except as provided in this section, "sale" and "selling" do 4198 not include transfers of interest in leased property where the 4199 original lessee and the terms of the original lease agreement 4200 remain unchanged, or professional, insurance, or personal service 4201 transactions that involve the transfer of tangible personal 4202 property as an inconsequential element, for which no separate 4203 charges are made. 4204

(C) "Vendor" means the person providing the service or by 4205 whom the transfer effected or license given by a sale is or is to 4206 be made or given and, for sales described in division (B)(3)(i) of 4207 this section, the telecommunications service vendor that provides 4208 the nine hundred telephone service; if two or more persons are 4209 engaged in business at the same place of business under a single 4210 trade name in which all collections on account of sales by each4211are made, such persons shall constitute a single vendor.4212

Physicians, dentists, hospitals, and veterinarians who are 4213 engaged in selling tangible personal property as received from 4214 others, such as eyeglasses, mouthwashes, dentifrices, or similar 4215 articles, are vendors. Veterinarians who are engaged in 4216 transferring to others for a consideration drugs, the dispensing 4217 of which does not require an order of a licensed veterinarian or 4218 physician under federal law, are vendors. 4219

(D)(1) "Consumer" means the person for whom the service is 4220
provided, to whom the transfer effected or license given by a sale 4221
is or is to be made or given, to whom the service described in 4222
division (B)(3)(f) or (i) of this section is charged, or to whom 4223
the admission is granted. 4224

(2) Physicians, dentists, hospitals, and blood banks operated 4225 by nonprofit institutions and persons licensed to practice 4226 veterinary medicine, surgery, and dentistry are consumers of all 4227 tangible personal property and services purchased by them in 4228 connection with the practice of medicine, dentistry, the rendition 4229 of hospital or blood bank service, or the practice of veterinary 4230 medicine, surgery, and dentistry. In addition to being consumers 4231 of drugs administered by them or by their assistants according to 4232 their direction, veterinarians also are consumers of drugs that 4233 under federal law may be dispensed only by or upon the order of a 4234 licensed veterinarian or physician, when transferred by them to 4235 others for a consideration to provide treatment to animals as 4236 directed by the veterinarian. 4237

(3) A person who performs a facility management, or similar
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service contract for a contractee is a consumer of all tangible
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personal property and services purchased for use in connection
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with the performance of such contract, regardless of whether title
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to any such property vests in the contractee. The purchase of such

property and services is not subject to the exception for resale 4243 under division (E)(1) of this section. 4244

(4)(a) In the case of a person who purchases printed matter 4245 for the purpose of distributing it or having it distributed to the 4246 public or to a designated segment of the public, free of charge, 4247 that person is the consumer of that printed matter, and the 4248 purchase of that printed matter for that purpose is a sale. 4249

(b) In the case of a person who produces, rather than 4250 purchases, printed matter for the purpose of distributing it or 4251 having it distributed to the public or to a designated segment of 4252 the public, free of charge, that person is the consumer of all 4253 tangible personal property and services purchased for use or 4254 consumption in the production of that printed matter. That person 4255 is not entitled to claim exemption under division (B)(42)(f) of 4256 section 5739.02 of the Revised Code for any material incorporated 4257 into the printed matter or any equipment, supplies, or services 4258 primarily used to produce the printed matter. 4259

(c) The distribution of printed matter to the public or to a 4260
designated segment of the public, free of charge, is not a sale to 4261
the members of the public to whom the printed matter is 4262
distributed or to any persons who purchase space in the printed 4263
matter for advertising or other purposes. 4264

(5) A person who makes sales of any of the services listed in
division (B)(3) of this section is the consumer of any tangible
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personal property used in performing the service. The purchase of
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that property is not subject to the resale exception under
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division (E)(1) of this section.

(6) A person who engages in highway transportation for hire
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is the consumer of all packaging materials purchased by that
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person and used in performing the service, except for packaging
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materials sold by such person in a transaction separate from the
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service.

(7) In the case of a transaction for health care services 4275 under division (B)(11) of this section, a medicaid health insuring 4276 corporation is the consumer of such services. The purchase of such 4277 services by a medicaid health insuring corporation is not subject 4278 to the exception for resale under division (E)(1) of this section 4279 or to the exemptions provided under divisions (B)(12), (18), (19), 4280 and (22) of section 5739.02 of the Revised Code. 4281

(E) "Retail sale" and "sales at retail" include all sales, 4282 except those in which the purpose of the consumer is to resell the 4283 thing transferred or benefit of the service provided, by a person 4284 engaging in business, in the form in which the same is, or is to 4285 be, received by the person. 4286

(F) "Business" includes any activity engaged in by any person 4287 with the object of gain, benefit, or advantage, either direct or 4288 indirect. "Business" does not include the activity of a person in 4289 managing and investing the person's own funds. 4290

(G) "Engaging in business" means commencing, conducting, or 4291 continuing in business, and liquidating a business when the 4292 liquidator thereof holds itself out to the public as conducting 4293 such business. Making a casual sale is not engaging in business. 4294

(H)(1)(a) "Price," except as provided in divisions (H)(2), 4295 (3), and (4) of this section, means the total amount of 4296 consideration, including cash, credit, property, and services, for 4297 which tangible personal property or services are sold, leased, or 4298 rented, valued in money, whether received in money or otherwise, 4299 without any deduction for any of the following: 4300

(i) The vendor's cost of the property sold; 4301

(ii) The cost of materials used, labor or service costs, 4302 interest, losses, all costs of transportation to the vendor, all 4303 taxes imposed on the vendor, including the tax imposed under 4304

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Chapter 5751. of the Revised Code, and any other expense of the	4305
vendor;	4306
(iii) Charges by the vendor for any services necessary to	4307
complete the sale;	4308
(iv) On and after August 1, 2003, delivery charges. As used	4309
in this division, "delivery charges" means charges by the vendor	4310
for preparation and delivery to a location designated by the	4311
consumer of tangible personal property or a service, including	4312
transportation, shipping, postage, handling, crating, and packing.	4313
(v) Installation charges;	4314
(vi) Credit for any trade-in.	4315
(b) "Price" includes consideration received by the vendor	4316
from a third party, if the vendor actually receives the	4317
consideration from a party other than the consumer, and the	4318
consideration is directly related to a price reduction or discount	4319
on the sale; the vendor has an obligation to pass the price	4320
reduction or discount through to the consumer; the amount of the	4321
consideration attributable to the sale is fixed and determinable	4322
by the vendor at the time of the sale of the item to the consumer;	4323
and one of the following criteria is met:	4324
(i) The consumer presents a coupon, certificate, or other	4325
document to the vendor to claim a price reduction or discount	4326
where the coupon, certificate, or document is authorized,	4327
distributed, or granted by a third party with the understanding	4328
that the third party will reimburse any vendor to whom the coupon,	4329
certificate, or document is presented;	4330
(ii) The consumer identifies the consumer's self to the	4331
seller as a member of a group or organization entitled to a price	4332
reduction or discount. A preferred customer card that is available	4333

to any patron does not constitute membership in such a group or

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(iii) The price reduction or discount is identified as a
third party price reduction or discount on the invoice received by
the consumer, or on a coupon, certificate, or other document
presented by the consumer.

(c) "Price" does not include any of the following:

(i) Discounts, including cash, term, or coupons that are not
reimbursed by a third party that are allowed by a vendor and taken
by a consumer on a sale;
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(ii) Interest, financing, and carrying charges from credit
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extended on the sale of tangible personal property or services, if
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the amount is separately stated on the invoice, bill of sale, or
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similar document given to the purchaser;

(iii) Any taxes legally imposed directly on the consumer that 4348 are separately stated on the invoice, bill of sale, or similar 4349 document given to the consumer. For the purpose of this division, 4350 the tax imposed under Chapter 5751. of the Revised Code is not a 4351 tax directly on the consumer, even if the tax or a portion thereof 4352 is separately stated. 4353

(iv) Notwithstanding divisions (H)(1)(b)(i) to (iii) of this 4354 section, any discount allowed by an automobile manufacturer to its 4355 employee, or to the employee of a supplier, on the purchase of a 4356 new motor vehicle from a new motor vehicle dealer in this state. 4357

(v) The dollar value of a gift card that is not sold by a 4358 vendor or purchased by a consumer and that is redeemed by the 4359 consumer in purchasing tangible personal property or services if 4360 the vendor is not reimbursed and does not receive compensation 4361 from a third party to cover all or part of the gift card value. 4362 For the purposes of this division, a gift card is not sold by a 4363 vendor or purchased by a consumer if it is distributed pursuant to 4364 an awards, loyalty, or promotional program. Past and present 4365 purchases of tangible personal property or services by the 4366

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consumer	shall	not	be	treated	as	consideration	exchanged	for	a	4367
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(2) In the case of a sale of any new motor vehicle by a new 4369 motor vehicle dealer, as defined in section 4517.01 of the Revised 4370 Code, in which another motor vehicle is accepted by the dealer as 4371 part of the consideration received, "price" has the same meaning 4372 as in division (H)(1) of this section, reduced by the credit 4373 afforded the consumer by the dealer for the motor vehicle received 4374 in trade.

(3) In the case of a sale of any watercraft or outboard motor 4376 by a watercraft dealer licensed in accordance with section 4377 1547.543 of the Revised Code, in which another watercraft, 4378 watercraft and trailer, or outboard motor is accepted by the 4379 dealer as part of the consideration received, "price" has the same 4380 meaning as in division (H)(1) of this section, reduced by the 4381 credit afforded the consumer by the dealer for the watercraft, 4382 watercraft and trailer, or outboard motor received in trade. As 4383 used in this division, "watercraft" includes an outdrive unit 4384 attached to the watercraft. 4385

(4) In the case of transactions for health care services
under division (B)(11) of this section, "price" means the amount
of managed care premiums received each month by a medicaid health
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(I) "Receipts" means the total amount of the prices of the 4390 sales of vendors, provided that the dollar value of gift cards 4391 distributed pursuant to an awards, loyalty, or promotional 4392 program, and cash discounts allowed and taken on sales at the time 4393 they are consummated are not included, minus any amount deducted 4394 as a bad debt pursuant to section 5739.121 of the Revised Code. 4395 "Receipts" does not include the sale price of property returned or 4396 services rejected by consumers when the full sale price and tax 4397 are refunded either in cash or by credit. 4398

(J) "Place of business" means any location at which a person 4399 engages in business. 4400

(K) "Premises" includes any real property or portion thereof
upon which any person engages in selling tangible personal
property at retail or making retail sales and also includes any
real property or portion thereof designated for, or devoted to,
use in conjunction with the business engaged in by such person.

(L) "Casual sale" means a sale of an item of tangible 4406 personal property that was obtained by the person making the sale, 4407 through purchase or otherwise, for the person's own use and was 4408 previously subject to any state's taxing jurisdiction on its sale 4409 or use, and includes such items acquired for the seller's use that 4410 are sold by an auctioneer employed directly by the person for such 4411 purpose, provided the location of such sales is not the 4412 auctioneer's permanent place of business. As used in this 4413 division, "permanent place of business" includes any location 4414 where such auctioneer has conducted more than two auctions during 4415 the year. 4416

(M) "Hotel" means every establishment kept, used, maintained, 4417 advertised, or held out to the public to be a place where sleeping 4418 accommodations are offered to guests, in which five or more rooms 4419 are used for the accommodation of such guests, whether the rooms 4420 are in one or several structures, except as otherwise provided in 4421 division (G) of section 5739.09 of the Revised Code. 4422

(N) "Transient guests" means persons occupying a room or 4423rooms for sleeping accommodations for less than thirty consecutive 4424days. 4425

(0) "Making retail sales" means the effecting of transactions 4426
wherein one party is obligated to pay the price and the other 4427
party is obligated to provide a service or to transfer title to or 4428
possession of the item sold. "Making retail sales" does not 4429

include the preliminary acts of promoting or soliciting the retail 4430
sales, other than the distribution of printed matter which 4431
displays or describes and prices the item offered for sale, nor 4432
does it include delivery of a predetermined quantity of tangible 4433
personal property or transportation of property or personnel to or 4434
from a place where a service is performed. 4435

(P) "Used directly in the rendition of a public utility 4436 service" means that property that is to be incorporated into and 4437 will become a part of the consumer's production, transmission, 4438 transportation, or distribution system and that retains its 4439 classification as tangible personal property after such 4440 incorporation; fuel or power used in the production, transmission, 4441 transportation, or distribution system; and tangible personal 4442 property used in the repair and maintenance of the production, 4443 transmission, transportation, or distribution system, including 4444 only such motor vehicles as are specially designed and equipped 4445 for such use. Tangible personal property and services used 4446 primarily in providing highway transportation for hire are not 4447 used directly in the rendition of a public utility service. In 4448 this definition, "public utility" includes a citizen of the United 4449 States holding, and required to hold, a certificate of public 4450 convenience and necessity issued under 49 U.S.C. 41102. 4451

(Q) "Refining" means removing or separating a desirable
 product from raw or contaminated materials by distillation or
 physical, mechanical, or chemical processes.
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(R) "Assembly" and "assembling" mean attaching or fitting
 together parts to form a product, but do not include packaging a
 product.
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(S) "Manufacturing operation" means a process in which
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 materials are changed, converted, or transformed into a different
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 state or form from which they previously existed and includes
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 refining materials, assembling parts, and preparing raw materials
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and parts by mixing, measuring, blending, or otherwise committing4462such materials or parts to the manufacturing process.4463"Manufacturing operation" does not include packaging.4464

(T) "Fiscal officer" means, with respect to a regional
transit authority, the secretary-treasurer thereof, and with
to a county that is a transit authority, the fiscal
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officer of the county transit board if one is appointed pursuant
to section 306.03 of the Revised Code or the county auditor if the
board of county commissioners operates the county transit system.

(U) "Transit authority" means a regional transit authority 4471 created pursuant to section 306.31 of the Revised Code or a county 4472 in which a county transit system is created pursuant to section 4473 306.01 of the Revised Code. For the purposes of this chapter, a 4474 transit authority must extend to at least the entire area of a 4475 single county. A transit authority that includes territory in more 4476 than one county must include all the area of the most populous 4477 county that is a part of such transit authority. County population 4478 shall be measured by the most recent census taken by the United 4479 States census bureau. 4480

(V) "Legislative authority" means, with respect to a regional
 transit authority, the board of trustees thereof, and with respect
 to a county that is a transit authority, the board of county
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 commissioners.

(W) "Territory of the transit authority" means all of the
area included within the territorial boundaries of a transit
authority as they from time to time exist. Such territorial
boundaries must at all times include all the area of a single
county or all the area of the most populous county that is a part
of such transit authority. County population shall be measured by
the most recent census taken by the United States census bureau.

(X) "Providing a service" means providing or furnishing 4492

anything	described	in	division	(B)(3)	of	this	section	for	4493
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(Y)(1)(a) "Automatic data processing" means processing of
others' data, including keypunching or similar data entry services
together with verification thereof, or providing access to
computer equipment for the purpose of processing data.

(b) "Computer services" means providing services consisting
of specifying computer hardware configurations and evaluating
technical processing characteristics, computer programming, and
training of computer programmers and operators, provided in
conjunction with and to support the sale, lease, or operation of
taxable computer equipment or systems.

(c) "Electronic information services" means providing access
 to computer equipment by means of telecommunications equipment for
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 the purpose of either of the following:

(i) Examining or acquiring data stored in or accessible to 4508the computer equipment; 4509

(ii) Placing data into the computer equipment to be retrieved 4510by designated recipients with access to the computer equipment. 4511

For transactions occurring on or after the effective date of4512the amendment of this section by H.B. 157 of the 127th general4513assembly, December 21, 2007, "electronic information services"4514does not include electronic publishing as defined in division4515(LLL) of this section.4516

(d) "Automatic data processing, computer services, or 4517
 electronic information services" shall not include personal or 4518
 professional services. 4519

(2) As used in divisions (B)(3)(e) and (Y)(1) of this
section, "personal and professional services" means all services
other than automatic data processing, computer services, or
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electronic information services, including but not limited to: 4523 (a) Accounting and legal services such as advice on tax 4524 matters, asset management, budgetary matters, quality control, 4525 information security, and auditing and any other situation where 4526 the service provider receives data or information and studies, 4527 alters, analyzes, interprets, or adjusts such material; 4528 4529 (b) Analyzing business policies and procedures; (c) Identifying management information needs; 4530 (d) Feasibility studies, including economic and technical 4531 analysis of existing or potential computer hardware or software 4532 needs and alternatives; 4533 (e) Designing policies, procedures, and custom software for 4534 collecting business information, and determining how data should 4535 be summarized, sequenced, formatted, processed, controlled, and 4536 reported so that it will be meaningful to management; 4537 (f) Developing policies and procedures that document how 4538 business events and transactions are to be authorized, executed, 4539 and controlled; 4540 (g) Testing of business procedures; 4541 (h) Training personnel in business procedure applications; 4542 (i) Providing credit information to users of such information 4543 by a consumer reporting agency, as defined in the "Fair Credit 4544 Reporting Act," 84 Stat. 1114, 1129 (1970), 15 U.S.C. 1681a(f), or 4545 as hereafter amended, including but not limited to gathering, 4546 organizing, analyzing, recording, and furnishing such information 4547 by any oral, written, graphic, or electronic medium; 4548 (j) Providing debt collection services by any oral, written, 4549 graphic, or electronic means. 4550

The services listed in divisions (Y)(2)(a) to (j) of this4551section are not automatic data processing or computer services.4552

(Z) "Highway transportation for hire" means the
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 transportation of personal property belonging to others for
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 consideration by any of the following:
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(1) The holder of a permit or certificate issued by this
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 state or the United States authorizing the holder to engage in
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 transportation of personal property belonging to others for
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 consideration over or on highways, roadways, streets, or any
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 similar public thoroughfare;

(2) A person who engages in the transportation of personal
property belonging to others for consideration over or on
highways, roadways, streets, or any similar public thoroughfare
but who could not have engaged in such transportation on December
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11, 1985, unless the person was the holder of a permit or
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certificate of the types described in division (Z)(1) of this
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(3) A person who leases a motor vehicle to and operates it4568for a person described by division (Z)(1) or (2) of this section.4569

(AA)(1) "Telecommunications service" means the electronic 4570 transmission, conveyance, or routing of voice, data, audio, video, 4571 or any other information or signals to a point, or between or 4572 among points. "Telecommunications service" includes such 4573 transmission, conveyance, or routing in which computer processing 4574 applications are used to act on the form, code, or protocol of the 4575 content for purposes of transmission, conveyance, or routing 4576 without regard to whether the service is referred to as voice-over 4577 internet protocol service or is classified by the federal 4578 communications commission as enhanced or value-added. 4579 "Telecommunications service" does not include any of the 4580 following: 4581

(a) Data processing and information services that allow data 4582to be generated, acquired, stored, processed, or retrieved and 4583

delivered by an electronic transmission to a consumer where the	4584
consumer's primary purpose for the underlying transaction is the	4585
processed data or information;	4586
(b) Installation or maintenance of wiring or equipment on a	4587
customer's premises;	4588
(c) Tangible personal property;	4589
(d) Advertising, including directory advertising;	4590
(e) Billing and collection services provided to third	4591
parties;	4592
(f) Internet access service;	4593
(g) Radio and television audio and video programming	4594
services, regardless of the medium, including the furnishing of	4595
transmission, conveyance, and routing of such services by the	4596
programming service provider. Radio and television audio and video	4597
programming services include, but are not limited to, cable	4598
service, as defined in 47 U.S.C. 522(6), and audio and video	4599
programming services delivered by commercial mobile radio service	4600
providers, as defined in 47 C.F.R. 20.3;	4601
(h) Ancillary service;	4602
(i) Digital products delivered electronically, including	4603
software, music, video, reading materials, or ring tones.	4604
(2) "Ancillary service" means a service that is associated	4605
with or incidental to the provision of telecommunications service,	4606
including conference bridging service, detailed telecommunications	4607
billing service, directory assistance, vertical service, and voice	4608
mail service. As used in this division:	4609
(a) "Conference bridging service" means an ancillary service	4610
that links two or more participants of an audio or video	4611
conference call, including providing a telephone number.	4612

"Conference bridging service" does not include telecommunications 4613

services used to reach the conference bridge.

(b) "Detailed telecommunications billing service" means an
 ancillary service of separately stating information pertaining to
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 individual calls on a customer's billing statement.

(c) "Directory assistance" means an ancillary service of4618providing telephone number or address information.4619

(d) "Vertical service" means an ancillary service that is
offered in connection with one or more telecommunications
services, which offers advanced calling features that allow
customers to identify callers and manage multiple calls and call
connections, including conference bridging service.

(e) "Voice mail service" means an ancillary service that
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enables the customer to store, send, or receive recorded messages.
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"Voice mail service" does not include any vertical services that
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the customer may be required to have in order to utilize the voice
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mail service.

(3) "900 service" means an inbound toll telecommunications 4630 service purchased by a subscriber that allows the subscriber's 4631 customers to call in to the subscriber's prerecorded announcement 4632 or live service, and which is typically marketed under the name 4633 "900" service" and any subsequent numbers designated by the 4634 federal communications commission. "900 service" does not include 4635 the charge for collection services provided by the seller of the 4636 telecommunications service to the subscriber, or services or 4637 products sold by the subscriber to the subscriber's customer. 4638

(4) "Prepaid calling service" means the right to access 4639 exclusively telecommunications services, which must be paid for in 4640 advance and which enables the origination of calls using an access 4641 number or authorization code, whether manually or electronically 4642 dialed, and that is sold in predetermined units or dollars of 4643 which the number declines with use in a known amount. 4644

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(5) "Prepaid wireless calling service" means a 4645 telecommunications service that provides the right to utilize 4646 mobile telecommunications service as well as other 4647 non-telecommunications services, including the download of digital 4648 products delivered electronically, and content and ancillary 4649 services, that must be paid for in advance and that is sold in 4650 predetermined units or dollars of which the number declines with 4651 use in a known amount. 4652

(6) "Value-added non-voice data service" means a 4653 telecommunications service in which computer processing 4654 applications are used to act on the form, content, code, or 4655 protocol of the information or data primarily for a purpose other 4656 than transmission, conveyance, or routing. 4657

(7) "Coin-operated telephone service" means a 4658 telecommunications service paid for by inserting money into a 4659 telephone accepting direct deposits of money to operate. 4660

(8) "Customer" has the same meaning as in section 5739.034 of 4661 the Revised Code. 4662

(BB) "Laundry and dry cleaning services" means removing soil 4663 or dirt from towels, linens, articles of clothing, or other fabric 4664 items that belong to others and supplying towels, linens, articles 4665 of clothing, or other fabric items. "Laundry and dry cleaning 4666 services" does not include the provision of self-service 4667 facilities for use by consumers to remove soil or dirt from 4668 towels, linens, articles of clothing, or other fabric items. 4669

(CC) "Magazines distributed as controlled circulation 4670 publications" means magazines containing at least twenty-four 4671 pages, at least twenty-five per cent editorial content, issued at 4672 regular intervals four or more times a year, and circulated 4673 without charge to the recipient, provided that such magazines are 4674 not owned or controlled by individuals or business concerns which 4675

the advancement of the main business or calling of, those who own 4677 or control them. 4678

(DD) "Landscaping and lawn care service" means the services 4679 of planting, seeding, sodding, removing, cutting, trimming, 4680 pruning, mulching, aerating, applying chemicals, watering, 4681 fertilizing, and providing similar services to establish, promote, 4682 or control the growth of trees, shrubs, flowers, grass, ground 4683 cover, and other flora, or otherwise maintaining a lawn or 4684 landscape grown or maintained by the owner for ornamentation or 4685 other nonagricultural purpose. However, "landscaping and lawn care 4686 service" does not include the providing of such services by a 4687 person who has less than five thousand dollars in sales of such 4688 services during the calendar year. 4689

(EE) "Private investigation and security service" means the 4690 performance of any activity for which the provider of such service 4691 is required to be licensed pursuant to Chapter 4749. of the 4692 Revised Code, or would be required to be so licensed in performing 4693 such services in this state, and also includes the services of 4694 conducting polygraph examinations and of monitoring or overseeing 4695 the activities on or in, or the condition of, the consumer's home, 4696 business, or other facility by means of electronic or similar 4697 monitoring devices. "Private investigation and security service" 4698 does not include special duty services provided by off-duty police 4699 officers, deputy sheriffs, and other peace officers regularly 4700 employed by the state or a political subdivision. 4701

(FF) "Information services" means providing conversation, 4702 giving consultation or advice, playing or making a voice or other 4703 recording, making or keeping a record of the number of callers, 4704 and any other service provided to a consumer by means of a nine 4705 hundred telephone call, except when the nine hundred telephone 4706 call is the means by which the consumer makes a contribution to a 4707 recognized charity.

(GG) "Research and development" means designing, creating, or 4709 formulating new or enhanced products, equipment, or manufacturing 4710 processes, and also means conducting scientific or technological 4711 inquiry and experimentation in the physical sciences with the goal 4712 of increasing scientific knowledge which may reveal the bases for 4713 new or enhanced products, equipment, or manufacturing processes. 4714

(HH) "Qualified research and development equipment" means 4715 capitalized tangible personal property, and leased personal 4716 property that would be capitalized if purchased, used by a person 4717 primarily to perform research and development. Tangible personal 4718 property primarily used in testing, as defined in division (A)(4) 4719 of section 5739.011 of the Revised Code, or used for recording or 4720 storing test results, is not qualified research and development 4721 equipment unless such property is primarily used by the consumer 4722 in testing the product, equipment, or manufacturing process being 4723 created, designed, or formulated by the consumer in the research 4724 and development activity or in recording or storing such test 4725 results. 4726

(II) "Building maintenance and janitorial service" means 4727 cleaning the interior or exterior of a building and any tangible 4728 personal property located therein or thereon, including any 4729 services incidental to such cleaning for which no separate charge 4730 is made. However, "building maintenance and janitorial service" 4731 does not include the providing of such service by a person who has 4732 less than five thousand dollars in sales of such service during 4733 the calendar year. 4734

(JJ) "Employment service" means providing or supplying 4735 personnel, on a temporary or long-term basis, to perform work or 4736 labor under the supervision or control of another, when the 4737 personnel so provided or supplied receive their wages, salary, or 4738 other compensation from the provider or supplier of the employment 4739

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personnel to the provider or supplier. "Employment service" does 4741 not include: 4742 (1) Acting as a contractor or subcontractor, where the 4743 personnel performing the work are not under the direct control of 4744 the purchaser. 4745 (2) Medical and health care services. 4746 (3) Supplying personnel to a purchaser pursuant to a contract 4747 of at least one year between the service provider and the 4748 purchaser that specifies that each employee covered under the 4749 contract is assigned to the purchaser on a permanent basis. 4750 (4) Transactions between members of an affiliated group, as 4751 defined in division (B)(3)(e) of this section. 4752 (5) Transactions where the personnel so provided or supplied 4753 by a provider or supplier to a purchaser of an employment service 4754 are then provided or supplied by that purchaser to a third party 4755 as an employment service, except "employment service" does include 4756 the transaction between that purchaser and the third party. 4757 (KK) "Employment placement service" means locating or finding 4758 employment for a person or finding or locating an employee to fill 4759 an available position. 4760 (LL) "Exterminating service" means eradicating or attempting 4761 to eradicate vermin infestations from a building or structure, or 4762 the area surrounding a building or structure, and includes 4763 activities to inspect, detect, or prevent vermin infestation of a 4764 building or structure. 4765

(MM) "Physical fitness facility service" means all 4766 transactions by which a membership is granted, maintained, or 4767 renewed, including initiation fees, membership dues, renewal fees, 4768 monthly minimum fees, and other similar fees and dues, by a 4769 physical fitness facility such as an athletic club, health spa, or 4770 gymnasium, which entitles the member to use the facility for 4771 physical exercise. 4772 (NN) "Recreation and sports club service" means all 4773

transactions by which a membership is granted, maintained, or 4774 renewed, including initiation fees, membership dues, renewal fees, 4775 monthly minimum fees, and other similar fees and dues, by a 4776 recreation and sports club, which entitles the member to use the 4777 facilities of the organization. "Recreation and sports club" means 4778 an organization that has ownership of, or controls or leases on a 4779 continuing, long-term basis, the facilities used by its members 4780 and includes an aviation club, gun or shooting club, yacht club, 4781 card club, swimming club, tennis club, golf club, country club, 4782 riding club, amateur sports club, or similar organization. 4783

(00) "Livestock" means farm animals commonly raised for food, 4784 food production, or other agricultural purposes, including, but 4785 not limited to, cattle, sheep, goats, swine, poultry, and captive 4786 deer. "Livestock" does not include invertebrates, amphibians, 4787 reptiles, domestic pets, animals for use in laboratories or for 4788 exhibition, or other animals not commonly raised for food or food 4789 production. 4790

(PP) "Livestock structure" means a building or structure used 4791 exclusively for the housing, raising, feeding, or sheltering of 4792 livestock, and includes feed storage or handling structures and 4793 structures for livestock waste handling. 4794

(QQ) "Horticulture" means the growing, cultivation, and 4795
production of flowers, fruits, herbs, vegetables, sod, mushrooms, 4796
and nursery stock. As used in this division, "nursery stock" has 4797
the same meaning as in section 927.51 of the Revised Code. 4798

(RR) "Horticulture structure" means a building or structure 4799used exclusively for the commercial growing, raising, or 4800

overwintering of horticultural products, and includes the area 4801 used for stocking, storing, and packing horticultural products 4802 when done in conjunction with the production of those products. 4803

(SS) "Newspaper" means an unbound publication bearing a title 4804 or name that is regularly published, at least as frequently as 4805 biweekly, and distributed from a fixed place of business to the 4806 public in a specific geographic area, and that contains a 4807 substantial amount of news matter of international, national, or 4808 local events of interest to the general public. 4809

(TT) "Professional racing team" means a person that employs 4810 at least twenty full time employees for the purpose of conducting 4811 a motor vehicle racing business for profit. The person must 4812 conduct the business with the purpose of racing one or more motor 4813 racing vehicles in at least ten competitive professional racing 4814 events each year that comprise all or part of a motor racing 4815 series sanctioned by one or more motor racing sanctioning 4816 organizations. A "motor racing vehicle" means a vehicle for which 4817 the chassis, engine, and parts are designed exclusively for motor 4818 racing, and does not include a stock or production model vehicle 4819 that may be modified for use in racing. For the purposes of this 4820 division: 4821

(1) A "competitive professional racing event" is a motor 4822 vehicle racing event sanctioned by one or more motor racing 4823 sanctioning organizations, at which aggregate cash prizes in 4824 excess of eight hundred thousand dollars are awarded to the 4825 competitors. 4826

(2) "Full-time employee" means an individual who is employed 4827 for consideration for thirty five or more hours a week, or who 4828 renders any other standard of service generally accepted by custom 4829 or specified by contract as full-time employment "Managed care 4830 premium" means any premium, capitation, or other payment a 4831 medicaid health insuring corporation receives for providing or 4832

arranging for the provision of health care services to its members	4833
or enrollees residing in this state.	
(UU)(1) "Lease" or "rental" means any transfer of the	4835
possession or control of tangible personal property for a fixed or	4836
indefinite term, for consideration. "Lease" or "rental" includes	4837
future options to purchase or extend, and agreements described in	4838
26 U.S.C. 7701(h)(1) covering motor vehicles and trailers where	4839
the amount of consideration may be increased or decreased by	4840
reference to the amount realized upon the sale or disposition of	4841
the property. "Lease" or "rental" does not include:	4842
(a) A transfer of possession or control of tangible personal	4843
property under a security agreement or a deferred payment plan	4844
that requires the transfer of title upon completion of the	4845
required payments;	4846
(b) A transfer of possession or control of tangible personal	4847
property under an agreement that requires the transfer of title	4848
upon completion of required payments and payment of an option	4849
price that does not exceed the greater of one hundred dollars or	4850
one per cent of the total required payments;	4851

(c) Providing tangible personal property along with an 4852 operator for a fixed or indefinite period of time, if the operator 4853 is necessary for the property to perform as designed. For purposes 4854 of this division, the operator must do more than maintain, 4855 inspect, or set-up the tangible personal property. 4856

(2) "Lease" and "rental," as defined in division (UU) of this 4857 section, shall not apply to leases or rentals that exist before 4858 June 26, 2003. 4859

(3) "Lease" and "rental" have the same meaning as in division 4860 (UU)(1) of this section regardless of whether a transaction is 4861 characterized as a lease or rental under generally accepted 4862 accounting principles, the Internal Revenue Code, Title XIII of 4863 the Revised Code, or other federal, state, or local laws. 4864

(VV) "Mobile telecommunications service" has the same meaning 4865 as in the "Mobile Telecommunications Sourcing Act," Pub. L. No. 4866 106-252, 114 Stat. 631 (2000), 4 U.S.C.A. 124(7), as amended, and, 4867 on and after August 1, 2003, includes related fees and ancillary 4868 services, including universal service fees, detailed billing 4869 service, directory assistance, service initiation, voice mail 4870 service, and vertical services, such as caller ID and three-way 4871 calling. 4872

(WW) "Certified service provider" has the same meaning as in 4873 section 5740.01 of the Revised Code. 4874

(XX) "Satellite broadcasting service" means the distribution 4875 or broadcasting of programming or services by satellite directly 4876 to the subscriber's receiving equipment without the use of ground 4877 receiving or distribution equipment, except the subscriber's 4878 receiving equipment or equipment used in the uplink process to the 4879 satellite, and includes all service and rental charges, premium 4880 channels or other special services, installation and repair 4881 service charges, and any other charges having any connection with 4882 the provision of the satellite broadcasting service. 4883

(YY) "Tangible personal property" means personal property 4884 that can be seen, weighed, measured, felt, or touched, or that is 4885 in any other manner perceptible to the senses. For purposes of 4886 this chapter and Chapter 5741. of the Revised Code, "tangible 4887 personal property" includes motor vehicles, electricity, water, 4888 gas, steam, and prewritten computer software. 4889

(ZZ) "Direct mail" means printed material delivered or 4890 distributed by United States mail or other delivery service to a 4891 mass audience or to addressees on a mailing list provided by the 4892 consumer or at the direction of the consumer when the cost of the 4893 items are not billed directly to the recipients. "Direct mail" 4894

includes tangible personal property supplied directly or 4895 indirectly by the consumer to the direct mail vendor for inclusion 4896 in the package containing the printed material. "Direct mail" does 4897 not include multiple items of printed material delivered to a 4898 single address. 4899

(AAA) "Computer" means an electronic device that accepts
information in digital or similar form and manipulates it for a
result based on a sequence of instructions.

(BBB) "Computer software" means a set of coded instructions4903designed to cause a computer or automatic data processing4904equipment to perform a task.4905

(CCC) "Delivered electronically" means delivery of computer4906software from the seller to the purchaser by means other than4907tangible storage media.4908

(DDD) "Prewritten computer software" means computer software, 4909 including prewritten upgrades, that is not designed and developed 4910 by the author or other creator to the specifications of a specific 4911 purchaser. The combining of two or more prewritten computer 4912 software programs or prewritten portions thereof does not cause 4913 the combination to be other than prewritten computer software. 4914 "Prewritten computer software" includes software designed and 4915 developed by the author or other creator to the specifications of 4916 a specific purchaser when it is sold to a person other than the 4917 purchaser. If a person modifies or enhances computer software of 4918 which the person is not the author or creator, the person shall be 4919 deemed to be the author or creator only of such person's 4920 modifications or enhancements. Prewritten computer software or a 4921 prewritten portion thereof that is modified or enhanced to any 4922 degree, where such modification or enhancement is designed and 4923 developed to the specifications of a specific purchaser, remains 4924 prewritten computer software; provided, however, that where there 4925 is a reasonable, separately stated charge or an invoice or other 4926

statement of the price given to the purchaser for the modification 4927 or enhancement, the modification or enhancement shall not 4928 constitute prewritten computer software. 4929 (EEE)(1) "Food" means substances, whether in liquid, 4930 concentrated, solid, frozen, dried, or dehydrated form, that are 4931 sold for ingestion or chewing by humans and are consumed for their 4932 taste or nutritional value. "Food" does not include alcoholic 4933 beverages, dietary supplements, soft drinks, or tobacco. 4934 (2) As used in division (EEE)(1) of this section: 4935 (a) "Alcoholic beverages" means beverages that are suitable 4936 for human consumption and contain one-half of one per cent or more 4937 of alcohol by volume. 4938 (b) "Dietary supplements" means any product, other than 4939 tobacco, that is intended to supplement the diet and that is 4940 intended for ingestion in tablet, capsule, powder, softgel, 4941 gelcap, or liquid form, or, if not intended for ingestion in such 4942 a form, is not represented as conventional food for use as a sole 4943 item of a meal or of the diet; that is required to be labeled as a 4944 dietary supplement, identifiable by the "supplement facts" box 4945 found on the label, as required by 21 C.F.R. 101.36; and that 4946 contains one or more of the following dietary ingredients: 4947 (i) A vitamin; 4948 (ii) A mineral; 4949 (iii) An herb or other botanical; 4950 (iv) An amino acid; 4951 (v) A dietary substance for use by humans to supplement the 4952 diet by increasing the total dietary intake; 4953 (vi) A concentrate, metabolite, constituent, extract, or 4954 combination of any ingredient described in divisions 4955 (EEE)(2)(b)(i) to (v) of this section. 4956

(c) "Soft drinks" means nonalcoholic beverages that contain 4957
natural or artificial sweeteners. "Soft drinks" does not include 4958
beverages that contain milk or milk products, soy, rice, or 4959
similar milk substitutes, or that contains greater than fifty per 4960
cent vegetable or fruit juice by volume. 4961

(d) "Tobacco" means cigarettes, cigars, chewing or pipe4962tobacco, or any other item that contains tobacco.4963

(FFF) "Drug" means a compound, substance, or preparation, and 4964 any component of a compound, substance, or preparation, other than 4965 food, dietary supplements, or alcoholic beverages that is 4966 recognized in the official United States pharmacopoeia, official 4967 homeopathic pharmacopoeia of the United States, or official 4968 national formulary, and supplements to them; is intended for use 4969 in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of 4970 disease; or is intended to affect the structure or any function of 4971 the body. 4972

(GGG) "Prescription" means an order, formula, or recipe 4973 issued in any form of oral, written, electronic, or other means of 4974 transmission by a duly licensed practitioner authorized by the 4975 laws of this state to issue a prescription. 4976

(HHH) "Durable medical equipment" means equipment, including 4977 repair and replacement parts for such equipment, that can 4978 withstand repeated use, is primarily and customarily used to serve 4979 a medical purpose, generally is not useful to a person in the 4980 absence of illness or injury, and is not worn in or on the body. 4981 "Durable medical equipment" does not include mobility enhancing 4982 equipment. 4983

(III) "Mobility enhancing equipment" means equipment, 4984 including repair and replacement parts for such equipment, that is 4985 primarily and customarily used to provide or increase the ability 4986 to move from one place to another and is appropriate for use 4987 either in a home or a motor vehicle, that is not generally used by 4988 persons with normal mobility, and that does not include any motor 4989 vehicle or equipment on a motor vehicle normally provided by a 4990 motor vehicle manufacturer. "Mobility enhancing equipment" does 4991 not include durable medical equipment. 4992

(JJJ) "Prosthetic device" means a replacement, corrective, or 4993 supportive device, including repair and replacement parts for the 4994 device, worn on or in the human body to artificially replace a 4995 missing portion of the body, prevent or correct physical deformity 4996 or malfunction, or support a weak or deformed portion of the body. 4997 As used in this division, "prosthetic device" does not include 4998 corrective eyeglasses, contact lenses, or dental prosthesis. 4999

(KKK)(1) "Fractional aircraft ownership program" means a 5000
program in which persons within an affiliated group sell and 5001
manage fractional ownership program aircraft, provided that at 5002
least one hundred airworthy aircraft are operated in the program 5003
and the program meets all of the following criteria: 5004

(a) Management services are provided by at least one program5005manager within an affiliated group on behalf of the fractional5006owners.5007

(b) Each program aircraft is owned or possessed by at least5008one fractional owner.5009

(c) Each fractional owner owns or possesses at least a5010one-sixteenth interest in at least one fixed-wing program5011aircraft.5012

(d) A dry-lease aircraft interchange arrangement is in effect5013among all of the fractional owners.5014

(e) Multi year program agreements are in effect regarding the
 fractional ownership, management services, and dry-lease aircraft
 interchange arrangement aspects of the program.

(B)(3)(c) of this section. 50 (b) "Fractional owner" means a person that owns or possesses at least a one sixteenth interest in a program aircraft and has entered into the agreements described in division (KKK)(1)(c) of this section. 50 (c) "Fractional ownership program aircraft" or "program aircraft" means a turbojet aircraft that is owned or possessed by a fractional owner and that has been included in a dry lease aircraft interchange arrangement and agreement under divisions (KKK)(1)(d) and (c) of this section, or an aircraft a program so manager owns or possesses primarily for use in a fractional aircraft ownership program. 50 (d) "Management services" means administrative and aviation so program in accordance with a management services agreement under division (KKK)(1)(c) of this section, and offered by the program so program aircraft and implementation of safety guidelines; the so coordination of the scheduling of the program aircraft and crews; program aircraft maintenance; program aircraft insurance; orew training for crews employed, furnished, or contracted by the program so operations manual and a maintenance manual for the fractional aircraft ownership program. 50 (e) "Program manager" means the person that offers management so operations and a maintenance manual for the fractional aircraft ownership program. 50 (d) "Management and implementation of safety guidelines; the so operations and implementation of safety guidelines; the so operation of the scheduling of the program aircraft and crews; so program aircraft maintenance; program aircraft and crews; so program aircraft maintenance; and the development and use of an so operations manual and a maintenance manual for the fractional so aircraft ownership program.	(2) As used in division (KKK)(1) of this section:	5018
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deer means deer and other cervidae that have been legally

<u>acquired, or their</u>	offspring,	<u>that are</u>	privately	owned	for	5049
<u>agricultural or far</u>	<u>rming purpos</u>	es.				5050

(LLL) "Electronic publishing" means providing access to one 5051 or more of the following primarily for business customers, 5052 including the federal government or a state government or a 5053 political subdivision thereof, to conduct research: news; 5054 business, financial, legal, consumer, or credit materials; 5055 editorials, columns, reader commentary, or features; photos or 5056 images; archival or research material; legal notices, identity 5057 verification, or public records; scientific, educational, 5058 instructional, technical, professional, trade, or other literary 5059 materials; or other similar information which has been gathered 5060 and made available by the provider to the consumer in an 5061 electronic format. Providing electronic publishing includes the 5062 functions necessary for the acquisition, formatting, editing, 5063 storage, and dissemination of data or information that is the 5064 subject of a sale. 5065

(MMM) "Medicaid health insuring corporation" means a health 5066 insuring corporation that holds a certificate of authority under 5067 Chapter 1751. of the Revised Code and is under contract with the 5068 department of job and family services pursuant to section 5111.17 5069 of the Revised Code. 5070

(NNN) "Managed care premium" means any premium, capitation, 5071
or other payment a medicaid health insuring corporation receives 5072
for providing or arranging for the provision of health care 5073
services to its members or enrollees residing in this state. 5074

(000) "Captive deer" means deer and other cervidae that have5075been legally acquired, or their offspring, that are privately5076owned for agricultural or farming purposes.5077

(PPP) "Gift card" means a document, card, certificate, or 5078 other record, whether tangible or intangible, that may be redeemed 5079

by a consumer for a dollar value when making a purchase of5080tangible personal property or services.5081

Sec. 5739.02. For the purpose of providing revenue with which 5082 to meet the needs of the state, for the use of the general revenue 5083 fund of the state, for the purpose of securing a thorough and 5084 efficient system of common schools throughout the state, for the 5085 purpose of affording revenues, in addition to those from general 5086 property taxes, permitted under constitutional limitations, and 5087 from other sources, for the support of local governmental 5088 functions, and for the purpose of reimbursing the state for the 5089 expense of administering this chapter, an excise tax is hereby 5090 levied on each retail sale made in this state. 5091

(A)(1) The tax shall be collected as provided in section 5092
5739.025 of the Revised Code. The rate of the tax shall be five 5093
and one-half per cent. The tax applies and is collectible when the 5094
sale is made, regardless of the time when the price is paid or 5095
delivered. 5096

(2) In the case of the lease or rental, with a fixed term of 5097 more than thirty days or an indefinite term with a minimum period 5098 of more than thirty days, of any motor vehicles designed by the 5099 manufacturer to carry a load of not more than one ton, watercraft, 5100 outboard motor, or aircraft, or of any tangible personal property, 5101 other than motor vehicles designed by the manufacturer to carry a 5102 load of more than one ton, to be used by the lessee or renter 5103 primarily for business purposes, the tax shall be collected by the 5104 vendor at the time the lease or rental is consummated and shall be 5105 calculated by the vendor on the basis of the total amount to be 5106 paid by the lessee or renter under the lease agreement. If the 5107 total amount of the consideration for the lease or rental includes 5108 amounts that are not calculated at the time the lease or rental is 5109 executed, the tax shall be calculated and collected by the vendor 5110

at the time such amounts are billed to the lessee or renter. In 5111 the case of an open-end lease or rental, the tax shall be 5112 calculated by the vendor on the basis of the total amount to be 5113 paid during the initial fixed term of the lease or rental, and for 5114 each subsequent renewal period as it comes due. As used in this 5115 division, "motor vehicle" has the same meaning as in section 5116 4501.01 of the Revised Code, and "watercraft" includes an outdrive 5117 unit attached to the watercraft. 5118

A lease with a renewal clause and a termination penalty or 5119 similar provision that applies if the renewal clause is not 5120 exercised is presumed to be a sham transaction. In such a case, 5121 the tax shall be calculated and paid on the basis of the entire 5122 length of the lease period, including any renewal periods, until 5123 the termination penalty or similar provision no longer applies. 5124 The taxpayer shall bear the burden, by a preponderance of the 5125 evidence, that the transaction or series of transactions is not a 5126 sham transaction. 5127

(3) Except as provided in division (A)(2) of this section, in 5128
the case of a sale, the price of which consists in whole or in 5129
part of the lease or rental of tangible personal property, the tax 5130
shall be measured by the installments of that lease or rental. 5131

(4) In the case of a sale of a physical fitness facility
service or recreation and sports club service, the price of which
consists in whole or in part of a membership for the receipt of
the benefit of the service, the tax applicable to the sale shall
be measured by the installments thereof.

(B) The tax does not apply to the following:

(1) Sales to the state or any of its political subdivisions,
or to any other state or its political subdivisions if the laws of
that state exempt from taxation sales made to this state and its
political subdivisions;

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(2) Sales of food for human consumption off the premises	5142
where sold;	5143
(3) Sales of food sold to students only in a cafeteria,	5144
dormitory, fraternity, or sorority maintained in a private,	5145
public, or parochial school, college, or university;	5146
(4) Sales of newspapers and of magazine subscriptions and	5147
sales or transfers of magazines distributed as controlled	5148
circulation publications;	5149
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(5) The furnishing, preparing, or serving of meals without
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 charge by an employer to an employee provided the employer records
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 the meals as part compensation for services performed or work
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 done;

(6) Sales of motor fuel upon receipt, use, distribution, or 5154 sale of which in this state a tax is imposed by the law of this 5155 state, but this exemption shall not apply to the sale of motor 5156 fuel on which a refund of the tax is allowable under division (A) 5157 of section 5735.14 of the Revised Code; and the tax commissioner 5158 may deduct the amount of tax levied by this section applicable to 5159 the price of motor fuel when granting a refund of motor fuel tax 5160 pursuant to division (A) of section 5735.14 of the Revised Code 5161 and shall cause the amount deducted to be paid into the general 5162 revenue fund of this state; 5163

(7) Sales of natural gas by a natural gas company, of water 5164 by a water-works company, or of steam by a heating company, if in 5165 each case the thing sold is delivered to consumers through pipes 5166 or conduits, and all sales of communications services by a 5167 telegraph company, all terms as defined in section 5727.01 of the 5168 Revised Code, and sales of electricity delivered through wires; 5169

(8) Casual sales by a person, or auctioneer employed directly
by the person to conduct such sales, except as to such sales of
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motor vehicles, watercraft or outboard motors required to be
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titled under section 1548.06 of the Revised Code, watercraft 5173 documented with the United States coast guard, snowmobiles, and 5174 all-purpose vehicles as defined in section 4519.01 of the Revised 5175 Code; 5176

(9)(a) Sales of services or tangible personal property, other 5177 than motor vehicles, mobile homes, and manufactured homes, by 5178 churches, organizations exempt from taxation under section 5179 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or nonprofit 5180 organizations operated exclusively for charitable purposes as 5181 defined in division (B)(12) of this section, provided that the 5182 number of days on which such tangible personal property or 5183 services, other than items never subject to the tax, are sold does 5184 not exceed six in any calendar year, except as otherwise provided 5185 in division (B)(9)(b) of this section. If the number of days on 5186 which such sales are made exceeds six in any calendar year, the 5187 church or organization shall be considered to be engaged in 5188 business and all subsequent sales by it shall be subject to the 5189 tax. In counting the number of days, all sales by groups within a 5190 church or within an organization shall be considered to be sales 5191 of that church or organization. 5192

(b) The limitation on the number of days on which tax-exempt
sales may be made by a church or organization under division
(B)(9)(a) of this section does not apply to sales made by student
clubs and other groups of students of a primary or secondary
school, or a parent-teacher association, booster group, or similar
organization that raises money to support or fund curricular or
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(c) Divisions (B)(9)(a) and (b) of this section do not apply 5200
to sales by a noncommercial educational radio or television 5201
broadcasting station. 5202

(10) Sales not within the taxing power of this state under 5203
the Constitution of the United States; 5204

(11) Except for transactions that are sales under division 5205
(B)(3)(r) of section 5739.01 of the Revised Code, the 5206
transportation of persons or property, unless the transportation 5207
is by a private investigation and security service; 5208

(12) Sales of tangible personal property or services to 5209 churches, to organizations exempt from taxation under section 5210 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and to any other 5211 nonprofit organizations operated exclusively for charitable 5212 5213 purposes in this state, no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no 5214 substantial part of the activities of which consists of carrying 5215 on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation; 5216 sales to offices administering one or more homes for the aged or 5217 one or more hospital facilities exempt under section 140.08 of the 5218 Revised Code; and sales to organizations described in division (D) 5219 of section 5709.12 of the Revised Code. 5220

"Charitable purposes" means the relief of poverty; the 5221 improvement of health through the alleviation of illness, disease, 5222 or injury; the operation of an organization exclusively for the 5223 provision of professional, laundry, printing, and purchasing 5224 services to hospitals or charitable institutions; the operation of 5225 a home for the aged, as defined in section 5701.13 of the Revised 5226 Code; the operation of a radio or television broadcasting station 5227 that is licensed by the federal communications commission as a 5228 noncommercial educational radio or television station; the 5229 operation of a nonprofit animal adoption service or a county 5230 humane society; the promotion of education by an institution of 5231 learning that maintains a faculty of qualified instructors, 5232 teaches regular continuous courses of study, and confers a 5233 recognized diploma upon completion of a specific curriculum; the 5234 operation of a parent-teacher association, booster group, or 5235 similar organization primarily engaged in the promotion and 5236

support of the curricular or extracurricular activities of a 5237 primary or secondary school; the operation of a community or area 5238 center in which presentations in music, dramatics, the arts, and 5239 related fields are made in order to foster public interest and 5240 education therein; the production of performances in music, 5241 dramatics, and the arts; or the promotion of education by an 5242 organization engaged in carrying on research in, or the 5243 dissemination of, scientific and technological knowledge and 5244 information primarily for the public. 5245

Nothing in this division shall be deemed to exempt sales to5246any organization for use in the operation or carrying on of a5247trade or business, or sales to a home for the aged for use in the5248operation of independent living facilities as defined in division5249(A) of section 5709.12 of the Revised Code.5250

(13) Building and construction materials and services sold to 5251 construction contractors for incorporation into a structure or 5252 improvement to real property under a construction contract with 5253 this state or a political subdivision of this state, or with the 5254 United States government or any of its agencies; building and 5255 construction materials and services sold to construction 5256 contractors for incorporation into a structure or improvement to 5257 real property that are accepted for ownership by this state or any 5258 of its political subdivisions, or by the United States government 5259 or any of its agencies at the time of completion of the structures 5260 or improvements; building and construction materials sold to 5261 construction contractors for incorporation into a horticulture 5262 structure or livestock structure for a person engaged in the 5263 business of horticulture or producing livestock; building 5264 materials and services sold to a construction contractor for 5265 incorporation into a house of public worship or religious 5266 education, or a building used exclusively for charitable purposes 5267 under a construction contract with an organization whose purpose 5268

is as described in division (B)(12) of this section; building 5269 materials and services sold to a construction contractor for 5270 incorporation into a building under a construction contract with 5271 an organization exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3) of 5272 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 when the building is to be used 5273 exclusively for the organization's exempt purposes; building and 5274 construction materials sold for incorporation into the original 5275 construction of a sports facility under section 307.696 of the 5276 Revised Code; building and construction materials and services 5277 sold to a construction contractor for incorporation into real 5278 property outside this state if such materials and services, when 5279 sold to a construction contractor in the state in which the real 5280 property is located for incorporation into real property in that 5281 state, would be exempt from a tax on sales levied by that state; 5282 and, until one calendar year after the construction of a 5283 convention center that qualifies for property tax exemption under 5284 section 5709.084 of the Revised Code is completed, building and 5285 construction materials and services sold to a construction 5286 contractor for incorporation into the real property comprising 5287 that convention center; 5288

(14) Sales of ships or vessels or rail rolling stock used or 5289 to be used principally in interstate or foreign commerce, and 5290 repairs, alterations, fuel, and lubricants for such ships or 5291 vessels or rail rolling stock; 5292

(15) Sales to persons primarily engaged in any of the 5293 activities mentioned in division (B)(42)(a), (g), or (h) of this 5294 section, to persons engaged in making retail sales, or to persons 5295 who purchase for sale from a manufacturer tangible personal 5296 property that was produced by the manufacturer in accordance with 5297 specific designs provided by the purchaser, of packages, including 5298 material, labels, and parts for packages, and of machinery, 5299 equipment, and material for use primarily in packaging tangible 5300 personal property produced for sale, including any machinery, 5301 equipment, and supplies used to make labels or packages, to 5302 prepare packages or products for labeling, or to label packages or 5303 products, by or on the order of the person doing the packaging, or 5304 sold at retail. "Packages" includes bags, baskets, cartons, 5305 crates, boxes, cans, bottles, bindings, wrappings, and other 5306 similar devices and containers, but does not include motor 5307 vehicles or bulk tanks, trailers, or similar devices attached to 5308 motor vehicles. "Packaging" means placing in a package. Division 5309 (B)(15) of this section does not apply to persons engaged in 5310 highway transportation for hire. 5311

(16) Sales of food to persons using supplemental nutrition 5312 assistance program benefits to purchase the food. As used in this 5313 division, "food" has the same meaning as in 7 U.S.C. 2012 and 5314 federal regulations adopted pursuant to the Food and Nutrition Act 5315 of 2008. 5316

(17) Sales to persons engaged in farming, agriculture, 5317 horticulture, or floriculture, of tangible personal property for 5318 use or consumption primarily in the production by farming, 5319 agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture of other tangible 5320 personal property for use or consumption primarily in the 5321 production of tangible personal property for sale by farming, 5322 agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture; or material and parts 5323 for incorporation into any such tangible personal property for use 5324 or consumption in production; and of tangible personal property 5325 for such use or consumption in the conditioning or holding of 5326 products produced by and for such use, consumption, or sale by 5327 persons engaged in farming, agriculture, horticulture, or 5328 floriculture, except where such property is incorporated into real 5329 5330 property;

(18) Sales of drugs for a human being that may be dispensed5331only pursuant to a prescription; insulin as recognized in the5332

official United States pharmacopoeia; urine and blood testing 5333 materials when used by diabetics or persons with hypoglycemia to 5334 test for glucose or acetone; hypodermic syringes and needles when 5335 used by diabetics for insulin injections; epoetin alfa when 5336 purchased for use in the treatment of persons with medical 5337 disease; hospital beds when purchased by hospitals, nursing homes, 5338 or other medical facilities; and medical oxygen and medical 5339 oxygen-dispensing equipment when purchased by hospitals, nursing 5340 homes, or other medical facilities; 5341

(19) Sales of prosthetic devices, durable medical equipment 5342 for home use, or mobility enhancing equipment, when made pursuant 5343 to a prescription and when such devices or equipment are for use 5344 by a human being. 5345

(20) Sales of emergency and fire protection vehicles and 5346 equipment to nonprofit organizations for use solely in providing 5347 fire protection and emergency services, including trauma care and 5348 emergency medical services, for political subdivisions of the 5349 state; 5350

(21) Sales of tangible personal property manufactured in this 5351 state, if sold by the manufacturer in this state to a retailer for 5352 use in the retail business of the retailer outside of this state 5353 and if possession is taken from the manufacturer by the purchaser 5354 within this state for the sole purpose of immediately removing the 5355 same from this state in a vehicle owned by the purchaser; 5356

(22) Sales of services provided by the state or any of its 5357 political subdivisions, agencies, instrumentalities, institutions, 5358 or authorities, or by governmental entities of the state or any of 5359 its political subdivisions, agencies, instrumentalities, 5360 institutions, or authorities; 5361

(23) Sales of motor vehicles to nonresidents of this state 5362 under the circumstances described in division (B) of section 5363

5739.029 of the Revised Code;

(24) Sales to persons engaged in the preparation of eggs for 5365 sale of tangible personal property used or consumed directly in 5366 such preparation, including such tangible personal property used 5367 for cleaning, sanitizing, preserving, grading, sorting, and 5368 classifying by size; packages, including material and parts for 5369 packages, and machinery, equipment, and material for use in 5370 packaging eggs for sale; and handling and transportation equipment 5371 and parts therefor, except motor vehicles licensed to operate on 5372 public highways, used in intraplant or interplant transfers or 5373 shipment of eggs in the process of preparation for sale, when the 5374 plant or plants within or between which such transfers or 5375 shipments occur are operated by the same person. "Packages" 5376 includes containers, cases, baskets, flats, fillers, filler flats, 5377 cartons, closure materials, labels, and labeling materials, and 5378 "packaging" means placing therein. 5379

(25)(a) Sales of water to a consumer for residential use; 5380

(b) Sales of water by a nonprofit corporation engaged 5381 exclusively in the treatment, distribution, and sale of water to 5382 consumers, if such water is delivered to consumers through pipes 5383 or tubing. 5384

(26) Fees charged for inspection or reinspection of motor 5385 vehicles under section 3704.14 of the Revised Code; 5386

(27) Sales to persons licensed to conduct a food service 5387 operation pursuant to section 3717.43 of the Revised Code, of 5388 tangible personal property primarily used directly for the 5389 following: 5390

5391 (a) To prepare food for human consumption for sale; (b) To preserve food that has been or will be prepared for 5392 human consumption for sale by the food service operator, not 5393 including tangible personal property used to display food for 5394

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selection by the consumer;	5395
(c) To clean tangible personal property used to prepare or	5396
serve food for human consumption for sale. Sales of	5397
telecommunications service that is used directly and primarily to	5398
perform the functions of a call center. As used in this division,	5399
"call center" means any physical location where telephone calls	5400
are placed or received in high volume for the purpose of making	5401
sales, marketing, customer service, technical support, or other	5402
specialized business activity, and that employs at least fifty	5403
individuals that engage in call center activities on a full-time	5404
basis, or sufficient individuals to fill fifty full-time	5405
equivalent positions;	5406
(28) Sales of animals by nonprofit animal adoption services	5407
or county humane societies;	5408
(29) Sales of services to a corporation described in division	5409
(A) of section 5709.72 of the Revised Code, and sales of tangible	5410
personal property that qualifies for exemption from taxation under	5411
section 5709.72 of the Revised Code;	5412
(30) Sales and installation of agricultural land tile, as	5413
defined in division (B)(5)(a) of section 5739.01 of the Revised	5414
Code by a telecommunications service vendor of 900 service to a	5415
subscriber. This division does not apply to information services,	5416
as defined in division (FF) of section 5739.01 of the Revised	5417
<u>Code</u> ;	5418
(31) Sales and erection or installation of portable grain	5419
bins, as defined in division (B)(5)(b) of section 5739.01 of the	5420
Revised Code of value-added non-voice data service. This division	5421
does not apply to any similar service that is not otherwise a	5422
telecommunications service;	5423
(32) The sale, lease, repair, and maintenance of, parts for,	5424

(32) The sale, lease, repair, and maintenance of, parts for, 5424 or items attached to or incorporated in, motor vehicles that are 5425

primarily used for transporting tangible personal property5426belonging to others by a person engaged in highway transportation5427for hire, except for packages and packaging used for the5428transportation of tangible personal property;5429

(33) Sales to the state headquarters of any veterans' 5430 organization in this state that is either incorporated and issued 5431 a charter by the congress of the United States or is recognized by 5432 the United States veterans administration, for use by the 5433 headquarters; 5434

(34) Sales to a telecommunications service vendor, mobile 5435 telecommunications service vendor, or satellite broadcasting 5436 service vendor of tangible personal property and services used 5437 directly and primarily in transmitting, receiving, switching, or 5438 recording any interactive, one- or two-way electromagnetic 5439 communications, including voice, image, data, and information, 5440 through the use of any medium, including, but not limited to, 5441 poles, wires, cables, switching equipment, computers, and record 5442 storage devices and media, and component parts for the tangible 5443 personal property. The exemption provided in this division shall 5444 be in lieu of all other exemptions under division (B)(42)(a) or 5445 (n) of this section to which the vendor may otherwise be entitled, 5446 based upon the use of the thing purchased in providing the 5447 telecommunications, mobile telecommunications, or satellite 5448 broadcasting service. 5449

(35)(a) Sales where the purpose of the consumer is to use or
consume the things transferred in making retail sales and
consisting of newspaper inserts, catalogues, coupons, flyers, gift
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certificates, or other advertising material that prices and
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describes tangible personal property offered for retail sale.

(b) Sales to direct marketing vendors of preliminary
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 materials such as photographs, artwork, and typesetting that will
 be used in printing advertising material; and of printed matter
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that offers free merchandise or chances to win sweepstake prizes	5458
and that is mailed to potential customers with advertising	5459
material described in division (B)(35)(a) of this section;	5460
(c) Sales of equipment such as telephones, computers,	5461
facsimile machines, and similar tangible personal property	5462
primarily used to accept orders for direct marketing retail sales.	5463
(d) Sales of automatic food vending machines that preserve	5464
food with a shelf life of forty-five days or less by refrigeration	5465
and dispense it to the consumer.	5466
For purposes of division (B)(35) of this section, "direct	5467
marketing" means the method of selling where consumers order	5468
tangible personal property by United States mail, delivery	5469
service, or telecommunication and the vendor delivers or ships the	5470
tangible personal property sold to the consumer from a warehouse,	5471
catalogue distribution center, or similar fulfillment facility by	5472
means of the United States mail, delivery service, or common	5473
carrier of machinery, equipment, and software to a qualified	5474
direct selling entity for use in a warehouse or distribution	5475
center primarily for storing, transporting, or otherwise handling	5476
inventory that is held for sale to independent salespersons who	5477
operate as direct sellers and that is held primarily for	5478
distribution outside this state;	5479
(b) As used in division (B)(35)(a) of this section:	5480
(i) "Direct seller" means a person selling consumer products	5481
to individuals for personal or household use and not from a fixed	5482
retail location, including selling such product at in-home product	5483
demonstrations, parties, and other one-on-one selling.	5484
(ii) "Qualified direct selling entity" means an entity	5485
selling to direct sellers at the time the entity enters into a tax	5486
credit agreement with the tax credit authority pursuant to section	5487
122.17 of the Revised Code, provided that the agreement was	5488

entered into on or after January 1, 2007. Neither contingencies	5489
relevant to the granting of, nor later developments with respect	5490
to, the tax credit shall impair the status of the qualified direct	5491
selling entity under division (B)(35) of this section after	5492
execution of the tax credit agreement by the tax credit authority.	5493
(c) Division (B)(35) of this section is limited to machinery,	5494
equipment, and software first stored, used, or consumed in this	5495
state within the period commencing June 24, 2008, and ending June	5496
<u>24, 2013</u> .	5497
(36) Sales to a person engaged in the business of	5498
horticulture or producing livestock of materials to be	5499
incorporated into a horticulture structure or livestock structure;	5500
(37) Sales of personal computers, computer monitors, computer	5501
keyboards, modems, and other peripheral computer equipment to an	5502
individual who is licensed or certified to teach in an elementary	5503
or a secondary school in this state for use by that individual in	5504
preparation for teaching elementary or secondary school students;	5505
(38) Sales to a professional racing team of any of the	5506
following:	5507
(a) Motor racing vehicles;	5508
(b) Repair services for motor racing vehicles;	5509
(c) Items of property that are attached to or incorporated in	5510
motor racing vehicles, including engines, chassis, and all other	5511
components of the vehicles, and all spare, replacement, and	5512
rebuilt parts or components of the vehicles; except not including	5513
tires, consumable fluids, paint, and accessories consisting of	5514
instrumentation sensors and related items added to the vehicle to	5515
collect and transmit data by means of telemetry and other forms of	5516
communication Any transfer or lease of tangible personal property	5517
between the state and a successful proposer in accordance with	5518
sections 126.60 to 126.605 of the Revised Code, provided the	5519

property is part of a project as defined in section 126.60 of the5520Revised Code and the state retains ownership of the project or5521part thereof that is being transferred or leased, between the5522state and JobsOhio in accordance with section 4313.02 of the5523Revised Code.5524

(39) Sales of used manufactured homes and used mobile homes, 5525 as defined in section 5739.0210 of the Revised Code, made on or 5526 after January 1, 2000; 5527

(40) Sales of tangible personal property and services to a 5528 provider of electricity used or consumed directly and primarily in 5529 generating, transmitting, or distributing electricity for use by 5530 others, including property that is or is to be incorporated into 5531 and will become a part of the consumer's production, transmission, 5532 or distribution system and that retains its classification as 5533 tangible personal property after incorporation; fuel or power used 5534 in the production, transmission, or distribution of electricity; 5535 energy conversion equipment as defined in section 5727.01 of the 5536 Revised Code; and tangible personal property and services used in 5537 the repair and maintenance of the production, transmission, or 5538 distribution system, including only those motor vehicles as are 5539 specially designed and equipped for such use. The exemption 5540 provided in this division shall be in lieu of all other exemptions 5541 in division (B)(42)(a) or (n) of this section to which a provider 5542 of electricity may otherwise be entitled based on the use of the 5543 tangible personal property or service purchased in generating, 5544 transmitting, or distributing electricity. 5545

(41) Sales to a person providing services under division
(B)(3)(r) of section 5739.01 of the Revised Code of tangible
personal property and services used directly and primarily in
providing taxable services under that section.

(42) Sales where the purpose of the purchaser is to do any of 5550 the following: 5551

part into tangible personal property to be produced for sale by 5553 manufacturing, assembling, processing, or refining; or to use or 5554 consume the thing transferred directly in producing tangible 5555 personal property for sale by mining, including, without 5556 limitation, the extraction from the earth of all substances that 5557 are classed geologically as minerals, production of crude oil and 5558 natural gas, or directly in the rendition of a public utility 5559 service, except that the sales tax levied by this section shall be 5560 collected upon all meals, drinks, and food for human consumption 5561 sold when transporting persons. Persons engaged in rendering 5562 services in the exploration for, and production of, crude oil and 5563 natural gas for others are deemed engaged directly in the 5564 exploration for, and production of, crude oil and natural gas. 5565 This paragraph does not exempt from "retail sale" or "sales at 5566 retail" the sale of tangible personal property that is to be 5567 incorporated into a structure or improvement to real property. 5568

(b) To hold the thing transferred as security for the 5569 performance of an obligation of the vendor; 5570

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(c) To resell, hold, use, or consume the thing transferred as 5571evidence of a contract of insurance; 5572
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(d) To use or consume the thing directly in commercial 5573fishing; 5574

(e) To incorporate the thing transferred as a material or a
 part into, or to use or consume the thing transferred directly in
 the production of, magazines distributed as controlled circulation
 publications;

(f) To use or consume the thing transferred in the production 5579
and preparation in suitable condition for market and sale of 5580
printed, imprinted, overprinted, lithographic, multilithic, 5581
blueprinted, photostatic, or other productions or reproductions of 5582

written or graphic matter;

(g) To use the thing transferred, as described in section
5739.011 of the Revised Code, primarily in a manufacturing
5585 operation to produce tangible personal property for sale;
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(h) To use the benefit of a warranty, maintenance or service 5587 contract, or similar agreement, as described in division (B)(7) of 5588 section 5739.01 of the Revised Code, to repair or maintain 5589 tangible personal property, if all of the property that is the 5590 subject of the warranty, contract, or agreement would not be 5591 subject to the tax imposed by this section; 5592

(i) To use the thing transferred as qualified research and 5593development equipment; 5594

(j) To use or consume the thing transferred primarily in 5595 storing, transporting, mailing, or otherwise handling purchased 5596 sales inventory in a warehouse, distribution center, or similar 5597 facility when the inventory is primarily distributed outside this 5598 state to retail stores of the person who owns or controls the 5599 warehouse, distribution center, or similar facility, to retail 5600 stores of an affiliated group of which that person is a member, or 5601 by means of direct marketing. This division does not apply to 5602 motor vehicles registered for operation on the public highways. As 5603 used in this division, "affiliated group" has the same meaning as 5604 in division (B)(3)(e) of section 5739.01 of the Revised Code and 5605 "direct marketing" has the same meaning as in division (B)(35) of 5606 this section means the method of selling where consumers order 5607 tangible personal property by United States mail, delivery 5608 service, or telecommunication and the vendor delivers or ships the 5609 tangible personal property sold to the consumer from a warehouse, 5610 cataloque distribution center, or similar fulfillment facility by 5611 means of the United States mail, delivery service, or common 5612 5613 <u>carrier</u>.

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(k) To use or consume the thing transferred to fulfill a 5614 contractual obligation incurred by a warrantor pursuant to a 5615 warranty provided as a part of the price of the tangible personal 5616 property sold or by a vendor of a warranty, maintenance or service 5617 contract, or similar agreement the provision of which is defined 5618 as a sale under division (B)(7) of section 5739.01 of the Revised 5619 Code; 5620

(1) To use or consume the thing transferred in the production of a newspaper for distribution to the public; 5622

(m) To use tangible personal property to perform a service 5623 listed in division (B)(3) of section 5739.01 of the Revised Code, 5624 if the property is or is to be permanently transferred to the 5625 consumer of the service as an integral part of the performance of 5626 the service; 5627

(n) To use or consume the thing transferred primarily in 5628 producing tangible personal property for sale by farming, 5629 agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture. Persons engaged in 5630 rendering farming, agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture 5631 services for others are deemed engaged primarily in farming, 5632 agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture. This paragraph does 5633 not exempt from "retail sale" or "sales at retail" the sale of 5634 tangible personal property that is to be incorporated into a 5635 structure or improvement to real property. 5636

(o) To use or consume the thing transferred in acquiring, 5637 formatting, editing, storing, and disseminating data or 5638 information by electronic publishing. 5639

As used in division (B)(42) of this section, "thing" includes 5640 all transactions included in divisions (B)(3)(a), (b), and (e) of 5641 section 5739.01 of the Revised Code. 5642

(43) Sales conducted through a coin operated device that 5643 activates vacuum equipment or equipment that dispenses water, 5644

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whether or not in combination with soap or other cleaning agents 5645 or wax, to the consumer for the consumer's use on the premises in 5646 washing, cleaning, or waxing a motor vehicle, provided no other 5647 personal property or personal service is provided as part of the 5648 5649 transaction.

(44) Sales of replacement and modification parts for engines, 5650 airframes, instruments, and interiors in, and paint for, aircraft 5651 used primarily in a fractional aircraft ownership program, and 5652 sales of services for the repair, modification, and maintenance of 5653 such aircraft, and machinery, equipment, and supplies primarily 5654 used to provide those services. 5655

(45) Sales of telecommunications service that is used 5656 directly and primarily to perform the functions of a call center. 5657 As used in this division, "call center" means any physical 5658 location where telephone calls are placed or received in high 5659 volume for the purpose of making sales, marketing, customer 5660 service, technical support, or other specialized business 5661 activity, and that employs at least fifty individuals that engage 5662 in call center activities on a full-time basis, or sufficient 5663 individuals to fill fifty full time equivalent positions. 5664

(46) Sales by a telecommunications service vendor of 900 5665 service to a subscriber. This division does not apply to 5666 information services, as defined in division (FF) of section 5667 5739.01 of the Revised Code. 5668

(47) Sales of value-added non-voice data service. This 5669 division does not apply to any similar service that is not 5670 otherwise a telecommunications service. 5671

(48)(a) Sales of machinery, equipment, and software to a 5672 qualified direct selling entity for use in a warehouse or 5673 distribution center primarily for storing, transporting, or 5674 otherwise handling inventory that is held for sale to independent 5675

salespersons who operate as direct sellers and that is held	5676
primarily for distribution outside this state;	5677
(b) As used in division (B)(48)(a) of this section:	5678
(i) "Direct seller" means a person selling consumer products	5679
to individuals for personal or household use and not from a fixed	5680
retail location, including selling such product at in home product	5681
demonstrations, parties, and other one-on-one selling.	5682
(ii) "Qualified direct selling entity" means an entity	5683
selling to direct sellers at the time the entity enters into a tax	5684
credit agreement with the tax credit authority pursuant to section	5685
122.17 of the Revised Code, provided that the agreement was	5686
entered into on or after January 1, 2007. Neither contingencies	5687
relevant to the granting of, nor later developments with respect	5688
to, the tax credit shall impair the status of the qualified direct	5689
selling entity under division (B)(48) of this section after	5690
execution of the tax credit agreement by the tax credit authority.	5691
(c) Division (B)(48) of this section is limited to machinery,	5692
equipment, and software first stored, used, or consumed in this	5693
state within the period commencing June 24, 2008, and ending on	5694
the date that is five years after that date.	5695
(49) Sales of materials, parts, equipment, or engines used in	5696
the repair or maintenance of aircraft or avionics systems of such	5697
aircraft, and sales of repair, remodeling, replacement, or	5698
maintenance services in this state performed on aircraft or on an	5699
aircraft's avionics, engine, or component materials or parts. As	5700
used in division (B)(49) of this section, "aircraft" means	5701
aircraft of more than six thousand pounds maximum certified	5702
takeoff weight or used exclusively in general aviation.	5703

(50) Sales of full flight simulators that are used for pilot5704or flight-crew training, sales of repair or replacement parts or5705components, and sales of repair or maintenance services for such5706

full flight simulators. "Full flight simulator" means a replica of	5707
a specific type, or make, model, and series of aircraft cockpit.	5708
It includes the assemblage of equipment and computer programs	5709
necessary to represent aircraft operations in ground and flight	5710
conditions, a visual system providing an out-of-the-cockpit view,	5711
and a system that provides cues at least equivalent to those of a	5712
three-degree-of-freedom motion system, and has the full range of	5713
capabilities of the systems installed in the device as described	5714
in appendices A and B of part 60 of chapter 1 of title 14 of the	5715
Code of Federal Regulations.	5716
(51) Any transfer or lease of tangible personal property	5717
between the state and a successful proposer in accordance with	5718
sections 126.60 to 126.605 of the Revised Code, provided the	5719
property is part of a project as defined in section 126.60 of the	5720
Revised Code and the state retains ownership of the project or	5721
part thereof that is being transferred or leased, between the	5722
state and JobsOhio in accordance with section 4313.02 of the	5723
Revised Code.	5724

(C) For the purpose of the proper administration of this
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chapter, and to prevent the evasion of the tax, it is presumed
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that all sales made in this state are subject to the tax until the
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contrary is established.

(D) The levy of this tax on retail sales of recreation and
 sports club service shall not prevent a municipal corporation from
 levying any tax on recreation and sports club dues or on any
 income generated by recreation and sports club dues.
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(E) The tax collected by the vendor from the consumer under 5733 this chapter is not part of the price, but is a tax collection for 5734 the benefit of the state, and of counties levying an additional 5735 sales tax pursuant to section 5739.021 or 5739.026 of the Revised 5736 Code and of transit authorities levying an additional sales tax 5737 pursuant to section 5739.023 of the Revised Code. Except for the 5738 discount authorized under section 5739.12 of the Revised Code and 5739 the effects of any rounding pursuant to section 5703.055 of the 5740 Revised Code, no person other than the state or such a county or 5741 transit authority shall derive any benefit from the collection or 5742 payment of the tax levied by this section or section 5739.021, 5743 5739.023, or 5739.026 of the Revised Code. 5744

Sec. 5739.025. As used in this section, "local tax" means a5745tax imposed pursuant to section 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026,57465741.021, 5741.022, or 5741.023 of the Revised Code.5747

(A) The taxes levied by sections 5739.02 and 5741.02 of the 5748Revised Code shall be collected as follows: 5749

(1) On and aft	er July 1, 2003, and on	or before June 30,	5750
2005, in accordance	with the following sche	edule:	5751
If the price		The amount of	5752
is at least	But not more than	the tax is	5753
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	5754
.16	.16	1¢	5755
.17	.33	2¢	5756
.34	.50	3¢	5757
.51	.66	4¢	5758
.67	.83	5¢	5759
.84	1.00	б¢	5760

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is six cents on each 5761 one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple thereof 5762 by not more than seventeen cents, the amount of tax is six cents 5763 for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one dollar 5764 or a multiple thereof by more than seventeen cents, the amount of 5765 tax is six cents for each one dollar plus the amount of tax for 5766 prices eighteen cents through ninety-nine cents in accordance with 5767 the schedule above. 5768

(2) On and after July 1, 2005, and on and before December 31, 5769

5,	in accordance	with the following	schedule:	5770
	If the price	But not	The amount	5771
	is at least	more than	of the tax is	5772
	\$.01	\$.15	No tax	5773
	.16	.18	1¢	5774
	.19	.36	2¢	5775
	.37	.54	3¢	5776
	.55	.72	4¢	5777
	.73	.90	5¢	5778
	.91	1.09	б¢	5779
	1.10	1.27	7¢	5780
	1.28	1.46	8¢	5781
	1.47	1.64	9¢	5782
	1.65	1.82	10¢	5783
	1.83	2.00	11¢	5784

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is eleven cents on 5785 each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a multiple 5786 thereof by not more than eighteen cents, the amount of tax is 5787 eleven cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the price 5788 exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than eighteen 5789 cents, the amount of tax is eleven cents for each two dollars plus 5790 the amount of tax for prices nineteen cents through one dollar and 5791 ninety-nine cents in accordance with the schedule above. 5792

(B) On and after July 1, 2003, and on and before June 30, 5793 2005, the combined taxes levied by sections 5739.02 and 5741.02 5794 and pursuant to sections 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026, 5741.021, 5795 5741.022, and 5741.023 of the Revised Code shall be collected in 5796 accordance with the following schedules: 5797

(1) When	the combine	d rate of	state a	nd local	tax is	six	and	5798
one-fourth pe	r cent:							5799
If the price				The a	mount o	of		5800
is at least	Bu	t not more	e than	the t	ax is			5801

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\$.01	\$.15	No tax	5802
.16	.16	1¢	5803
.17	.32	2¢	5804
.33	.48	3¢	5805
.49	.64	4¢	5806
.65	.80	5¢	5807
.81	.96	6¢	5808
.97	1.12	7¢	5809
1.13	1.28	8¢	5810
1.29	1.44	9¢	5811
1.45	1.60	10¢	5812
1.61	1.76	11¢	5813
1.77	1.92	12¢	5814
1.93	2.08	13¢	5815
2.09	2.24	14¢	5816
2.25	2.40	15¢	5817
2.41	2.56	16¢	5818
2.57	2.72	17¢	5819
2.73	2.88	18¢	5820
2.89	3.04	19¢	5821
3.05	3.20	20¢	5822
3.21	3.36	21¢	5823
3.37	3.52	22¢	5824
3.53	3.68	23¢	5825
3.69	3.84	24¢	5826
3.85	4.00	25¢	5827

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-five 5828 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 5829 multiple thereof by not more than sixteen cents, the amount of tax 5830 is twenty-five cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 5831 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 5832 sixteen cents, the amount of tax is twenty-five cents for each 5833 four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices seventeen cents 5834

through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 583				
schedule above.			5836	
(2) When the	e combined rate of state an	d local tax is six and	5837	
one-half per cent	::		5838	
If the price		The amount of	5839	
is at least	But not more than	the tax is	5840	
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	5841	
.16	.30	2¢	5842	
.31	.46	3¢	5843	
.47	.61	4¢	5844	
.62	.76	5¢	5845	
.77	.92	6¢	5846	
.93	1.07	7¢	5847	
1.08	1.23	8¢	5848	
1.24	1.38	9¢	5849	
1.39	1.53	10¢	5850	
1.54	1.69	11¢	5851	
1.70	1.84	12¢	5852	
1.85	2.00	13¢	5853	

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is thirteen cents 5854 on each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a 5855 multiple thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax 5856 is thirteen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the price 5857 exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen 5858 cents, the amount of tax is thirteen cents for each two dollars 5859 plus the amount of tax for prices sixteen cents through one dollar 5860 and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the schedule above. 5861

(3) When the combined rate of state and local tax is six and 5862
three-fourths per cent: 5863
If the price The amount of 5864
is at least But not more than the tax is 5865
\$.01 \$.15 No tax 5866

.16	.29	2¢	5867
.30	.44	3¢	5868
.45	.59	4¢	5869
.60	.74	5¢	5870
.75	.88	6¢	5871
.89	1.03	7¢	5872
1.04	1.18	8¢	5873
1.19	1.33	9¢	5874
1.34	1.48	10¢	5875
1.49	1.62	11¢	5876
1.63	1.77	12¢	5877
1.78	1.92	13¢	5878
1.93	2.07	14¢	5879
2.08	2.22	15¢	5880
2.23	2.37	16¢	5881
2.38	2.51	17¢	5882
2.52	2.66	18¢	5883
2.67	2.81	19¢	5884
2.82	2.96	20¢	5885
2.97	3.11	21¢	5886
3.12	3.25	22¢	5887
3.26	3.40	23¢	5888
3.41	3.55	24¢	5889
3.56	3.70	25¢	5890
3.71	3.85	26¢	5891
3.86	4.00	27¢	5892

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-seven 5893 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 5894 multiple thereof by not more than fourteen cents, the amount of 5895 tax is twenty-seven cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If 5896 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 5897 fourteen but by not more than twenty-nine cents, the amount of tax 5898 is twenty-seven cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If the 5899 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than5900twenty-nine cents the amount of tax is twenty-seven cents for each5901four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices thirty cents5902through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the5903schedule above.5904

(4) When the combined rate of state and local tax is seven 5905 per cent: 5906 If the price The amount of 5907 is at least But not more than the tax is 5908 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 5909 .28 .16 2¢ 5910 .29 .42 3¢ 5911 .43 .57 4¢ 5912 .58 .71 5¢ 5913 .72 .85 б¢ 5914 .86 1.00 7¢ 5915

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is seven cents on 5916 each one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple 5917 thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax is seven 5918 cents for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one 5919 dollar or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen cents, the 5920 amount of tax is seven cents for each one dollar plus the amount 5921 of tax for prices sixteen cents through ninety-nine cents in 5922 accordance with the schedule above. 5923

(5) When the combined rate of state and local tax is seven 5924 and one-fourth per cent: 5925 If the price The amount of 5926 is at least But not more than the tax is 5927 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 5928 .16 .27 2¢ 5929 .28 .41 3¢ 5930 .42 .55 4¢ 5931

.5	.68	5¢	5932
.6	.82	6¢	5933
.8	.96	7¢	5934
.9	1.10	8¢	5935
1.1	.1 1.24	9¢	5936
1.2	1.37	10¢	5937
1.3	.51	11¢	5938
1.5	52 1.65	12¢	5939
1.6	1.79	13¢	5940
1.8	1.93	14¢	5941
1.9	2.06	15¢	5942
2.0	2.20	16¢	5943
2.2	2.34	17¢	5944
2.3	2.48	18¢	5945
2.4	2.62	19¢	5946
2.6	2.75	20¢	5947
2.7	2.89	21¢	5948
2.9	3.03	22¢	5949
3.0	3.17	23¢	5950
3.1	.8 3.31	24¢	5951
3.3	3.44	25¢	5952
3.4	.5 3.58	26¢	5953
3.5	3.72	27¢	5954
3.7	3.86	28¢	5955
3.8	4.00	29¢	5956

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-nine 5957 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 5958 multiple thereof by not more than thirteen cents, the amount of 5959 tax is twenty-nine cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If 5960 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 5961 thirteen cents but by not more than twenty-seven cents, the amount 5962 of tax is twenty-nine cents for each four dollars plus two cents. 5963 If the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more 5964 than twenty-seven cents, the amount of tax is twenty-nine cents 5965 for each four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices 5966 twenty-eight cents through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in 5967 accordance with the schedule above. 5968

(6) When the combined rate of state and local tax is seven 5969 and one-half per cent: 5970 If the price The amount of 5971 is at least But not more than the tax is 5972 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 5973 .16 .26 2¢ 5974 .27 .40 3¢ 5975 .53 4¢ .41 5976 .54 .65 5¢ 5977 .66 .80 б¢ 5978 .81 .93 7¢ 5979 .94 1.06 8¢ 5980 1.07 1.20 9¢ 5981 1.21 1.33 10¢ 5982 1.34 1.46 11¢ 5983 1.47 1.60 12¢ 5984 1.61 1.73 13¢ 5985 1.74 1.86 14¢ 5986 1.87 2.00 15¢ 5987

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is fifteen cents on 5988 each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a multiple 5989 thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax is 5990 fifteen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the price 5991 exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen 5992 cents, the amount of tax is fifteen cents for each two dollars 5993 plus the amount of tax for prices sixteen cents through one dollar 5994 and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the schedule above. 5995

(7) When the combined rate of state and local tax is seven 5996

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and three-fourths p	per cent:		5997
If the price		The amount of	5998
is at least	But not more than	the tax is	5999
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6000
.16	.25	2¢	6001
.26	.38	3¢	6002
.39	.51	4¢	6003
.52	.64	5¢	6004
.65	.77	6¢	6005
.78	.90	7¢	6006
.91	1.03	8¢	6007
1.04	1.16	9¢	6008
1.17	1.29	10¢	6009
1.30	1.41	11¢	6010
1.42	1.54	12¢	6011
1.55	1.67	13¢	6012
1.68	1.80	14¢	6013
1.81	1.93	15¢	6014
1.94	2.06	16¢	6015
2.07	2.19	17¢	6016
2.20	2.32	18¢	6017
2.33	2.45	19¢	6018
2.46	2.58	20¢	6019
2.59	2.70	21¢	6020
2.71	2.83	22¢	6021
2.84	2.96	23¢	6022
2.97	3.09	24¢	6023
3.10	3.22	25¢	6024
3.23	3.35	26¢	6025
3.36	3.48	27¢	6026
3.49	3.61	28¢	6027
3.62	3.74	29¢	6028

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3.88	4.00	31¢	6030
If the price	exceeds four dollars, the	e tax is thirty-one	6031
cents on each four	r dollars. If the price ex	ceeds four dollars or a	6032
multiple thereof }	by not more than twelve ce	ents, the amount of tax	6033
is thirty-one cent	ts for each four dollars p	olus one cent. If the	6034
price exceeds four	r dollars or a multiple th	nereof by more than	6035
twelve cents but }	by not more than twenty-fi	ve cents, the amount of	6036
tax is thirty-one	cents for each four dolla	ars plus two cents. If	6037
the price exceeds	four dollars or a multipl	e thereof by more than	6038
twenty-five cents	, the amount of tax is thi	rty-one cents for each	6039
four dollars plus	the amount of tax for pri	ces twenty-six cents	6040
through three doll	lars and ninety-nine cents	s in accordance with the	6041
schedule above.			6042
(8) When the	combined rate of state an	nd local tax is eight	6043
per cent:			6044
If the price		The amount of	6045
is at least	But not more than	the tax is	6046
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6047
.16	.25	2¢	6048
.26	.37	3¢	6049
.38	.50	4¢	6050
.51	.62	5¢	6051
.63	.75	6¢	6052

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If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is eight cents on 6055 each one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple 6056 thereof by not more than twelve cents, the amount of tax is eight 6057 cents for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one 6058 dollar or a multiple thereof by more than twelve cents but not 6059 more than twenty-five cents, the amount of tax is eight cents for 6060 each one dollar plus two cents. If the price exceeds one dollar or 6061

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a multiple thereof by more than twenty-five cents, the amount of 6062 tax is eight cents for each one dollar plus the amount of tax for 6063 prices twenty-six cents through ninety-nine cents in accordance 6064 with the schedule above. 6065 (9) When the combined rate of state and local tax is eight 6066 and one-fourth per cent: 6067 If the price The amount of 6068 is at least But not more than the tax is 6069 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 6070 .16 .24 2¢ 6071 .25 .36 3¢ 6072 .37 4¢ .48 6073 .49 .60 5¢ 6074 .61 .72 б¢ 6075 .73 .84 7¢ 6076 .85 .96 8¢ 6077 .97 1.09 9¢ 6078 1.10 1.21 10¢ 6079 1.22 1.33 11¢ 6080 1.34 1.45 12¢ 6081 1.46 1.57 13¢ 6082 1.58 1.69 14¢ 6083 1.70 1.81 15¢ 6084 1.82 1.93 16¢ 6085 1.94 2.06 17¢ 6086 2.07 2.18 18¢ 6087 2.19 2.30 19¢ 6088 2.31 2.42 20¢ 6089 2.43 2.54 21¢ 6090 2.55 2.66 22¢ 6091 2.67 2.78 23¢ 6092

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2.91	3.03	25¢	6094
3.04	3.15	26¢	6095
3.16	3.27	27¢	6096
3.28	3.39	28¢	6097
3.40	3.51	29¢	6098
3.52	3.63	30¢	6099
3.64	3.75	31¢	6100
3.76	3.87	32¢	6101
3.88	4.00	33¢	6102

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is thirty-three 6103 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6104 multiple thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax 6105 is thirty-three cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 6106 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6107 eleven cents but by not more than twenty-four cents, the amount of 6108 tax is thirty-three cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If 6109 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6110 twenty-four cents, the amount of tax is thirty-three cents for 6111 each four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-six 6112 cents through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance 6113 with the schedule above. 6114

(10) When the combined rate of state and local tax is eight and one-half per cent:

If the price		The amount of	6117
is at least	But not more than	the tax is	6118
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6119
.16	.23	2¢	6120
.24	.35	3¢	6121
.36	. 47	4¢	6122
.48	.58	5¢	6123
.59	.70	б¢	6124
.71	.82	7¢	6125

.83	.94	8¢	6126
.95	1.05	9¢	6127
1.06	1.17	10¢	6128
1.18	1.29	11¢	6129
1.30	1.41	12¢	6130
1.42	1.52	13¢	6131
1.53	1.64	14¢	6132
1.65	1.76	15¢	6133
1.77	1.88	16¢	6134
1.89	2.00	17¢	6135

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is seventeen cents 6136 on each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a 6137 multiple thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax 6138 is seventeen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the 6139 price exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6140 eleven cents but by not more than twenty-three cents, the amount 6141 of tax is seventeen cents for each two dollars plus two cents. If 6142 the price exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6143 twenty-three cents, the amount of tax is seventeen cents for each 6144 two dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-four cents 6145 through one dollar and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6146 schedule above. 6147

(11) When the combined rate of state and local tax is eight 6148 and three-fourths per cent: 6149 If the price The amount of 6150 is at least But not more than the tax is 6151 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 6152 .16 .22 2¢ 6153 .23 .34 6154 3¢

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 6¢
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.69	.80	7¢	6158
.81	.91	8¢	6159
.92	1.02	9¢	6160
1.03	1.14	10¢	6161
1.15	1.25	11¢	6162
1.26	1.37	12¢	6163
1.38	1.48	13¢	6164
1.49	1.60	14¢	6165
1.61	1.71	15¢	6166
1.72	1.82	16¢	6167
1.83	1.94	17¢	6168
1.95	2.05	18¢	6169
2.06	2.17	19¢	6170
2.18	2.28	20¢	6171
2.29	2.40	21¢	6172
2.41	2.51	22¢	6173
2.52	2.62	23¢	6174
2.63	2.74	24¢	6175
2.75	2.85	25¢	6176
2.86	2.97	26¢	6177
2.98	3.08	27¢	6178
3.09	3.20	28¢	6179
3.21	3.31	29¢	6180
3.32	3.42	30¢	6181
3.43	3.54	31¢	6182
3.55	3.65	32¢	6183
3.66	3.77	33¢	6184
3.78	3.88	34¢	6185
3.89	4.00	35¢	6186

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is thirty-five 6187 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6188 multiple thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax 6189 is thirty-five cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 6190 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6191 eleven cents but by not more than twenty-two cents, the amount of 6192 tax is thirty-five cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If 6193 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6194 twenty-two cents, the amount of tax is thirty-five cents for each 6195 four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-three cents 6196 through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6197 schedule above. 6198

(12) When the combined rate of state and local tax is nine 6199 per cent: 6200 If the price The amount of 6201 is at least But not more than the tax is 6202 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 6203 .16 .22 2¢ 6204 .23 .33 3¢ 6205 .34 .44 4¢ 6206 .45 .55 5¢ 6207 .56 .66 б¢ 6208 .67 .77 7¢ 6209 .78 8¢ 6210 .88 .89 1.00 9¢ 6211

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is nine cents on 6212 each one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple 6213 thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax is nine 6214 cents for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one 6215 dollar or a multiple thereof by more than eleven cents but by not 6216 more than twenty-two cents, the amount of tax is nine cents for 6217 6218 each one dollar plus two cents. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple thereof by more than twenty-two cents, the amount of 6219 tax is nine cents for each one dollar plus the amount of tax for 6220 prices twenty-three cents through ninety-nine cents in accordance 6221 with the schedule above. 6222

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(C) On and after July 1, 2005, and on and before December 31, 6223 2005, the combined taxes levied by sections 5739.02 and 5741.02 6224 and pursuant to sections 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026, 5741.021, 6225 5741.022, and 5741.023 of the Revised Code shall be collected in 6226 accordance with the following schedules: 6227

(1) When the total rate of local tax is one-fourth per cent: 6228 If the price But not The amount 6229 is at least more than of the tax is 6230 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 6231 .16 .17 1¢ 6232 .18 .34 2¢ 6233 .35 .52 3¢ 6234 .53 .69 4¢ 6235 .70 .86 5¢ 6236 .87 1.04 б¢ 6237 1.05 1.21 7¢ 6238 1.22 1.39 8¢ 6239 1.40 1.56 9¢ 6240 1.57 1.73 10¢ 6241 1.74 1.91 6242 11¢ 1.92 2.08 12¢ 6243 2.09 2.26 6244 13¢ 2.27 2.43 14¢ 6245 2.44 2.60 15¢ 6246 2.61 2.78 6247 16¢ 2.79 2.95 17¢ 6248 2.96 3.13 18¢ 6249 3.14 3.30 19¢ 6250 3.31 3.47 20¢ 6251 3.65 3.48 21¢ 6252 3.66 3.82 6253 22¢ 3.83 4.00 23¢ 6254

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If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-three 6255 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6256 multiple thereof by not more than seventeen cents, the amount of 6257 tax is twenty-three cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If 6258 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6259 seventeen cents, the amount of tax is twenty-three cents for each 6260 four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices eighteen cents 6261 through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6262 schedule above. 6263

(2)	When the	combined rate of local	tax is one-half per c	ent: 6264
If	the price	But not	The amount	6265
is	at least	more than	of the tax is	6266
	\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6267
	.16	.17	1¢	6268
	.18	.34	2¢	6269
	.35	.50	3¢	6270
	.51	.67	4¢	6271
	.68	.83	5¢	6272
	.84	1.00	б¢	6273

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is six cents on each 6274 one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple thereof 6275 by not more than seventeen cents, the amount of tax is six cents 6276 for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one dollar 6277 or a multiple thereof by more than seventeen cents, the amount of 6278 tax is six cents for each one dollar plus the amount of tax for 6279 prices eighteen cents through ninety-nine cents in accordance with 6280 the schedule above. 6281

(3) When the combined rate of local tax is three-fourths per6282cent:6283

If the price	But not	The amount	6284
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6285
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6286

.16	.16	1¢	6287
.17	.32	2¢	6288
.33	.48	3¢	6289
.49	.64	4¢	6290
.65	.80	5¢	6291
.81	.96	6¢	6292
.97	1.12	7¢	6293
1.13	1.28	8¢	6294
1.29	1.44	9¢	6295
1.45	1.60	10¢	6296
1.61	1.76	11¢	6297
1.77	1.92	12¢	6298
1.93	2.08	13¢	6299
2.09	2.24	14¢	6300
2.25	2.40	15¢	6301
2.41	2.56	16¢	6302
2.57	2.72	17¢	6303
2.73	2.88	18¢	6304
2.89	3.04	19¢	6305
3.05	3.20	20¢	6306
3.21	3.36	21¢	6307
3.37	3.52	22¢	6308
3.53	3.68	23¢	6309
3.69	3.84	24¢	6310
3.85	4.00	25¢	6311

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-five 6312 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6313 multiple thereof by not more than sixteen cents, the amount of tax 6314 is twenty-five cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 6315 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6316 sixteen cents, the amount of tax is twenty-five cents for each 6317 four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices seventeen cents 6318 through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6319

schedule above.			6320
(4) When the combin	ned rate of loca	al tax is one per cent:	6321
If the price	But not	The amount	6322
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6323
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6324
.16	.30	2¢	6325
.31	.46	3¢	6326
.47	.61	4¢	6327
.62	.76	5¢	6328
.77	.92	б¢	6329
.93	1.07	7¢	6330
1.08	1.23	8¢	6331
1.24	1.38	9¢	6332
1.39	1.53	10¢	6333
1.54	1.69	11¢	6334
1.70	1.84	12¢	6335
1.85	2.00	13¢	6336

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is thirteen cents 6337 on each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a 6338 multiple thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax 6339 is thirteen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the price 6340 exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen 6341 cents, the amount of tax is thirteen cents for each two dollars 6342 plus the amount of tax for prices sixteen cents through one dollar 6343 and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the schedule above. 6344

(5) When the combined rate of local tax is one and one-fourth 6345 per cent: 6346

If the price	But not	The amount	6347
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6348
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6349
.16	.29	2¢	6350
.30	.44	3¢	6351

.45	.59	4¢	6352
.60	.74	5¢	6353
.75	.88	6¢	6354
.89	1.03	7¢	6355
1.04	1.18	8¢	6356
1.19	1.33	9¢	6357
1.34	1.48	10¢	6358
1.49	1.62	11¢	6359
1.63	1.77	12¢	6360
1.78	1.92	13¢	6361
1.93	2.07	14¢	6362
2.08	2.22	15¢	6363
2.23	2.37	16¢	6364
2.38	2.51	17¢	6365
2.52	2.66	18¢	6366
2.67	2.81	19¢	6367
2.82	2.96	20¢	6368
2.97	3.11	21¢	6369
3.12	3.25	22¢	6370
3.26	3.40	23¢	6371
3.41	3.55	24¢	6372
3.56	3.70	25¢	6373
3.71	3.85	26¢	6374
3.86	4.00	27¢	6375

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-seven 6376 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6377 multiple thereof by not more than fourteen cents, the amount of 6378 tax is twenty-seven cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If 6379 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6380 fourteen but by not more than twenty-nine cents, the amount of tax 6381 is twenty-seven cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If the 6382 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6383 twenty-nine cents the amount of tax is twenty-seven cents for each 6384

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four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices thirty cents 6385 through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6386 schedule above. 6387 (6) When the combined rate of local tax is one and one-half 6388 per cent: 6389 But not The amount 6390 If the price is at least of the tax is more than 6391 \$.01 \$.15 No tax 6392 .16 .28 2¢ 6393 .29 .42 3¢ 6394 .43 .57 4¢ 6395 .58 .71 5¢ 6396 .72 .85 б¢ 6397 .86 1.00 7¢ 6398

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is seven cents on 6399 each one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple 6400 thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax is seven 6401 cents for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one 6402 dollar or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen cents, the 6403 amount of tax is seven cents for each one dollar plus the amount 6404 of tax for prices sixteen cents through ninety-nine cents in 6405 accordance with the schedule above. 6406

(7) When the combined rate of local tax is one and three-fourths per cent:

If the price	But not	The amount	6409
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6410
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6411
.16	.27	2¢	6412
.28	.41	3¢	6413
.42	.55	4¢	6414
.56	.68	5¢	6415
.69	.82	б¢	6416

.83	.96	7¢	6417
.97	1.10	8¢	6418
1.11	1.24	9¢	6419
1.25	1.37	10¢	6420
1.38	1.51	11¢	6421
1.52	1.65	12¢	6422
1.66	1.79	13¢	6423
1.80	1.93	14¢	6424
1.94	2.06	15¢	6425
2.07	2.20	16¢	6426
2.21	2.34	17¢	6427
2.35	2.48	18¢	6428
2.49	2.62	19¢	6429
2.63	2.75	20¢	6430
2.76	2.89	21¢	6431
2.90	3.03	22¢	6432
3.04	3.17	23¢	6433
3.18	3.31	24¢	6434
3.32	3.44	25¢	6435
3.45	3.58	26¢	6436
3.59	3.72	27¢	6437
3.73	3.86	28¢	6438
3.87	4.00	29¢	6439

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is twenty-nine 6440 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6441 multiple thereof by not more than thirteen cents, the amount of 6442 tax is twenty-nine cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If 6443 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6444 thirteen cents but by not more than twenty-seven cents, the amount 6445 of tax is twenty-nine cents for each four dollars plus two cents. 6446 If the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more 6447 than twenty-seven cents, the amount of tax is twenty-nine cents 6448 for each four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices 6449

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twenty-eight cents through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in 645				
acco	rdance with the sch	nedule above.		6451
	(8) When the combi	ined rate of local	tax is two per cent:	6452
	If the price	But not	The amount	6453
	is at least	more than	of the tax is	6454
	\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6455
	.16	.26	2¢	6456
	.27	.40	3¢	6457
	.41	.53	4¢	6458
	.54	.65	5¢	6459
	.66	.80	6¢	6460
	.81	.93	7¢	6461
	.94	1.06	8¢	6462
	1.07	1.20	9¢	6463
	1.21	1.33	10¢	6464
	1.34	1.46	11¢	6465
	1.47	1.60	12¢	6466
	1.61	1.73	13¢	6467
	1.74	1.86	14¢	6468

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is fifteen cents on 6470 each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a multiple 6471 thereof by not more than fifteen cents, the amount of tax is 6472 fifteen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the price 6473 exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than fifteen 6474 cents, the amount of tax is fifteen cents for each two dollars 6475 plus the amount of tax for prices sixteen cents through one dollar 6476 and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the schedule above. 6477

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(9) When the combined rate of local tax is two and one-fourth 6478per cent: 6479

If the price	But not	The amount	6480
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6481

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\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6482
.16	.25	2¢	6483
.26	.38	3¢	6484
.39	.51	4¢	6485
.52	.64	5¢	6486
.65	.77	6¢	6487
.78	.90	7¢	6488
.91	1.03	8¢	6489
1.04	1.16	9¢	6490
1.17	1.29	10¢	6491
1.30	1.41	11¢	6492
1.42	1.54	12¢	6493
1.55	1.67	13¢	6494
1.68	1.80	14¢	6495
1.81	1.93	15¢	6496
1.94	2.06	16¢	6497
2.07	2.19	17¢	6498
2.20	2.32	18¢	6499
2.33	2.45	19¢	6500
2.46	2.58	20¢	6501
2.59	2.70	21¢	6502
2.71	2.83	22¢	6503
2.84	2.96	23¢	6504
2.97	3.09	24¢	6505
3.10	3.22	25¢	6506
3.23	3.35	26¢	6507
3.36	3.48	27¢	6508
3.49	3.61	28¢	6509
3.62	3.74	29¢	6510
3.75	3.87	30¢	6511
3.88	4.00	31¢	6512

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is thirty-one 6513 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6514 multiple thereof by not more than twelve cents, the amount of tax 6515 is thirty-one cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 6516 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6517 twelve cents but not more than twenty-five cents, the amount of 6518 tax is thirty-one cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If 6519 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6520 twenty-five cents, the amount of tax is thirty-one cents for each 6521 four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-six cents 6522 through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6523 schedule above. 6524

(10) When the combined rate of local tax is two and one-half 6525 per cent: 6526 old 6527 <u>new</u> existing new 6528 <u>new</u> and old old and new 6529 TEST TEST 6530 old 6531 <u>new</u> If the price But not The amount 6532 is at least more than of the tax is 6533 \$.01 \$.15 6534 No tax .16 .25 2¢ 6535 .26 .37 3¢ 6536 .38 .50 4¢ 6537 .51 .62 5¢ 6538 .63 .75 б¢ 6539 .76 .87 7¢ 6540 .88 1.00 8¢ 6541

If the price exceeds one dollar, the tax is eight cents on 6542 each one dollar. If the price exceeds one dollar or a multiple 6543 thereof by not more than twelve cents, the amount of tax is eight 6544 cents for each one dollar plus one cent. If the price exceeds one 6545 dollar or a multiple thereof by more than twelve cents but not 6546 more than twenty-five cents, the amount of tax is eight cents for 6547 each one dollar plus two cents. If the price exceeds one dollar or 6548 a multiple thereof by more than twenty-five cents, the amount of 6549 tax is eight cents for each one dollar plus the amount of tax for 6550 prices twenty-six cents through ninety-nine cents in accordance 6551 with the schedule above. 6552

(11) When the combined rate of local tax is two and three-fourths per cent:

If the price	But not	The amount	6555
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6556
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6557
.16	.24	2¢	6558
.25	.36	3¢	6559
.37	.48	4¢	6560
.49	.60	5¢	6561
.61	.72	6¢	6562
.73	.84	7¢	6563
.85	.96	8¢	6564
.97	1.09	9¢	6565
1.10	1.21	10¢	6566
1.22	1.33	11¢	6567
1.34	1.45	12¢	6568
1.46	1.57	13¢	6569
1.58	1.69	14¢	6570
1.70	1.81	15¢	6571
1.82	1.93	16¢	6572
1.94	2.06	17¢	6573
2.07	2.18	18¢	6574
2.19	2.30	19¢	6575
2.31	2.42	20¢	6576
2.43	2.54	21¢	6577
2.55	2.66	22¢	6578

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2.67	2.78	23¢	6579
2.79	2.90	24¢	6580
2.91	3.03	25¢	6581
3.04	3.15	26¢	6582
3.16	3.27	27¢	6583
3.28	3.39	28¢	6584
3.40	3.51	29¢	6585
3.52	3.63	30¢	6586
3.64	3.75	31¢	6587
3.76	3.87	32¢	6588
3.88	4.00	33¢	6589

If the price exceeds four dollars, the tax is thirty-three 6590 cents on each four dollars. If the price exceeds four dollars or a 6591 multiple thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax 6592 is thirty-three cents for each four dollars plus one cent. If the 6593 price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6594 eleven cents but not more than twenty-four cents, the amount of 6595 tax is thirty-three cents for each four dollars plus two cents. If 6596 the price exceeds four dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6597 twenty-four cents, the amount of tax is thirty-three cents for 6598 each four dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-six 6599 cents through three dollars and ninety-nine cents in accordance 6600 with the schedule above. 6601

(12) When the	combined rate of	local tax is three per cent	: 6602
If the price	But not	The amount	6603
is at least	more than	of the tax is	6604
\$.01	\$.15	No tax	6605
.16	.23	2¢	6606
.24	.35	3¢	6607
.36	.47	4¢	6608
.48	.58	5¢	6609
.59	.70	б¢	6610

.71	.82	7¢	6611
.83	.94	8¢	6612
.95	1.05	9¢	6613
1.06	1.17	10¢	6614
1.18	1.29	11¢	6615
1.30	1.41	12¢	6616
1.42	1.52	13¢	6617
1.53	1.64	14¢	6618
1.65	1.76	15¢	6619
1.77	1.88	16¢	6620
1.89	2.00	17¢	6621

If the price exceeds two dollars, the tax is seventeen cents 6622 on each two dollars. If the price exceeds two dollars or a 6623 multiple thereof by not more than eleven cents, the amount of tax 6624 is seventeen cents for each two dollars plus one cent. If the 6625 price exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6626 eleven cents but not more than twenty-three cents, the amount of 6627 tax is seventeen cents for each two dollars plus two cents. If the 6628 price exceeds two dollars or a multiple thereof by more than 6629 twenty-three cents, the amount of tax is seventeen cents for each 6630 two dollars plus the amount of tax for prices twenty-four cents 6631 through one dollar and ninety-nine cents in accordance with the 6632 schedule above. 6633

(D) In lieu of collecting the tax pursuant to the schedules
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 set forth in divisions (A), (B), and (C) of this section, a vendor
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 may compute the tax on each sale as follows:

(1) On sales of fifteen cents or less, no tax shall apply. 6637

(2) On sales in excess of fifteen cents, multiply the price
by the aggregate rate of taxes in effect under sections 5739.02
and 5741.02 and sections 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026, 5741.021,
5741.022, and 5741.023 of the Revised Code. The computation shall
be carried out to six decimal places. If the result is a

fractional amount of a cent, the calculated tax shall be increased 6643 to the next highest cent and that amount shall be collected by the 6644 vendor. 6645

(E) On and after January 1, 2006, a vendor shall compute the 6646 tax on each sale by multiplying the price by the aggregate rate of 6647 taxes in effect under sections 5739.02 and 5741.02, and sections 6648 5739.021, 5739.023, 5739.026, 5741.021, 5741.022, and 5741.023 of 6649 the Revised Code. The computation shall be carried out to three 6650 decimal places. If the result is a fractional amount of a cent, 6651 the calculated tax shall be rounded to a whole cent using a method 6652 that rounds up to the next cent whenever the third decimal place 6653 is greater than four. A vendor may elect to compute the tax due on 6654 a transaction on an item or an invoice basis. 6655

(F) In auditing a vendor, the tax commissioner shall consider 6656 the method prescribed by this section that was used by the vendor 6657 in determining and collecting the tax due under this chapter on 6658 taxable transactions. If the vendor correctly collects and remits 6659 the tax due under this chapter in accordance with the schedules in 6660 divisions (A), (B), and (C) of this section or in accordance with 6661 the computation prescribed in division (D) or (E) of this section, 6662 the commissioner shall not assess any additional tax on those 6663 transactions. 6664

(G)(1) With respect to a sale of a fractional ownership 6665 program aircraft used primarily in a fractional aircraft ownership 6666 program, including all accessories attached to such aircraft, the 6667 tax shall be calculated pursuant to divisions (A) to (E) of this 6668 section, provided that the tax commissioner shall modify those 6669 calculations so that the maximum tax on each program aircraft is 6670 eight hundred dollars. In the case of a sale of a fractional 6671 interest that is less than one hundred per cent of the program 6672 aircraft, the tax charged on the transaction shall be eight 6673 hundred dollars multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which 6674

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is the percentage of ownership or possession in the aircraft being	6675
purchased in the transaction, and the denominator of which is one	6676
hundred per cent.	6677
(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the	6678
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contrary, the tax calculated under division (G)(1) of this section	6679
and paid with respect to the sale of a fractional ownership	6680
program aircraft used primarily in a fractional aircraft ownership	6681
program shall be credited to the general revenue fund.	6682

Sec. 5747.01. Except as otherwise expressly provided or 6683 clearly appearing from the context, any term used in this chapter 6684 that is not otherwise defined in this section has the same meaning 6685 as when used in a comparable context in the laws of the United 6686 States relating to federal income taxes or if not used in a 6687 comparable context in those laws, has the same meaning as in 6688 section 5733.40 of the Revised Code. Any reference in this chapter 6689 to the Internal Revenue Code includes other laws of the United 6690 States relating to federal income taxes. 6691

As used in this chapter:

(A) "Adjusted gross income" or "Ohio adjusted gross income" 6693
 means federal adjusted gross income, as defined and used in the 6694
 Internal Revenue Code, adjusted as provided in this section: 6695

(1) Add interest or dividends on obligations or securities of 6696
 any state or of any political subdivision or authority of any 6697
 state, other than this state and its subdivisions and authorities. 6698

(2) Add interest or dividends on obligations of any
authority, commission, instrumentality, territory, or possession
of the United States to the extent that the interest or dividends
are exempt from federal income taxes but not from state income
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taxes.

(3) Deduct interest or dividends on obligations of the United 6704

States and its territories and possessions or of any authority, 6705 commission, or instrumentality of the United States to the extent 6706 that the interest or dividends are included in federal adjusted 6707 gross income but exempt from state income taxes under the laws of 6708 the United States. 6709

(4) Deduct disability and survivor's benefits to the extent6710included in federal adjusted gross income.6711

(5) Deduct benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act
 and tier 1 railroad retirement benefits to the extent included in
 federal adjusted gross income under section 86 of the Internal
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 Revenue Code.
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(6) In the case of a taxpayer who is a beneficiary of a trust 6716 that makes an accumulation distribution as defined in section 665 6717 of the Internal Revenue Code, add, for the beneficiary's taxable 6718 years beginning before 2002, the portion, if any, of such 6719 distribution that does not exceed the undistributed net income of 6720 the trust for the three taxable years preceding the taxable year 6721 in which the distribution is made to the extent that the portion 6722 was not included in the trust's taxable income for any of the 6723 trust's taxable years beginning in 2002 or thereafter. 6724 "Undistributed net income of a trust" means the taxable income of 6725 the trust increased by (a)(i) the additions to adjusted gross 6726 income required under division (A) of this section and (ii) the 6727 personal exemptions allowed to the trust pursuant to section 6728 642(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, and decreased by (b)(i) the 6729 deductions to adjusted gross income required under division (A) of 6730 this section, (ii) the amount of federal income taxes attributable 6731 to such income, and (iii) the amount of taxable income that has 6732 been included in the adjusted gross income of a beneficiary by 6733 reason of a prior accumulation distribution. Any undistributed net 6734 income included in the adjusted gross income of a beneficiary 6735 shall reduce the undistributed net income of the trust commencing 6736 with the earliest years of the accumulation period. 6737

(7) Deduct the amount of wages and salaries, if any, not
otherwise allowable as a deduction but that would have been
allowable as a deduction in computing federal adjusted gross
income for the taxable year, had the targeted jobs credit allowed
and determined under sections 38, 51, and 52 of the Internal
Revenue Code not been in effect.

(8) Deduct any interest or interest equivalent on public
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 obligations and purchase obligations to the extent that the
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 interest or interest equivalent is included in federal adjusted
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 gross income.

(9) Add any loss or deduct any gain resulting from the sale,
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exchange, or other disposition of public obligations to the extent
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that the loss has been deducted or the gain has been included in
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computing federal adjusted gross income.

(10) Deduct or add amounts, as provided under section 5747.70 6752 of the Revised Code, related to contributions to variable college 6753 savings program accounts made or tuition units purchased pursuant 6754 to Chapter 3334. of the Revised Code For a taxpayer that provides 6755 broadband service, deduct the taxpayer's net profits from 6756 providing broadband service in this state multiplied by a 6757 fraction, the numerator of which is the original cost of tangible 6758 personal property necessary for the provision of broadband service 6759 in rural areas of this state installed on or after the effective 6760 date of this amendment, and the denominator of which is the 6761 original cost of tangible personal property necessary for the 6762 provision of broadband service in this state and installed on or 6763 after that date. A taxpayer that is an equity owner of a 6764 pass-through entity that provides broadband service may deduct the 6765 taxpayer's distributive or proportionate share of the entity's net 6766 profits from providing such service multiplied by that fraction. A 6767 deduction is not allowed under this division if the taxpayer 6768

claims the exclusion under division (F)(2)(ll) of section 5751.01	6769
of the Revised Code for any tax period that is included partly or	6770
wholly in the taxable year. For the purposes of this division,	6771
"broadband service" and "rural area" have the same meanings as in	6772
<u>7 U.S.C. 950bb</u> .	6773

(11)(a) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise allowable as a 6774 deduction or exclusion in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross 6775 income for the taxable year, the amount the taxpayer paid during 6776 the taxable year for medical care insurance and qualified 6777 long-term care insurance for the taxpayer, the taxpayer's spouse, 6778 and dependents. No deduction for medical care insurance under 6779 division (A)(11) of this section shall be allowed either to any 6780 taxpayer who is eligible to participate in any subsidized health 6781 plan maintained by any employer of the taxpayer or of the 6782 taxpayer's spouse, or to any taxpayer who is entitled to, or on 6783 application would be entitled to, benefits under part A of Title 6784 XVIII of the "Social Security Act," 49 Stat. 620 (1935), 42 U.S.C. 6785 301, as amended. For the purposes of division (A)(11)(a) of this 6786 section, "subsidized health plan" means a health plan for which 6787 the employer pays any portion of the plan's cost. The deduction 6788 allowed under division (A)(11)(a) of this section shall be the net 6789 of any related premium refunds, related premium reimbursements, or 6790 related insurance premium dividends received during the taxable 6791 6792 year.

(b) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded
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(c) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded
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(c) Deduct, to the extent the expenses exceed seven and one-half
(c) Deduct, to the extent adjusted gross income.

(c) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 6800

in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income, any amount 6801 included in federal adjusted gross income under section 105 or not 6802 excluded under section 106 of the Internal Revenue Code solely 6803 because it relates to an accident and health plan for a person who 6804 otherwise would be a "qualifying relative" and thus a "dependent" 6805 under section 152 of the Internal Revenue Code but for the fact 6806 that the person fails to meet the income and support limitations 6807 under section 152(d)(1)(B) and (C) of the Internal Revenue Code. 6808

(d) For purposes of division (A)(11) of this section, 6809 "medical care" has the meaning given in section 213 of the 6810 Internal Revenue Code, subject to the special rules, limitations, 6811 and exclusions set forth therein, and "qualified long-term care" 6812 has the same meaning given in section 7702B(c) of the Internal 6813 Revenue Code. Solely for purposes of divisions (A)(11)(a) and (c) 6814 of this section, "dependent" includes a person who otherwise would 6815 be a "qualifying relative" and thus a "dependent" under section 6816 152 of the Internal Revenue Code but for the fact that the person 6817 fails to meet the income and support limitations under section 6818 152(d)(1)(B) and (C) of the Internal Revenue Code. 6819

(12)(a) Deduct any amount included in federal adjusted gross 6820 income solely because the amount represents a reimbursement or 6821 refund of expenses that in any year the taxpayer had deducted as 6822 an itemized deduction pursuant to section 63 of the Internal 6823 Revenue Code and applicable United States department of the 6824 treasury regulations. The deduction otherwise allowed under 6825 division (A)(12)(a) of this section shall be reduced to the extent 6826 the reimbursement is attributable to an amount the taxpayer 6827 deducted under this section in any taxable year. 6828

(b) Add any amount not otherwise included in Ohio adjusted
gross income for any taxable year to the extent that the amount is
attributable to the recovery during the taxable year of any amount
deducted or excluded in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross
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income in any taxable year.

(13) Deduct any portion of the deduction described in section
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(13) 1341(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, for repaying previously
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(a) It is allowable for repayment of an item that was
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included in the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for a prior
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taxable year and did not qualify for a credit under division (A)
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or (B) of section 5747.05 of the Revised Code for that year;
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(b) It does not otherwise reduce the taxpayer's adjusted 6842 gross income for the current or any other taxable year. 6843

(14) Deduct an amount equal to the deposits made to, and net 6844 investment earnings of, a medical savings account during the 6845 taxable year, in accordance with section 3924.66 of the Revised 6846 Code. The deduction allowed by division (A)(14) of this section 6847 does not apply to medical savings account deposits and earnings 6848 otherwise deducted or excluded for the current or any other 6849 taxable year from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income. 6850

(15)(a) Add an amount equal to the funds withdrawn from a 6851 medical savings account during the taxable year, and the net 6852 investment earnings on those funds, when the funds withdrawn were 6853 used for any purpose other than to reimburse an account holder 6854 for, or to pay, eligible medical expenses, in accordance with 6855 section 3924.66 of the Revised Code; 6856

(b) Add the amounts distributed from a medical savings
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account under division (A)(2) of section 3924.68 of the Revised
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Code during the taxable year.
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(16) Add any amount claimed as a credit under section
5747.059 or 5747.65 of the Revised Code to the extent that such
amount satisfies either of the following:
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(a) The amount was deducted or excluded from the computation 6863 of the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income as required to be 6864

reported for the taxpayer's taxable year under the Internal 6865 Revenue Code; 6866

(b) The amount resulted in a reduction of the taxpayer's
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federal adjusted gross income as required to be reported for any
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of the taxpayer's taxable years under the Internal Revenue Code.
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(17) Deduct the amount contributed by the taxpayer to an 6870 individual development account program established by a county 6871 department of job and family services pursuant to sections 329.11 6872 to 329.14 of the Revised Code for the purpose of matching funds 6873 deposited by program participants. On request of the tax 6874 commissioner, the taxpayer shall provide any information that, in 6875 the tax commissioner's opinion, is necessary to establish the 6876 amount deducted under division (A)(17) of this section. 6877

(18) Beginning in taxable year 2001 but not for any taxable 6878 year beginning after December 31, 2005, if the taxpayer is married 6879 and files a joint return and the combined federal adjusted gross 6880 income of the taxpayer and the taxpayer's spouse for the taxable 6881 year does not exceed one hundred thousand dollars, or if the 6882 taxpayer is single and has a federal adjusted gross income for the 6883 taxable year not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, deduct amounts 6884 paid during the taxable year for qualified tuition and fees paid 6885 to an eligible institution for the taxpayer, the taxpayer's 6886 spouse, or any dependent of the taxpayer, who is a resident of 6887 this state and is enrolled in or attending a program that 6888 culminates in a degree or diploma at an eligible institution. The 6889 deduction may be claimed only to the extent that qualified tuition 6890 and fees are not otherwise deducted or excluded for any taxable 6891 year from federal or Ohio adjusted gross income. The deduction may 6892 not be claimed for educational expenses for which the taxpayer 6893 claims a credit under section 5747.27 of the Revised Code. 6894

(19) Add any reimbursement received during the taxable year
of any amount the taxpayer deducted under division (A)(18) of this
section in any previous taxable year to the extent the amount is
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not otherwise included in Ohio adjusted gross income.

(20)(a)(i) Subject to divisions (A)(20)(a)(iii), (iv), and 6899 (v) of this section, add five-sixths of the amount of depreciation 6900 expense allowed by subsection (k) of section 168 of the Internal 6901 Revenue Code, including the taxpayer's proportionate or 6902 distributive share of the amount of depreciation expense allowed 6903 by that subsection to a pass-through entity in which the taxpayer 6904 has a direct or indirect ownership interest. 6905

(ii) Subject to divisions (A)(20)(a)(iii), (iv), and (v) of
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this section, add five-sixths of the amount of qualifying section
179 depreciation expense, including the taxpayer's proportionate
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or distributive share of the amount of qualifying section 179
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depreciation expense allowed to any pass-through entity in which
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the taxpayer has a direct or indirect ownership interest.

(iii) Subject to division (A)(20)(a)(v) of this section, for 6912 taxable years beginning in 2012 or thereafter, if the increase in 6913 income taxes withheld by the taxpayer is equal to or greater than 6914 ten per cent of income taxes withheld by the taxpayer during the 6915 taxpayer's immediately preceding taxable year, "two-thirds" shall 6916 be substituted for "five-sixths" for the purpose of divisions 6917 (A)(20)(a)(i) and (ii) of this section. 6918

(iv) Subject to division (A)(20)(a)(v) of this section, for 6919 taxable years beginning in 2012 or thereafter, a taxpayer is not 6920 required to add an amount under division (A)(20) of this section 6921 if the increase in income taxes withheld by the taxpayer and by 6922 any pass-through entity in which the taxpayer has a direct or 6923 indirect ownership interest is equal to or greater than the sum of 6924 (I) the amount of qualifying section 179 depreciation expense and 6925 (II) the amount of depreciation expense allowed to the taxpayer by 6926 subsection (k) of section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code, and6927including the taxpayer's proportionate or distributive shares of6928such amounts allowed to any such pass-through entities.6929

(v) If a taxpayer directly or indirectly incurs a net
operating loss for the taxable year for federal income tax
purposes, to the extent such loss resulted from depreciation
expense allowed by subsection (k) of section 168 of the Internal
Revenue Code and by qualifying section 179 depreciation expense,
"the entire" shall be substituted for "five-sixths of the" for the
purpose of divisions (A)(20)(a)(i) and (ii) of this section.

The tax commissioner, under procedures established by the 6937 commissioner, may waive the add-backs related to a pass-through 6938 entity if the taxpayer owns, directly or indirectly, less than 6939 five per cent of the pass-through entity. 6940

(b) Nothing in division (A)(20) of this section shall be6941construed to adjust or modify the adjusted basis of any asset.6942

(c) To the extent the add-back required under division 6943 (A)(20)(a) of this section is attributable to property generating 6944 nonbusiness income or loss allocated under section 5747.20 of the 6945 Revised Code, the add-back shall be sitused to the same location 6946 as the nonbusiness income or loss generated by the property for 6947 the purpose of determining the credit under division (A) of 6948 section 5747.05 of the Revised Code. Otherwise, the add-back shall 6949 be apportioned, subject to one or more of the four alternative 6950 methods of apportionment enumerated in section 5747.21 of the 6951 Revised Code. 6952

(d) For the purposes of division (A)(20)(a)(v) of this
section, net operating loss carryback and carryforward shall not
include the allowance of any net operating loss deduction
carryback or carryforward to the taxable year to the extent such
loss resulted from depreciation allowed by section 168(k) of the

Internal Revenue Code and by the qualifying section 1796958depreciation expense amount.6959

(e) For the purposes of divisions (A)(20) and (21) of this 6960 section: 6961

(i) "Income taxes withheld" means the total amount withheld 6962
and remitted under sections 5747.06 and 5747.07 of the Revised 6963
Code by an employer during the employer's taxable year. 6964

(ii) "Increase in income taxes withheld" means the amount by 6965
which the amount of income taxes withheld by an employer during 6966
the employer's current taxable year exceeds the amount of income 6967
taxes withheld by that employer during the employer's immediately 6968
preceding taxable year. 6969

(iii) "Qualifying section 179 depreciation expense" means the
difference between (I) the amount of depreciation expense directly
or indirectly allowed to a taxpayer under section 179 of the
for indirectly allowed to the taxpayer under section 179
directly or indirectly allowed to the taxpayer under section 179
of the Internal Revenue Code as that section existed on December
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(21)(a) If the taxpayer was required to add an amount under 6977 division (A)(20)(a) of this section for a taxable year, deduct one 6978 of the following: 6979

(i) One-fifth of the amount so added for each of the five
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 succeeding taxable years if the amount so added was five-sixths of
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 qualifying section 179 depreciation expense or depreciation
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 expense allowed by subsection (k) of section 168 of the Internal
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 Revenue Code;

(ii) One-half of the amount so added for each of the two
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 succeeding taxable years if the amount so added was two-thirds of
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 such depreciation expense;
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(iii) One-sixth of the amount so added for each of the six 6988 succeeding taxable years if the entire amount of such depreciation 6989 expense was so added. 6990

(b) If the amount deducted under division (A)(21)(a) of this 6991 section is attributable to an add-back allocated under division 6992 (A)(20)(c) of this section, the amount deducted shall be sitused 6993 to the same location. Otherwise, the add-back shall be apportioned 6994 using the apportionment factors for the taxable year in which the 6995 deduction is taken, subject to one or more of the four alternative 6996 methods of apportionment enumerated in section 5747.21 of the 6997 Revised Code. 6998

(c) No deduction is available under division (A)(21)(a) of 6999 this section with regard to any depreciation allowed by section 7000 168(k) of the Internal Revenue Code and by the qualifying section 7001 179 depreciation expense amount to the extent that such 7002 depreciation results in or increases a federal net operating loss 7003 carryback or carryforward. If no such deduction is available for a 7004 taxable year, the taxpayer may carry forward the amount not 7005 deducted in such taxable year to the next taxable year and add 7006 that amount to any deduction otherwise available under division 7007 (A)(21)(a) of this section for that next taxable year. The 7008 carryforward of amounts not so deducted shall continue until the 7009 entire addition required by division (A)(20)(a) of this section 7010 has been deducted. 7011

(d) No refund shall be allowed as a result of adjustments 7012 made by division (A)(21) of this section. 7013

(22) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7014 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7015 year, the amount the taxpayer received during the taxable year as 7016 reimbursement for life insurance premiums under section 5919.31 of 7017 the Revised Code. 7018

(23) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7019 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7020 year, the amount the taxpayer received during the taxable year as 7021 a death benefit paid by the adjutant general under section 5919.33 7022 of the Revised Code. 7023

(24) Deduct, to the extent included in federal adjusted gross 7024 income and not otherwise allowable as a deduction or exclusion in 7025 computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7026 year, military pay and allowances received by the taxpayer during 7027 the taxable year for active duty service in the United States 7028 army, air force, navy, marine corps, or coast guard or reserve 7029 components thereof or the national guard. The deduction may not be 7030 claimed for military pay and allowances received by the taxpayer 7031 while the taxpayer is stationed in this state. 7032

(25) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise allowable as a 7033 deduction or exclusion in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross 7034 income for the taxable year and not otherwise compensated for by 7035 any other source, the amount of qualified organ donation expenses 7036 incurred by the taxpayer during the taxable year, not to exceed 7037 ten thousand dollars. A taxpayer may deduct qualified organ 7038 donation expenses only once for all taxable years beginning with 7039 taxable years beginning in 2007. 7040

For the purposes of division (A)(25) of this section:

(a) "Human organ" means all or any portion of a human liver, 7042 pancreas, kidney, intestine, or lung, and any portion of human 7043 bone marrow. 7044

(b) "Qualified organ donation expenses" means travel 7045 expenses, lodging expenses, and wages and salary forgone by a 7046 taxpayer in connection with the taxpayer's donation, while living, 7047 of one or more of the taxpayer's human organs to another human 7048 being. 7049

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(26) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7050 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7051 year, amounts received by the taxpayer as retired military 7052 personnel pay for service in the United States army, navy, air 7053 force, coast guard, or marine corps or reserve components thereof, 7054 or the national guard, or received by the surviving spouse or 7055 former spouse of such a taxpayer under the survivor benefit plan 7056 on account of such a taxpayer's death. If the taxpayer receives 7057 income on account of retirement paid under the federal civil 7058 service retirement system or federal employees retirement system, 7059 or under any successor retirement program enacted by the congress 7060 of the United States that is established and maintained for 7061 retired employees of the United States government, and such 7062 retirement income is based, in whole or in part, on credit for the 7063 taxpayer's military service, the deduction allowed under this 7064 division shall include only that portion of such retirement income 7065 that is attributable to the taxpayer's military service, to the 7066 extent that portion of such retirement income is otherwise 7067 included in federal adjusted gross income and is not otherwise 7068 deducted under this section. Any amount deducted under division 7069 (A)(26) of this section is not included in a taxpayer's adjusted 7070 gross income for the purposes of section 5747.055 of the Revised 7071 7072 Code. No amount may be deducted under division (A)(26) of this section on the basis of which a credit was claimed under section 7073 5747.055 of the Revised Code. 7074

(27) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7075 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7076 year, the amount the taxpayer received during the taxable year 7077 from the military injury relief fund created in section 5101.98 of 7078 the Revised Code. 7079

(28) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7080 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7081 year, the amount the taxpayer received as a veterans bonus during 7082 the taxable year from the Ohio department of veterans services as 7083 authorized by Section 2r of Article VIII, Ohio Constitution. 7084

(29) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7085 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7086 year, any loss from wagering transactions that is allowed as an 7087 itemized deduction under section 165 of the Internal Revenue Code 7088 and that the taxpayer deducted in computing federal taxable 7089 income. 7090

(30) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7091 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7092 year, any income derived from providing public services under a 7093 contract through a project owned by the state, as described in 7094 section 126.604 of the Revised Code or derived from a transfer 7095 agreement or from the enterprise transferred under that agreement 7096 under section 4313.02 of the Revised Code. 7097

(31) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7098 in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable 7099 year, Ohio college opportunity or federal Pell grant amounts 7100 received by the taxpayer or the taxpayer's spouse or dependent 7101 pursuant to section 3333.122 of the Revised Code or 20 U.S.C. 7102 1070a, et seq., and used to pay room or board furnished by the 7103 educational institution for which the grant was awarded at the 7104 institution's facilities, including meal plans administered by the 7105 institution. For the purposes of this division, receipt of a grant 7106 includes the distribution of a grant directly to an educational 7107 institution and the crediting of the grant to the enrollee's 7108 account with the institution. 7109

(32) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded7110in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income for the taxable7111year, income a qualifying landlord received from the lease or7112rental of qualifying residential rental property during the first7113

taxable year in which the qualifying landlord received rental	7114
income from the property and during the four succeeding years.	7115
For purposes of division (A)(32) of this section:	7116
(a) "Distressed property" means real property that is vacant,	7117
abandoned, foreclosed-upon, or located in a blighted area and that	7118
is not currently in use as residential rental property.	7119
(b) "Blighted area" has the same meaning as in section 1.08	7120
of the Revised Code.	7121
(c) "Residential rental property" means real property on	7122
which is located one or more dwelling units leased or otherwise	7123
rented to tenants solely for residential use by those tenants.	7124
(d) "Qualifying residential rental property" means	7125
residential rental property that is leased or otherwise rented	7126
exclusively to individuals or families whose annual incomes do not	7127
exceed one hundred twenty per cent of the median income for the	7128
county in which they live, as determined by the development	7129
services agency under section 174.04 of the Revised Code.	7130
(e) "Qualifying landlord" means a taxpayer that converts	7131
distressed property into qualifying residential rental property.	7132
(B) "Business income" means income, including gain or loss,	7133
arising from transactions, activities, and sources in the regular	7134
course of a trade or business and includes income, gain, or loss	7135
from real property, tangible property, and intangible property if	7136
the acquisition, rental, management, and disposition of the	7137
property constitute integral parts of the regular course of a	7138
trade or business operation. "Business income" includes income,	7139
including gain or loss, from a partial or complete liquidation of	7140
a business, including, but not limited to, gain or loss from the	7141
sale or other disposition of goodwill.	7142

(C) "Nonbusiness income" means all income other than business 7143

income and may include, but is not limited to, compensation, rents 7144 and royalties from real or tangible personal property, capital 7145 gains, interest, dividends and distributions, patent or copyright 7146 royalties, or lottery winnings, prizes, and awards. 7147

(D) "Compensation" means any form of remuneration paid to an 7148 employee for personal services.

(E) "Fiduciary" means a guardian, trustee, executor, 7150 administrator, receiver, conservator, or any other person acting 7151 in any fiduciary capacity for any individual, trust, or estate. 7152

(F) "Fiscal year" means an accounting period of twelve months 7153 ending on the last day of any month other than December. 7154

(G) "Individual" means any natural person. 7155

(H) "Internal Revenue Code" means the "Internal Revenue Code 7156 of 1986," 100 Stat. 2085, 26 U.S.C.A. 1, as amended. 7157

(I) "Resident" means any of the following, provided that 7158 division (I)(3) of this section applies only to taxable years of a 7159 trust beginning in 2002 or thereafter: 7160

(1) An individual who is domiciled in this state, subject to 7161 section 5747.24 of the Revised Code; 7162

(2) The estate of a decedent who at the time of death was 7163 domiciled in this state. The domicile tests of section 5747.24 of 7164 the Revised Code are not controlling for purposes of division 7165 (I)(2) of this section. 7166

(3) A trust that, in whole or part, resides in this state. If 7167 only part of a trust resides in this state, the trust is a 7168 resident only with respect to that part. 7169

For the purposes of division (I)(3) of this section: 7170

(a) A trust resides in this state for the trust's current 7171 taxable year to the extent, as described in division (I)(3)(d) of 7172 this section, that the trust consists directly or indirectly, in 7173

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whole or in part, of assets, net of any related liabilities, that 7174
were transferred, or caused to be transferred, directly or 7175
indirectly, to the trust by any of the following: 7176
 (i) A person, a court, or a governmental entity or 7177
instrumentality on account of the death of a decedent, but only if 7178
the trust is described in division (I)(3)(e)(i) or (ii) of this 7179

(ii) A person who was domiciled in this state for the 7181 purposes of this chapter when the person directly or indirectly 7182 transferred assets to an irrevocable trust, but only if at least 7183 one of the trust's qualifying beneficiaries is domiciled in this 7184 state for the purposes of this chapter during all or some portion 7185 of the trust's current taxable year; 7186

(iii) A person who was domiciled in this state for the 7187 purposes of this chapter when the trust document or instrument or 7188 part of the trust document or instrument became irrevocable, but 7189 only if at least one of the trust's qualifying beneficiaries is a 7190 resident domiciled in this state for the purposes of this chapter 7191 during all or some portion of the trust's current taxable year. If 7192 a trust document or instrument became irrevocable upon the death 7193 of a person who at the time of death was domiciled in this state 7194 for purposes of this chapter, that person is a person described in 7195 division (I)(3)(a)(iii) of this section. 7196

(b) A trust is irrevocable to the extent that the transferor 7197 is not considered to be the owner of the net assets of the trust 7198 under sections 671 to 678 of the Internal Revenue Code. 7199

(c) With respect to a trust other than a charitable lead 7200
trust, "qualifying beneficiary" has the same meaning as "potential 7201
current beneficiary" as defined in section 1361(e)(2) of the 7202
Internal Revenue Code, and with respect to a charitable lead trust 7203
"qualifying beneficiary" is any current, future, or contingent 7204

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beneficiary, but with respect to any trust "qualifying 7205
beneficiary" excludes a person or a governmental entity or 7206
instrumentality to any of which a contribution would qualify for 7207
the charitable deduction under section 170 of the Internal Revenue 7208
Code. 7209

(d) For the purposes of division (I)(3)(a) of this section, 7210 the extent to which a trust consists directly or indirectly, in 7211 whole or in part, of assets, net of any related liabilities, that 7212 were transferred directly or indirectly, in whole or part, to the 7213 trust by any of the sources enumerated in that division shall be 7214 ascertained by multiplying the fair market value of the trust's 7215 assets, net of related liabilities, by the qualifying ratio, which 7216 shall be computed as follows: 7217

(i) The first time the trust receives assets, the numerator 7218
of the qualifying ratio is the fair market value of those assets 7219
at that time, net of any related liabilities, from sources 7220
enumerated in division (I)(3)(a) of this section. The denominator 7221
of the qualifying ratio is the fair market value of all the 7222
trust's assets at that time, net of any related liabilities. 7223

(ii) Each subsequent time the trust receives assets, a 7224 revised qualifying ratio shall be computed. The numerator of the 7225 revised qualifying ratio is the sum of (1) the fair market value 7226 of the trust's assets immediately prior to the subsequent 7227 transfer, net of any related liabilities, multiplied by the 7228 qualifying ratio last computed without regard to the subsequent 7229 transfer, and (2) the fair market value of the subsequently 7230 transferred assets at the time transferred, net of any related 7231 liabilities, from sources enumerated in division (I)(3)(a) of this 7232 section. The denominator of the revised qualifying ratio is the 7233 fair market value of all the trust's assets immediately after the 7234 subsequent transfer, net of any related liabilities. 7235

(iii) Whether a transfer to the trust is by or from any of 7236

the sources enumerated in division (I)(3)(a) of this section shall	7237
be ascertained without regard to the domicile of the trust's	7238
beneficiaries.	7239
(e) For the purposes of division (I)(3)(a)(i) of this	7240
section:	7241
(i) A trust is described in division (I)(3)(e)(i) of this	7242
section if the trust is a testamentary trust and the testator of	7243
that testamentary trust was domiciled in this state at the time of	7244
the testator's death for purposes of the taxes levied under	7245
Chapter 5731. of the Revised Code.	7246
(ii) A trust is described in division (I)(3)(e)(ii) of this	7247
section if the transfer is a qualifying transfer described in any	7248
of divisions (I)(3)(f)(i) to (vi) of this section, the trust is an	7249
irrevocable inter vivos trust, and at least one of the trust's	7250
qualifying beneficiaries is domiciled in this state for purposes	7251
of this chapter during all or some portion of the trust's current	7252
taxable year.	7253
(f) For the purposes of division (I)(3)(e)(ii) of this	7254
section, a "qualifying transfer" is a transfer of assets, net of	7255
any related liabilities, directly or indirectly to a trust, if the	7256
transfer is described in any of the following:	7257

(i) The transfer is made to a trust, created by the decedent 7258 before the decedent's death and while the decedent was domiciled 7259 in this state for the purposes of this chapter, and, prior to the 7260 death of the decedent, the trust became irrevocable while the 7261 decedent was domiciled in this state for the purposes of this 7262 chapter. 7263

(ii) The transfer is made to a trust to which the decedent, 7264
prior to the decedent's death, had directly or indirectly 7265
transferred assets, net of any related liabilities, while the 7266
decedent was domiciled in this state for the purposes of this 7267

chapter, and prior to the death of the decedent the trust became 7268 irrevocable while the decedent was domiciled in this state for the 7269 purposes of this chapter. 7270 (iii) The transfer is made on account of a contractual 7271 relationship existing directly or indirectly between the 7272 transferor and either the decedent or the estate of the decedent 7273 at any time prior to the date of the decedent's death, and the 7274 decedent was domiciled in this state at the time of death for 7275 purposes of the taxes levied under Chapter 5731. of the Revised 7276 Code. 7277 (iv) The transfer is made to a trust on account of a 7278 contractual relationship existing directly or indirectly between 7279 the transferor and another person who at the time of the 7280 decedent's death was domiciled in this state for purposes of this 7281 7282 chapter. (v) The transfer is made to a trust on account of the will of 7283 a testator who was domiciled in this state at the time of the 7284 testator's death for purposes of the taxes levied under Chapter 7285 5731. of the Revised Code. 7286 (vi) The transfer is made to a trust created by or caused to 7287 be created by a court, and the trust was directly or indirectly 7288 created in connection with or as a result of the death of an 7289 individual who, for purposes of the taxes levied under Chapter 7290 5731. of the Revised Code, was domiciled in this state at the time 7291 of the individual's death. 7292 (g) The tax commissioner may adopt rules to ascertain the 7293 part of a trust residing in this state. 7294 (J) "Nonresident" means an individual or estate that is not a 7295

resident. An individual who is a resident for only part of a 7296 taxable year is a nonresident for the remainder of that taxable 7297 year. 7298

(K) "Pass-through entity" has the same meaning as in section	7299
5733.04 of the Revised Code.	7300
(L) "Return" means the notifications and reports required to	7301
be filed pursuant to this chapter for the purpose of reporting the	7302
tax due and includes declarations of estimated tax when so	7303
required.	7304
(M) "Taxable year" means the calendar year or the taxpayer's	7305
fiscal year ending during the calendar year, or fractional part	7306
thereof, upon which the adjusted gross income is calculated	7307
pursuant to this chapter.	7308
(N) "Taxpayer" means any person subject to the tax imposed by	7309
section 5747.02 of the Revised Code or any pass-through entity	7310
that makes the election under division (D) of section 5747.08 of	7311
the Revised Code.	7312
(0) "Dependents" means dependents as defined in the Internal	7313

Revenue Code and as claimed in the taxpayer's federal income tax 7314 return for the taxable year or which the taxpayer would have been 7315 permitted to claim had the taxpayer filed a federal income tax 7316 return. 7317

(P) "Principal county of employment" means, in the case of a 7318 nonresident, the county within the state in which a taxpayer 7319 performs services for an employer or, if those services are 7320 performed in more than one county, the county in which the major 7321 portion of the services are performed. 7322

(Q) As used in sections 5747.50 to 5747.55 of the Revised 7323 Code: 7324

(1) "Subdivision" means any county, municipal corporation, 7325park district, or township. 7326

(2) "Essential local government purposes" includes allfunctions that any subdivision is required by general law to7328

exercise, including like functions that are exercised under a 7329 charter adopted pursuant to the Ohio Constitution. 7330

(R) "Overpayment" means any amount already paid that exceeds 7331the figure determined to be the correct amount of the tax. 7332

(S) "Taxable income" or "Ohio taxable income" applies only to
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 estates and trusts, and means federal taxable income, as defined
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 and used in the Internal Revenue Code, adjusted as follows:
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(1) Add interest or dividends, net of ordinary, necessary, 7336 and reasonable expenses not deducted in computing federal taxable 7337 income, on obligations or securities of any state or of any 7338 political subdivision or authority of any state, other than this 7339 state and its subdivisions and authorities, but only to the extent 7340 that such net amount is not otherwise includible in Ohio taxable 7341 income and is described in either division (S)(1)(a) or (b) of 7342 this section: 7343

(a) The net amount is not attributable to the S portion of an 7344
electing small business trust and has not been distributed to 7345
beneficiaries for the taxable year; 7346

(b) The net amount is attributable to the S portion of an7347electing small business trust for the taxable year.7348

(2) Add interest or dividends, net of ordinary, necessary, 7349 and reasonable expenses not deducted in computing federal taxable 7350 income, on obligations of any authority, commission, 7351 instrumentality, territory, or possession of the United States to 7352 the extent that the interest or dividends are exempt from federal 7353 income taxes but not from state income taxes, but only to the 7354 extent that such net amount is not otherwise includible in Ohio 7355 taxable income and is described in either division (S)(1)(a) or 7356 (b) of this section; 7357

(3) Add the amount of personal exemption allowed to the7358estate pursuant to section 642(b) of the Internal Revenue Code;7359

(4) Deduct interest or dividends, net of related expenses 7360 deducted in computing federal taxable income, on obligations of 7361 the United States and its territories and possessions or of any 7362 authority, commission, or instrumentality of the United States to 7363 the extent that the interest or dividends are exempt from state 7364 taxes under the laws of the United States, but only to the extent 7365 that such amount is included in federal taxable income and is 7366 described in either division (S)(1)(a) or (b) of this section; 7367

(5) Deduct the amount of wages and salaries, if any, not 7368 otherwise allowable as a deduction but that would have been 7369 allowable as a deduction in computing federal taxable income for 7370 the taxable year, had the targeted jobs credit allowed under 7371 sections 38, 51, and 52 of the Internal Revenue Code not been in 7372 effect, but only to the extent such amount relates either to 7373 income included in federal taxable income for the taxable year or 7374 to income of the S portion of an electing small business trust for 7375 the taxable year; 7376

(6) Deduct any interest or interest equivalent, net of 7377 related expenses deducted in computing federal taxable income, on 7378 public obligations and purchase obligations, but only to the 7379 extent that such net amount relates either to income included in 7380 federal taxable income for the taxable year or to income of the S 7381 portion of an electing small business trust for the taxable year; 7382

(7) Add any loss or deduct any gain resulting from sale,
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(8) Except in the case of the final return of an estate, add
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any amount deducted by the taxpayer on both its Ohio estate tax
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return pursuant to section 5731.14 of the Revised Code, and on its
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federal income tax return in determining federal taxable income;
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(9)(a) Deduct any amount included in federal taxable income 7392 solely because the amount represents a reimbursement or refund of 7393 expenses that in a previous year the decedent had deducted as an 7394 itemized deduction pursuant to section 63 of the Internal Revenue 7395 Code and applicable treasury regulations. The deduction otherwise 7396 allowed under division (S)(9)(a) of this section shall be reduced 7397 to the extent the reimbursement is attributable to an amount the 7398 taxpayer or decedent deducted under this section in any taxable 7399 year. 7400

(b) Add any amount not otherwise included in Ohio taxable 7401 income for any taxable year to the extent that the amount is 7402 attributable to the recovery during the taxable year of any amount 7403 deducted or excluded in computing federal or Ohio taxable income 7404 in any taxable year, but only to the extent such amount has not 7405 been distributed to beneficiaries for the taxable year. 7406

(10) Deduct any portion of the deduction described in section 7407 1341(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, for repaying previously 7408 reported income received under a claim of right, that meets both 7409 of the following requirements: 7410

(a) It is allowable for repayment of an item that was 7411 included in the taxpayer's taxable income or the decedent's 7412 adjusted gross income for a prior taxable year and did not qualify 7413 for a credit under division (A) or (B) of section 5747.05 of the 7414 Revised Code for that year. 7415

(b) It does not otherwise reduce the taxpayer's taxable 7416 income or the decedent's adjusted gross income for the current or 7417 any other taxable year. 7418

(11) Add any amount claimed as a credit under section 7419 5747.059 or 5747.65 of the Revised Code to the extent that the 7420 amount satisfies either of the following: 7421

(a) The amount was deducted or excluded from the computation 7422

of the taxpayer's federal taxable income as required to be 7423 reported for the taxpayer's taxable year under the Internal 7424 Revenue Code; 7425

(b) The amount resulted in a reduction in the taxpayer's 7426
federal taxable income as required to be reported for any of the 7427
taxpayer's taxable years under the Internal Revenue Code. 7428

(12) Deduct any amount, net of related expenses deducted in 7429 computing federal taxable income, that a trust is required to 7430 report as farm income on its federal income tax return, but only 7431 if the assets of the trust include at least ten acres of land 7432 satisfying the definition of "land devoted exclusively to 7433 agricultural use" under section 5713.30 of the Revised Code, 7434 regardless of whether the land is valued for tax purposes as such 7435 land under sections 5713.30 to 5713.38 of the Revised Code. If the 7436 trust is a pass-through entity investor, section 5747.231 of the 7437 Revised Code applies in ascertaining if the trust is eligible to 7438 claim the deduction provided by division (S)(12) of this section 7439 in connection with the pass-through entity's farm income. 7440

Except for farm income attributable to the S portion of an 7441 electing small business trust, the deduction provided by division 7442 (S)(12) of this section is allowed only to the extent that the 7443 trust has not distributed such farm income. Division (S)(12) of 7444 this section applies only to taxable years of a trust beginning in 7445 2002 or thereafter. 7446

(13) Add the net amount of income described in section 641(c) 7447 of the Internal Revenue Code to the extent that amount is not 7448 included in federal taxable income. 7449

(14) Add or deduct the amount the taxpayer would be required 7450 to add or deduct under division (A)(20) or (21) of this section if 7451 the taxpayer's Ohio taxable income were computed in the same 7452 manner as an individual's Ohio adjusted gross income is computed 7453 under this section. In the case of a trust, division (S)(14) of7454this section applies only to any of the trust's taxable years7455beginning in 2002 or thereafter.7456

(15) Deduct, to the extent not otherwise deducted or excluded 7457 in computing federal or Ohio taxable income for the taxable year, 7458 income a qualifying landlord received from the lease or rental of 7459 qualifying residential rental property during the first taxable 7460 year in which the qualifying landlord received rental income from 7461 the property and during the four succeeding years. As used in this 7462 division, "qualifying landlord" and "qualifying residential rental 7463 property" have the same meanings as in division (A)(32) of this 7464 section. 7465

(16) For a taxpayer that provides broadband service, deduct 7466 the taxpayer's net profits from providing broadband service in 7467 this state multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the 7468 original cost of tangible personal property necessary for the 7469 provision of broadband service in rural areas of this state 7470 installed on or after the effective date of this amendment, and 7471 the denominator of which is the original cost of tangible personal 7472 property necessary for the provision of broadband service in this 7473 state and installed on or after that date. A taxpayer that is an 7474 equity owner of a pass-through entity that provides broadband 7475 service may deduct the taxpayer's distributive or proportionate 7476 share of the entity's net profits from providing such service 7477 multiplied by that fraction. A deduction is not allowed under this 7478 division if the taxpayer claims the exclusion under division 7479 (F)(2)(11) of section 5751.01 of the Revised Code for any tax 7480 period that is included partly or wholly in the taxable year. For 7481 the purposes of this division, "broadband service" and "rural 7482 area" have the same meanings as in 7 U.S.C. 950bb. 7483

(T) "School district income" and "school district income tax" 7484 have the same meanings as in section 5748.01 of the Revised Code. 7485

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(U) As used in divisions (A)(8), (A)(9), (S)(6), and (S)(7) 7486 of this section, "public obligations," "purchase obligations," and 7487 "interest or interest equivalent" have the same meanings as in 7488 section 5709.76 of the Revised Code. 7489

(V) "Limited liability company" means any limited liability 7490
 company formed under Chapter 1705. of the Revised Code or under 7491
 the laws of any other state. 7492

(W) "Pass-through entity investor" means any person who,
during any portion of a taxable year of a pass-through entity, is
a partner, member, shareholder, or equity investor in that
pass-through entity.

(X) "Banking day" has the same meaning as in section 1304.01 7497of the Revised Code. 7498

(Y) "Month" means a calendar month.

(Z) "Quarter" means the first three months, the second three 7500 months, the third three months, or the last three months of the 7501 taxpayer's taxable year.

(AA)(1) "Eligible institution" means a state university or 7503 state institution of higher education as defined in section 7504 3345.011 of the Revised Code, or a private, nonprofit college, 7505 university, or other post-secondary institution located in this 7506 state that possesses a certificate of authorization issued by the 7507 Ohio board of regents pursuant to Chapter 1713. of the Revised 7508 Code or a certificate of registration issued by the state board of 7509 career colleges and schools under Chapter 3332. of the Revised 7510 Code. 7511

(2) "Qualified tuition and fees" means tuition and fees 7512 imposed by an eligible institution as a condition of enrollment or 7513 attendance, not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars in 7514 each of the individual's first two years of post-secondary 7515 education. If the individual is a part-time student, "qualified 7516 tuition and fees" includes tuition and fees paid for the academic 7517 equivalent of the first two years of post-secondary education 7518 during a maximum of five taxable years, not exceeding a total of 7519 five thousand dollars. "Qualified tuition and fees" does not 7520 include: 7521

(a) Expenses for any course or activity involving sports,
games, or hobbies unless the course or activity is part of the
individual's degree or diploma program;
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(b) The cost of books, room and board, student activity fees, 7525
 athletic fees, insurance expenses, or other expenses unrelated to 7526
 the individual's academic course of instruction; 7527

(c) Tuition, fees, or other expenses paid or reimbursed
through an employer, scholarship, grant in aid, or other
educational benefit program.
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(BB)(1) "Modified business income" means the business income 7531 included in a trust's Ohio taxable income after such taxable 7532 income is first reduced by the qualifying trust amount, if any. 7533

(2) "Qualifying trust amount" of a trust means capital gains 7534 and losses from the sale, exchange, or other disposition of equity 7535 or ownership interests in, or debt obligations of, a qualifying 7536 investee to the extent included in the trust's Ohio taxable 7537 income, but only if the following requirements are satisfied: 7538

(a) The book value of the qualifying investee's physical
assets in this state and everywhere, as of the last day of the
qualifying investee's fiscal or calendar year ending immediately
prior to the date on which the trust recognizes the gain or loss,
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is available to the trust.

(b) The requirements of section 5747.011 of the Revised Code 7544
 are satisfied for the trust's taxable year in which the trust 7545
 recognizes the gain or loss. 7546

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modified business income, qualifying investment income, or 7548 modified nonbusiness income, as the case may be. 7549 (3) "Modified nonbusiness income" means a trust's Ohio 7550 taxable income other than modified business income, other than the 7551 qualifying trust amount, and other than qualifying investment 7552 income, as defined in section 5747.012 of the Revised Code, to the 7553 extent such qualifying investment income is not otherwise part of 7554 modified business income. 7555 7556 (4) "Modified Ohio taxable income" applies only to trusts, and means the sum of the amounts described in divisions (BB)(4)(a) 7557 to (c) of this section: 7558 (a) The fraction, calculated under section 5747.013, and 7559 applying section 5747.231 of the Revised Code, multiplied by the 7560 sum of the following amounts: 7561 (i) The trust's modified business income; 7562 (ii) The trust's qualifying investment income, as defined in 7563 section 5747.012 of the Revised Code, but only to the extent the 7564 qualifying investment income does not otherwise constitute 7565 modified business income and does not otherwise constitute a 7566 qualifying trust amount. 7567 (b) The qualifying trust amount multiplied by a fraction, the 7568 numerator of which is the sum of the book value of the qualifying 7569 investee's physical assets in this state on the last day of the 7570 qualifying investee's fiscal or calendar year ending immediately 7571 prior to the day on which the trust recognizes the qualifying 7572 trust amount, and the denominator of which is the sum of the book 7573 value of the qualifying investee's total physical assets 7574 everywhere on the last day of the qualifying investee's fiscal or 7575 calendar year ending immediately prior to the day on which the 7576 trust recognizes the qualifying trust amount. If, for a taxable 7577

Any gain or loss that is not a qualifying trust amount is

year, the trust recognizes a qualifying trust amount with respect 7578
to more than one qualifying investee, the amount described in 7579
division (BB)(4)(b) of this section shall equal the sum of the 7580
products so computed for each such qualifying investee. 7581

(c)(i) With respect to a trust or portion of a trust that is 7582 a resident as ascertained in accordance with division (I)(3)(d) of 7583 this section, its modified nonbusiness income. 7584

(ii) With respect to a trust or portion of a trust that is 7585 not a resident as ascertained in accordance with division 7586 (I)(3)(d) of this section, the amount of its modified nonbusiness 7587 income satisfying the descriptions in divisions (B)(2) to (5) of 7588 section 5747.20 of the Revised Code, except as otherwise provided 7589 in division (BB)(4)(c)(ii) of this section. With respect to a 7590 trust or portion of a trust that is not a resident as ascertained 7591 in accordance with division (I)(3)(d) of this section, the trust's 7592 portion of modified nonbusiness income recognized from the sale, 7593 exchange, or other disposition of a debt interest in or equity 7594 interest in a section 5747.212 entity, as defined in section 7595 5747.212 of the Revised Code, without regard to division (A) of 7596 that section, shall not be allocated to this state in accordance 7597 with section 5747.20 of the Revised Code but shall be apportioned 7598 to this state in accordance with division (B) of section 5747.212 7599 of the Revised Code without regard to division (A) of that 7600 section. 7601

If the allocation and apportionment of a trust's income under 7602 divisions (BB)(4)(a) and (c) of this section do not fairly 7603 represent the modified Ohio taxable income of the trust in this 7604 state, the alternative methods described in division (C) of 7605 section 5747.21 of the Revised Code may be applied in the manner 7606 and to the same extent provided in that section. 7607

(5)(a) Except as set forth in division (BB)(5)(b) of this 7608
section, "qualifying investee" means a person in which a trust has 7609

an equity or ownership interest, or a person or unit of government 7610 the debt obligations of either of which are owned by a trust. For 7611 the purposes of division (BB)(2)(a) of this section and for the 7612 purpose of computing the fraction described in division (BB)(4)(b) 7613 of this section, all of the following apply: 7614

(i) If the qualifying investee is a member of a qualifying
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controlled group on the last day of the qualifying investee's
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fiscal or calendar year ending immediately prior to the date on
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which the trust recognizes the gain or loss, then "qualifying
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investee" includes all persons in the qualifying controlled group
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on such last day.

(ii) If the qualifying investee, or if the qualifying 7621 investee and any members of the qualifying controlled group of 7622 which the qualifying investee is a member on the last day of the 7623 qualifying investee's fiscal or calendar year ending immediately 7624 prior to the date on which the trust recognizes the gain or loss, 7625 separately or cumulatively own, directly or indirectly, on the 7626 last day of the qualifying investee's fiscal or calendar year 7627 ending immediately prior to the date on which the trust recognizes 7628 the qualifying trust amount, more than fifty per cent of the 7629 equity of a pass-through entity, then the qualifying investee and 7630 the other members are deemed to own the proportionate share of the 7631 pass-through entity's physical assets which the pass-through 7632 entity directly or indirectly owns on the last day of the 7633 pass-through entity's calendar or fiscal year ending within or 7634 with the last day of the qualifying investee's fiscal or calendar 7635 year ending immediately prior to the date on which the trust 7636 recognizes the qualifying trust amount. 7637

(iii) For the purposes of division (BB)(5)(a)(iii) of this 7638 section, "upper level pass-through entity" means a pass-through 7639 entity directly or indirectly owning any equity of another 7640 pass-through entity, and "lower level pass-through entity" means 7641 that other pass-through entity.

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An upper level pass-through entity, whether or not it is also 7643 a qualifying investee, is deemed to own, on the last day of the 7644 upper level pass-through entity's calendar or fiscal year, the 7645 proportionate share of the lower level pass-through entity's 7646 physical assets that the lower level pass-through entity directly 7647 or indirectly owns on the last day of the lower level pass-through 7648 entity's calendar or fiscal year ending within or with the last 7649 day of the upper level pass-through entity's fiscal or calendar 7650 year. If the upper level pass-through entity directly and 7651 indirectly owns less than fifty per cent of the equity of the 7652 lower level pass-through entity on each day of the upper level 7653 pass-through entity's calendar or fiscal year in which or with 7654 which ends the calendar or fiscal year of the lower level 7655 pass-through entity and if, based upon clear and convincing 7656 evidence, complete information about the location and cost of the 7657 physical assets of the lower pass-through entity is not available 7658 to the upper level pass-through entity, then solely for purposes 7659 of ascertaining if a gain or loss constitutes a qualifying trust 7660 amount, the upper level pass-through entity shall be deemed as 7661 owning no equity of the lower level pass-through entity for each 7662 day during the upper level pass-through entity's calendar or 7663 fiscal year in which or with which ends the lower level 7664 pass-through entity's calendar or fiscal year. Nothing in division 7665 (BB)(5)(a)(iii) of this section shall be construed to provide for 7666 any deduction or exclusion in computing any trust's Ohio taxable 7667 income. 7668

(b) With respect to a trust that is not a resident for the 7669 taxable year and with respect to a part of a trust that is not a 7670 resident for the taxable year, "qualifying investee" for that 7671 taxable year does not include a C corporation if both of the 7672 following apply: 7673

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(i) During the taxable year the trust or part of the trust 7674 recognizes a gain or loss from the sale, exchange, or other 7675 disposition of equity or ownership interests in, or debt 7676 obligations of, the C corporation. 7677 (ii) Such gain or loss constitutes nonbusiness income. 7678 (6) "Available" means information is such that a person is 7679 able to learn of the information by the due date plus extensions, 7680 if any, for filing the return for the taxable year in which the 7681 trust recognizes the gain or loss. 7682 (CC) "Qualifying controlled group" has the same meaning as in 7683 section 5733.04 of the Revised Code. 7684 (DD) "Related member" has the same meaning as in section 7685 5733.042 of the Revised Code. 7686 (EE)(1) For the purposes of division (EE) of this section: 7687 (a) "Qualifying person" means any person other than a 7688 qualifying corporation. 7689 (b) "Qualifying corporation" means any person classified for 7690 federal income tax purposes as an association taxable as a 7691 corporation, except either of the following: 7692 (i) A corporation that has made an election under subchapter 7693 S, chapter one, subtitle A, of the Internal Revenue Code for its 7694 taxable year ending within, or on the last day of, the investor's 7695 taxable year; 7696 (ii) A subsidiary that is wholly owned by any corporation 7697 that has made an election under subchapter S, chapter one, 7698 subtitle A of the Internal Revenue Code for its taxable year 7699

(2) For the purposes of this chapter, unless expressly stated
 otherwise, no qualifying person indirectly owns any asset directly
 or indirectly owned by any qualifying corporation.

ending within, or on the last day of, the investor's taxable year.

(FF) For purposes of this chapter and Chapter 5751. of the	7704
Revised Code:	7705
(1) "Trust" does not include a qualified pre-income tax	7706
trust.	7707
(2) A "qualified pre-income tax trust" is any pre-income tax	7708
trust that makes a qualifying pre-income tax trust election as	7709
described in division (FF)(3) of this section.	7710
(3) A "qualifying pre-income tax trust election" is an	7711
election by a pre-income tax trust to subject to the tax imposed	7712
by section 5751.02 of the Revised Code the pre-income tax trust	7713
and all pass-through entities of which the trust owns or controls,	7714
directly, indirectly, or constructively through related interests,	7715
five per cent or more of the ownership or equity interests. The	7716
trustee shall notify the tax commissioner in writing of the	7717
election on or before April 15, 2006. The election, if timely	7718
made, shall be effective on and after January 1, 2006, and shall	7719
apply for all tax periods and tax years until revoked by the	7720
trustee of the trust.	7721
(4) A "pre-income tax trust" is a trust that satisfies all of	7722
the following requirements:	7723
(a) The document or instrument creating the trust was	7724
executed by the grantor before January 1, 1972;	7725
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(b) The trust became irrevocable upon the creation of the	7726
trust; and	7727
(c) The grantor was domiciled in this state at the time the	7728
trust was created.	7729
Sec. 5747.61. (A) As used in this section:	7730
(1) "Qualified unemployed individual" means an individual who	7731
is subject to the tax imposed by section 5747.02 of the Revised	7732

Code, who was not a student for at least six months during the

one-year period preceding the date the employer hired the	7734
individual, and who was unemployed for at least six months during	7735
that one-year period.	7736
(2) "Qualified unemployed veteran" means a veteran who is	7737
subject to the tax imposed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code	7738
and who was unemployed for at least six months during the one-year	7739
period ending on the date the employer hired the veteran.	7740
(3) "Qualified unemployed disabled veteran" means a disabled	7741
veteran who is subject to the tax imposed by section 5747.02 of	7742
the Revised Code and who was unemployed for at least six months	7743
during the one-year period ending on the date the employer hired	7744
the disabled veteran.	7745
(4) "Student" means an individual enrolled at least half-time	7746
in a program that leads to a degree, certificate, or other	7747
recognized educational credential.	7748
(5) "Veteran" means an individual who was not serving	7749
extended active duty in the armed forces of the United States at	7750
any time during the sixty-day period ending on the day the	7751
individual was hired and who either (a) served on active military	7752
duty in the armed forces for more than one hundred eighty days and	7753
has not received a discharge or separation under dishonorable	7754
conditions, or (b) is a former member of the armed forces who has	7755
been discharged or released from active duty in the armed forces	7756
for a service-connected disability.	7757
(6) "Disabled veteran" means a veteran who is entitled to	7758
compensation for a disability recognized by the department of	7759
veteran affairs or department of defense as a service-connected	7760
disability. As used in this division, "compensation" means a	7761
monthly payment made by the United States secretary of veterans	7762
<u>affairs to a veteran.</u>	7763
(7) "Extended active duty" has the same meaning as in section	7764

51 of the Internal Revenue Code.

(8) "Service-connected disability" means a disability that	7766
was incurred or aggravated in line of duty in the active service	7767
to the armed forces of the United States.	7768

(9) "Credit period" means the period that begins on the7769effective date of the enactment of this section and ends on the7770earlier of the following dates:7771

(a) The last day of the sixth year after that effective date; 7772

(b) The last day of the first six-month period after that	7773
effective date during which the state unemployment rate remained	7774
equal to or less than six per cent for six consecutive months.	7775

(B)(1) There is hereby allowed a nonrefundable credit against	7776
the tax imposed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code for a	7777
taxpayer who meets all of the following criteria:	7778

(a) The taxpayer hires a qualified unemployed individual,7779qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled7780veteran during the credit period;7781

(b) The taxpayer deducts and withholds income tax from the7782compensation paid to the qualified unemployed individual,7783qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled7784veteran and remits such amounts under sections 5747.06 and 5747.077785of the Revised Code;7786

(c) The taxpayer employs the qualified unemployed individual,7787qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled7788veteran for a minimum of thirty-five hours per week for six7789consecutive months or, if the taxpayer terminates the qualified7790unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified7791unemployed disabled veteran within the first six months of7792employment, the termination is for good cause.7793

(2) The amount of the credit shall be as follows: 7794

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(a) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed individual, one	7795
thousand five hundred dollars.	7796
(b) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed veteran, two	7797
thousand dollars.	7798
(c) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed disabled	7799
veteran, two thousand five hundred dollars.	7800
The credit shall be claimed for the taxable year that	7801
includes the one hundred eightieth day after the qualified	7802
unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified	7803
unemployed disabled veteran is hired or the date on which the	7804
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qualified unemployed disabled veteran is terminated for good	7806
cause, whichever is earlier. The credit shall be claimed in the	7807
order required under section 5747.98 of the Revised Code. The	7808
amount of credit claimed may not exceed the tax otherwise due	7809
after allowing for all preceding credits in that order.	7810
<u>A credit may be claimed under this section or section 5751.55</u>	7811
of the Revised Code only once with respect to any particular	7812
qualified unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or	7813
qualified unemployed disabled veteran. A person that claims the	7814
credit under section 5751.55 of the Revised Code may not claim the	7815
credit under this section for the same qualified unemployed	7816
individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed	7817
<u>disabled</u> veteran.	7818
If an employer that qualifies for a credit under this section	7819
is a pass-through entity, a taxpayer that holds a direct or	7820
indirect interest in the pass-through entity may claim the	7821
taxpayer's distributive or proportionate share of the credit.	7822
(C) Not later than two years after the effective date of the	7823
enactment of this section, the tax commissioner shall submit to	7824
the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of	7825

representatives a comprehensive report on the tax credits	7826
authorized under this section and section 5751.55 of the Revised	7827
Code. The report shall provide an overview of the effectiveness of	7828
the tax credits, evaluate the costs and benefits of the tax credit	7829
program, and include information on the number of tax credits	7830
authorized, the number of employers claiming the tax credits, the	7831
fiscal impact of the tax credit program on the state budget, and	7832
any other information the commissioner considers relevant to the	7833
topics addressed in the report. The commissioner may request that	7834
any other appropriate state agency assist in the preparation of	7835
the report.	7836
<u>(D) The tax commissioner may require a taxpayer to furnish</u>	7837
any information necessary to support a claim for a credit under	7838
this section, and no credit shall be allowed unless such	7839
information is provided.	7840
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Sec. 5747.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	7841
calculating the amount of tax due under section 5747.02 of the	7842
Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits to which the	7843
taxpayer is entitled in the following order:	7844
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(1) The retirement income credit under division (B) of	
section 5747.055 of the Revised Code;	7846
(2) The senior citizen credit under division (C) of section	7847
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	7848
(3) The lump sum distribution credit under division (D) of	7849
section 5747.05 of the Revised Code;	7850
(4) The dependent case quedit under certice 5747 054 of the	7051
(4) The dependent care credit under section 5747.054 of the Revised Code;	7851
Revised Code,	7852
(5) The lump sum retirement income credit under division (C)	7853
of section 5747.055 of the Revised Code;	7854
(6) The lump sum retirement income credit under division (D)	7855

of section 5747.055 of the Revised Code;	7856
(7) The lump sum retirement income credit under division (E)	7857
of section 5747.055 of the Revised Code;	7858
(8) The low-income credit under section 5747.056 of the	7859
Revised Code;	7860
(9) The credit for displaced workers who pay for job training	7861
under section 5747.27 of the Revised Code;	7862
(10) The campaign contribution credit under section 5747.29	7863
of the Revised Code;	7864
(11) The twenty-dollar personal exemption credit under	7865
section 5747.022 of the Revised Code;	7866
$\frac{(12)(11)}{(11)}$ The joint filing credit under division (G) of	7867
section 5747.05 of the Revised Code;	7868
$\frac{(13)(12)}{(12)}$ The nonresident credit under division (A) of section	7869
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	7870
$\frac{(14)(13)}{(13)}$ The credit for a resident's out-of-state income	7871
under division (B) of section 5747.05 of the Revised Code;	7872
$\frac{(15)(14)}{(14)}$ The credit for employers that enter into agreements	7873
with child day-care centers under section 5747.34 of the Revised	7874
Code;	7875
$\frac{(16)}{(15)}$ The credit for employers that reimburse employee	7876
child care expenses under section 5747.36 of the Revised Code;	7877
$\frac{(17)(16)}{(16)}$ The credit for adoption of a minor child under	7878
section 5747.37 of the Revised Code;	7879
$\frac{(18)(17)}{(17)}$ The credit for purchases of lights and reflectors	7880
under section 5747.38 of the Revised Code;	7881
(19)(18) The nonrefundable job retention credit under	7882
division (B) of section 5747.058 of the Revised Code;	7883
(20) The credit for selling alternative fuel under section	7884

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5747.77 of the Revised Code;	7885
(21)(19) The nonrefundable credit for hiring a qualified	7886
<u>unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified</u>	7887
unemployed disabled veteran under section 5747.61 of the Revised	7888
<u>Code;</u>	7889
(20) The second credit for purchases of new manufacturing	7890
machinery and equipment and the credit for using Ohio coal under	7891
section 5747.31 of the Revised Code;	7892
(22)(21) The job training credit under section 5747.39 of the	7893
Revised Code;	7894
(23)(22) The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of	7895
the Revised Code;	7896
(24)(23) The credit for the eligible costs associated with a	7897
voluntary action under section 5747.32 of the Revised Code;	7898
(25)(24) The credit for employers that establish on-site	7899
child day-care centers under section 5747.35 of the Revised Code;	7900
(26) The ethanol plant investment credit under section	7901
5747.75 of the Revised Code;	7902
(27) The credit for purchases of qualifying grape production	7903
property under section 5747.28 of the Revised Code;	7904
(28)(25) The small business investment credit under section	7905
5747.81 of the Revised Code;	7906
(29)(26) The credit for research and development and	7907
technology transfer investors under section 5747.33 of the Revised	7908
Code;	7909
(30)(27) The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of	7910
the Revised Code;	7911
(31)(28) The research and development credit under section	7912
5747.331 of the Revised Code;	7913

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(32)(29) The credit for rehabilitating a historic building	7914
under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	7915
(33)(30) The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	7916
building under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	7917
(34)(31) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	7918
credit under division (A) of section 5747.058 of the Revised Code;	7919
(35)(32) The refundable credit for taxes paid by a qualifying	7920
entity granted under section 5747.059 of the Revised Code;	7921
(36)(33) The refundable credits for taxes paid by a	7922
qualifying pass-through entity granted under division (J) of	7923
section 5747.08 of the Revised Code;	7924
(37)(34) The refundable credit under section 5747.80 of the	7925
Revised Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture capital	7926
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	7927
(38)(35) The refundable motion picture production credit	7928
under section 5747.66 of the Revised Code.	7929
(39)(36) The refundable credit for financial institution	7930
taxes paid by a pass-through entity granted under section 5747.65	7931
of the Revised Code.	7932
(B) For any credit, except the refundable credits enumerated	7933
in this section and the credit granted under division (I) of	7934
section 5747.08 of the Revised Code, the amount of the credit for	7935
a taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any	7936
other credit that precedes it in the order required under this	7937
section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried	7938
forward if authorized under the section creating that credit.	7939
Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer to	7940
claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a	7941

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(A) "Person" means, but is not limited to, individuals, 7944 combinations of individuals of any form, receivers, assignees, 7945 trustees in bankruptcy, firms, companies, joint-stock companies, 7946 business trusts, estates, partnerships, limited liability 7947 partnerships, limited liability companies, associations, joint 7948 ventures, clubs, societies, for-profit corporations, S 7949 corporations, qualified subchapter S subsidiaries, qualified 7950 subchapter S trusts, trusts, entities that are disregarded for 7951 federal income tax purposes, and any other entities. 7952

(B) "Consolidated elected taxpayer" means a group of two or
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 more persons treated as a single taxpayer for purposes of this
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 chapter as the result of an election made under section 5751.011
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 of the Revised Code.
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(C) "Combined taxpayer" means a group of two or more persons
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 treated as a single taxpayer for purposes of this chapter under
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 section 5751.012 of the Revised Code.
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(D) "Taxpayer" means any person, or any group of persons in 7960
 the case of a consolidated elected taxpayer or combined taxpayer 7961
 treated as one taxpayer, required to register or pay tax under 7962
 this chapter. "Taxpayer" does not include excluded persons. 7963

(E) "Excluded person" means any of the following: 7964

(1) Any person with not more than one hundred fifty thousand
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dollars of taxable gross receipts during the calendar year.
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Division (E)(1) of this section does not apply to a person that is
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a member of a consolidated elected taxpayer;
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(2) A public utility that paid the excise tax imposed by 7969 section 5727.24 or 5727.30 of the Revised Code based on one or 7970 more measurement periods that include the entire tax period under 7971 this chapter, except that a public utility that is a combined 7972 company is a taxpayer with regard to the following gross receipts: 7973

(a) Taxable gross receipts directly attributed to a public 7974

(b) Taxable gross receipts that cannot be directly attributed 7978
to any activity, multiplied by a fraction whose numerator is the 7979
taxable gross receipts described in division (E)(2)(a) of this 7980
section and whose denominator is the total taxable gross receipts 7981
that can be directly attributed to any activity; 7982

(c) Except for any differences resulting from the use of an 7983 accrual basis method of accounting for purposes of determining 7984 gross receipts under this chapter and the use of the cash basis 7985 method of accounting for purposes of determining gross receipts 7986 under section 5727.24 of the Revised Code, the gross receipts 7987 directly attributed to the activity of a natural gas company shall 7988 be determined in a manner consistent with division (D) of section 7989 5727.03 of the Revised Code. 7990

As used in division (E)(2) of this section, "combined 7991 company" and "public utility" have the same meanings as in section 7992 5727.01 of the Revised Code. 7993

(3) A financial institution, as defined in section 5726.01 of 7994
the Revised Code, that paid the tax imposed by section 5726.02 of 7995
the Revised Code based on one or more taxable years that include 7996
the entire tax period under this chapter; 7997

(4) A person directly or indirectly owned by one or more
financial institutions, as defined in section 5726.01 of the
Revised Code, that paid the tax imposed by section 5726.02 of the
Revised Code based on one or more taxable years that include the
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entire tax period under this chapter.

For the purposes of division (E)(4) of this section, a person 8003 owns another person under the following circumstances: 8004

(a) In the case of corporations issuing capital stock, one 8005

corporation owns another corporation if it owns fifty per cent or 8006 more of the other corporation's capital stock with current voting 8007 rights; 8008

(b) In the case of a limited liability company, one person
owns the company if that person's membership interest, as defined
as defined</li

(c) In the case of a partnership, trust, or other 8014 unincorporated business organization other than a limited 8015 liability company, one person owns the organization if, under the 8016 articles of organization or other instrument governing the affairs 8017 of the organization, that person has a beneficial interest in the 8018 organization's profits, surpluses, losses, or distributions of 8019 fifty per cent or more of the combined beneficial interests of all 8020 persons having such an interest in the organization. 8021

(5) A domestic insurance company or foreign insurance 8022 company, as defined in section 5725.01 of the Revised Code, that 8023 paid the insurance company premiums tax imposed by section 5725.18 8024 or Chapter 5729. of the Revised Code, or an unauthorized insurance 8025 company whose gross premiums are subject to tax under section 8026 3905.36 of the Revised Code based on one or more measurement 8027 periods that include the entire tax period under this chapter; 8028

(6) A person that solely facilitates or services one or more 8029 securitizations of phase-in-recovery property pursuant to a final 8030 financing order as those terms are defined in section 4928.23 of 8031 the Revised Code. For purposes of this division, "securitization" 8032 means transferring one or more assets to one or more persons and 8033 then issuing securities backed by the right to receive payment 8034 from the asset or assets so transferred. 8035

(7) Except as otherwise provided in this division, a 8036

pre-income tax trust as defined in division (FF)(4) of section 8037 5747.01 of the Revised Code and any pass-through entity of which 8038 such pre-income tax trust owns or controls, directly, indirectly, 8039 or constructively through related interests, more than five per 8040 cent of the ownership or equity interests. If the pre-income tax 8041 trust has made a qualifying pre-income tax trust election under 8042 division (FF)(3) of section 5747.01 of the Revised Code, then the 8043 trust and the pass-through entities of which it owns or controls, 8044 directly, indirectly, or constructively through related interests, 8045 more than five per cent of the ownership or equity interests, 8046 shall not be excluded persons for purposes of the tax imposed 8047 under section 5751.02 of the Revised Code. 8048

(8) Nonprofit organizations or the state and its agencies, 8049 instrumentalities, or political subdivisions. 8050

(F) Except as otherwise provided in divisions (F)(2), (3), 8051 and (4) of this section, "gross receipts" means the total amount 8052 realized by a person, without deduction for the cost of goods sold 8053 or other expenses incurred, that contributes to the production of 8054 gross income of the person, including the fair market value of any 8055 property and any services received, and any debt transferred or 8056 forgiven as consideration. 8057

(1) The following are examples of gross receipts:

(a) Amounts realized from the sale, exchange, or other 8059 disposition of the taxpayer's property to or with another; 8060

(b) Amounts realized from the taxpayer's performance of 8061 services for another; 8062

(c) Amounts realized from another's use or possession of the 8063 8064 taxpayer's property or capital;

(d) Any combination of the foregoing amounts. 8065

(2) "Gross receipts" excludes the following amounts: 8066

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(a) Interest income except interest on credit sales; 8067

(b) Dividends and distributions from corporations, and 8068
distributive or proportionate shares of receipts and income from a 8069
pass-through entity as defined under section 5733.04 of the 8070
Revised Code; 8071

(c) Receipts from the sale, exchange, or other disposition of 8072 an asset described in section 1221 or 1231 of the Internal Revenue 8073 Code, without regard to the length of time the person held the 8074 asset. Notwithstanding section 1221 of the Internal Revenue Code, 8075 receipts from hedging transactions also are excluded to the extent 8076 the transactions are entered into primarily to protect a financial 8077 position, such as managing the risk of exposure to (i) foreign 8078 currency fluctuations that affect assets, liabilities, profits, 8079 losses, equity, or investments in foreign operations; (ii) 8080 interest rate fluctuations; or (iii) commodity price fluctuations. 8081 As used in division (F)(2)(c) of this section, "hedging 8082 transaction" has the same meaning as used in section 1221 of the 8083 Internal Revenue Code and also includes transactions accorded 8084 hedge accounting treatment under statement of financial accounting 8085 standards number 133 of the financial accounting standards board. 8086 For the purposes of division (F)(2)(c) of this section, the actual 8087 transfer of title of real or tangible personal property to another 8088 entity is not a hedging transaction. 8089

(d) Proceeds received attributable to the repayment, 8090
maturity, or redemption of the principal of a loan, bond, mutual 8091
fund, certificate of deposit, or marketable instrument; 8092

(e) The principal amount received under a repurchase
 agreement or on account of any transaction properly characterized
 as a loan to the person;
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(f) Contributions received by a trust, plan, or other8096arrangement, any of which is described in section 501(a) of the8097

Internal Revenue Code, or to which Title 26, Subtitle A, Chapter80981, Subchapter (D) of the Internal Revenue Code applies;8099

(q) Compensation, whether current or deferred, and whether in 8100 cash or in kind, received or to be received by an employee, former 8101 employee, or the employee's legal successor for services rendered 8102 to or for an employer, including reimbursements received by or for 8103 an individual for medical or education expenses, health insurance 8104 premiums, or employee expenses, or on account of a dependent care 8105 spending account, legal services plan, any cafeteria plan 8106 described in section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code, or any 8107 similar employee reimbursement; 8108

(h) Proceeds received from the issuance of the taxpayer's own 8109
stock, options, warrants, puts, or calls, or from the sale of the 8110
taxpayer's treasury stock; 8111

(i) Proceeds received on the account of payments from
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 insurance policies, except those proceeds received for the loss of
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 business revenue;
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(j) Gifts or charitable contributions received; membership 8115 dues received by trade, professional, homeowners', or condominium 8116 associations; and payments received for educational courses, 8117 meetings, meals, or similar payments to a trade, professional, or 8118 other similar association; and fundraising receipts received by 8119 any person when any excess receipts are donated or used 8120 exclusively for charitable purposes; 8121

(k) Damages received as the result of litigation in excess of 8122
 amounts that, if received without litigation, would be gross 8123
 receipts; 8124

(1) Property, money, and other amounts received or acquired 8125
by an agent on behalf of another in excess of the agent's 8126
commission, fee, or other remuneration; 8127

(m) Tax refunds, other tax benefit recoveries, and 8128

reimbursements for the tax imposed under this chapter made by	8129
entities that are part of the same combined taxpayer or	8130
consolidated elected taxpayer group, and reimbursements made by	8131
entities that are not members of a combined taxpayer or	8132
consolidated elected taxpayer group that are required to be made	8133
for economic parity among multiple owners of an entity whose tax	8134
obligation under this chapter is required to be reported and paid	8135
entirely by one owner, pursuant to the requirements of sections	8136
5751.011 and 5751.012 of the Revised Code;	8137
(n) Pension reversions;	8138
(o) Contributions to capital;	8139
(p) Sales or use taxes collected as a vendor or an	8140
out-of-state seller on behalf of the taxing jurisdiction from a	8141
consumer or other taxes the taxpayer is required by law to collect	8142
directly from a purchaser and remit to a local, state, or federal	8143
tax authority;	8144
(q) In the case of receipts from the sale of cigarettes or	8145
tobacco products by a wholesale dealer, retail dealer,	8146
distributor, manufacturer, or seller, all as defined in section	8147
5743.01 of the Revised Code, an amount equal to the federal and	8148
state excise taxes paid by any person on or for such cigarettes or	8149
tobacco products under subtitle E of the Internal Revenue Code or	8150
Chapter 5743. of the Revised Code;	8151
(r) In the case of receipts from the sale of motor fuel by a	8152
licensed motor fuel dealer, licensed retail dealer, or licensed	8153
permissive motor fuel dealer, all as defined in section 5735.01 of	8154
the Revised Code, an amount equal to federal and state excise	8155

taxes paid by any person on such motor fuel under section 4081 of 8156 the Internal Revenue Code or Chapter 5735. of the Revised Code; 8157

(s) In the case of receipts from the sale of beer or8158intoxicating liquor, as defined in section 4301.01 of the Revised8159

Code, by a person holding a permit issued under Chapter 4301. or81604303. of the Revised Code, an amount equal to federal and state8161excise taxes paid by any person on or for such beer or8162intoxicating liquor under subtitle E of the Internal Revenue Code8163or Chapter 4301. or 4305. of the Revised Code;8164

(t) Receipts realized by a new motor vehicle dealer or used 8165 motor vehicle dealer, as defined in section 4517.01 of the Revised 8166 Code, from the sale or other transfer of a motor vehicle, as 8167 defined in that section, to another motor vehicle dealer for the 8168 purpose of resale by the transferee motor vehicle dealer, but only 8169 if the sale or other transfer was based upon the transferee's need 8170 to meet a specific customer's preference for a motor vehicle; 8171

(u) Receipts from a financial institution described in 8172 division (E)(3) of this section for services provided to the 8173 financial institution in connection with the issuance, processing, 8174 servicing, and management of loans or credit accounts, if such 8175 financial institution and the recipient of such receipts have at 8176 least fifty per cent of their ownership interests owned or 8177 controlled, directly or constructively through related interests, 8178 by common owners; 8179

(v) Receipts realized from administering anti-neoplastic
 drugs and other cancer chemotherapy, biologicals, therapeutic
 agents, and supportive drugs in a physician's office to patients
 with cancer;

(w) Funds received or used by a mortgage broker that is not a 8184 dealer in intangibles, other than fees or other consideration, 8185 pursuant to a table-funding mortgage loan or warehouse-lending 8186 mortgage loan. Terms used in division (F)(2)(w) of this section 8187 have the same meanings as in section 1322.01 of the Revised Code, 8188 except "mortgage broker" means a person assisting a buyer in 8189 obtaining a mortgage loan for a fee or other consideration paid by 8190 the buyer or a lender, or a person engaged in table-funding or 8191

warehouse-lending mortgage loans that are first lien mortgage	8192
loans.	8193
(x) Property, money, and other amounts received by a	8194
professional employer organization, as defined in section 4125.01	8195
of the Revised Code, from a client employer, as defined in that	8196
section, in excess of the administrative fee charged by the	8197
professional employer organization to the client employer;	8198
(y) In the case of amounts retained as commissions by a	8199
permit holder under Chapter 3769. of the Revised Code, an amount	8200
equal to the amounts specified under that chapter that must be	8201
paid to or collected by the tax commissioner as a tax and the	8202
amounts specified under that chapter to be used as purse money;	8203
(z) Qualifying distribution center receipts.	8204
(i) For purposes of division (F)(2)(z) of this section:	8205
(I) "Qualifying distribution center receipts" means receipts	8206
of a supplier from qualified property that is delivered to a	8207
qualified distribution center, multiplied by a quantity that	8208

equals one minus the Ohio delivery percentage. If the qualified 8209 distribution center is a refining facility, "supplier" includes 8210 all dealers, brokers, processors, sellers, vendors, cosigners, and 8211 distributors of qualified property. 8212

(II) "Qualified property" means tangible personal property 8213 delivered to a qualified distribution center that is shipped to 8214 that qualified distribution center solely for further shipping by 8215 the qualified distribution center to another location in this 8216 state or elsewhere or, in the case of gold, silver, platinum, or 8217 palladium delivered to a refining facility solely for refining to 8218 a grade and fineness acceptable for delivery to a registered 8219 commodities exchange. "Further shipping" includes storing and 8220 repackaging property into smaller or larger bundles, so long as 8221 the property is not subject to further manufacturing or 8222

processing. "Refining" is limited to extracting impurities from8223gold, silver, platinum, or palladium through smelting or some8224other process at a refining facility.8225

(III) "Qualified distribution center" means a warehouse, a 8226 facility similar to a warehouse, or a refining facility in this 8227 state that, for the qualifying year, is operated by a person that 8228 is not part of a combined taxpayer group and that has a qualifying 8229 certificate. All warehouses or facilities similar to warehouses 8230 that are operated by persons in the same taxpayer group and that 8231 are located within one mile of each other shall be treated as one 8232 qualified distribution center. All refining facilities that are 8233 operated by persons in the same taxpayer group and that are 8234 located in the same or adjacent counties may be treated as one 8235 qualified distribution center. 8236

(IV) "Qualifying year" means the calendar year to which the 8237qualifying certificate applies. 8238

(V) "Qualifying period" means the period of the first day of 8239
July of the second year preceding the qualifying year through the 8240
thirtieth day of June of the year preceding the qualifying year. 8241

(VI) "Qualifying certificate" means the certificate issued by 8242 the tax commissioner after the operator of a distribution center 8243 files an annual application with the commissioner. The application 8244 and annual fee shall be filed and paid for each qualified 8245 distribution center on or before the first day of September before 8246 the qualifying year or within forty-five days after the 8247 distribution center opens, whichever is later. 8248

The applicant must substantiate to the commissioner's 8249 satisfaction that, for the qualifying period, all persons 8250 operating the distribution center have more than fifty per cent of 8251 the cost of the qualified property shipped to a location such that 8252 it would be sitused outside this state under the provisions of 8253 division (E) of section 5751.033 of the Revised Code. The 8254 applicant must also substantiate that the distribution center 8255 cumulatively had costs from its suppliers equal to or exceeding 8256 five hundred million dollars during the qualifying period. (For 8257 purposes of division (F)(2)(z)(i)(VI) of this section, "supplier" 8258 excludes any person that is part of the consolidated elected 8259 taxpayer group, if applicable, of the operator of the qualified 8260 distribution center.) The commissioner may require the applicant 8261 to have an independent certified public accountant certify that 8262 the calculation of the minimum thresholds required for a qualified 8263 distribution center by the operator of a distribution center has 8264 been made in accordance with generally accepted accounting 8265 principles. The commissioner shall issue or deny the issuance of a 8266 certificate within sixty days after the receipt of the 8267 application. A denial is subject to appeal under section 5717.02 8268 of the Revised Code. If the operator files a timely appeal under 8269 section 5717.02 of the Revised Code, the operator shall be granted 8270 a qualifying certificate, provided that the operator is liable for 8271 any tax, interest, or penalty upon amounts claimed as qualifying 8272 distribution center receipts, other than those receipts exempt 8273 under division (C)(1) of section 5751.011 of the Revised Code, 8274 that would have otherwise not been owed by its suppliers if the 8275 qualifying certificate was valid. 8276

(VII) "Ohio delivery percentage" means the proportion of the 8277 total property delivered to a destination inside Ohio from the 8278 qualified distribution center during the qualifying period 8279 compared with total deliveries from such distribution center 8280 everywhere during the qualifying period. 8281

(VIII) "Refining facility" means one or more buildings 8282 located in a county in the Appalachian region of this state as 8283 defined by section 107.21 of the Revised Code and utilized for 8284 refining or smelting gold, silver, platinum, or palladium to a 8285 grade and fineness acceptable for delivery to a registered 8286 commodities exchange. 8287

(IX) "Registered commodities exchange" means a board of 8288 trade, such as New York mercantile exchange, inc. or commodity 8289 exchange, inc., designated as a contract market by the commodity 8290 futures trading commission under the "Commodity Exchange Act," 7 8291 U.S.C. 1 et seq., as amended. 8292

(ii) If the distribution center is new and was not open for 8293 the entire qualifying period, the operator of the distribution 8294 center may request that the commissioner grant a qualifying 8295 certificate. If the certificate is granted and it is later 8296 determined that more than fifty per cent of the qualified property 8297 during that year was not shipped to a location such that it would 8298 be sitused outside of this state under the provisions of division 8299 (E) of section 5751.033 of the Revised Code or if it is later 8300 determined that the person that operates the distribution center 8301 had average monthly costs from its suppliers of less than forty 8302 million dollars during that year, then the operator of the 8303 distribution center shall be liable for any tax, interest, or 8304 penalty upon amounts claimed as qualifying distribution center 8305 receipts, other than those receipts exempt under division (C)(1)8306 of section 5751.011 of the Revised Code, that would have not 8307 otherwise been owed by its suppliers during the qualifying year if 8308 the qualifying certificate was valid. (For purposes of division 8309 (F)(2)(z)(ii) of this section, "supplier" excludes any person that 8310 is part of the consolidated elected taxpayer group, if applicable, 8311 of the operator of the qualified distribution center.) 8312

(iii) When filing an application for a qualifying certificate 8313 under division (F)(2)(z)(i)(VI) of this section, the operator of a 8314 qualified distribution center also shall provide documentation, as 8315 the commissioner requires, for the commissioner to ascertain the 8316 Ohio delivery percentage. The commissioner, upon issuing the 8317

qualifying certificate, also shall certify the Ohio delivery 8318 percentage. The operator of the qualified distribution center may 8319 appeal the commissioner's certification of the Ohio delivery 8320 percentage in the same manner as an appeal is taken from the 8321 denial of a qualifying certificate under division (F)(2)(z)(i)(VI)8322 of this section.

Within thirty days after all appeals have been exhausted, the 8324 operator of the qualified distribution center shall notify the 8325 affected suppliers of qualified property that such suppliers are 8326 required to file, within sixty days after receiving notice from 8327 the operator of the qualified distribution center, amended reports 8328 for the impacted calendar quarter or quarters or calendar year, 8329 whichever the case may be. Any additional tax liability or tax 8330 overpayment shall be subject to interest but shall not be subject 8331 to the imposition of any penalty so long as the amended returns 8332 are timely filed. The supplier of tangible personal property 8333 delivered to the qualified distribution center shall include in 8334 its report of taxable gross receipts the receipts from the total 8335 sales of property delivered to the qualified distribution center 8336 for the calendar quarter or calendar year, whichever the case may 8337 be, multiplied by the Ohio delivery percentage for the qualifying 8338 year. Nothing in division (F)(2)(z)(iii) of this section shall be 8339 construed as imposing liability on the operator of a qualified 8340 distribution center for the tax imposed by this chapter arising 8341 from any change to the Ohio delivery percentage. 8342

(iv) In the case where the distribution center is new and not 8343 open for the entire qualifying period, the operator shall make a 8344 good faith estimate of an Ohio delivery percentage for use by 8345 suppliers in their reports of taxable gross receipts for the 8346 remainder of the qualifying period. The operator of the facility 8347 shall disclose to the suppliers that such Ohio delivery percentage 8348 is an estimate and is subject to recalculation. By the due date of 8349

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the next application for a qualifying certificate, the operator 8350 shall determine the actual Ohio delivery percentage for the 8351 estimated qualifying period and proceed as provided in division 8352 (F)(2)(z)(iii) of this section with respect to the calculation and 8353 recalculation of the Ohio delivery percentage. The supplier is 8354 required to file, within sixty days after receiving notice from 8355 the operator of the qualified distribution center, amended reports 8356 for the impacted calendar quarter or quarters or calendar year, 8357 whichever the case may be. Any additional tax liability or tax 8358 overpayment shall be subject to interest but shall not be subject 8359

to the imposition of any penalty so long as the amended returns 8360 are timely filed. 8361

(v) Qualifying certificates and Ohio delivery percentages 8362 issued by the commissioner shall be open to public inspection and 8363 shall be timely published by the commissioner. A supplier relying 8364 in good faith on a certificate issued under this division shall 8365 not be subject to tax on the qualifying distribution center 8366 receipts under division (F)(2)(z) of this section. A person 8367 receiving a qualifying certificate is responsible for paying the 8368 tax, interest, and penalty upon amounts claimed as qualifying 8369 distribution center receipts that would not otherwise have been 8370 owed by the supplier if the qualifying certificate were available 8371 when it is later determined that the qualifying certificate should 8372 not have been issued because the statutory requirements were in 8373 fact not met. 8374

(vi) The annual fee for a qualifying certificate shall be one 8375 hundred thousand dollars for each qualified distribution center. 8376 If a qualifying certificate is not issued, the annual fee is 8377 subject to refund after the exhaustion of all appeals provided for 8378 in division (F)(2)(z)(i)(VI) of this section. The fee imposed 8379 under this division may be assessed in the same manner as the tax 8380 imposed under this chapter. The first one hundred thousand dollars 8381 of the annual application fees collected each calendar year shall 8382 be credited to the revenue enhancement fund. The remainder of the 8383 annual application fees collected shall be distributed in the same 8384 manner required under section 5751.20 of the Revised Code. 8385

(vii) The tax commissioner may require that adequate security 8386 be posted by the operator of the distribution center on appeal 8387 when the commissioner disagrees that the applicant has met the 8388 minimum thresholds for a qualified distribution center as set 8389 forth in divisions (F)(2)(z)(i)(VI) and (F)(2)(z)(ii) of this 8390 section. 8391

(aa) Receipts of an employer from payroll deductions relating
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to the reimbursement of the employer for advancing moneys to an
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unrelated third party on an employee's behalf;
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- (bb) Cash discounts allowed and taken;
- (cc) Returns and allowances;

(dd) Bad debts from receipts on the basis of which the tax 8397 imposed by this chapter was paid in a prior quarterly tax payment 8398 period. For the purpose of this division, "bad debts" means any 8399 debts that have become worthless or uncollectible between the 8400 preceding and current quarterly tax payment periods, have been 8401 uncollected for at least six months, and that may be claimed as a 8402 deduction under section 166 of the Internal Revenue Code and the 8403 regulations adopted under that section, or that could be claimed 8404 as such if the taxpayer kept its accounts on the accrual basis. 8405 "Bad debts" does not include repossessed property, uncollectible 8406 amounts on property that remains in the possession of the taxpayer 8407 until the full purchase price is paid, or expenses in attempting 8408 to collect any account receivable or for any portion of the debt 8409 recovered; 8410

(ee) Any amount realized from the sale of an account8411receivable to the extent the receipts from the underlying8412

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transaction giving rise to the account receivable were included in 8413 the gross receipts of the taxpayer; 8414 (ff) Any receipts directly attributed to providing public 8415 services pursuant to sections 126.60 to 126.605 of the Revised 8416 Code, or any receipts directly attributed to a transfer agreement 8417 or to the enterprise transferred under that agreement under 8418 section 4313.02 of the Revised Code. 8419 (qq)(i) As used in this division: 8420 (I) "Qualified uranium receipts" means receipts from the 8421 sale, exchange, lease, loan, production, processing, or other 8422 disposition of uranium within a uranium enrichment zone certified 8423 by the tax commissioner under division (F)(2)(gg)(ii) of this 8424 section. "Qualified uranium receipts" does not include any 8425 receipts with a situs in this state outside a uranium enrichment 8426 zone certified by the tax commissioner under division 8427 (F)(2)(gg)(ii) of this section. 8428

(II) "Uranium enrichment zone" means all real property that 8429 is part of a uranium enrichment facility licensed by the United 8430 States nuclear regulatory commission and that was or is owned or 8431 controlled by the United States department of energy or its 8432 successor. 8433

(ii) Any person that owns, leases, or operates real or 8434 tangible personal property constituting or located within a 8435 uranium enrichment zone may apply to the tax commissioner to have 8436 the uranium enrichment zone certified for the purpose of excluding 8437 qualified uranium receipts under division (F)(2)(gg) of this 8438 section. The application shall include such information that the 8439 tax commissioner prescribes. Within sixty days after receiving the 8440 application, the tax commissioner shall certify the zone for that 8441 purpose if the commissioner determines that the property qualifies 8442 as a uranium enrichment zone as defined in division (F)(2)(gg) of 8443

this section, or, if the tax commissioner determines that the 8444 property does not qualify, the commissioner shall deny the 8445 application or request additional information from the applicant. 8446 If the tax commissioner denies an application, the commissioner 8447 shall state the reasons for the denial. The applicant may appeal 8448 the denial of an application to the board of tax appeals pursuant 8449 to section 5717.02 of the Revised Code. If the applicant files a 8450 timely appeal, the tax commissioner shall conditionally certify 8451 the applicant's property. The conditional certification shall 8452 expire when all of the applicant's appeals are exhausted. Until 8453 final resolution of the appeal, the applicant shall retain the 8454 applicant's records in accordance with section 5751.12 of the 8455 Revised Code, notwithstanding any time limit on the preservation 8456 of records under that section. 8457

(hh) Amounts realized by licensed motor fuel dealers or 8458 licensed permissive motor fuel dealers from the exchange of 8459 petroleum products, including motor fuel, between such dealers, 8460 provided that delivery of the petroleum products occurs at a 8461 refinery, terminal, pipeline, or marine vessel and that the 8462 exchanging dealers agree neither dealer shall require monetary 8463 compensation from the other for the value of the exchanged 8464 petroleum products other than such compensation for differences in 8465 product location or grade. Division (F)(2)(hh) of this section 8466 does not apply to amounts realized as a result of differences in 8467 location or grade of exchanged petroleum products or from 8468 handling, lubricity, dye, or other additive injections fees, 8469 pipeline security fees, or similar fees. As used in this division, 8470 "motor fuel," "licensed motor fuel dealer," "licensed permissive 8471 motor fuel dealer, " and "terminal" have the same meanings as in 8472 section 5735.01 of the Revised Code. 8473

(ii) In the case of amounts collected by a licensed casino8474operator from casino gaming, amounts in excess of the casino8475

operator's gross casino revenue. In this division, "casino 8476 operator" and "casino gaming" have the meanings defined in section 8477 3772.01 of the Revised Code, and "gross casino revenue" has the 8478 meaning defined in section 5753.01 of the Revised Code. 8479

(jj) Receipts realized by a qualifying landlord from the 8480 lease or rental of qualifying residential rental property during 8481 the first tax period in which the qualifying landlord received 8482 rental income from the property and, if the qualifying landlord is 8483 a calendar quarter taxpayer, during the nineteen succeeding tax 8484 periods or, if the qualifying landlord is a calendar year 8485 taxpayer, during the four succeeding tax periods. As used in this 8486 division, "qualifying landlord" and "qualifying residential rental 8487 property" have the same meanings as in division (A)(32) of section 8488 5747.01 of the Revised Code. 8489

(kk) Receipts realized from providing broadband service 8490 multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the original 8491 cost of tangible personal property necessary for the provision of 8492 broadband service in rural areas of this state installed on or 8493 after the effective date of this amendment, and the denominator of 8494 which is the original cost of tangible personal property necessary 8495 for the provision of broadband service in this state on or after 8496 that date. An exclusion is not allowed under this division if the 8497 taxpayer claims a deduction under division (A)(10) or (S)(16) of 8498 section 5747.01 of the Revised Code for a taxable year that 8499 includes all or any part of the tax period. For the purposes of 8500 this division, "broadband service" and "rural area" have the same 8501 meanings as in 7 U.S.C. 950bb. 8502

(11) Any receipts for which the tax imposed by this chapter 8503 is prohibited by the constitution or laws of the United States or 8504 the constitution of this state. 8505

(3) In the case of a taxpayer when acting as a real estatebroker, "gross receipts" includes only the portion of any fee for8507

the service of a real estate broker, or service of a real estate 8508 salesperson associated with that broker, that is retained by the 8509 broker and not paid to an associated real estate salesperson or 8510 another real estate broker. For the purposes of this division, 8511 "real estate broker" and "real estate salesperson" have the same 8512 meanings as in section 4735.01 of the Revised Code. 8513

(4) A taxpayer's method of accounting for gross receipts for 8514 a tax period shall be the same as the taxpayer's method of 8515 accounting for federal income tax purposes for the taxpayer's 8516 federal taxable year that includes the tax period. If a taxpayer's 8517 method of accounting for federal income tax purposes changes, its 8518 method of accounting for gross receipts under this chapter shall 8519 be changed accordingly. 8520

(G) "Taxable gross receipts" means gross receipts sitused to 8521 this state under section 5751.033 of the Revised Code. 8522

(H) A person has "substantial nexus with this state" if any 8523 of the following applies. The person: 8524

(1) Owns or uses a part or all of its capital in this state; 8525

(2) Holds a certificate of compliance with the laws of this 8526 state authorizing the person to do business in this state; 8527

(3) Has bright-line presence in this state; 8528

(4) Otherwise has nexus with this state to an extent that the 8529 person can be required to remit the tax imposed under this chapter 8530 under the Constitution of the United States. 8531

(I) A person has "bright-line presence" in this state for a 8532 reporting period and for the remaining portion of the calendar 8533 year if any of the following applies. The person: 8534

(1) Has at any time during the calendar year property in this 8535 state with an aggregate value of at least fifty thousand dollars. 8536 For the purpose of division (I)(1) of this section, owned property 8537

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times the net annual rental charge. 8539 (2) Has during the calendar year payroll in this state of at 8540 least fifty thousand dollars. Payroll in this state includes all 8541 of the following: 8542 (a) Any amount subject to withholding by the person under 8543 section 5747.06 of the Revised Code; 8544 (b) Any other amount the person pays as compensation to an 8545 individual under the supervision or control of the person for work 8546 done in this state; and 8547 (c) Any amount the person pays for services performed in this 8548 state on its behalf by another. 8549 (3) Has during the calendar year taxable gross receipts of at 8550 least five hundred thousand dollars. 8551 (4) Has at any time during the calendar year within this 8552 state at least twenty-five per cent of the person's total 8553 property, total payroll, or total gross receipts. 8554 (5) Is domiciled in this state as an individual or for 8555 corporate, commercial, or other business purposes. 8556 (J) "Tangible personal property" has the same meaning as in 8557 section 5739.01 of the Revised Code. 8558 (K) "Internal Revenue Code" means the Internal Revenue Code 8559 of 1986, 100 Stat. 2085, 26 U.S.C. 1, as amended. Any term used in 8560 this chapter that is not otherwise defined has the same meaning as 8561 when used in a comparable context in the laws of the United States 8562 relating to federal income taxes unless a different meaning is 8563 clearly required. Any reference in this chapter to the Internal 8564 Revenue Code includes other laws of the United States relating to 8565 federal income taxes. 8566

is valued at original cost and rented property is valued at eight

(L) "Calendar quarter" means a three-month period ending on 8567

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thirtieth day of September, or the thirty-first day of December. 8569 (M) "Tax period" means the calendar quarter or calendar year 8570 on the basis of which a taxpayer is required to pay the tax 8571 imposed under this chapter. 8572 (N) "Calendar year taxpayer" means a taxpayer for which the 8573 tax period is a calendar year. 8574 (0) "Calendar quarter taxpayer" means a taxpayer for which 8575 the tax period is a calendar quarter. 8576 (P) "Agent" means a person authorized by another person to 8577 act on its behalf to undertake a transaction for the other, 8578 including any of the following: 8579 (1) A person receiving a fee to sell financial instruments; 8580 (2) A person retaining only a commission from a transaction 8581 with the other proceeds from the transaction being remitted to 8582 another person; 8583 (3) A person issuing licenses and permits under section 8584 1533.13 of the Revised Code; 8585 (4) A lottery sales agent holding a valid license issued 8586 under section 3770.05 of the Revised Code; 8587 (5) A person acting as an agent of the division of liquor 8588 control under section 4301.17 of the Revised Code. 8589 (0) "Received" includes amounts accrued under the accrual 8590 method of accounting. 8591 (R) "Reporting person" means a person in a consolidated 8592 elected taxpayer or combined taxpayer group that is designated by 8593 that group to legally bind the group for all filings and tax 8594 liabilities and to receive all legal notices with respect to 8595

the thirty-first day of March, the thirtieth day of June, the

matters under this chapter, or, for the purposes of section85965751.04 of the Revised Code, a separate taxpayer that is not a8597

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member of such a group.	8598
Sec. 5751.55. (A) As used in this section, "qualified	8599
unemployed individual," "qualified unemployed veteran," "qualified	8600
unemployed disabled veteran," and "credit period" have the same	8601
meanings as in section 5747.61 of the Revised Code.	8602
(B)(1) There is hereby allowed a nonrefundable credit against	8603
the tax imposed by section 5751.02 of the Revised Code for a	8604
taxpayer that meets all of the following criteria:	8605
(a) The taxpayer hires a qualified unemployed individual,	8606
qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled	8607
veteran during the credit period;	8608
(b) The taxpayer deducts and withholds income tax from the	8609
compensation paid to the qualified unemployed individual,	8610
qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled	8611
veteran and remits such amounts under sections 5747.06 and 5747.07	8612
of the Revised Code;	8613
(c) The taxpayer employs the qualified unemployed individual,	8614
qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed disabled	8615
veteran for a minimum of thirty-five hours per week for six	8616
consecutive months or, if the taxpayer terminates the qualified	8617
unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified	8618
unemployed disabled veteran within the first six months of	8619
employment, the termination is for good cause.	8620
(2) The amount of the credit shall be as follows:	8621
(a) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed individual, one	8622
thousand five hundred dollars.	8623
(b) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed veteran, two	8624
thousand dollars.	8625

(c) For the hiring of a qualified unemployed disabled8626veteran, two thousand five hundred dollars.8627

The credit shall be claimed with the annual return required	8628
under section 5751.051 of the Revised Code for the calendar year	8629
that includes the one hundred eightieth day after the qualified	8630
unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified	8631
unemployed disabled veteran is hired or the date on which the	8632
qualified unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or	8633
qualified unemployed disabled veteran is terminated for good	8634
cause, whichever is earlier. The credit shall be claimed in the	8635
order required under section 5751.98 of the Revised Code. The	8636
amount of credit claimed may not exceed the tax otherwise due	8637
after allowing for all preceding credits in that order.	8638
<u>A credit may be claimed under this section or section 5747.61</u>	8639
of the Revised Code only once with respect to any particular	8640
qualified unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or	8641
qualified unemployed disabled veteran. A person that claims the	8642
credit under section 5747.61 of the Revised Code may not claim the	8643
credit under this section for the same qualified unemployed	8644
individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified unemployed	8645
<u>disabled veteran.</u>	8646
(C) The tax commissioner may require a taxpayer to furnish	8647
any information necessary to support a claim for a credit under	8648
this section, and no credit shall be allowed unless such	8649
information is provided.	8650
Sec. 5751.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	8651
calculating the amount of tax due under this chapter, a taxpayer	8652
shall claim any credits to which it is entitled in the following	8653
order:	8654
(1) The nonrefundable jobs retention credit under division	8655
(B) of section 5751.50 of the Revised Code;	8656

(2) <u>The nonrefundable credit for hiring a qualified</u> 8657<u>unemployed individual, qualified unemployed veteran, or qualified</u> 8658

<u>unemployed disabled veteran under section 5751.55 of the Revised</u>	8659
<u>Code;</u>	8660
(3) The nonrefundable credit for qualified research expenses	8661
under division (B) of section 5751.51 of the Revised Code;	8662
(3)(4) The nonrefundable credit for a borrower's qualified	8663
research and development loan payments under division (B) of	8664
section 5751.52 of the Revised Code;	8665
(4) The nonrefundable credit for calendar years 2010 to 2029	8666
for unused net operating losses under division (B) of section	8667
5751.53 of the Revised Code;	8668
(5) The refundable motion picture production credit under	8669
section 5751.54 of the Revised Code;	8670
(6) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	8671
credit under division (A) of section 5751.50 of the Revised Code;	8672
(7) The refundable credit for calendar year 2030 for unused	8673
net operating losses under division (C) of section 5751.53 of the	8674
Revised Code.	8675
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits enumerated	8676
in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax period shall	8677
not exceed the tax due after allowing for any other credit that	8678
precedes it in the order required under this section. Any excess	8679
amount of a particular credit may be carried forward if authorized	8680
under the section creating the credit.	8681
Sec. 6301.021. The office of workforce development, under the	8682
department of job and family services, shall provide assistance to	8683
local workforce policy boards to do all of the following:	8684
	8685
(A) Work with entities as necessary to identify and track	8686
<u>local skill shortages;</u>	8687

(B) Work with community colleges and other educational	8688
agencies in the local area served by the board to develop	8689
curricula and programs to meet workforce demands, including	8690
industry-recognized credentialing;	8691
(C) Regularly and systematically interview employers in	8692
industries experiencing skill shortages to do both of the	8693
following:	8694
(1) Determine what skills are necessary for an individual to	8695
gain employment in the industry;	8696
(2) Quantify and describe those necessary skills to the	8697
<u>extent possible.</u>	8698
Sec. 6301.06. (A) The chief elected officials of a local area	8699
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shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals:	8700 8701
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<pre>shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals: (1) The chief elected official from the municipal corporation with the largest population in the local area, except that if the</pre>	8700 8701 8702 8703
<pre>shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals: (1) The chief elected official from the municipal corporation with the largest population in the local area, except that if the municipal corporation is a local area as defined in division</pre>	8700 8701 8702 8703 8704
<pre>shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals: (1) The chief elected official from the municipal corporation with the largest population in the local area, except that if the municipal corporation is a local area as defined in division (A)(1) of section 6301.01 of the Revised Code, the chief elected</pre>	8700 8701 8702 8703 8704 8705
<pre>shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals: (1) The chief elected official from the municipal corporation with the largest population in the local area, except that if the municipal corporation is a local area as defined in division (A)(1) of section 6301.01 of the Revised Code, the chief elected official of that municipal corporation may determine whether to be</pre>	8700 8701 8702 8703 8704 8705 8706
<pre>shall create a workforce policy board, which shall consist of the following individuals:</pre>	8700 8701 8702 8703 8704 8705 8706 8707

(2) The following individuals appointed to the board by the
chief elected officials of the local area, who shall make those
appointments according to all of the following specifications:
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(a) At least five members of the board shall be
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representatives of private sector businesses in the general labor
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market area that includes that local area, and shall be appointed
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from among individuals nominated by local business organizations
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and business trade associations. Among these members, at least one
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shall represent small businesses, at least one shall represent 8718 medium-sized businesses, and at least one shall represent large 8719 businesses. When determining what constitutes small, medium-sized, 8720 and large businesses for purposes of this division, the chief 8721 elected officials of the local area shall define those sizes as 8722 those sizes are generally understood within the labor market area 8723 that includes that local area. A majority of the members of the 8724 board shall be representatives of private sector businesses. 8725

(b) At least two members of the board shall represent
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 organized labor and shall be appointed from nominations submitted
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 by local federations of labor representing workers employed in the
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 local area.

(c) At least two members of the board shall be 8730 representatives of local educational entities. For purposes of 8731 this division, "local educational entities" includes local 8732 educational agencies, school district boards of education, 8733 entities providing educational and literacy activities, and 8734 post-secondary educational institutions. 8735

(d)(i) At least one member shall be a representative of a8736community college or university branch that is located within the8737local area served by the board.8738

(ii) A chief elected official is exempted from the8739requirement of division (A)(2)(d)(i) of this section if no8740community college or university branch is located within the local8741area served by the board.8742

(e) At least one member of the board shall be a 8743 representative of consumers of workforce development activities. 8744

(e)(f)Any other individuals the chief elected officials of8745the local area determine are necessary.8746

(B) Members of the board serve at the pleasure of the chief 8747elected officials of the local area. Members shall not be 8748

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compensated but may be reimbursed for actual, reasonable, and 8749 necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as 8750 board members. Those expenses shall be paid from funds allocated 8751 pursuant to section 6301.03 of the Revised Code. 8752

The chief elected officials of a local area may provide 8753 office space, staff, or other administrative support as needed to 8754 the board. For purposes of section 102.02 of the Revised Code, 8755 members of the board are not public officials or employees. 8756

(C) The chief elected officials of a local area other than a 8757 local area as defined in division (A)(1) of section 6301.01 of the 8758 Revised Code, shall coordinate the workforce development 8759 activities of the county family services planning committees and 8760 the workforce policy boards in the local area in any manner that 8761 is efficient and effective to meet the needs of the local area. 8762 The chief elected officials of the local area may, but are not 8763 required to, consolidate all boards and committees as they 8764 determine appropriate into a single board for purposes of 8765 workforce development activities. A majority of the members of 8766 that consolidated board shall represent private sector businesses. 8767 The membership of that consolidated board shall include a 8768 representative from each group granted representation as described 8769 in division (A) of this section and also a member who represents 8770 consumers of family services and a member who represents the 8771 county department of job and family services. The membership of 8772 that consolidated board may include a representative of one or 8773 more groups and entities that may be represented on a county 8774 family services planning committee, as specified in section 329.06 8775 of the Revised Code. 8776

Sec. 6303.01. (A) As used in this section:8777(1) "Eligible youth" means an individual eighteen to8778twenty-four years of age who fulfills either of the following:8779

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<u>(a) The individual is not enrolled in secondary or</u>	8780
post-secondary school.	8781
(b) The individual is an best been subject to any store of the	8782
(b) The individual is or has been subject to any stage of the	
<u>criminal justice process.</u>	8783
(2) "Recidivism" means a tendency to return to criminal	8784
behavior.	8785
(3) "Unsubsidized job" means an employment position with an	8786
employer who fulfills both of the following:	8787
(a) The employer pays the wages for the position.	8788
(b) The employer does not receive public funds for the	8789
creation and maintenance of the employment position.	8790
(B) The director of job and family services may adopt rules	8791
to make grants, on a competitive basis, to nonprofit organizations	8792
for the purpose of carrying out urban jobs programs that provide a	8793
comprehensive set of services to eligible youth in urban	8794
communities to provide such youth with a pathway to employment, or	8795
education leading to employment.	8796
(C) To be eligible to receive a grant under this section, a	8797
nonprofit organization shall submit an application at such time,	8798
in such manner, and accompanied by such information as the	8799
director may require in rules the director adopts under division	8800
(B) of this section.	8801
(D) The director shall require, in the rules the director	8802
adopts pursuant to division (B) of this section, that the	8803
application contain all of the following:	8804
(1) A request for the grant, specifying the amount of the	8805
grant requested and proposed uses of the grant funds;	8806
(2) A description of how the nonprofit organization will	8807
fulfill, for participants in the urban jobs program, goals	8808
consisting of all of the following:	8809

(a) Increased long-term employment in unsubsidized jobs;	8810
(b) Reduced recidivism;	8811
(c) Increased attainment of a certificate of high school	8812
equivalence or other recognized equivalent of a high school	8813
diploma;	8814
(d) Improved literacy and numeracy;	8815
(e) Increased attainment of industry-recognized certificates	8816
or credentials, or preparation for entry into an institution of	8817
higher education without need for further remediation.	8818
(3) A description of underlying supports for the program,	8819
including all of the following:	8820
(a) Engaged community partners;	8821
(b) Staff expertise in youth development;	8822
(c) Demonstrated understanding of youth characteristics.	8823
(4) A description of how the program will enable program	8824
participants to achieve outcomes consisting of all of the	8825
<u>following:</u>	8826
(a) Creation of caring relationships with peers and staff;	8827
(b) Creation of goals, such as the attainment described in	8828
division (D)(2)(c) of this section, attainment of employment,	8829
admission to or completion of a degree at an institution of higher	8830
education, attainment of industry-recognized certificates or	8831
credentials, or preparation for entry into an institution of	8832
higher education without need for further remediation;	8833
(c) Participation in opportunities to contribute to the	8834
community through service or volunteerism;	8835
(d) Development of twenty-first century workplace skills,	8836
including critical thinking and collaboration;	8837
(e) Development of a sense of responsibility for the future	8838

<u>of an individual;</u>	8839
(f) Development of plans or strategies to meet the goals of	8840
an individual;	8841
(g) Reduction of risk-taking behaviors;	8842
(h) Achievement of improved educational outcomes, such as	8843
numeracy, literacy, or the attainment described in division	8844
(D)(2)(c) of this section;	8845
(i) Achievement of improved employment outcomes;	8846
(j) Reduction of recidivism.	8847
(5) A description of activities to be provided through the	8848
urban jobs program that lead to the attainment of	8849
industry-recognized certificates or credentials described in	8850
<u>division (E) of this section.</u>	8851
(E) A nonprofit organization that receives a grant under this	8852
section shall use the funds made available through the grant to	8853
carry out an urban jobs program, which shall include the following	8854
comprehensive set of services:	8855
(1) Case management, through an individual responsible for	8856
helping participants navigate the urban jobs program activities;	8857
(2) Educational services, including skill assessment, reading	8858
and math remediation, educational enrichment, services involving	8859
preparation for and opportunities for attainment of the recognized	8860
equivalent of a high school diploma, services that connect to	8861
career pathways such as opportunities for attainment of	8862
industry-recognized certificates or credentials or for preparation	8863
for entry into an institution of higher education without the need	8864
for further remediation, and postsecondary education;	8865
(3) Employment and job readiness activities, including	8866
mentoring, community service opportunities, internships,	8867
on-the-job training, occupational skills training, personal	8868

development, and unsubsidized jobs;

(4) Support services, health and nutrition service referral,	8870
substance abuse counseling and treatment, and provision of housing	8871
assistance, interpersonal and basic living skills, and	8872
transportation, child care, clothing, and other assistance as	8873
needed.	8874

Sec. 6303.02. (A) As used in this section, "eligible youth"8875means an individual who is at least sixteen years of age but not8876more than twenty-one years of age and who resides in an area of8877high poverty.8878

(B) The director of job and family services shall adopt rules8879to create a program to award competitive grants to nonprofit or8880for-profit organizations, or coalitions thereof, to fund programs8881that provide summer employment opportunities for eligible youth in8882this state. The director shall require any recipient of a grant8883under this section to provide matching funds in an amount equal to884at least twenty per cent of the amount of the grant.885

Section 2. That existing sections 122.075, 122.71, 122.72,8886122.74, 122.75, 122.87, 122.88, 122.89, 122.90, 125.831, 169.05,88874141.01, 4141.09, 4141.241, 4141.29, 4141.291, 4141.293, 4301.20,88885733.01, 5733.98, 5739.01, 5739.02, 5739.025, 5747.01, 5747.98,88895751.01, 5751.98, and 6301.06 and sections 901.13, 5733.46,88905733.48, 5747.28, 5747.29, 5747.70, 5747.75, 5747.77, and 5751.538891of the Revised Code are hereby repealed.8892

Section 3. Except as otherwise provided by this act, all 8893 appropriation items in this act are hereby appropriated as 8894 designated out of any moneys in the state treasury to the credit 8895 of the General Revenue Fund and the State Special Revenue Fund 8896 Group. For all appropriations made in this act, those in the first 8897 column are for fiscal year 2014 and those in the second column are 8898

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for fiscal year 2015. The appropriations made in Sections 4 to 12 8899 of this act are in addition to any other appropriations made for 8900 the FY 2014-FY 2015 biennium. 8901

Appropriations

Section 4. DEV DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY		8902			
General Revenue Fund		8903			
GRF 195529 Neighborhood \$ 70,000,000 \$	0	8904			
Revitalization Block					
Grants					
TOTAL GRF General Revenue Fund\$ 70,000,000 \$	0	8905			
State Special Revenue Fund Group		8906			
5KS0 195666 Small Business \$ 40,000,000 \$	0	8907			
Revolving Microloans					
TOTAL SSR State Special Revenue \$ 40,000,000 \$	0	8908			
Fund Group					
TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS \$ 110,000,000 \$	0	8909			
NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION BLOCK GRANTS		8910			
The foregoing appropriation item 195529, Neighborhood					
Revitalization Block Grants, shall be used to provide block grants					
to counties for eligible revitalization purposes as set forth in					
this section. A county receiving funds shall make awards to					
political subdivisions, nonprofit organizations, or for-profit					
organizations for the following purposes:					
(A) Providing capital infusions to county land banks;		8917			
(B) Rehabilitating, rebuilding, or repurposing distressed		8918			
commercial and residential real estate, with special emphasis on					
using local sources of labor;					
(C) Creating property maintenance programs to mitigate					
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(C) Creating property maintenance programs to mitigate visible scars left by foreclosure and abandonment, with special					

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emphasis on using local sources of labor and providing youth	8923
employment.	8924
SMALL BUSINESS REVOLVING MICROLOANS	8925
On the effective date of this section, or as soon as possible	8926
thereafter, the Director of Budget and Management shall transfer	8927
\$40,000,000 cash from the General Revenue Fund to the Microloan	8928
Revolving Fund (Fund 5KS0). The foregoing appropriation item	8929
195666, Small Business Revolving Microloans, shall be used for the	8930
purposes of section 122.084 of the Revised Code.	8931

Section 5. Notwithstanding section 122.658 of the Revised 8932 Code, on the effective date of this section, or as soon as 8933 possible thereafter, the Director of Budget and Management shall 8934 transfer \$30,000,000 cash from the General Revenue Fund to the 8935 Clean Ohio Revitalization Fund (Fund 7003). The amount transferred 8936 is hereby appropriated for fiscal year 2014 in appropriation item 8937 C19500, Clean Ohio Revitalization, for the purposes of the Clean 8938 Ohio Revitalization Program. 8939

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Section 6. PWC PUBLIC W	ORKS COMMIS	SSION		8940
State Special Revenue Fund G	roup			8941
5KV0 150601 Infrastructure	\$	40,000,000	\$ 0	8942
Development Loa	ans			
TOTAL SSR State Special Reve	nue \$	40,000,000	\$ 0	8943
Fund Group				
TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS	\$	40,000,000	\$ 0	8944
INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPM	IENT LOANS			8945

On the effective date of this section, or as soon as possible 8946 thereafter, the Director of Budget and Management shall transfer 8947 \$40,000,000 cash from the General Revenue Fund to the 8948 Infrastructure Development Loan Fund (Fund 5KV0), which is hereby 8949

created in the state treasury. The foregoing appropriation item 8950 150601, Infrastructure Development Loans, shall be used in 8951 accordance with the remainder of this section. 8952

As used in the following paragraph, "local subdivision," 8953 "capital improvement project," and "costs of capital improvement 8954 project" have the same meanings as in section 164.01 of the 8955 Revised Code. 8956

Money to the credit of the Infrastructure Development Loan 8957 Fund (Fund 5KV0) shall be provided as loans or grants to local 8958 subdivisions solely for the costs of capital improvement projects 8959 undertaken within the territory of the subdivision. Loans or 8960 grants shall be made by the Public Works Commission on a 8961 competitive basis and upon application by local subdivisions in a 8962 manner to be prescribed by the Commission. A local subdivision 8963 receiving a loan or grant under this section may use the proceeds 8964 of its loan or grant to satisfy any requirement to provide a 8965 matching contribution to draw federal funds either directly or 8966 through the state. Loans shall be made according to terms 8967 established by the Commission. All loan repayments, including 8968 principal and interest, shall be credited to the Infrastructure 8969 Development Loan Fund (Fund 5KV0) and made available for further 8970 lending under this section. Any county, township, or municipal 8971 corporation receiving a loan under this division shall agree, as a 8972 condition for receiving a loan, to adopt one or more resolutions 8973 or ordinances under section 5709.40, 5709.73, or 5709.78 of the 8974 Revised Code declaring improvements that benefit from the projects 8975 financed by the loan to be exempted from taxation under that 8976 section, and requiring the owners of such improvements to make 8977 payments in lieu of taxes as provided in section 5709.42, 5709.74, 8978 or 5709.79 of the Revised Code. The payments in lieu of taxes 8979 shall be used to repay the loan to the extent of the loan amount, 8980 notwithstanding those sections. 8981

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Section 7. EDU DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION						
General Revenue	Fund					8983
GRF 200545 Ca	areer-Technical	\$	19,000,000	\$	0	8984
En	nhancements					
GRF 200550 Fo	oundation Funding	\$	50,000,000	\$	0	8985
TOTAL GRF General Revenue Fund			69,000,000	\$	0	8986
TOTAL ALL BUDGE	T FUND GROUPS	\$	69,000,000	\$	0	8987

CAREER-TECHNICAL EDUCATION ENHANCEMENTS

The foregoing appropriation item 200545, Career-Technical 8989 Education Enhancements, shall be used to support the High School 8990 Job Training Grants Program. The High School Job Training Grants 8991 Program shall provide grants to school districts and community 8992 colleges partnering with sponsoring local employers to create or 8993 strengthen 11th and 12th grade career-technical job training 8994 programs. Sponsoring employers shall be involved in the design of 8995 the career-technical job training curricula and classroom 8996 education. Sponsoring employers and school district administrators 8997 shall ensure that the career-technical job training curricula 8998 includes the development of skills that are transferable to the 8999 workplace and on the job experience with the sponsoring employer. 9000 The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall administer the High 9001 School Job Training Grants Program and shall establish a method of 9002 awarding grants to school districts and community colleges. 9003 Sponsoring employers must match at least 25 per cent of awarded 9004 grant amounts. 9005

Appropriations

	Section	8. JFS	DEPARTMENT	OF	JOB	AND	FAMILY	SER	VICES		9006
Gene	ral Reven	ue Fun	d								9007
GRF	600536	Youth	Employment		\$		17,000,0	000	\$	0	9008

Programs

TOTAL GRF General Revenue Fund	\$ 17,000,000 \$	0	9009
TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS	\$ 17,000,000 \$	0	9010
YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS			9011

Of the foregoing appropriation item 600536, Youth Employment9012Programs, \$12,000,000 in fiscal year 2014 shall be used to provide9013services to urban youth in accordance with section 6303.01 of the9014Revised Code and \$5,000,000 in fiscal year 2014 shall be used to9015provide summer employment opportunities for youth in accordance9016with section 6303.02 of the Revised Code.9017

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	Section 9. BOR BOARD OF REGENTS							
General Revenue Fund								
GRF	235551	Workforce Realignment	\$	45,000,000	\$	0	9020	
		Program						
GRF	235598	Ohio Skills Bank	\$	9,000,000	\$	0	9021	
		Grant						
TOTAL GRF General Revenue Fund			\$	54,000,000	\$	0	9022	
TOTA	L ALL BUI	OGET FUND GROUPS	\$	54,000,000	\$	0	9023	

WORKFORCE REALIGNMENT PROGRAM

The foregoing appropriation item, 235551, Workforce 9025 Realignment Program, shall be used to support the Workforce 9026 Realignment Program in fiscal year 2014. The Workforce Realignment 9027 Program shall provide scholarships and grants that assist 9028 unemployed individuals in obtaining the necessary 9029 industry-recognized credentials to find employment in high-growth 9030 fields. The Chancellor of the Board of Regents shall administer 9031 the Workforce Realignment Program and shall establish a method of 9032 awarding scholarships to individuals who have remained unemployed 9033 for six consecutive months or longer. The Chancellor's method of 9034 awarding scholarships shall target community colleges, 9035

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career-technical schools, and other institutions that offer 9036 degrees or certificates in two years or fewer. 9037 OHIO SKILLS BANK GRANT 9038 The foregoing appropriation item, 235598, Ohio Skills Bank 9039 Grant, shall be used to support the activities of the Ohio Skills 9040 Bank Grant Program in fiscal year 2014. The Ohio Skills Bank Grant 9041 9042 Program shall provide competitive grants to partnerships and coalitions between institutions of higher education and industry 9043 actors. The Chancellor of the Board of Regents shall establish a 9044

method of awarding grants to partnerships and coalitions that 9045 identify and mitigate critical skill shortages within targeted 9046 industries and facilitate worker training opportunities. Recipient 9047 partnerships and coalitions shall obtain matching private sector 9048 funding equal to 25% of grant amounts. 9049

Appropriations

Section 10. SFC SCHOOL FACILIT	'IES (COMMISSION		9050
General Revenue Fund				9051
GRF 230525 Energy Efficiency	\$	30,000,000 \$	0	9052
Grants				
TOTAL GRF General Revenue Fund	\$	30,000,000 \$	0	9053
TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS	\$	30,000,000 \$	0	9054

ENERGY EFFICIENCY GRANTS

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The foregoing appropriation item 230525, Energy Efficiency9056Grants, shall be used for grants to assist schools in becoming9057more energy efficient.9058

Section 11. Within the limits set forth in this act, the9059Director of Budget and Management shall establish accounts9060indicating the source and amount of funds for each appropriation9061made in this act, and shall determine the form and manner in which9062appropriation accounts shall be maintained. Expenditures from9063

appropriations contained in this act shall be accounted for as	9064
though made in the main operating appropriations act of the 130th	9065
General Assembly.	9066
The appropriations made in this act are subject to all	9067
provisions of main operating appropriations act of the 130th	9068
General Assembly that are generally applicable to such	9069
appropriations.	9070

Section 12. In addition to other amounts to be credited to 9071 the Local Government Fund, the Director of Budget and Management 9072 shall credit from the General Revenue Fund to the Local Government 9073 Fund \$50,000,000 as soon as possible in fiscal year 2014. The 9074 additional \$50,000,000 in the Local Government Fund is hereby 9075 appropriated. 9076

Section 13. Sections 3 to 12 of this act, and the items of 9077 law of which they are composed, are not subject to the referendum 9078 because they are or relate to an appropriation for current 9079 expenses within the meaning of Ohio Constitution, Article II, 9080 Section 1d and section 1.471 of the Revised Code and, therefore, 9081 go into immediate effect when this act becomes law. 9082

Section 14. (A) TRANSFER TO GRF FROM BUDGET STABILIZATION 9083 FUND 9084

Notwithstanding sections 131.43 and 131.44 of the Revised 9085 Code, on the effective date of this section, or as soon as 9086 possible thereafter, the Director of Budget and Management shall 9087 transfer \$240,000,000 cash from the Budget Stabilization Fund 9088 (Fund 7013) to the General Revenue Fund. 9089

(B) CASH TRANSFER FROM THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS FUND 9090 TO THE GRF 9091

As soon as possible in fiscal year 2014, the Director of 9092 Budget and Management shall transfer up to \$90,000,000 in cash 9093 from the Economic Development Programs Fund (Fund 5JC0) created in 9094 section 3772.17 of the Revised Code to the GRF. Amounts 9095 transferred to the GRF shall be used for various workforce 9096 development initiatives in this act. 9097

(C) TRANSFERS OF UNCLAIMED FUNDS TO GRF 9098

Notwithstanding division (A) of section 169.05 of the Revised 9099 Code, prior to June 30, 2014, and upon the request of the Director 9100 of Budget and Management, the Director of Commerce shall transfer 9101 to the General Revenue Fund \$27,250,000 of unclaimed funds that 9102 have been reported by holders of unclaimed funds under section 9103 169.05 of the Revised Code, irrespective of the allocation of the 9104 unclaimed funds under that section. 9105

Notwithstanding division (A) of section 169.05 of the Revised 9106 Code, prior to June 30, 2015, and upon the request of the Director 9107 of Budget and Management, the Director of Commerce shall transfer 9108 to the General Revenue Fund \$27,250,000 of unclaimed funds that 9109 have been reported by holders of unclaimed funds under section 9110 169.05 of the Revised Code, irrespective of the allocation of the 9111 unclaimed funds under that section. 9112

The transfers of unclaimed funds made pursuant to this act 9113 are in addition to any other transfers of unclaimed funds 9114 authorized for the FY 2014-FY 2015 biennium. 9115

Section 15.01. As used in this section: 9116

(A) "Local chief elected official" means the chief elected 9117 executive officer of a unit of local government in a local 9118 workforce investment area or in the case where there is more than 9119 one unit of general government, the individuals designated under 9120 an agreement described in section 117(c)(1)(B) of the "Workforce 9121

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Investment	Act	of	1998,"	112	Stat.	936,	29	U.S.C.	2801,	as	9122
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(B) "Local workforce investment area" means such area
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designated under section 116 of the "Workforce Investment Act of
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1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended.
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(C) "Local workforce investment board" means such board
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established under section 117 of the "Workforce Investment Act of
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1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended.
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(D) "Low-income youth" means an individual who is aged 9130 sixteen through twenty-four, is in one or more of the categories 9131 specified in section 101(13)(C) of the "Workforce Investment Act 9132 of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended, and meets the 9133 definition of a low-income individual provided in section 101(25) 9134 of the "Workforce Investment Act of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 9135 U.S.C. 2801, as amended, except that local workforce investment 9136 areas and eligible entities subject to approval in the applicable 9137 local plans and applications for funds may increase the income 9138 level specified in subparagraph (B)(i) of that section to an 9139 amount not in excess of two hundred per cent of the poverty line 9140 for purposes of determining eligibility for participation in 9141 activities under Sections 15.05 and 15.06 of this act. 9142

(E) "Unemployed, low-income adult" means an individual who9143fulfills all of the following:9144

(1) Is age eighteen or older;

(2) Is without employment and is seeking assistance under9146this chapter to obtain employment;9147

(3) Meets the definition of a "low-income individual" under 9148
section 101(25) of the "Workforce Investment Act of 1998," 112 9149
Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended, except that for local 9150
entities and eligible entities, subject to approval in the 9151
applicable local plans and applications for funds, may increase 9152

the income level specified in subparagraph (B)(i) of that section 9153 to an amount not in excess of two hundred per cent of the poverty 9154 line for purposes of determining eligibility for participation in 9155 activities under Sections 15.04 and 15.06 of this act. 9156

Section 15.02. There is hereby created in the state treasury 9157 the Pathways Back to Work Fund. All moneys that are deposited or 9158 paid into this fund are available to the Director of Job and 9159 Family Services only for the administration of Sections 15.01 to 9160 15.07 of this act. All moneys in this fund that are received from 9161 the United States or any agency thereof or that are appropriated 9162 by this state shall be expended solely for the purposes of the 9163 proper and efficient administration of those sections. The fund 9164 shall consist of all moneys appropriated by this state, and all 9165 moneys received from the United States or any agency thereof for 9166 such purpose. All moneys in this fund shall be deposited, 9167 administered, and disbursed in the same manner and under the same 9168 conditions and requirements as are other special funds in the 9169 state treasury. The Treasurer of State is liable on the Treasurer 9170 of State's official bond for the faithful performance of the 9171 Treasurer of State's duties in connection with this fund. Any 9172 balances in this fund shall not lapse at any time, but shall be 9173 continuously available to the Director for expenditure. 9174

Section 15.03. Of the funds available in the Pathways Back to 9175 Work Fund under Section 15.02 of this act, the Director of Job and 9176 Family Services shall do all of the following: 9177

(A) Provide subsidized employment to unemployed and9178low-income adults under Section 15.04 of this act;9179

(B) Provide summer and year-round employment opportunities to 9180low-income youth under Section 15.05 of this act; 9181

(C) Provide competitive grants to local entities to carry out 9182

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strategies and activities of demonstrated effectiveness to 9184 unemployed, low-income adults and low-income youth to provide the 9185 skills and assistance needed to obtain employment under Section 9186 15.06 of this act. 9187

Section 15.04. (A) From the Pathways Back to Work Fund, the 9188 Director of Job and Family Services shall make a grant to each 9189 local workforce investment board that has a plan approved under 9190 division (C) of this section for the purpose of providing 9191 subsidized employment opportunities to unemployed, low-income 9192 adults. 9193

(B) Not later than thirty days after the effective date of
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this section, the Director shall adopt rules regarding the
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implementation of this section. The rules shall, consistent with
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this section, include procedures for the submission and approval
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of plans and the grant of funds that promote the expeditious and
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effective implementation of the activities authorized under this
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(C) For a board to be eligible to receive a grant of the
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funds under division (A) of this section, the board shall submit
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to the Director a plan in such form and containing such
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information as the Director may require. At a minimum, such plan
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shall include all of the following:
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(1) A description of the strategies and activities to be
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 carried out by the board, in coordination with employers in the
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 state, to provide subsidized employment opportunities to
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 unemployed, low-income adults, including strategies relating to
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 the level and duration of subsidies;

(2) A description of the requirements the board will apply
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relating to the eligibility of unemployed, low-income adults for
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subsidized employment opportunities, which may include criteria to
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target assistance to particular categories of such adults, such as 9214 individuals with disabilities or individuals who have exhausted 9215 all rights to unemployment compensation; 9216 (3) A description of how the funds granted to provide 9217 subsidized employment opportunities will be administered by the 9218 board; 9219 (4) A description of the performance outcomes to be achieved 9220 by the board through the activities carried out under this section 9221 and the processes the board will use to track performance, 9222 consistent with rules adopted by the Director regarding such 9223 outcomes and processes; 9224

(5) A description of the coordination of activities to be 9225 carried out with the grant provided under this section with 9226 activities under Title I of the "Workforce Investment Act of 9227 1998, "112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended, the temporary 9228 assistance for needy families program under Part A of Title IV of 9229 the "Social Security Act," 110 Stat. 2113 (1996), 42 U.S.C. 601, 9230 as amended, and other appropriate federal and state programs that 9231 may assist unemployed, low-income adults in obtaining and 9232 retaining employment; 9233

(6) A description of the timelines for implementation of the
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activities and the number of unemployed, low-income adults
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expected to be placed in subsidized employment by quarter;
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(7) Assurances that the board will report such information as
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the Director may require relating to fiscal, performance, and
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other matters that the Director determines is necessary to
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effectively monitor the activities carried out under this section;
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(8) Assurances that the board will ensure compliance with the9241labor standards and protections described in Section 15.07 of this9242act.9243

(D) The board shall submit a plan to the Director not later 9244

than thirty days after the effective date of this section and the 9245 Director shall make a determination regarding the approval or 9246 disapproval of such plans not later than thirty days after the 9247 submission of such plan. If the plan is disapproved, the Director 9248 may provide a reasonable period of time in which a disapproved 9249 plan may be amended and resubmitted for approval. 9250

(E) The Director shall approve a plan that the Director
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determines is consistent with requirements of this section and
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reasonably appropriate and adequate to carry out the purposes of
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this section. If the plan is approved, the Director shall grant
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funds to the board within thirty days after such approval.

(F) The board may submit a modification to a plan consistent9256with the requirements of this section.9257

(G) The funds granted under this section shall be used to 9258 provide subsidized employment for unemployed, low-income adults. 9259 The board may use a variety of strategies in recruiting employers 9260 and identifying appropriate employment opportunities, with a 9261 priority to be provided to employment opportunities likely to lead 9262 to unsubsidized employment in emerging or in-demand occupations in 9263 the local area. Funds under this section may be used to provide 9264 support services, such as transportation and child care, that are 9265 necessary to enable the participation of individuals in subsidized 9266 employment opportunities. 9267

(H) The board may determine the percentage of the wages and 9268 costs of employing a participant for which an employer may receive 9269 a subsidy with the funds provided under this section, and the 9270 duration of such subsidy, in accordance with guidance issued by 9271 the Director. The board may establish criteria for determining 9272 such percentage or duration using appropriate factors such as the 9273 size of the employer and types of employment. 9274

Section 15.05. (A) From the Pathways Back to Work Fund, the 9275

Director of Job and Family Services shall make a grant to each 9276 local workforce investment board that has a plan that meets the 9277 requirements of this section for the purpose of providing summer 9278 employment and year-round employment opportunities to low-income 9279 youth. 9280

(B) Not later than twenty days after the effective date of
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this section, the Director shall adopt rules regarding the
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implementation of this section. The rules shall, consistent with
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this section, include procedures for the submission and approval
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of plans and the grant of funds that promote the expeditious and
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effective implementation of the activities authorized under this
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(C) For a board to be eligible to receive a grant of funds 9288 under division (A) of this section, the board shall submit to the 9289 Director a plan in such form and containing such information as 9290 the Director may require. At a minimum, such plan shall include 9291 all of the following: 9292

(1) A description of the strategies and activities to be
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 carried out to provide summer employment opportunities and
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 year-round employment opportunities, including the linkages to
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 educational activities;

(2) A description of the requirements the board will apply
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relating to the eligibility of low-income youth for summer
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employment opportunities and year-round employment opportunities,
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which may include criteria to target assistance to particular
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categories of such low-income youth, such as youth with
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disabilities;

(3) A description of the performance outcomes to be achieved
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by the board through the activities carried out under this section
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and the processes the board will use to track performance,
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consistent with rules adopted by the Director regarding such
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outcomes and processes and with Section 12.07 of this act; 9307

(4) A description of the timelines for implementation of the
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activities described in division (C)(1) of this section, and the
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number of low-income youth expected to be placed in summer
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employment opportunities, and year-round employment opportunities,
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(5) Assurances that the board will report such information as
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the Director may require relating to fiscal, performance, and
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other matters that the Director determines is necessary to
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effectively monitor the activities carried out under this section;
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(6) Assurances that the board will ensure compliance with the9317labor standards protections described in Section 15.07 of this9318act.9319

(D) The board shall submit a plan described in rules adopted
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by the Director to the Director not later than thirty days after
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the rules are adopted. The plan required under this division may
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be submitted in conjunction with the plan required under Section
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12.04 of this act.

(E) The Director shall approve the plan submitted under 9325 division (D) of this section within thirty days after submission, 9326 unless the Director determines that the plan is inconsistent with 9327 the requirements of this section. If the Director has not made a 9328 determination within thirty days, the plan shall be considered 9329 approved. If the plan is disapproved, the Director may provide a 9330 reasonable period of time in which a disapproved plan may be 9331 amended and resubmitted for approval. If the plan is approved, the 9332 Director shall grant funds to the board within thirty days after 9333 such approval. 9334

(F) The funds provided under this section shall be used for9335both of the following:9336

(1) To provide summer employment opportunities for low-income 9337

youth, ages sixteen through twenty-four, with direct linkages to 9338 academic and occupational learning, and may include the provision 9339

of supportive services, such as transportation or child care, 9340 necessary to enable such youth to participate; 9341

(2) To provide year-round employment opportunities, which may 9342 be combined with other activities authorized under section 129 of 9343 the "Workforce Investment Act of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 9344 2801, as amended, to low-income youth, ages sixteen through 9345 twenty-four, with a priority to out-of-school youth who are high 9346 school dropouts or recipients of a high school diploma or 9347 certificate of high school equivalence but who are basic skills 9348 deficient and unemployed or underemployed. 9349

(G) In administering the funds under this section, the board 9350shall give a priority to both of the following: 9351

(1) Identifying employment opportunities that are in emerging
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 or in-demand occupations in the local workforce investment area or
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 in the public or nonprofit sector that meet community needs;
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(2) Linking year-round program participants to training and
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 educational activities that will provide such participants an
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 industry-recognized certificate or credential.
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(H) For activities funded under this section, the board shall
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provide such reports as the Director may require regarding the
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performance outcomes described in Section 15.07 of this act.
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Section 15.06. (A) From the Pathways Back to Work Fund the 9361 Director of Job and Family services shall award grants on a 9362 competitive basis to eligible entities to carry out work-based 9363 strategies of demonstrated effectiveness. 9364

(B) The grants awarded under this section shall be used to
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 support strategies and activities of demonstrated effectiveness
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 that are designed to provide unemployed, low-income adults or
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low-income youth with the skills that will lead to employment as 9368
part of or upon completion of participation in such activities. 9369
Such strategies and activities may include any of the following: 9370

(1) On-the-job training, registered apprenticeship programs, 9371or other programs that combine work with skills development; 9372

(2) Sector-based training programs that have been designed to
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 meet the specific requirements of an employer or group of
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 employers in that sector and where employers are committed to
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 hiring individuals upon successful completion of the training;
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(3) Training that supports an industry sector or an
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 employer-based or labor-management committee industry partnership
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 which includes a significant work-experience component;
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(4) Acquisition of industry-recognized credentials in a field
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identified by the local workforce investment area as a growth
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sector or demand industry in which there are likely to be
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significant job opportunities in the short-term;
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(5) Connections to immediate work opportunities, including
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 subsidized employment opportunities, or summer employment
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 opportunities for youth, that include concurrent skills training
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 and other supports;

(6) Career academies that provide students with the academic
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preparation and training, including paid internships and
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concurrent enrollment in community colleges or other postsecondary
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institutions, needed to pursue a career pathway that leads to
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postsecondary credentials and high-demand jobs;
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(7) Adult basic education and integrated basic education and
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training models for low-skilled adults, hosted at community
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colleges or at other sites, to prepare individuals for jobs that
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are in demand in a local area.
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(C) An eligible entity shall include a local chief elected 9397

official, in collaboration with the local workforce investment 9398 board for the local workforce investment area involved, which may 9399 include a partnership with such officials and boards in the region 9400 and in the state, or an entity eligible to apply for an Indian and 9401 Native American grant under section 166 of the "Workforce 9402 Investment Act of 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as 9403 amended, and may include, in partnership with such officials, 9404 boards, and entities, any of the following: 9405

(1) Employers or employer associations;

- (2) Adult education providers and postsecondary educational 9407 institutions, including community colleges; 9408
 - 9409 (3) Community-based organizations;
 - (4) Joint labor-management committees; 9410
 - (5) Work-related intermediaries; 9411
 - 9412 (6) Other appropriate organizations.

(D) An eligible entity seeking to receive a grant under this 9413 section shall submit to the Director an application at such time, 9414 in such manner, and containing such information as the Director 9415 may require. At a minimum, the application shall do all of the 9416 following: 9417

(1) Describe the strategies and activities of demonstrated 9418 effectiveness that the eligible entities will carry out to provide 9419 unemployed, low-income adults and low-income youth with the skills 9420 that will lead to employment upon completion of participation in 9421 such activities; 9422

(2) Describe the requirements that will apply relating to the 9423 eligibility of unemployed, low-income adults or low-income youth 9424 for activities carried out under this section, which may include 9425 criteria to target assistance to particular categories of such 9426 adults and youth, such as individuals with disabilities or 9427

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individuals who have exhausted all rights to unemployment	9428
compensation;	9429
(3) Describe how the strategies and activities address the	9430
needs of the target populations identified in division (D)(2) of	9431
this section and the needs of employers in the local area;	9432
(4) Describe the expected outcomes to be achieved by	9433
implementing the strategies and activities;	9434
(5) Provide evidence that the funds provided may be expended	9435
expeditiously and efficiently to implement the strategies and	9436
activities;	9437
(6) Describe how the strategies and activities will be	9438
coordinated with other federal, state, and local programs	9439
providing employment, education, and supportive activities;	9440
(7) Provide evidence of employer commitment to participate in	9441
the activities funded under this section, including identification	9442
of anticipated occupational and skill needs;	9443
(8) Provide assurances that the grant recipient will report	9444
such information as the Director may require relating to fiscal,	9445
performance, and other matters that the Director determines is	9446

necessary to effectively monitor the activities carried out under 9447 this section; 9448

(9) Provide assurances that the use of the funds provided
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under this section will comply with the labor standards and
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protections described in Section 15.07 of this act.
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(E) In awarding grants under this section, the Director shall
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 give a priority to applications submitted by eligible entities
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 from areas of high poverty and high unemployment, as defined by
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 the Director, such as public use microdata areas as designated by
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 the United States census bureau.

(F) The Director shall administer this section in 9457

coordination with other appropriate agency heads, to ensure the 9458 effective implementation of this section. 9459

Section 15.07. (A) Activities provided with funds under 9460 Sections 15.01 to 15.07 of this act shall be subject to the 9461 requirements and restrictions, including the labor standards, 9462 described in section 181 of the "Workforce Investment Act of 9463 1998," 112 Stat. 936, 29 U.S.C. 2801, as amended, and the 9464 nondiscrimination provisions of section 188 of that Act, in 9465 addition to other applicable laws. 9466

(B) The Director of Job and Family Services may require the
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reporting of information relating to fiscal, performance, and
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other matters that the Director determines is necessary to
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effectively monitor the activities carried out with funds provided
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under Sections 15.01 to 15.07 of this act. At a minimum, grantees
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and subgrantees shall provide information relating to all of the
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(1) The number of individuals participating in activities
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with funds provided under those sections and the number of such
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individuals who have completed such participation;
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(2) The expenditures of funds provided under those sections; 9477

(3) The number of jobs created pursuant to the activities9478carried out under those sections;9479

(4) The demographic characteristics of individuals9480participating in activities under those sections;9481

(5) The performance outcomes of individuals participating in 9482activities under those sections for all of the following: 9483

(a) For adults participating in activities funded under those
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 sections, entry in unsubsidized employment, retention in
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 unsubsidized employment, and earnings in unsubsidized employment;
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(b) For low-income youth participating in summer employment 9487

activities, work readiness skill attainment using an employer 9488 validated checklist, placement in or return to secondary or 9489 postsecondary education or training, or entry into unsubsidized 9490 employment; 9491 (c) For low-income youth participating in year-round 9492 employment activities, placement in or return to post-secondary 9493 education, attainment of a high school diploma or a certificate of 9494 high school equivalence, attainment of an industry-recognized 9495 credential, and entry into unsubsidized employment, retention, and 9496 earnings; 9497 (d) For unemployed, low-income adults participating in 9498 activities under Section 15.06 of this act, entry into 9499 unsubsidized employment, retention, and earnings and the 9500 attainment of industry-recognized credentials. 9501 (C) Funds provided under Sections 15.01 to 15.07 of this act 9502 shall be used only for activities that are in addition to 9503 activities that would otherwise be available in the area in the 9504 absence of such funds. 9505 (D) The Director may establish such additional requirements 9506 as the Director determines may be necessary to ensure fiscal 9507

integrity, effective monitoring, and the appropriate and prompt 9508 implementation of the activities under Sections 15.01 to 15.07 of 9509 this act. 9510

(E) The Director shall provide to the appropriate committees
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 of the General Assembly and make available to the public the
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 information reported pursuant to division (B) of this section.
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Section 16. The amendment or repeal by this act of sections9514122.075, 125.831, 4301.20, 5733.01, 5733.46, 5733.48, 5733.98,95155739.01, 5739.02, 5739.025, 5747.28, 5747.29, 5747.70, 5747.75,95165747.77, and 5751.53 and the language stricken in division (A)(10)9517

of section 5747.01, divisions (A)(10), (20), (26), and (27) of9518section 5747.98, and division (A)(4) of section 5751.98 of the9519Revised Code defines a tax levy within the meaning of Ohio9520Constitution, Article II, Section 1d, and therefore takes effect9521immediately when this act becomes law.9522

Section 17. The property tax exemption authorized by section95235709.29 of the Revised Code as enacted by this act applies to tax9524years beginning on or after the effective date of this act.9525

Section 18. The amendment or repeal by this act of sections9526122.075, 125.831, 4301.20, 5733.01, 5733.46, 5733.48, 5747.01,95275747.28, 5747.29, 5747.70, 5747.75, 5747.77, 5747.98, 5751.01,95285751.53, and 5751.98 of the Revised Code applies to taxable years9529or tax periods beginning on or after the effective date of this9530act.9531

Section 19. The amendment by this act of sections 5739.01, 9532 5739.02, and 5739.025 of the Revised Code applies on and after the 9533 first day of the first month that begins on or after the effective 9534 date of this act. 9535

Section 20. The General Assembly, applying the principle 9536 stated in division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that 9537 amendments are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of 9538 simultaneous operation, finds that the following sections, 9539 presented in this act as composites of the sections as amended by 9540 the acts indicated, are the resulting versions of the sections in 9541 effect prior to the effective date of the sections as presented in 9542 this act: 9543

Section 4141.29 of the Revised Code as amended by both Sub.9544H.B. 525 and Am. Sub. S.B. 316 of the 129th General Assembly.9545

Sections 5739.01 and 5739.02 of the Revised Code as amended 9546

by bot	th Am. Sub. H.B. 487 and Am. Sub. H.B. 508 of the 129th	9547
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Sub. I	H.B. 386 and Am. Sub. H.B. 510 of the 129th General Assembly.	9553
	Section 5751.01 of the Revised Code as amended by both Am.	9554
Sub. I	H.B. 472 and Am. Sub. H.B. 510 of the 129th General Assembly.	9555