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HOUSE BILL No. 2293

By Committee on Taxation

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8 9 AN ACT relating to sales taxation; exempting sales of car washing services rendered through coin-operated devices; amending K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 10 11 79-3603 and repealing the existing section. 12 13 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas: Section 1. K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 79-3603 is hereby amended to read as 14 15 follows: 79-3603. For the privilege of engaging in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in this state or rendering or furnishing 16 17 any of the services taxable under this act, there is hereby levied and there shall be collected and paid a tax at the rate of 4.9% and, within a rede-18 velopment district established pursuant to K.S.A. 74-8921, and amend-19 20 ments thereto, there is hereby levied and there shall be collected and 21 paid an additional tax at the rate of 2% until the earlier of the date the bonds issued to finance or refinance the redevelopment project have been 22 23 paid in full or the final scheduled maturity of the first series of bonds 24 issued to finance any part of the project upon:

(a) The gross receipts received from the sale of tangible personalproperty at retail within this state;

27 (b) (1) the gross receipts from intrastate telephone or telegraph serv-28 ices and (2) the gross receipts received from the sale of interstate tele-29 phone or telegraph services, which (A) originate within this state and terminate outside the state and are billed to a customer's telephone num-30 ber or account in this state; or (B) originate outside this state and ter-31 minate within this state and are billed to a customer's telephone number 32 or account in this state except that the sale of interstate telephone or 33 34 telegraph service does not include: (A) Any interstate incoming or out-35 going wide area telephone service or wide area transmission type service which entitles the subscriber to make or receive an unlimited number of 36 37 communications to or from persons having telephone service in a specified area which is outside the state in which the station provided this 38 39 service is located; (B) any interstate private communications service to 40 the persons contracting for the receipt of that service that entitles the purchaser to exclusive or priority use of a communications channel or 41 42 group of channels between exchanges; (C) any value-added nonvoice 43 service in which computer processing applications are used to act on the

form, content, code or protocol of the information to be transmitted; (D) 1 2 any telecommunication service to a provider of telecommunication services which will be used to render telecommunications services, including 3 carrier access services; or (E) any service or transaction defined in this 4 section among entities classified as members of an affiliated group as 5 provided by federal law (26 U.S.C. Section 1504). For the purposes of 6 this subsection the term gross receipts does not include purchases of 7 telephone, telegraph or telecommunications using a prepaid telephone 8 9 calling card or prepaid authorization number. As used in this subsection, 10 a prepaid telephone calling card or prepaid authorization number means the right to exclusively make telephone calls, paid for in advance, with 11 the prepaid value measured in minutes or other time units, that enables 12 the origination of calls using an access number or authorization code or 13 both, whether manually or electronically dialed; 14

(c) the gross receipts from the sale or furnishing of gas, water, electricity and heat, which sale is not otherwise exempt from taxation under
the provisions of this act, and whether furnished by municipally or privately owned utilities;

(d) the gross receipts from the sale of meals or drinks furnished at
any private club, drinking establishment, catered event, restaurant, eating
house, dining car, hotel, drugstore or other place where meals or drinks
are regularly sold to the public;

(e) the gross receipts from the sale of admissions to any place providing amusement, entertainment or recreation services including admissions to state, county, district and local fairs, but such tax shall not be
levied and collected upon the gross receipts received from sales of admissions to any cultural and historical event which occurs triennially;

(f) the gross receipts from the operation of any coin-operated device
dispensing or providing tangible personal property, amusement or other
services except *washing and washing and waxing of vehicles and* laundry
services, whether automatic or manually operated;

the gross receipts from the service of renting of rooms by hotels, 32 (g) as defined by K.S.A. 36-501 and amendments thereto, or by accommo-33 dation brokers, as defined by K.S.A. 12-1692, and amendments thereto; 34 35 (h) the gross receipts from the service of renting or leasing of tangible personal property except such tax shall not apply to the renting or leasing 36 37 of machinery, equipment or other personal property owned by a city and purchased from the proceeds of industrial revenue bonds issued prior to 38 July 1, 1973, in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 12-1740 through 39 40 12-1749, and amendments thereto, and any city or lessee renting or leasing such machinery, equipment or other personal property purchased 41 42 with the proceeds of such bonds who shall have paid a tax under the 43 provisions of this section upon sales made prior to July 1, 1973, shall be entitled to a refund from the sales tax refund fund of all taxes paid
 thereon;

3 (i) the gross receipts from the rendering of dry cleaning, pressing,
4 dyeing and laundry services except laundry services rendered through a
5 coin-operated device whether automatic or manually operated;

6 (j) the gross receipts from the rendering of the services of washing
7 and washing and waxing of vehicles, *except such services rendered*8 *through a coin-operated device whether automatic or manually operated*;
9 (k) the gross receipts from cable, community antennae and other sub-

10 scriber radio and television services;

(l) (1) except as otherwise provided by paragraph (2), the gross receipts received from the sales of tangible personal property to all contractors, subcontractors or repairmen for use by them in erecting structures, or building on, or otherwise improving, altering, or repairing real
or personal property.

16 (2) Any such contractor, subcontractor or repairman who maintains 17 an inventory of such property both for sale at retail and for use by them 18 for the purposes described by paragraph (1) shall be deemed a retailer 19 with respect to purchases for and sales from such inventory, except that 20 the gross receipts received from any such sale, other than a sale at retail, 21 shall be equal to the total purchase price paid for such property and the 22 tax imposed thereon shall be paid by the deemed retailer;

23 (m) the gross receipts received from fees and charges by public and 24 private clubs, drinking establishments, organizations and businesses for 25 participation in sports, games and other recreational activities, but such 26 tax shall not be levied and collected upon the gross receipts received from: 27 (1) Fees and charges by any political subdivision, by any organization 28 exempt from property taxation pursuant to paragraph Ninth of K.S.A. 79-29 201, and amendments thereto, or by any youth recreation organization 30 exclusively providing services to persons 18 years of age or younger which 31 is exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of 32 the federal internal revenue code of 1986, for participation in sports, games and other recreational activities; and (2) entry fees and charges for 33 participation in a special event or tournament sanctioned by a national 34 35 sporting association to which spectators are charged an admission which is taxable pursuant to subsection (e); 36

(n) the gross receipts received from dues charged by public and private clubs, drinking establishments, organizations and businesses, payment of which entitles a member to the use of facilities for recreation or
entertainment, but such tax shall not be levied and collected upon the
gross receipts received from: (1) Dues charged by any organization exempt from property taxation pursuant to paragraphs *Eighth* and *Ninth* of
K.S.A. 79-201, and amendments thereto; and (2) sales of memberships

in a nonprofit organization which is exempt from federal income taxation 1 2 pursuant to section 501 (c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code of 1986, and whose purpose is to support the operation of a nonprofit zoo; 3 the gross receipts received from the isolated or occasional sale of 4 (0)5 motor vehicles or trailers but not including: (1) The transfer of motor vehicles or trailers by a person to a corporation solely in exchange for 6 7 stock securities in such corporation; or (2) the transfer of motor vehicles or trailers by one corporation to another when all of the assets of such 8 9 corporation are transferred to such other corporation; or (3) the sale of 10 motor vehicles or trailers which are subject to taxation pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 79-5101 et seq., and amendments thereto, by an im-11 mediate family member to another immediate family member. For the 12 purposes of clause (3), immediate family member means lineal ascendants 13 or descendants, and their spouses. In determining the base for computing 14 15 the tax on such isolated or occasional sale, the fair market value of any motor vehicle or trailer traded in by the purchaser to the seller may be 16 17 deducted from the selling price;

the gross receipts received for the service of installing or applying 18 (p) 19 tangible personal property which when installed or applied is not being 20 held for sale in the regular course of business, and whether or not such 21 tangible personal property when installed or applied remains tangible personal property or becomes a part of real estate, except that no tax shall 22 23 be imposed upon the service of installing or applying tangible personal property in connection with the original construction of a building or 24 25 facility, the original construction, reconstruction, restoration, remodeling, 26 renovation, repair or replacement of a residence or the construction, re-27 construction, restoration, replacement or repair of a bridge or highway. 28 For the purposes of this subsection:

"Original construction" shall mean the first or initial construction 29 (1)30 of a new building or facility. The term "original construction" shall include 31 the addition of an entire room or floor to any existing building or facility, 32 the completion of any unfinished portion of any existing building or facility and the restoration, reconstruction or replacement of a building or 33 facility damaged or destroyed by fire, flood, tornado, lightning, explosion 34 35 or earthquake, but such term, except with regard to a residence, shall not include replacement, remodeling, restoration, renovation or reconstruc-36 37 tion under any other circumstances;

(2) "building" shall mean only those enclosures within which individuals customarily are employed, or which are customarily used to house
machinery, equipment or other property, and including the land improvements immediately surrounding such building;

42 (3) "facility" shall mean a mill, plant, refinery, oil or gas well, water43 well, feedlot or any conveyance, transmission or distribution line of any

cooperative, nonprofit, membership corporation organized under or sub ject to the provisions of K.S.A. 17-4601 et seq., and amendments thereto,
 or of any municipal or quasi-municipal corporation, including the land
 improvements immediately surrounding such facility; and

5 (4) "residence" shall mean only those enclosures within which indi-6 viduals customarily live;

7 the gross receipts received for the service of repairing, servicing, (a) altering or maintaining tangible personal property, except computer soft-8 9 ware described in subsection (s), which when such services are rendered 10 is not being held for sale in the regular course of business, and whether or not any tangible personal property is transferred in connection there-11 with. The tax imposed by this subsection shall be applicable to the services 12 of repairing, servicing, altering or maintaining an item of tangible personal 13 property which has been and is fastened to, connected with or built into 14 15 real property;

(r) the gross receipts from fees or charges made under service or
maintenance agreement contracts for services, charges for the providing
of which are taxable under the provisions of subsection (p) or (q);

the gross receipts received from the sale of computer software, 19 (s) 20 and the sale of the services of modifying, altering, updating or maintaining 21 computer software. As used in this subsection, "computer software" means information and directions loaded into a computer which dictate 22 23 different functions to be performed by the computer. Computer software 24 includes any canned or prewritten program which is held or existing for 25 general or repeated sale, even if the program was originally developed 26 for a single end user as custom computer software. The sale of computer 27 software or services does not include: (1) The initial sale of any custom 28 computer program which is originally developed for the exclusive use of a single end user; or (2) those services rendered in the modification of 29 30 computer software when the modification is developed exclusively for a 31 single end user only to the extent of the modification and only to the 32 extent that the actual amount charged for the modification is separately stated on invoices, statements and other billing documents provided to 33 34 the end user. The services of modification, alteration, updating and main-35 tenance of computer software shall only include the modification, alteration, updating and maintenance of computer software taxable under this 36 37 subsection whether or not the services are actually provided; and

(t) the gross receipts received for telephone answering services, in cluding mobile phone services, beeper services and other similar services;
 and

(u) the gross receipts received from the sale of prepaid telephone
calling cards or prepaid authorization numbers and the recharge of such
cards or numbers. A prepaid telephone calling card or prepaid authori-

zation number means the right to exclusively make telephone calls, paid for in advance, with the prepaid value measured in minutes or other time units, that enables the origination of calls using an access number or authorization code or both, whether manually or electronically dialed. If the sale or recharge of such card or number does not take place at the vendor's place of business, it shall be conclusively determined to take place at the customer's shipping address; if there is no item shipped then it shall be the customer's billing address.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2000 Supp. 79-3603 is hereby repealed.

10 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 11 publication in the statute book.