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VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

2 An Act to amend and reenact §§ 58.1-609.4, 58.1-609.7 and 58.1-609.10 of the Code of Virginia, 3 relating to sales and use tax exemptions.

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Approved

6 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

7 1. That §§ 58.1-609.4, 58.1-609.7 and 58.1-609.10 of the Code of Virginia are amended and 8 reenacted as follows: 9

§ 58.1-609.4. Educational exemptions.

10 The tax imposed by this chapter or pursuant to the authority granted in §§ 58.1-605 and 58.1-606 shall not apply to the following: 11

12 1. School lunches sold and served to pupils and employees of schools and subsidized by government; 13 school textbooks sold by a local board or authorized agency thereof; and school textbooks sold for use by students attending a nonprofit college or other institution of learning, when sold (i) by such 14 15 institution of learning or (ii) by any other dealer, when such textbooks have been certified by a department or instructor of such institution of learning as required textbooks for students attending 16 17 courses at such institution.

18 2. (i) Tangible personal property for use or consumption by a college or other institution of learning, 19 including food purchased for free distribution at the facilities of the college or other institution of learning, and (ii) tangible personal property for use or consumption by, sold by, or donated to a 20 21 noncommercial educational telecommunications entity, said exemption to apply to each transaction in the chain of commerce from manufacture to final disposition, provided that such college, institution of 22 23 learning, or telecommunications entity is nonprofit.

24 3. Tangible personal property purchased by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) 25 of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively for the purpose of providing education, training 26 and services to retarded citizens of the Commonwealth, provided that such property is used exclusively 27 for the purpose set forth herein and that such organization receives more than fifty percent of its total 28 funding from federal, state, or local governments.

29 4. Tangible personal property and services purchased by an educational institution doing business in 30 the Commonwealth which (i) admits regularly enrolled high school and college students and (ii) 31 provides a face-to-face educational experience in American government, a program which leads towards the successful completion of United States history, civics, and problems in democracy courses in high 32 33 school, or which is acceptable for full credit towards an undergraduate or graduate level college degree, 34 provided such institution is nonprofit.

35 5. Books and other reading materials for use by nonprofit organizations organized solely to distribute 36 such books and reading materials to school-age children.

37 6. Tangible personal property purchased for use by a nonprofit, nonstock corporation which receives 38 no financial aid from the Commonwealth or the federal government and is organized exclusively for the 39 purpose of operating, at no charge to the pupils, a combination boarding and day school for the severely 40 physically handicapped children and young adults of the Commonwealth.

41 7. Tangible personal property sold or leased to a foundation which exclusively provides either 42 training and education of any type or duration for employees of governmental law-enforcement and 43 corrections agencies or education of the public in citizen cooperation with public authorities in crime 44 prevention and solution, provided such foundation is nonprofit.

45 8. Tangible personal property purchased for use, consumption, or sale at retail by a nonprofit **46** elementary or secondary school, or Parent Teacher Association or other group associated with a nonprofit elementary or secondary school for use in fund-raising activities, the net proceeds (gross 47 receipts less direct expenses) of which are contributed directly to the school or used to purchase certified 48 49 school equipment, and certified school equipment purchased by such groups for contribution directly to the school. For the purposes of this subdivision, "certified school equipment" means equipment for 50 which the Parent Teacher Association or other group has received certification from the school that it 51 will accept as a donation of equipment. The certification provided by the school shall be in accordance 52 53 with regulations promulgated by the Tax Commissioner. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this 54 subdivision, the tax shall not apply to the sale of class rings, school photographs, and other fund-raising 55 programs from which a nonprofit elementary or secondary school receives a commission or the net 56 proceeds after the payment of vendors and other direct expenses.

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9. a. From July 1, 1989, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized primarily for the purpose of operating a state-licensed day-care center or a preschool that hires only certified public school teachers and which has a regularly prescribed curriculum.

b. From July 1, 1990, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized primarily for the purpose of operating a state-licensed day-care center or a preschool that hires only certified public school teachers or teachers who are college graduates holding a degree from an accredited four-year institution of higher education and certified by an organization recognized by the U.S. Department of Education or by some other nationally recognized organization, and which has a regularly prescribed curriculum.

68 10. From July 1, 1989, through June 30, 2001, personal property purchased for use or consumption
69 by a private, nonprofit corporation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue
70 Code, which operates a county public library, and such library is also used as a recreational center for
71 county residents.

11. From July 1, 1989, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized primarily for the purpose of operating a public library.

12. From July 1, 1990, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property and services purchased for
use by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, which is
organized and operated primarily for the purpose of encouraging participation in the free enterprise
system through information programs directed to secondary schools and college students, college
scholarship programs, and recognition of achievement in the American free enterprise system.

80 13. From July 1, 1990, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
82 Revenue Code and organized primarily for the purpose of operating an arts center which offers and sponsors a year-round schedule of art education classes for adults and children, a continuous series of exhibits focusing on twentieth century art, and a wide range of seminars for the public at no or a nominal charge.

86 14. From July 1, 1991, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit volunteer organization which is exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is organized and operated exclusively for the purpose of enhancing education by assisting a city public library with its physical and service needs.

90 15. From July 1, 1991, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or
91 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
92 Revenue Code and organized exclusively to combat illiteracy by tutoring and training adults and by
93 increasing community awareness of the illiteracy problem.
94 16. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or

94 16. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit volunteer organization which is exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is organized exclusively for the purpose of raising funds for grant aid to any state, county or municipal library open to the public within the boundaries of the Eighth Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

17. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized to provide educational and recreational services for at-risk youth and which maintains a partnership with a magnet school within the boundaries of the Twenty-third Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

104 18. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or 105 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal 106 Revenue Code and organized to provide specialized information and referral services, education 107 programs and advocacy on behalf of deaf and hard-of-hearing persons within the boundaries of the 108 Eighth Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

109 19. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or
110 consumption by a nonprofit research, educational, and communications organization exempt from
111 taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote
112 highway safety.

20. From July 1, 1996, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized as a consortium of not less than forty private, historically black colleges and universities for the purposes of raising funds, providing program services, and offering technical services to support its member colleges and universities and their students.

118 21. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized and operated (i) to conduct and publish educational research for public school improvement, reform, and teacher education and (ii) to disseminate such research in the community to encourage residents to take an interest in the teaching and learning activities of local schools.

123 22. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or
 124 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
 125 Revenue Code which designs, equips and operates educational telecommunications networks and
 126 classrooms serving schools and colleges within the Commonwealth and whose activities include
 127 purchasing audio-visual equipment, contracting for transmission services and training teachers.

128 23. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code which is organized for the exclusive purpose of supporting reading education programs for all Virginia citizens, accomplished through local councils, special interest councils, teacher-training programs and annual conventions where ideas, techniques and methods are shared by educator members who will use the acquired knowledge in direct reading education.

134 24. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit scientific, educational, and charitable organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively for the purpose of emphasizing scientific investigation and holding an annual science fair for students within the boundaries of the Tenth Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

25. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized to provide residential treatment and educational services to abused children and their families and to operate a Head Start program.

26. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized to educate the public about animal agriculture and its importance to the quality of life of citizens, and to support research and education to continuously improve animal agriculture production practices.

148 27. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 2001, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
150 Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote and advance the interests of vocational-technical education in the public schools.

152 28. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or
153 consumption by a nonprofit corporation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
154 Revenue Code and organized exclusively to operate a school which provides an ecumenical Christian
155 education for students in grades seven through twelve and to develop Christian study programs and to
156 train teachers for excellence in education.

157 29. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit corporation located in the Tidewater region, exempt from taxation under \$ 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively to nurture pre-school children of parents pursuing self-sufficiency, by providing an affordable, quality education program.

30. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or 161 162 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized for the purposes of (i) developing a pool of data processing professionals 163 164 who will share their knowledge and business expertise with members of the organization and other 165 members of the community who are evaluating information technology for ongoing endeavors, (ii) sponsoring high school computer competitions, community computer training camps, and free data 166 167 processing workshops and classes, and (iii) providing college scholarships to computer competition team 168 members.

169 § 58.1-609.7. Medical-related exemptions.

The tax imposed by this chapter or pursuant to the authority granted in §§ 58.1-605 and 58.1-606shall not apply to the following:

172 1. Medicines, drugs, hypodermic syringes, artificial eyes, contact lenses, eyeglasses and hearing aids 173 dispensed by or sold on prescriptions or work orders of licensed physicians, dentists, optometrists, 174 ophthalmologists, opticians, audiologists, hearing aid dealers and fitters, nurse practitioners, physician 175 assistants, and veterinarians; controlled drugs purchased for use by a licensed physician in his 176 professional practice, regardless of whether such practice is organized as a sole proprietorship, 177 partnership or professional corporation, or any other type of corporation in which the shareholders and 178 operators are all licensed physicians engaged in the practice of medicine, but excluding hospitals, 179 nursing homes, clinics, and similar corporations not otherwise exempt under this section; and samples of
180 prescription drugs and medicines and their packaging distributed free of charge to authorized recipients
181 in accordance with the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C.A. § 301 et seq., as amended).
182 Any veterinarian dispensing or selling medicines or drugs on prescription shall be deemed to be the user
183 or consumer of all such medicines and drugs.

184 2. Wheelchairs and parts therefor, braces, crutches, prosthetic devices, orthopedic appliances, catheters, urinary accessories, other durable medical equipment and devices, and related parts and 185 186 supplies specifically designed for those products; and insulin and insulin syringes, and equipment, 187 devices or chemical reagents which may be used by a diabetic to test or monitor blood or urine, when 188 such items or parts are purchased by or on behalf of an individual for use by such individual. Durable 189 medical equipment is equipment which (i) can withstand repeated use, (ii) is primarily and customarily 190 used to serve a medical purpose, (iii) generally is not useful to a person in the absence of illness or 191 injury, and (iv) is appropriate for use in the home.

192 3. Drugs and supplies used in hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis.

4. Tangible personal property for use or consumption by a nonprofit hospital or a nonprofit licensednursing home.

195 5. Tangible personal property for use or consumption by community health centers exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established for the purpose of providing health care services for areas of the Commonwealth containing a medically underserved population as defined by 42 U.S.C. § 254 c (b) (3).

6. Special equipment installed on a motor vehicle when purchased by a handicapped person to enablesuch person to operate the motor vehicle.

201 7. Tangible nonmedical personal property purchased by a nonprofit organization organized
202 exclusively for the purpose of providing housing and ancillary assistance for individuals suffering from
203 leukemia or oncological diseases, for other ill individuals, and for the families of such individuals during
204 periods of medical treatment of such individuals at any hospital in the Commonwealth.

8. Tangible personal property purchased by a voluntary health organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively for the purpose of providing direct therapeutic and rehabilitative services, such as speech therapy, physical therapy, and camping and recreational activities, to the children and adults of this Commonwealth regardless of the nature of their disease or socio-economic position.

9. Special typewriters and computers and related parts and supplies specifically designed for those
 products used by handicapped persons to communicate when such equipment is prescribed by a licensed
 physician.

213 10. Tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by health maintenance
214 organizations licensed under Chapter 43 (§ 38.2-4300 et seq.) of Title 38.2 which are exempt from
215 taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

11. Tangible personal property for use or consumption by a nonprofit, nonstock corporation which is
exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is organized under
the laws of the Commonwealth exclusively for the purpose of conducting a clinic furnishing free health
care services by licensed physicians and dentists.

12. Tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by any nonprofit hospital,
 cooperative or nonprofit hospital corporation organized and operated for the sole purpose of providing
 services exclusively to nonprofit hospitals. This exemption shall not apply to any nonprofit hospital,
 cooperative or nonprofit hospital corporation providing services of any kind or to any extent to other
 than nonprofit hospitals.

13. From July 1, 1989, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit high blood pressure center which is used exclusively to provide medical assistance to indigent persons diagnosed with hypertension.

14. From July 1, 1989, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a tissue bank exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established for purposes of procuring, preserving, processing, allocating or distributing bones, organs, blood, skin and other human tissue to licensed physicians for clinical use.

15. a. Beginning July 1, 1998, (i) any nonprescription drugs and proprietary medicines purchased for
the cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease in human beings and (ii) any samples of
nonprescription drugs and proprietary medicines distributed free of charge by the manufacturer,
including packaging materials and constituent elements and ingredients.

b. The terms "nonprescription drugs" and "proprietary medicines" shall be defined pursuant to
 regulations promulgated by the Department of Taxation. The exemption authorized in this subdivision
 shall not apply to cosmetics.

239 16. From July 1, 1994, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or

consumption or sold by a volunteer medical services organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c)
(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established to provide reconstructive surgery and related health
care to indigent children and young adults in developing countries and the United States.

243 17. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or 244 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal 245 Revenue Code and organized exclusively for educational, scientific, and charitable purposes relating to 246 the promotion of health within the boundaries of the Eighth Planning District established pursuant to 247 § 15.2-4203, including (i) operating a medical clinic which shall provide services without charge or shall 248 charge less than prevailing rates to those who are unable to obtain health care through conventional means and (ii) educating and providing information to the general public regarding the treatment and 249 250 prevention of those conditions which commonly affect the poor.

18. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, equipment and supplies purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit charitable organization which is exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is organized and operated exclusively for the purpose of providing charitable, long-distance, advanced life-support, air ambulance services for low-income medical patients in the Commonwealth.

19. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, organized exclusively to provide medical and psychological evaluations and direct therapeutic and rehabilitative medical and psychological treatment and services to child-abuse victims within the boundaries of the Twenty-third Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

261 20. Through June 30, 1999, medical products and supplies, which are otherwise taxable, such as
262 bandages, gauze dressings, incontinence products and wound-care products, when purchased by a
263 Medicaid recipient through a Department of Medical Assistance Services provider agreement.

264 21. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established to provide a comprehensive network of medical and psycho-social treatment to adults, on both an inpatient and outpatient basis, or to adolescent patients in a residential setting, within the boundaries of the Fifteenth Planning District established pursuant to § 15.2-4203.

269 22. From July 1, 1996, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code
271 and organized and operated primarily to benefit a medical college affiliated with a state university by providing support services to and conducting the professional practices of faculty members associated
273 with such medical college.

274 23. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal
276 Revenue Code and established at the initiative of the General Assembly and its Joint Commission on Health Care to increase access to primary and preventive health care for Virginia's uninsured and medically underserved citizens.

279 24. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established to coordinate and facilitate the delivery of health care services to the children, aged birth to six years, of families whose incomes fall below the federal poverty level.

283 25. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized and operated to initiate, promote, assist, develop, maintain, and conduct, directly or indirectly, studies, investigations and research relating to the treatment and prevention of birth defects.

287 26. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999 2000, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a foundation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established to promote quality health care and health care education in the Roanoke Valley by promoting health care research, providing health care education, and establishing scholarships for needy and deserving students who are pursuing health care careers.

27. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and established to provide dental services within the boundaries of the Eighth Planning District
295 established pursuant to § 15.2-4203 at reduced rates to the indigent by dentists and dental hygienists
296 who volunteer their time.

297 28. From July 1, 1998 July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for
298 use or consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue
299 Code and established to provide patient, family and community education programs about cancer as well
300 as free community cancer screenings and to acquire, own and operate an out-patient medical facility for

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301 the provision of radiation therapy services to cancer patients.

29. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or 302 consumption by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code 303 304 and established to provide support and assistance to primary and secondary victims of Alzheimer's 305 disease, their families, friends and communities; to facilitate community education of the disease; and to 306 support research into its prevention.

30. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999 2000, tangible personal property purchased for use or 307 308 consumption by a corporation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code 309 which is organized exclusively to provide breast cancer support and outreach for the medically 310 underserved, including free mammography programs.

31. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or 311 312 consumption by a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth which is exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized for the purposes 313 of developing a coordinated citizens' voluntary movement to work toward improved care and treatment 314 of persons affected with kidney disease, and improving methods and services in research, prevention, 315 316 detection, diagnosis and treatment of kidney disease and disorders. 317

§ 58.1-609.10. Miscellaneous exemptions.

318 The tax imposed by this chapter or pursuant to the authority granted in §§ 58.1-605 and 58.1-606 319 shall not apply to the following:

320 1. Artificial or propane gas, firewood, coal or home heating oil used for domestic consumption. 321 "Domestic consumption" means the use of artificial or propane gas, firewood, coal or home heating oil 322 by an individual purchaser for other than business, commercial or industrial purposes. The Tax 323 Commissioner shall establish by regulation a system for use by dealers in classifying individual 324 purchases for domestic or nondomestic use based on the principal usage of such gas, wood, coal or oil. 325 Any person making a nondomestic purchase and paying the tax pursuant to this chapter who uses any portion of such purchase for domestic use may, between the first day of the first month and the fifteenth 326 day of the fourth month following the year of purchase, apply for a refund of the tax paid on the 327 328 domestic use portion. 329

2. An occasional sale, as defined in § 58.1-602.

330 3. Tangible personal property for future use by a person for taxable lease or rental as an established 331 business or part of an established business, or incidental or germane to such business, including a 332 simultaneous purchase and taxable leaseback.

333 4. Delivery of tangible personal property outside the Commonwealth for use or consumption outside 334 of the Commonwealth. Delivery of goods destined for foreign export to a factor or export agent shall be 335 deemed to be delivery of goods for use or consumption outside of the Commonwealth.

336 5. Sales of tangible personal property to a nonsectarian youth organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and sponsoring a national or international camping 337 338 assembly within this Commonwealth for seven continuous days or more with attendance in excess of 339 20,000, which sale of tangible personal property is for use or consumption at such camping assembly.

6. Tangible personal property purchased with food coupons issued by the United States Department of Agriculture under the Food Stamp Program or drafts issued through the Virginia Special 340 341 342 Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children.

343 7. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or 344 consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal 345 Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote efficiency and fairness in the offer and sale of 346 securities for the benefit of investors, securities issuers, and the general public, by providing for 347 electronic communication, filing, processing, dissemination and review of securities registration 348 materials, and by serving as a database for securities law information filed with regulators having 349 primary and immediate authority to administer the regulation of the commerce of securities.

350 8. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use in the 351 construction of improvements which are to be used solely for affordable rental dwelling units for 352 persons who are of the age of at least 62 years, if at least part of the funds for site development and the 353 construction are provided by an organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal 354 Revenue Code and if the amount of funds which would otherwise have to be provided by the tax 355 exempt organization is reduced by the amount of the sales and use tax exemption. The rental units shall be considered to be affordable if the rent charged meets the criteria of the Federal Low Income Housing 356 357 Tax Credit Program.

358 9. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property donated or sold for 359 distribution to individuals in the United States who have been victims of a natural disaster which has 360 been declared a disaster for federal aid purposes by the President of the United States.

10. From July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1999, copies of medical records purchased by an attorney or 361

362 his law firm for use in case preparations.

11. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonstock, nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware which is exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and was formed for the purposes of (i) promoting the development of the private sector of the nation of Romania and (ii) carrying out all other purposes and policies of, and complying with, the relevant sections of the Support For East European Democracy Act of 1989 (P.L. 101-179, 22 U.S.C. § 5401 et seq.).

369 12. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote the social welfare and defend the human rights of persons born and unborn.

373 13. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, livestock sold at auction by a chamber of commerce
374 exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, provided that the proceeds of
375 such auction are distributed to contestants in a junior livestock show and sale.

14. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999 2000, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by any civic youth organization or corporation which is organized solely for the purpose of promoting community little league-type baseball or softball.

379 15. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, a professional's provision of original, revised, edited,
380 reformatted or copied documents, including but not limited to documents stored on or transmitted by
381 electronic media, to its client or to third parties in the course of the professional's rendition of services
382 to its clientele.

16. From July 1, 1997, through June 30, 1999, lodging and meals for members paid by and tangible
personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit veterans association exempt from
taxation under § 501 (c) (19) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is organized to provide
scholarships to National Guard members and their families, extra life insurance for National Guard
members, and interest-free loans to National Guard members who have lost their full-time jobs, homes
or cars.

389 17. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by any organization which is organized solely for the purpose of operating a nonprofit swim team for children ages eighteen and under.

18. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit corporation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote long-distance running as a competitive sport and healthful exercise through publications, videos, races, training runs, safety workshops, clinics and cooperative fitness events with local communities.

397 19. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth which is exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and is organized and operated exclusively to sponsor and promote baseball programs for boys ages thirteen through eighteen and to sponsor baseball tournaments from local through state levels.

402 20. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization which is exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to \$ 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and is organized exclusively to advance the moral character of and promote sportsmanship, team spirit, fair play, honesty and patriotism among youth by providing and supervising a community soccer program.

407 21. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and organized exclusively to promote the many historic, cultural and natural qualities of a unique region that was once a stage for Civil War activity and continues to be a rich resource of rural and traditional town cultures and recreational activities.

22. From July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999, tangible personal property purchased for use or consumption by a nonprofit corporation exempt from taxation under § 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code which is organized for the purpose of fostering economic development by working with owners or managers of small businesses to create jobs, make capital investments, and increase sales, and which receives funding from the Department of Business Assistance, the U.S. Small Business 417 Administration, and political subdivisions of the Commonwealth.