

## **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1002**

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**Citations Affected:** IC 6-2.5; IC 6-3.5; IC 6-6; IC 8-2.1; IC 8-14; IC 8-14.5; IC 8-15; IC 8-21; IC 8-23; IC 9-18.1; IC 13-20; IC 36-9; noncode.

**Synopsis:** Transportation infrastructure funding. Eliminates the sales tax on the sale of special fuel. Increases the gasoline tax to \$0.23 per gallon on July 1, 2017. Increases the gasoline tax to \$0.28 per gallon on July 1, 2018. Increases the special fuel tax to \$0.19 per gallon on July 1, 2017. Increases the special fuel tax to \$0.22 per gallon on July 1, 2018. Increases the surcharge tax to \$0.16 per gallon on July 1, 2017. Increases the surcharge tax to \$0.21 per gallon on July 1, 2017. Increases the surcharge tax to \$0.21 per gallon on July 1, 2018. On July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1, 2024, provides for an annual rate increase in the gasoline tax rate, special fuel tax rate, and annual rate increase in the gasoline tax rate, special fuel tax rate, and surcharge tax rate based on an annual index factor. Limits the annual rate increase based on the annual index factor to \$0.01 per gallon. Specifies that the surcharge tax must be paid on special fuel that is not an alternative fuel at the time of purchase (the same time the special (Continued next page)

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January 4, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Roads and Transportation. January 26, 2017, amended, reported — Do Pass. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to Rule 127.

February 9, 2017, amended, reported — Do Pass.
February 14, 2017, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.
February 15, 2017, engrossed.
February 16, 2017, read third time, passed. Yeas 61, nays 36.

SENATE ACTION
February 23, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Tax and Fiscal Policy.
March 30, 2017, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.



fuel tax is paid), instead of being entirely paid using a quarterly return. Provides that the surcharge tax also applies to purchases of special fuel by persons other than carriers. Changes the motor vehicle highway account (MVHA) distribution formula for counties and municipalities to provide that the amount a county or municipality is entitled to receive in 2018 and each year thereafter is equal to: (1) the amount of the distribution received by the county or municipality from the MVHA during the preceding year; multiplied by (2) the annual index factor used for indexing the motor fuel taxes. Provides that revenue resulting from the increases in the gasoline tax rate, the special fuel tax rate, and the surcharge tax rate shall be deposited in the MVHA. Provides that \$25,000,000 of the revenue from the first \$0.18 of the gasoline tax rate and \$25,000,000 of the revenue from the first \$0.16 of the special fuel tax rate that are collected during a state fiscal year shall be distributed as follows: (1) 60% to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the local road and street account (LRSA), in the same proportion as under the LRSA and to be used for purposes of the LRSA. (2) 40% to the Indiana department of transportation. Provides that 1/18 of the revenue from the first \$0.18 of the gasoline tax rate shall be distributed to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the LRSA, in the same proportion as under the LRSA and to be used for purposes of the LRSA. Increases alternative fuel decal fees by 50%. Establishes a transportation infrastructure improvement fee that applies to the registration of vehicles with a declared gross weight of not more than 26,000 pounds and commercial vehicles with a declared gross weight of more than 26,000 pounds. Specifies that the fee is: (1) \$15 for vehicles with a declared gross weight of not more than 26,000 pounds (and deposits this fee in the local road and bridge matching grant fund); and (2) \$100 for commercial vehicles with a declared gross weight of more than 26,000 pounds (and deposits this fee in the motor vehicle highway account). Increases annual registration fees for certain motor vehicles with a declared gross weight that equals or exceeds 26,000 pounds. Requires a person who registers an electric vehicle to pay a supplemental registration fee of \$150 with an increase every five years based on an index factor. Requires a person who registers a hybrid vehicle to pay a supplemental registration fee of \$75 with an increase every five years based on an index factor. Increases the aviation fuel excise tax by \$0.10 per gallon and transfers the increased revenue to the airport development grant fund for airport capital improvement matching grants. Increases the fee on the sale of each new tire by \$5. Requires the revenue from the increase to be deposited in the MVHA. Repeals restrictions on when a tolling project can be undertaken. Provides that the Indiana department of transportation (INDOT) may, with the approval of the governor, seek a Federal Highway Administration waiver to toll interstate highways. Limits the first toll lanes under the waiver to certain interstate highways. Establishes the weigh-in-motion pilot program. Allows INDOT to approve certain railroad crossing projects, and authorizes the Indiana finance authority to finance an approved project subject to a maximum annual debt service limit of \$10,000,000. Annually appropriates \$250,000 to INDOT for the local technical assistance program to develop and maintain a centralized electronic statewide asset management data base. Makes various changes to the transportation funding exchange program between the state and counties and municipalities.



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## ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1002

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning transportation and to make an appropriation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 6-2.5-5-51 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE

2	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3	1, 2017]: Sec. 51. (a) As used in this section, "special fuel" has the
4	meaning set forth in IC 6-6-2.5-22.
5	(b) The sale of special fuel is exempt from the state gross retail
6	tax.
7	SECTION 2. IC 6-2.5-6-10, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2013,
8	SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
9	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10. (a) In order to compensate retail merchants
10	and those required to remit gasoline use tax for collecting and timely
11	remitting the state gross retail tax, the state use tax, and the gasoline
12	use tax, every retail merchant or person required to remit the gasoline
13	use tax, except as provided in subsection (c), is entitled to deduct and
14	retain from the amount of those taxes otherwise required to be remitted
15	under <del>IC</del> 6-2.5-7-5, IC 6-2.5-3.5 or under this chapter, if timely



1	remitted, a retail merchant's collection allowance.
2	(b) The allowance equals a percentage of the retail merchant's state
3	gross retail and use tax or the person's gasoline use tax liability accrued
4	during a calendar year, specified as follows:
5	(1) Seventy-three hundredths percent (0.73%), if the retail
6	merchant's state gross retail and use tax or gasoline use tax
7	liability accrued during the state fiscal year ending on June 30 of
8	the immediately preceding calendar year did not exceed sixty
9	thousand dollars (\$60,000).
10	(2) Fifty-three hundredths percent (0.53%), if the retail merchant's
11	state gross retail and use tax or gasoline use tax liability accrued
12	during the state fiscal year ending on June 30 of the immediately
13	preceding calendar year:
14	(A) was greater than sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000); and
15	(B) did not exceed six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000).
16	(3) Twenty-six hundredths percent (0.26%), if the retail
17	merchant's state gross retail and use tax liability or the person's
18	gasoline use tax accrued during the state fiscal year ending on
19	June 30 of the immediately preceding calendar year was greater
20	than six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000).
21	(c) A retail merchant described in IC 6-2.5-4-5 or IC 6-2.5-4-6 is not
22	entitled to the allowance provided by this section. A retail merchant is
23	not entitled to the allowance provided by this section with respect to
24	gasoline use taxes imposed by IC 6-2.5-3.5.
25	SECTION 3. IC 6-2.5-7-2 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
26	2017]. Sec. 2. Except as provided in section 2.5 of this chapter, a retail
27	merchant who uses a metered pump to dispense special fuel shall
28	display on the pump the total price per unit of the special fuel. Subject
29	to the provisions of section 2.5 of this chapter, a retail merchant may
30	not advertise the special fuel at a price that is different than the price
31	that the retail merchant is required to display on the metered pump.
32	SECTION 4. IC 6-2.5-7-2.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
33	2017]. Sec. 2.5. (a) This section does not apply to alternative fuel (as
34	defined by IC 6-6-2.5-1) dispensed after December 31, 2013, and
35	before January 1, 2017.
36	(b) A retail merchant may designate any metered pumps at a
37	business location that dispense special fuel as being "for trucks only".
38	To do this, a retail merchant must place on the pump a sign that states
39	that fuel dispensed from the metered pump may only be placed in the

fuel supply tanks of a truck. A sign that reads "TRUCKS ONLY" is

(c) A retail merchant may not dispense special fuel from a metered

sufficient to meet the requirements of this subsection.



pump that is designated for trucks only into the supply tank of a vehicle that is not a truck.

- (d) A retail merchant is not required to display the total price per unit of the special fuel on a metered pump if that particular metered pump is designated for trucks only.
- (e) A retail merchant may advertise special fuel at a price that does not include gross retail taxes that may be due on the sale of the special fuel only if the retail merchant maintains a metered pump that is designated for trucks only. If a retail merchant advertises special fuel at a price that does not include any gross retail taxes that may be due on the sale of the special fuel, the retail merchant must display in easily read lettering above or below the advertised price the words "EXEMPT TRUCKS ONLY".

SECTION 5. IC 6-2.5-7-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2013, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 3. With respect to the sale of special fuel or kerosene which is dispensed from a metered pump, unless the purchaser provides an exemption certificate in accordance with IC 6-2.5-8-8, a retail merchant shall collect, for each unit of special fuel or kerosene sold, state gross retail tax in an amount equal to the product, rounded to the nearest one-tenth of one cent (\$0.001), of:

- (1) the price per unit before the addition of state and federal taxes; multiplied by
- (2) seven percent (7%).

Unless the exemption certificate is provided, the retail merchant shall collect the state gross retail tax prescribed in this section even if the transaction is exempt from taxation under IC 6-2.5-5.

SECTION 6. IC 6-2.5-7-4 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 4. (a) If a sale of special fuel is exempt from the state gross retail tax, the person who pays the tax to the retail merchant may file a claim for refund with the department. The person must file the claim on the form, in the manner, and with the supporting documentation, prescribed by the department. If a person properly files a claim for refund, the department shall refund to the person the state gross retail tax collected with respect to the exempt transaction.

(b) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this section, the department may prescribe simplified procedures to make adjustments for exempt transactions.

SECTION 7. IC 6-2.5-7-5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 5. (a) Each retail merchant who dispenses special fuel from a metered pump shall, in the manner prescribed in IC 6-2.5-6, report to the department the following information:



1	(1) The total number of gallons of special fuel sold from a
2	metered pump during the period covered by the report.
3	(2) The total amount of money received from the sale of special
4	fuel during the period covered by the report.
5	(3) That portion of the amount described in subdivision (2) that
6	represents state and federal taxes imposed under this article,
7	IC 6-6-2.5, or Section 4041 or Section 4081 of the Internal
8	Revenue Code.
9	(b) Concurrently with filing the report, the retail merchant shall
10	remit the state gross retail tax in an amount which equals six and
11	fifty-four hundredths percent (6.54%) of the gross receipts, including
12	state gross retail taxes but excluding Indiana and federal special fuel
13	taxes, received by the retail merchant from the sale of the special fuel
14	that is covered by the report and on which the retail merchant was
15	required to collect state gross retail tax. The retail merchant shall remit
16	that amount regardless of the amount of state gross retail tax which the
17	merchant has actually collected under this chapter. However, the retail
18	merchant is entitled to deduct and retain the amounts prescribed in
19	subsection (c), IC 6-2.5-6-10, and IC 6-2.5-6-11.
20	(c) A retail merchant is entitled to deduct from the amount of state
21	gross retail tax required to be remitted under subsection (b) an amount
22	<del>equal to:</del>
23	(1) the sum of the prepayment amounts made during the period
24	covered by the retail merchant's report; minus
25	(2) the sum of prepayment amounts collected by the retail
26	merchant, in the merchant's capacity as a qualified distributor,
27	during the period covered by the retail merchant's report.
28	For purposes of this section, a prepayment of the gross retail tax is
29	presumed to occur on the date on which it is invoiced.
30	SECTION 8. IC 6-2.5-7-6.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
31	2017]. Sec. 6.5. (a) If the deduction under section 5(c) of this chapter
32	exceeds the amount of gross retail tax required to be remitted under
33	section 5(b) of this chapter, the retail merchant is entitled to a credit.
34	The credit shall be used as follows:
35	(1) First, the credit shall be applied against gross retail and use
36	tax liability of the retail merchant that is required to be remitted
37	<del>under</del> IC 6-2.5-6.
38	(2) Second, any amount remaining shall be applied against the
39	gasoline tax liability of the retail merchant, as determined under
40	IC 6-6-1.1, excluding any liability for gasoline delivered to a
41	taxable marine facility.
42	A retail merchant may file a claim for a refund instead of taking a



1	credit or for a refund of any excess tax payment remaining after the
2	credits allowed by this section.
3	(b) A retail merchant that is entitled to a refund under this section
4	must file a claim for the refund on the refund claim form approved by
5	the department and must include any supporting documentation
6	reasonably required by the department. If a retail merchant files a
7	completed refund claim form that includes all supporting
8	documentation, the excess tax payment that is not refunded within
9	ninety (90) days accrues interest as provided in IC 6-8.1-9-2.
10	(c) Before the fifth day of each month, the department shall
11	determine and notify the treasurer of state of the amount of credits
12	applied during the preceding month against the gasoline tax under this
13	section. The treasurer of state shall transfer from the general fund:
14	(1) to the highway, road and street fund, twenty-five percent
15	(25%) of the amount set forth in the department's notice; and
16	(2) to the motor fuel tax fund of the motor vehicle highway
17	account, seventy-five percent (75%) of the amount set forth in the
18	department's notice.
19	SECTION 9. IC 6-2.5-9-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
20	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) Except as
21	<del>provided in IC 6-2.5-7,</del> A person who:
22	(1) displays an advertised price, marked price, or publicly stated
23	price that includes the state gross retail or use taxes;
24	(2) offers to assume or absorb part of a customer's state gross
25	retail or use tax on a sale; or
26	(3) offers to refund part of a customer's state gross retail or use tax
27	as a part of a sale;
28	commits a Class B infraction.
29	(b) A retail merchant who:
30	(1) uses a metered pump to dispense gasoline; or special fuel;
31	(2) is required to display on the pump the total price per unit of
32	the gasoline or special fuel under IC 6-2.5-7-2; and
33	(3) advertises the gasoline or special fuel at a price other than that
34	required by IC 6-2.5-7-2;
35	commits a Class B infraction.
36	SECTION 10. IC 6-3.5-4-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
37	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 14. (a) On or before
38	August October 1 of each year, the auditor of a county that contains a
39	consolidated city of the first class and that has adopted the surtax shall
10	provide the county council with an estimate of the surtax revenues to
11	be received by the county during the next calendar year. The county
12	shall show the estimated surtax revenues in its budget estimate for the



calendar year.

(b) On or before August October 1 of each year, the auditor of a county that does not contain a consolidated city of the first class and that has adopted the surtax shall provide the county and each city and town in the county with an estimate of the surtax revenues to be distributed to that unit during the next calendar year. The county, city, or town shall show the estimated surtax revenues in its budget estimate for the calendar year.

SECTION 11. IC 6-3.5-5-16 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 16. (a) On or before August October 1 of each year, the auditor of a county that contains a consolidated city of the first class and that has adopted the wheel tax shall provide the county council with an estimate of the wheel tax revenues to be received by the county during the next calendar year. The county shall show the estimated wheel tax revenues in its budget estimate for the calendar year.

(b) On or before August October 1 of each year, the auditor of a county that does not contain a consolidated city of the first class and that has adopted the wheel tax shall provide the county and each city and town in the county with an estimate of the wheel tax revenues to be distributed to that unit during the next calendar year. The county, city, or town shall show the estimated wheel tax revenues in its budget estimate for the calendar year.

SECTION 12. IC 6-3.5-10-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016, SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 1. The following definitions apply throughout this chapter:

- (1) "Adopting municipality" means an eligible municipality that has adopted the surtax.
- (2) "Eligible municipality" means a municipality having a population of at least ten five thousand (10,000). (5,000).
- (3) "Fiscal body" has the meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-6.
- (4) "Fiscal officer" has the meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-7.
- (5) "Motor vehicle" means a vehicle that is subject to the annual license excise tax imposed under IC 6-6-5.
- (6) "Municipality" has the meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-11.
  - (7) "Surtax" means the annual license excise surtax imposed by the fiscal body of an eligible municipality under this chapter.
  - (8) "Transportation asset management plan" includes planning for drainage systems and rights-of-way that affect transportation assets.
- 42 SECTION 13. IC 6-3.5-10-11, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016,



- SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 11. On or before August October 1 of each year, the fiscal officer of an adopting municipality shall provide the fiscal body of the adopting municipality with an estimate of the surtax revenues to be received by the adopting municipality during the next calendar year. The adopting municipality shall include the estimated surtax revenues in the adopting municipality's budget estimate for the calendar year.
  - SECTION 14. IC 6-3.5-11-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016, SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1. The following definitions apply throughout this chapter:
    - (1) "Adopting municipality" means an eligible municipality that has adopted the wheel tax.
    - (2) "Branch office" means a branch office of the bureau of motor vehicles.
    - (3) "Bus" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-17(a).
    - (4) "Commercial vehicle" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-5.5-1(c).
    - (5) "Department" refers to the department of state revenue.
      - (6) "Eligible municipality" means a municipality having a population of at least ten five thousand (10,000). (5,000).
      - (7) "In-state miles" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-5.5-1(i).
      - (8) "Political subdivision" has the meaning set forth in IC 34-6-2-110.
      - (9) "Recreational vehicle" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-150.
      - (10) "Semitrailer" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-164(a).
    - (11) "State agency" has the meaning set forth in IC 34-6-2-141.
    - (12) "Tractor" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-180.
  - (13) "Trailer" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-184(a).
    - (14) "Transportation asset management plan" includes planning for drainage systems and rights-of-way that affect transportation assets
      - (15) "Truck" has the meaning set forth in IC 9-13-2-188(a).
    - (16) "Wheel tax" means the tax imposed under this chapter.
- SECTION 15. IC 6-3.5-11-15, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016, SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 15. On or before August October 1 of each year, the fiscal officer of an adopting municipality shall provide the fiscal
- body of the adopting municipality with an estimate of the wheel tax
- revenues to be received by the adopting municipality during the next



calendar year. The adopting municipality shall include the estimated wheel tax revenues in the adopting municipality's budget estimate for the calendar year.

SECTION 16. IC 6-6-1.1-201 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 201. (a) A license tax of eighteen cents (\$0.18) per gallon is imposed on the use of all gasoline used in Indiana at the applicable rate specified in subsection (b), except as otherwise provided by this chapter. The distributor shall initially pay the tax on the billed gallonage of all gasoline the distributor receives in this state, less any deductions authorized by this chapter. The distributor shall then add the per gallon amount of tax to the selling price of each gallon of gasoline sold in this state and collected from the purchaser so that the ultimate consumer bears the burden of the tax.

- (b) The license tax described in subsection (a) is imposed at the following applicable rate per gallon:
  - (1) Before July 1, 2017, eighteen cents (\$0.18).
  - (2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, twenty-three cents (\$0.23).
  - (3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-eight cents (\$0.28).
  - (4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1, 2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal to the product of:
    - (A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by
    - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.

The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However, after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the department's Internet web site not later than June 1.

SECTION 17. IC 6-6-1.1-209 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 209. (a) Persons having title to gasoline in storage and held for sale on the effective date of an increase in the license tax rate imposed under section 201 of this chapter are subject to an inventory tax based upon the gallonage in storage as of the close of the business day preceding the effective date of the increased license tax rate.

- (b) Persons subject to the tax imposed under this section shall:
  - (1) take an inventory to determine the gallonage in storage for purposes of determining the inventory tax;
  - (2) report that gallonage on forms provided by the administrator;



1	and
2	(3) pay the tax due within thirty (30) days of the prescribed
3	inventory date.
4	(c) The amount of the inventory tax is equal to the inventory tax rate
5	times the gallonage in storage as determined under subsection (a). The
6	inventory tax rate is equal to the difference of the increased license tax
7	rate minus the previous license tax rate.
8	(d) The inventory tax shall be considered a listed tax for the
9	purposes of IC 6-8.1.
10	(e) Revenue collected from the inventory tax imposed under this
11	section shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account
12	established under IC 8-14-1.
13	SECTION 18. IC 6-6-1.1-502, AS AMENDED BY P.L.211-2007,
14	SECTION 35, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
15	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 502. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), at
16	the time of filing each monthly report, each distributor shall pay to the
17	administrator the full amount of tax due under this chapter for the
18	preceding calendar month, computed as follows:
19	(1) Enter the total number of invoiced gallons of gasoline
20	received during the preceding calendar month.
21	(2) Subtract the number of gallons for which deductions are
22	provided by sections 701 through 705 of this chapter from the
23	number of gallons entered under subdivision (1).
24	(3) Subtract the number of gallons reported under section 501(3)
25	of this chapter.
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27	(4) Multiply the number of invoiced gallons remaining after
	making the computation in subdivisions (2) and (3) by the tax rate
28	prescribed by section 201 of this chapter to compute that part of
29	the gasoline tax to be deposited in the highway, road, and street
30	fund under section $802(2)$ 802(b)(2) of this chapter or in the
31	motor fuel tax fund under section 802(3) 802(b)(3) of this
32	chapter.
33	(5) Multiply the number of gallons subtracted under subdivision
34	(3) by the tax rate prescribed by section 201 of this chapter to
35	compute that part of the gasoline tax to be deposited in the fish
36	and wildlife fund under section 802(1) 802(b)(1) of this chapter.
37	(b) If the department determines that a distributor's:
38	(1) estimated monthly gasoline tax liability for the current year;
39	or
40	(2) average monthly gasoline tax liability for the preceding year;
41	exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the distributor shall pay the

monthly gasoline taxes due by electronic fund transfer (as defined in



IC 4-8.1-2-7) or by delivering in person or by overnight courier a payment by cashier's check, certified check, or money order to the department. The transfer or payment shall be made on or before the date the tax is due.

SECTION 19. IC 6-6-1.1-801.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 801.5. (a) This section applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the first eighteen cents (\$0.18) of the gasoline tax rate imposed under this chapter.

- (a) (b) The administrator shall transfer one-ninth (1/9) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the state highway road construction and improvement fund.
- (b) (c) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the state highway fund.
- (e) (d) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the auditor of state for distribution to counties, cities, and towns. The auditor of state shall distribute the amounts transferred under this subsection to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 local road and street account under IC 8-14-2-4 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1. local road and street account under IC 8-14-2-4. Money distributed under this subsection may be used only for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account local road and street account may be expended under IC 8-14-1. IC 8-14-2.
- (d) (e) After the transfers required by subsections (a) (b) through (c), (d), the administrator shall transfer the next twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter and received during a period beginning July 1 of a year and ending June 30 of the immediately succeeding year to the auditor of state for distribution in the following manner:
  - (1) thirty percent (30%) Sixty percent (60%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the local road and street account under IC 8-14-2 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed under IC 8-14-2-4.
  - (2) thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor



1	vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1; and
2	(3) (2) Forty percent (40%) to the Indiana department of
3	transportation.
4	(e) (f) The auditor of state shall hold all amounts of collections
5	received under subsection (d) (e) from the administrator that are made
6	during a particular month and shall distribute all of those amounts
7	pursuant to subsection (d) (e) on the fifth day of the immediately
8	succeeding month.
9	(f) (g) All amounts distributed under subsection (d) (e) may only be
10	used for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle
11	highway account local road and street account may be expended
12	under <del>IC 8-14-1.</del> <b>IC 8-14-2.</b>
13	SECTION 20. IC 6-6-1.1-802 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
14	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 802. (a) This section
15	applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the
16	first eighteen cents (\$0.18) of the gasoline tax rate imposed under
17	this chapter.
18	(b) The administrator shall, after the transfer specified in section
19	801.5 of this chapter, deposit the remainder of the revenues collected
20	under this chapter and described in subsection (a) in the following
21	manner:
22	(1) The taxes collected with respect to gasoline delivered to a
23	taxable marine facility shall be deposited in the fish and wildlife
24	fund established by IC 14-22-3-2.
25	(2) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the taxes collected under this
26	chapter, except the taxes referred to in subdivision (1), shall be
27	deposited in the highway, road and street fund established under
28	IC 8-14-2-2.1.
29	(3) The remainder of the revenues collected under this chapter
30	shall be deposited in the motor fuel tax fund of the motor vehicle
31	highway account.
32	SECTION 21. IC 6-6-1.1-802.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
33	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
34	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 802.5. The revenue collected
35	under this chapter from that part of the gasoline tax rate imposed
36	under this chapter that exceeds eighteen cents (\$0.18) shall be
37	deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under
38	IC 8-14-1 and used only for Indiana's roads.
39	SECTION 22. IC 6-6-1.6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
40	AS A <b>NEW</b> CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
41	UPON PASSAGE]:
42	Chapter 1.6. Fuel Tax Index Factors



1	Sec. 1. The following definitions apply throughout this chapter:
2	(1) "CPI-U" means the Consumer Price Index for all Urban
3	Consumers, U.S. city average, all items, using the index base
4	period of 1982-84 equal to one hundred (100), as published by
5	the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States
6	Department of Labor.
7	(2) "Department" refers to the department of state revenue.
8	(3) "IPI" means Indiana personal income.
9	Sec. 2. (a) The department shall calculate an annual index factor
10	to be used for the rate to take effect each July 1 beginning in 2019
11	through July 1, 2024. The department shall determine the index
12	factor before June 1 of each year using the method described in
13	subsection (b).
14	(b) The annual gasoline tax index factor, special fuel index
15	factor, and motor carrier surcharge tax index factor equal the
16	following:
17	STEP ONE: Divide the annual CPI-U for the year preceding
18	the determination year by the annual CPI-U for the year
19	immediately preceding that year.
20	STEP TWO: Divide the annual IPI for the year preceding the
21	determination year by the annual IPI for the year
22	immediately preceding that year.
23	STEP THREE: Add:
24	(A) the STEP ONE result; and
25	(B) the STEP TWO result.
26	STEP FOUR: Divide the STEP THREE result by two (2).
27	(c) The department shall continue to calculate the annual index
28	factor after 2024 for purposes of IC 8-14-1-3(1)(B).
29	SECTION 23. IC 6-6-2.5-22.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
30	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
31	[EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 22.5. As used in this chapter,
32	"special fuel gallon" means:
33	(1) except as provided in subdivisions (2) and (3), a gallon of
34	special fuel;
35	(2) a diesel gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(f)), in
36	the case of a special fuel that is liquid natural gas; or
37	(3) a gasoline gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(g)),
38	in the case of a special fuel that is compressed natural gas.
39	SECTION 24. IC 6-6-2.5-28, AS AMENDED BY P.L.190-2014,
40	SECTION 24, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
41	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 28. (a) A license tax of sixteen cents (\$0.16)
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2	(2) diesel gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(f)), in the
3	case of a special fuel that is liquid natural gas; or
4	(3) gasoline gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(g)), in
5	the case of a special fuel that is compressed natural gas;
6	is imposed on all special fuel sold or used in producing or generating
7	power for propelling motor vehicles, except fuel used under section
8	30(a)(8) or 30.5 of this chapter, at the applicable rate specified in
9	subsection (b). The tax shall be paid at those times, in the manner, and
10	by those persons specified in this section and section 35 of this chapter.
11	(b) The license tax described in subsection (a) is imposed at the
12	following applicable rate per special fuel gallon:
13	(1) Before July 1, 2017, sixteen cents (\$0.16).
14	(2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, nineteen cents
15	(\$0.19).
16	(3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-two cents
17	(\$0.22).
18	(4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1,
19	2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal
20	to the product of:
21	(A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by
22	(B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.
23	The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However,
24	after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the
25	rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department
26	shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the
27	department's Internet web site not later than June 1.
28	(b) (c) The department shall consider it a rebuttable presumption
29	that all undyed or unmarked special fuel, or both, received in Indiana
30	is to be sold for use in propelling motor vehicles.
31	(c) (d) Except as provided in subsection (d), (e), the tax imposed on
32	special fuel by subsection (a) shall be measured by invoiced gallons (or
33	diesel or gasoline gallon equivalents in the case of a special fuel
34	described in subsection (a)(2) or (a)(3)) section 22.5(2) or 22.5(3) of
35	this chapter of nonexempt special fuel received by a licensed supplier
36	in Indiana for sale or resale in Indiana or with respect to special fuel
37	subject to a tax precollection agreement under section 35(d) of this
38	chapter, such special fuel removed by a licensed supplier from a
39	terminal outside of Indiana for sale for export or for export to Indiana
40	and in any case shall generally be determined in the same manner as
41	the tax imposed by Section 4081 of the Internal Revenue Code and
42	Code of Federal Regulations.



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1	(d) (e) The tax imposed by subsection (a) on special fuel imported
2	into Indiana, other than into a terminal, is imposed at the time the
3	product is entered into Indiana and shall be measured by invoiced
4	gallons received at a terminal or at a bulk plant.
5	(e) (f) In computing the tax, all special fuel in process of transfer
6	from tank steamers at boat terminal transfers and held in storage
7	pending wholesale bulk distribution by land transportation, or in tanks
8	and equipment used in receiving and storing special fuel from interstate
9	pipelines pending wholesale bulk reshipment, shall not be subject to
10	tax.
11	(f) (g) The department shall consider it a rebuttable presumption
12	that special fuel consumed in a motor vehicle plated for general
13	highway use is subject to the tax imposed under this chapter. A person
14	claiming exempt use of special fuel in such a vehicle must maintain
15	adequate records as required by the department to document the
16	vehicle's taxable and exempt use.
17	(g) (h) A person that engages in blending fuel for taxable sale or use
18	in Indiana is primarily liable for the collection and remittance of the tax
19	imposed under subsection (a). The person shall remit the tax due in
20	conjunction with the filing of a monthly report in the form prescribed
21	by the department.
22	(h) (i) A person that receives special fuel that has been blended for
23	taxable sale or use in Indiana is secondarily liable to the state for the
24	tax imposed under subsection (a).
25	(i) A person may not use special fuel on an Indiana public

- (i) (j) A person may not use special fuel on an Indiana public
- highway if the special fuel contains a sulfur content that exceeds five one-hundredths of one percent (0.05%). A person who knowingly:
  - (1) violates; or
  - (2) aids or abets another person to violate;
- this subsection commits a Class A infraction. However, the violation is a Class A misdemeanor if the person has committed one (1) prior unrelated violation of this subsection, and a Level 6 felony if the person has committed more than one (1) unrelated violation of this subsection.

SECTION 25. IC 6-6-2.5-29 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 29. (a) Persons having title to special fuel in storage and held for sale on the effective date of an increase in the license tax rate imposed under section 28 of this chapter are subject to an inventory tax based on the gallons in storage as of the close of the business day preceding the effective date of the increased license tax rate.

- (b) Persons subject to the tax imposed under this section shall:
  - (1) take an inventory to determine the gallons in storage for



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1	purposes of determining the inventory tax;
2	(2) report the gallons listed in subdivision (1) on forms provided
3	by the commissioner; and
4	(3) pay the tax due not more than thirty (30) days after the
5	prescribed inventory date.
6	In determining the amount of special fuel tax due under this section,
7	the person may exclude the amount of special fuel that will not be
8	pumped out of the storage tank because the special fuel is below the
9	mouth of the draw pipe. For this purpose, the person may deduct two
10	hundred (200) gallons for a storage tank with a capacity of less than ten
11	thousand (10,000) gallons, and four hundred (400) gallons for a storage
12	tank with a capacity that exceeds ten thousand (10,000) gallons.
13	(c) The amount of the inventory tax is equal to the inventory tax rate
14	times the gallons in storage as determined under subsection (b). The
15	inventory tax rate is equal to the difference of the increased license tax
16	rate minus the previous license tax rate.
17	(d) The inventory tax shall be considered a listed tax for the
18	purposes of IC 6-8.1.
19	(e) Revenue collected from the inventory tax imposed under this
20	section shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account
21	established under IC 8-14-1.
22	SECTION 26. IC 6-6-2.5-62, AS AMENDED BY P.L.158-2013,
23	SECTION 98, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
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(A) The importer or the transporter before entering onto the



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1	highways of Indiana has obtained an import verification
2	number from the department not earlier than twenty-four (24)
3	hours before entering Indiana.
4	(B) The import verification number must be set out
5	prominently and indelibly on the face of each copy of the
6	terminal-issued shipping paper carried on board the transport
7	truck.
8	(C) The terminal origin and the importer's name and address
9	must be set out prominently on the face of each copy of the
10	terminal-issued shipping paper.
11	(D) The terminal-issued shipping paper data otherwise
12	required by this chapter is present.
13	(E) All tax imposed by this chapter with respect to previously
14	requested import verification number activity on the account
15	of the importer or the transporter has been timely remitted.
16	In every case, a transporter acting in good faith is entitled to rely upon
17	representations made to the transporter by the fuel supplier or importer
18	and when acting in good faith is not liable for the negligence or
19	malfeasance of another person. A person who knowingly violates or
20	knowingly aids and abets another person in violating this subsection
21	commits a Level 6 felony.
22	(b) No person shall export special fuel from Indiana unless that
23	person has obtained an exporter's license or a supplier's license or has
24	paid the destination state special fuel tax to the supplier and can
25	demonstrate proof of export in the form of a destination state bill of
26	lading. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly aids and abets

- lading. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly aids and abets another person in violating this subsection commits a Level 6 felony. (c) No person shall operate or maintain a motor vehicle on any
- public highway in Indiana with special fuel contained in the fuel supply tank for the motor vehicle that contains dye or a marker, or both, as provided under section 31 of this chapter. This provision does not apply to persons operating motor vehicles that have received fuel into their fuel tanks outside of Indiana in a jurisdiction that permits introduction of dyed or marked, or both, special fuel of that color and type into the motor fuel tank of highway vehicles or to a person that qualifies for the federal fuel tax exemption under Section 4082 of the Internal Revenue Code and that is registered with the department as a dyed fuel user. A person who knowingly:
  - (1) violates; or
- (2) aids and abets another person in violating; this subsection commits a Class A infraction. However, the violation is a Class A misdemeanor if the person has committed one (1) prior



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unrelated violation of this subsection, and a Level 6 felony if the person
has committed more than one (1) prior unrelated violation of this
subsection.

- (d) No person shall engage in any business activity in Indiana as to which a license is required by section 41 of this chapter unless the person shall have first obtained the license. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly aids and abets another person in violating this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.
- (e) No person shall operate a motor vehicle with a capacity of more than five thousand four hundred (5,400) gallons that is engaged in the shipment of special fuel on the public highways of Indiana and that is destined for a delivery point in Indiana, as shown on the terminal-issued shipping papers, without having on board a terminal-issued shipping paper indicating with respect to any special fuel purchased:
  - (1) under claim of exempt use, a notation describing the load or the appropriate portion of the load as Indiana tax exempt special fuel;
  - (2) if not purchased under a claim of exempt use, a notation describing the load or the appropriate portion thereof as Indiana taxed or pretaxed special fuel; or
  - (3) if imported by or on behalf of a licensed importer instead of the pretaxed notation, a valid verification number provided before entry into Indiana by the department or the department's designee or appointee, and the valid verification number may be handwritten on the shipping paper by the transporter or importer.

A person is in violation of subdivision (1) or (2) (whichever applies) if the person boards the vehicle with a shipping paper that does not meet the requirements described in the applicable subdivision (1) or (2). A person in violation of this subsection commits a Class A infraction (as defined in IC 34-28-5-4).

- (f) A person may not sell or purchase any product for use in the supply tank of a motor vehicle for general highway use that does not meet ASTM standards as published in the annual Book of Standards and its supplements unless amended or modified by rules adopted by the department under IC 4-22-2. The transporter and the transporter's agent and customer have the exclusive duty to dispose of any product in violation of this section in the manner provided by federal and state law. A person who knowingly:
  - (1) violates; or
- (2) aids and abets another in violating; this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.



1	(g) This subsection does not apply to the following:
2	(1) A person that:
3	(A) inadvertently manipulates the dye or marker concentration
4	of special fuel or coloration of special fuel; and
5	(B) contacts the department within one (1) business day after
6	the date on which the contamination occurs.
7	(2) A person that affects the dye or marker concentration of
8	special fuel by engaging in the blending of the fuel, if the blender:
9	(A) collects or remits, or both, all tax due as provided in
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11	section 28(g) 28(h) of this chapter; (B) maintains adequate records as required by the department
12	to account for the fuel that is blended and its status as a
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14	(C) is otherwise in compliance with this subsection.
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16	A person may not manipulate the dye or marker concentration of a special fuel or the coloration of special fuel after the special fuel is
17	removed from a terminal or refinery rack for sale or use in Indiana. A
18	person who knowingly violates or aids and abets another person to
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20	violate this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.  (b) This subsection does not emply to a necessar that receives blanded
21	(h) This subsection does not apply to a person that receives blended
22	fuel from a person in compliance with subsection (g)(2). A person may
23	not sell or consume special fuel if the special fuel dye or marker
24	concentration or coloration has been manipulated, inadvertently or
25	otherwise, after the special fuel has been removed from a terminal or
26	refinery rack for sale or use in Indiana. A person who knowingly:
27	(1) violates; or
28	(2) aids and abets another to violate;
	this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.
29 30	(i) A person may not engage in blending fuel for taxable use in
31	Indiana without collecting and remitting the tax due on the untaxed
32	portion of the fuel that is blended. A person who knowingly:
	(1) violates; or
33	(2) aids and abets another to violate;
34	this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.
35	SECTION 27. IC 6-6-2.5-64 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
36	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 64. (a) If any
37	person liable for the tax files a false or fraudulent return, there shall be
38	added to the tax an amount equal to the tax the person evaded or
39	attempted to evade.
40	(b) The department shall impose a civil penalty of one thousand
41	dollars (\$1,000) for a person's first occurrence of transporting special
42	fuel without adequate shipping papers as required under sections 40,



41(g), and 62(e) of this chapter, unless the person shall have complied

1	+1(g), and 02(c) of this chapter, unless the person shall have complied
2	with rules adopted under IC 4-22-2. Each subsequent occurrence
3	described in this subsection is subject to a civil penalty of five thousand
4	dollars (\$5,000).
5	(c) The department shall impose a civil penalty on the operator of
6	a vehicle of two hundred dollars (\$200) for the initial occurrence, two
7	thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the second occurrence, and
8	five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the third and each subsequent
9	occurrence of a violation of either:
10	(1) the prohibition of use of dyed or marked special fuel, or both,
11	on the Indiana public highways, except for a person that qualifies
12	for the federal fuel tax exemption under Section 4082 of the
13	Internal Revenue Code and that is registered with the department
14	as a dyed fuel user; or
15	(2) the use of special fuel in violation of section 28(i) 28(j) of this
16	chapter.
17	(d) A supplier that makes sales for export to a person:
18	(1) who does not have an appropriate export license; or
19	(2) without collection of the destination state tax on special fuel
20	nonexempt in the destination state;
21	shall be subject to a civil penalty equal to the amount of Indiana's
22	special fuel tax in addition to the tax due.
23	(e) The department may impose a civil penalty of one thousand
24	dollars (\$1,000) for each occurrence against every terminal operator
25	that fails to meet shipping paper issuance requirements under section
26	40 of this chapter.
27	(f) Each importer or transporter who knowingly imports undyed or
28	unmarked special fuel, or both, in a transport truck without:
29	(1) a valid importer license;
30	(2) a supplier license;
31	(3) an import verification number, if transporting in a vehicle with
32	a capacity of more than five thousand four hundred (5,400)
33	gallons; or
34	(4) a shipping paper showing on the paper's face as required under
35	this chapter that Indiana special fuel tax is not due;
36	is subject to a civil penalty of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each
37	occurrence described in this subsection.
38	(g) This subsection does not apply to a person if section 62(g) of this
39	chapter does not apply to the person. A:
40	(1) person that manipulates the dye or marker concentration of
41	special fuel or the coloration of special fuel after the special fuel
42	is removed from a terminal or refinery rack for sale or use in



1	Indiana; and
2	(2) person that receives the special fuel;
3	are jointly and severally liable for the special fuel tax due on the
4	portion of untaxed fuel plus a penalty equal to the greater of one
5	hundred percent (100%) of the tax due or one thousand dollars
6	(\$1,000).
7	(h) A person that engages in blending fuel for taxable sale or use in
8	Indiana and does not collect and remit all tax due on untaxed fuel that
9	is blended is liable for the tax due plus a penalty that is equal to the
10	greater of one hundred percent (100%) of the tax due or one thousand
11	dollars (\$1,000).
12	SECTION 28. IC 6-6-2.5-68 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
13	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 68. (a) This section
14	applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the
15	first sixteen cents (\$0.16) of the special fuel tax rate imposed under
16	this chapter.
17	(a) (b) The administrator shall transfer the next twenty-five million
18	dollars (\$25,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter
19	and received during a period beginning July 1 of a year and ending
20	June 30 of the immediately succeeding year to the auditor of state for
21	distribution in the following manner:
22	(1) Thirty percent (30%) Sixty percent (60%) to each of the
23	counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from
24	the local road and street account under IC 8-14-2 and in the same
25	proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are
26	distributed under IC 8-14-2-4.
27	(2) Thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns
28	eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway
29	account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the
30	counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor
31	vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1.
32	(3) (2) Forty percent (40%) to the Indiana department of
33	transportation.
34	(b) (c) The auditor of state shall hold all amounts of collections
35	received from the administrator that are made during a particular
36	month and shall distribute all of those amounts under subsection (a) (b)
37	on the fifth day of the immediately succeeding month.
38	(c) (d) All amounts distributed under subsection (a) (b) may only be
39	used for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle
40	highway account local road and street account may be expended
41	under <del>IC 8-14-1.</del> <b>IC 8-14-2.</b>
42	(d) (e) All revenue collected under this chapter and described in

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**subsection (a)** shall be used in the same manner as the revenue collected under IC 6-6-1.1. The administrator shall, after the transfers specified in subsection (a), (b), deposit the remainder of the revenues collected under this chapter **and described in subsection (a)** in the same manner that revenues are deposited under IC 6-6-1.1-802.

SECTION 29. IC 6-6-2.5-68.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 68.5.** The revenue collected from that part of the special fuel tax rate imposed under this chapter that exceeds sixteen cents (\$0.16) shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.

SECTION 30. IC 6-6-4.1-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.277-2013, SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) A tax is imposed on the consumption of motor fuel by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana. The rate of this tax is determined as follows:

- (1) When imposed upon the consumption of gasoline or special fuel (other than a special fuel that is an alternative fuel), the tax rate is the same rate per gallon as the rate per gallon at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5 plus, for a carrier that has paid the surcharge tax at the time of purchasing special fuel that is not an alternative fuel, the surcharge tax rate under section 4.5 of this chapter for those gallons purchased.
- (2) When imposed upon the consumption of a special fuel that is an alternative fuel, the tax rate is either of the following:
  - (A) The same rate per diesel gallon equivalent as the rate per gallon at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5, in the case of liquid natural gas.
  - (B) The same rate per gasoline gallon equivalent at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5, in the case of compressed natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane.

The tax shall be paid quarterly by the carrier to the department on or before the last day of the month immediately following the quarter.

- (b) The amount of motor fuel consumed by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana is the total amount of motor fuel consumed in its entire operations within and without Indiana, multiplied by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the total number of miles traveled on highways in Indiana, and the denominator of the fraction is the total number of miles traveled within and without Indiana.
- (c) The amount of tax that a carrier shall pay for a particular quarter under this section equals the product of the tax rate in effect for that



quarter, multiplied by the amount of motor fuel consumed by the
carrier in its operation on highways in Indiana and upon which the
carrier has not paid tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1, or IC 6-6-2.5, or
section 4.5 of this chapter.
(d) Subject to section 4.8 of this chapter, a carrier is entitled to a
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(d) Subject to section 4.8 of this chapter, a carrier is entitled to a proportional use credit against the tax imposed under this section for that portion of motor fuel used to propel equipment mounted on a motor vehicle having a common reservoir for locomotion on the highway and the operation of the equipment, as determined by rule of the commissioner. An application for a proportional use credit under this subsection shall be filed on a quarterly basis on a form prescribed by the department.

SECTION 31. IC 6-6-4.1-4.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.277-2013, SECTION 13, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 4.5. (a) As used in this section, "surcharge gallon" means, as applicable:

- (1) a gallon of gasoline or special fuel (other than natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane);
- (2) a diesel gallon equivalent of a special fuel that is liquid natural gas; or
- (3) a gasoline gallon equivalent of a special fuel that is compressed natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane.
- (a) (b) A surcharge tax is imposed on the consumption of motor fuel by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana at the applicable rate specified in subsection (c) and on the consumption of special fuel (other than natural gas or an alternative fuel) by a person that is not a carrier at the applicable rate specified in subsection (c). The rate of this surcharge tax is eleven cents (\$0.11) per:
  - (1) gallon of gasoline or special fuel (other than natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane);
  - (2) diesel gallon equivalent of a special fuel that is liquid natural gas; or
  - (3) gasoline gallon equivalent of a special fuel that is compressed natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane.

Beginning July 1, 2017, the surcharge tax that applies to special fuel that is not an alternative fuel shall be collected and remitted in the manner specified for the special fuel tax under IC 6-6-2.5 as required by the department. A carrier shall reconcile the amount



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1	owed under this section as part of the carrier's motor fuel use tax
2	reconciliation under this chapter. However, for a carrier that has
3	not paid any surcharge tax at the time of purchase, the tax shall be
4	paid quarterly by the carrier to the department on or before the last day
5	of the month immediately following the quarter.
6	(c) The surcharge tax described in subsection (b) is imposed at
7	the following applicable rate per surcharge gallon:
8	(1) Before July 1, 2017, eleven cents (\$0.11).
9	(2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, sixteen cents
10	(\$0.16).
11	(3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-one cents
12	(\$0.21).
13	(4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1,

(A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by

to the product of:

2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal

- (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.
- The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However, after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the department's Internet web site not later than June 1.
- (b) (d) The amount of motor fuel consumed by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana is the total amount of motor fuel consumed in its entire operations within and without Indiana, multiplied by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the total number of miles traveled on highways in Indiana, and the denominator of the fraction is the total number of miles traveled within and without Indiana.
- (e) (e) The amount of tax that a carrier shall pay for a particular quarter under this section equals the product of the tax rate in effect for that quarter, multiplied by the amount of motor fuel consumed by the carrier in its operation on highways in Indiana.
- (d) (f) Subject to section 4.8 of this chapter, a carrier is entitled to a proportional use credit against the tax imposed under this section for that portion of motor fuel used to propel equipment mounted on a motor vehicle having a common reservoir for locomotion on the highway and the operation of this equipment as determined by rule of the commissioner. An application for a proportional use credit under this subsection shall be filed on a quarterly basis on a form prescribed by the department.

SECTION 32. IC 6-6-4.1-4.7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS



- FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4.7. (a) This section applies only to a claim for a proportional use credit under section 4(d) or 4.5(d) 4.5(f) of this chapter for taxes first due and payable after July 31, 1999.
- (b) A carrier must be certified by the department in order to qualify for a proportional use credit under section 4(d) or 4.5(d) **4.5(f)** of this chapter.
- (c) A carrier must apply to the department for certification before April 1 of the first calendar year for which the proportional use credit will be claimed. An application for certification must be in writing upon forms prescribed by the department and must be signed and verified by the carrier. The department must include on all application forms suitable spaces for a listing of the following:
  - (1) The carrier's federal Social Security number or federal tax identification number.
  - (2) The address of the carrier's principal place of business.
  - (3) A description of each of the carrier's vehicles that has a common fuel supply reservoir for both locomotion on a public highway and a commercial purpose.
  - (4) The vehicle identification number for each vehicle described in subdivision (3).
- (d) The department may certify that a carrier is qualified to claim a proportional use credit under section 4(d) or 4.5(d) 4.5(f) of this chapter only upon payment by the carrier to the department of a one (1) time fee of seven dollars (\$7). The carrier must pay the fee at the time the application for certification is submitted to the department. The department shall deposit the fee in the motor carrier regulation fund established by IC 8-2.1-23-1.
- (e) A carrier must notify the department, on forms prescribed by the department, of any change of address by the carrier. The carrier must provide the notice not more than ten (10) days after the change of address. The department may revoke or suspend the certification of a carrier that fails to comply with this subsection.
- (f) All certificates issued under this section are personal and may not be transferred.
- (g) The department may require a carrier that has been issued a certificate under this section to submit additional information from time to time at reasonable intervals, as determined by the department.
- (h) The department may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to carry out this section.
- SECTION 33. IC 6-6-4.1-4.8, AS AMENDED BY P.L.176-2006, SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE



1	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4.8. (a) This section applies only to a claim for a
2	proportional use credit under section 4(d) or 4.5(d) 4.5(f) of this
3	chapter for taxes first due and payable after July 31, 1999.
4	(b) In order to obtain a proportional use credit against taxes imposed
5	under section 4 or 4.5 of this chapter, a carrier must file a claim with
6	the department. The claim must be submitted on a form prescribed by
7	the department and must be filed with the quarterly return for the
8	taxable period for which the proportional use credit is claimed. A
9	carrier is not entitled to a proportional use credit under section 4(d) or
10	4.5(d) 4.5(f) of this chapter unless the carrier:
11	(1) has paid in full the taxes to which the credit applies; and
12	(2) has filed a claim for the credit on or before the due date of the
13	corresponding quarterly return for the taxable period for which
14	the proportional use credit is claimed.
15	A credit approved under this section shall, subject to this section, be
16	refunded to the carrier without interest.
17	(c) The department shall determine the aggregate amount of
18	proportional use credits claimed under section 4(d) or 4.5(d) 4.5(f) of
19	this chapter for each quarter. The department may approve the full
20	amount of a proportional use credit claimed by a carrier if the
21	aggregate amount of proportional use credits claimed for the quarter
22	and for the fiscal year do not exceed the limits set forth in subsection
23	(d). If the aggregate amount of proportional use credits claimed in a
24	quarter exceeds the limits set forth in subsection (d), the department
25	shall pay the claims for that quarter on a pro rata basis.
26	(d) The department may not approve more than three million five
27	hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000) of proportional use credits
28	under this section in a state fiscal year. In addition, the amount of
29	proportional use credits the department may approve under this section
30	for a quarter may not exceed the following:
31	(1) For the quarter ending September 30 of a year, an amount
32	equal to one million three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars
33	(\$1,375,000).
34	(2) For the quarter ending December 31 of a year, an amount
35	equal to:
36	(A) six hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$625,000); plus
37	(B) the greater of zero (0) or the result of:
38	(i) the limit determined for the previous quarter under this
39	subsection; minus
40	(ii) the aggregate amount of claims approved for the



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previous quarter.

(3) For the quarter ending March 31 of a year, an amount equal

1	to:
2	(A) six hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$625,000); plus
3	(B) the greater of zero (0) or the result of:
4	(i) the limit determined for the previous quarter under this
5	subsection; minus
6	(ii) the aggregate amount of claims approved for the
7	previous quarter.
8	(4) For the quarter ending June 30 of a year, an amount equal to:
9	(A) eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$875,000);
10	plus
11	(B) the greater of zero (0) or the result of:
12	(i) the limit determined for the previous quarter under this
13	subsection; minus
14	(ii) the aggregate amount of claims approved for the
15	previous quarter.
16	SECTION 34. IC 6-6-4.1-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
17	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 5. (a) The department
18	shall deposit revenue collected under sections 4 and 12 of this chapter
19	in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).
20	(b) The department shall deposit revenue collected <b>from the first</b>
21	eleven cents (\$0.11) of the surcharge tax rate imposed under section
22	4.5 of this chapter as follows:
23	(1) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) in the state highway
24	fund (IC 8-23-9-54).
25	(2) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) in the motor vehicle
26	highway account (IC 8-14-1).
27	(3) Nine percent (9%) in the motor carrier regulation fund
28	administered by the department.
29	(c) The department shall deposit revenue collected from that
30	part of the surcharge tax rate imposed under section 4.5 of this
31	chapter that exceeds eleven cents (\$0.11) in the motor vehicle
32	highway account established under IC 8-14-1.
33	(c) (d) The department shall deposit revenue collected under section
34	13 of this chapter as follows:
35	(1) Thirty-five percent (35%) in the motor vehicle highway
36	account (IC 8-14-1).
37	(2) Sixty-five percent (65%) in the state highway fund
38	(IC 8-23-9-54).
39	SECTION 35. IC 6-6-4.1-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
40	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 6. (a) A carrier is
41	entitled to a credit against the tax imposed under section 4 of this
42	chapter if the carrier, or a lessor operating under the carrier's annual
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1	permit, has:
2	(1) paid the tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and
3	section 4.5 of this chapter on motor fuel purchased in Indiana;
4	(2) consumed the motor fuel outside Indiana; and
5	(3) paid a gasoline, special fuel, or road tax with respect to the
6	fuel in one (1) or more other states or jurisdictions.
7	(b) The amount of credit for a quarter is equal to the tax paid under
8	IC 6-6-1.1 and IC 6-6-2.5 on motor fuel that:
9	(1) was purchased in Indiana;
10	(2) was consumed outside Indiana; and
11	(3) with respect to which the carrier paid a gasoline, special fuel,
12	or road tax to another state or jurisdiction.
13	(c) To qualify for the credit, the carrier shall submit any evidence
14	required by the department of payment of the tax imposed under
15	IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and section 4.5 of this chapter.
16	(d) A credit earned by a carrier in a particular quarter shall be
17	applied against the carrier's tax liability under this chapter for that
18	quarter before any credit carryover is applied against that liability
19	under section 7 of this chapter.
20	SECTION 36. IC 6-6-4.1-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
21	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. (a) As used in this
22	section, the credit of a carrier for any quarter is the amount by which
23	the credit to which the carrier is entitled under section 6 of this chapter
24	for that quarter exceeds the tax liability of the carrier under section
25	sections 4 and 4.5 of this chapter for that quarter.
26	(b) The credit for any quarter shall be allowed as a credit against the
27	tax for which the carrier would otherwise be liable in the quarter in
28	which the credit accrued.
29	(c) A carrier is entitled to the refund of any credit not previously
30	used to offset a tax liability or for any erroneously paid tax or penalty.
31	To obtain the refund, the carrier shall submit to the department a
32	properly completed application in accordance with rules adopted by the
33	department under IC 4-22-2. The application must be submitted within
34	three (3) years after the end of:
35	(1) the quarter in which the credit accrued; or
36	(2) the calendar year that contains the taxable period in which the
37	tax or penalty was erroneously paid.
38	Along with the application, the carrier shall submit any evidence
39	required by the department and any reports required by the department
40	under this chapter.

(d) The department shall pay interest on any part of a refund that is not made within ninety (90) days after the date on which all of the



1	following have been completed:	
2	(1) The filing of:	
3	(A) the properly completed application for refund; or	
4	(B) the quarterly return on which a refund is claimed.	
5	(2) The submission of any evidence required by the department	
6	of payment of the tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and	
7	section 4.5 of this chapter.	
8	(3) The submission of reports required by the department under	
9	this chapter.	
10	(4) The furnishing of a surety bond, letter of credit, or cash	
11	deposit under section 8 of this chapter.	
12	(e) The department shall pay interest at the rate established under	
13	IC 6-8.1-9 from the date of:	
14	(1) the refund application;	
15	(2) the due date of a timely filed quarterly return on which a	
16	refund is claimed; or	
17	(3) the filing date of a quarterly return on which a refund is	
18	claimed, if the quarterly refund is filed after the due date of the	
19	quarterly return;	
20	to a date determined by the department that does not precede the date	
21	on which the refund is made by more than thirty (30) days.	
22	SECTION 37. IC 6-6-4.1-21 IS AMENDED TO READ AS	
23	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 21. A person carrier	
24	subject to the taxes imposed under sections 4 through 4.5 of this	
25	chapter who fails to file a quarterly report as required by section 10 of	
26	this chapter shall pay a civil penalty of three hundred dollars (\$300) for	
27	each report that is not filed.	
28	SECTION 38. IC 6-6-4.1-22 IS AMENDED TO READ AS	
29	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 22. (a) If a person:	
30	carrier:	
31	(1) fails to file a return for taxes due under this chapter;	
32	(2) fails to pay the full amount of tax shown on the person's return	
33	by the due date for the return or the payment; or	
34	(3) incurs a deficiency upon a determination by the department;	
35	the person carrier is subject to interest on the nonpayment.	
36	(b) The interest for a failure described in subsection (a) is the rate	
37	of interest calculated under the interest provisions of the International	
38	Fuel Tax Agreement entered into by the department under	
39	IC 6-8.1-3-14.	
40	SECTION 39. IC 6-6-13-6, AS ADDED BY P.L.288-2013,	
41	SECTION 67, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE	
42	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 6. (a) Except as provided in section 7 of this	



chapter, an excise tax of ten twenty cents (\$0.10) (\$0.20) per gallon is
imposed on the gross retail income received by a retailer on each gallon
of aviation fuel purchased in Indiana. A retailer shall add the per gallon
amount of tax to the selling price of each gallon of aviation fuel sold by
the retailer so that the ultimate consumer bears the burden of the tax.
(b) For numbers of this abouter the gross retail income received by

(b) For purposes of this chapter, the gross retail income received by the retailer from the sale of aviation fuel does not include the amount of any excise tax imposed upon the sale under federal law.

SECTION 40. IC 6-6-13-15, AS ADDED BY P.L.288-2013, SECTION 67, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 15. The department shall transfer aviation fuel excise taxes collected under this chapter to the treasurer of state for deposit:

- (1) before July 1, 2017, in the state general fund; and
- (2) after June 30, 2017, as follows:
  - (A) Fifty percent (50%) in the state general fund.
  - (B) Fifty percent (50%) in the airport development grant fund established by IC 8-21-11-4.

SECTION 41. IC 6-6-14-4, AS ADDED BY P.L.212-2014, SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) The owner of one (1) of the following motor vehicles that is registered in Indiana and that is propelled by alternative fuel shall obtain an alternative fuel decal for the motor vehicle and pay an annual fee in accordance with the following schedule:

## SCHEDI I E

25	SCHEDULE	
26	Motor Vehicle	Annual Fee
27	A passenger motor vehicle, truck, or bus,	
28	the declared gross weight of which is	
29	equal to or less than 9,000 pounds.	<del>\$100</del> <b>\$150</b>
30	A recreational vehicle.	<del>\$100</del> <b>\$150</b>
31	A truck or bus, the declared gross	
32	weight of which is greater than 9,000 pounds	
33	but equal to or less than 11,000 pounds.	<del>\$175</del> <b>\$262.50</b>
34	An alternative fuel delivery truck powered	
35	by alternative fuel, which is a truck the	
36	declared gross weight of which is greater	
37	than 11,000 pounds.	<del>\$250</del> <b>\$375</b>
38	A truck or bus, the declared gross weight	
39	of which is greater than 11,000 pounds,	
40	except an alternative fuel delivery truck.	<del>\$300</del> <b>\$450</b>
41	A tractor, designed to be used with a	
42	semitrailer.	<del>\$500</del> <b>\$750</b>





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1	Only one (1) fee is required to be paid per motor vehicle per year.
2	(b) The annual fee may be prorated on a quarterly basis if:
3	(1) application is made after June 30 of a year; and
4	(2) the motor vehicle is newly:
5	(A) converted to alternative fuel;
6	(B) purchased; or
7	(C) registered in Indiana.
8	(c) The revenue collected from that part of a fee imposed under
9	this section that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30,
10	2017, shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account
11	established under IC 8-14-1.
12	SECTION 42. IC 8-2.1-28 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
13	AS A <b>NEW</b> CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
14	JULY 1, 2017]:
15	Chapter 28. Weigh-in-Motion Pilot Program
16	Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "department" means the
17	department of transportation.
18	Sec. 2. The department may:
19	(1) plan;
20	(2) develop;
21	(3) install;
22	(4) maintain;
23	(5) monitor; and
24 25	(6) finance;
	electronic weigh-in-motion equipment to facilitate the enforcement
26	of size and weight restrictions under IC 9-20.
27	Sec. 3. The department may enter into any contracts and
28	agreements necessary to carry out this chapter.
29	Sec. 4. The department may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to
30	carry out this chapter. If the department adopts rules under this
31	section, the rules must establish the following:
32	(1) Technical standards for the installation of electronic
33	weigh-in-motion stations, including:
34	(A) roadway sensors;
35	(B) cameras;
36	(C) laser measurement devices;
37	(D) roadway pressure sensors;
38	(E) speed sensors; and
39	(F) all other equipment necessary to establish electronic
40	weigh-in-motion stations.
41	(2) Weight tolerances for electronic weigh-in-motion stations,
42	frequency of testing of weight tolerances, and certification



1	programs for weight tolerances.
2	(3) Smoothness standards for approach and departure
3	pavement, and a program to monitor roadway smoothness
4	affecting electronic weigh-in-motion stations.
5	Sec. 5. (a) The department may adopt emergency rules in the
6	manner provided under IC 4-22-2-37.1 to carry out this chapter.
7	(b) An emergency rule adopted under subsection (a) expires on
8	the date a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by
9	the department under IC 4-22-2-25 through IC 4-22-2-36.
10	SECTION 43. IC 8-14-1-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.2-2014,
11	SECTION 33, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
12	JANUARY 1, 2018]: Sec. 3. The money collected for the motor vehicle
13	highway account fund and remaining after refunds and the payment of
14	all expenses incurred in the collection thereof, and after the deduction
15	of the amount appropriated to the department for traffic safety, shall be
16	allocated to and distributed among the department and subdivisions
17	designated as follows:
18	(1) Of the net amount in the motor vehicle highway account the
19	auditor of state shall set aside for the cities and towns of the state
20	fifteen percent (15%) thereof. This sum shall be allocated to the
21	cities and towns upon the basis that the population of each city
22	and town bears to the total population of all the cities and towns
23	and distribute to cities and towns the amounts determined
24	under this subdivision. The amount that each city or town is
25	entitled to receive under this subdivision in 2018 and in each
26	calendar year thereafter is equal to the result of:
27	(A) the amount of the distribution received by the city or
28	town under this section during the preceding calendar
29	year; multiplied by
30	(B) the annual index factor determined in the manner
31	described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for the preceding year.
32	The amount received by a city or town under this subdivision
33	shall be used for the construction or reconstruction and
34	maintenance of streets and alleys and shall be annually budgeted
35	as now provided by law. However, no part of such sum shall be
36	used for any other purpose than for the purposes defined in this
37	chapter. If any funds allocated to any city or town shall be used by
38	any officer or officers of such city or town for any purpose or
39	purposes other than for the purposes as defined in this chapter,
40	such officer or officers shall be liable upon their official bonds to
41	such city or town in such amount so used for other purposes than

for the purposes as defined in this chapter, together with the costs



1	of said action and reasonable attorney fees, recoverable in an
2	action or suit instituted in the name of the state of Indiana on the
3	relation of any taxpayer or taxpayers resident of such city or town.
4	A monthly distribution thereof of funds accumulated during the
5	preceding month shall be made by the auditor of state.
6	(2) Of the net amount in the motor vehicle highway account, the
7	auditor of state shall set aside for the counties of the state
8	thirty-two percent (32%) thereof. However, as to the allocation to
9	cities and towns under subdivision (1) and as to the allocation to
10	counties under this subdivision, in the event that the amount in
11	the motor vehicle highway account fund remaining after refunds
12	and after the payment of all expenses incurred in the collection
13	thereof shall be less than twenty-two million six hundred and fifty
14	thousand dollars (\$22,650,000) in any fiscal year, then the amount
15	so set aside in the next calendar year for distributions to counties
16	shall be reduced fifty-four percent (54%) of such deficit and the
17	amount so set aside for distribution in the next calendar year to
18	eities and towns shall be reduced thirteen percent (13%) of such
19	deficit. Such reduced distributions shall begin with the
20	distribution January 1 of each year. and distribute to counties
21	the amounts determined under this subdivision. The amount
22	that each county is entitled to receive under this subdivision
23	in 2018 and in each calendar year thereafter is equal to the
24	result of:
25	(A) the amount of the distribution received by the county
26	under this section during the preceding calendar year;
27	multiplied by
28	(B) the annual index factor determined in the manner
29	described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for the preceding year.
30	(3) The amount set aside for the counties of the state under the
31	provisions of subdivision (2) shall be allocated monthly upon the
32	following basis:
33	(A) Five percent (5%) of the amount allocated to the counties
34	to be divided equally among the ninety-two (92) counties.
35	(B) Sixty-five percent (65%) of the amount allocated to the
36	counties to be divided on the basis of the ratio of the actual
37	miles, now traveled and in use, of county roads in each county
38	to the total mileage of county roads in the state, which shall be
39	annually determined, accurately, by the department and
40	submitted to the auditor of state before April 1 of each year.
41	(C) Thirty percent (30%) of the amount allocated to the

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counties to be divided on the basis of the ratio of the motor



1	vehicle registrations of each county to the total motor vehicle
2	registration of the state.
3	All money so distributed to the several counties of the state shall
4	constitute a special road fund for each of the respective counties
5	and shall be under the exclusive supervision and direction of the
6	board of county commissioners in the construction,
7	reconstruction, maintenance, or repair of the county highways or
8	bridges on such county highways within such county.
9	(4) (3) Each month the remainder of the net amount in the motor
10	vehicle highway account shall be credited to the state highway
11	fund for the use of the department.
12	(5) (4) Money in the fund may not be used for any toll road or toll
13	bridge project.
14	(6) (5) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section,
15	money in the motor vehicle highway account fund may be
16	appropriated to the Indiana department of transportation from the
17	forty-seven percent (47%) amounts distributed to the political
18	subdivisions of the state under subdivisions (2) and (3) to pay
19	the costs incurred by the department in providing services to those
20	subdivisions.
21	(7) (6) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section or of
22	IC 8-14-8, for the purpose of maintaining a sufficient working
23	balance in accounts established primarily to facilitate the
24	matching of federal and local money for highway projects, money
25	may be appropriated to the Indiana department of transportation
26	as follows:
27	(A) One-half (1/2) from the forty-seven percent (47%)
28	<b>amounts</b> set aside under subdivisions (1) and (2) for counties
29	and for those cities and towns with a population greater than
30	five thousand (5,000).
31	(B) One-half (1/2) from the distressed road fund under
32	IC 8-14-8.
33	(7) In the case of a municipality incorporated after December
34	31, 2017, the municipality's initial annual distribution under
35	this section shall be determined based on the amount the
36	municipality would have received under the distribution
37	formula in this section as in effect June 30, 2017, increased by
38	applying the annual index factor determined in the manner
39	described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for each year that is after 2017
40	and that precedes the year in which the municipality is
41	incorporated.
42	SECTION 44. IC 8-14-1-11 IS AMENDED TO READ AS



- FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018]: Sec. 11. (a) The department may create a local agency revolving fund from money appropriated under section 3(7) 3(6) of this chapter for the purpose of maintaining a sufficient working balance in accounts established primarily to facilitate the matching of federal and local money for highway projects.
- (b) The revolving fund balance must be maintained through reimbursement from a local unit for money used by that unit to match federal funds.
- (c) If the local unit fails to reimburse the revolving fund, the department shall notify the local unit that the department has found the outstanding accounts receivable to be uncollectible.
- (d) The attorney general shall review the outstanding accounts receivable and if the attorney general agrees with the department's assessment of the account's status, the attorney general shall certify to the auditor of state that the outstanding accounts receivable is uncollectible and request a transfer of funds as provided in subsection (e).
- (e) Upon receipt of a certificate as specified in subsection (d), the auditor of state shall:
  - (1) immediately notify the delinquent local unit of the claim; and (2) if proof of payment is not furnished to the auditor of state within thirty (30) days after the notification, transfer an amount
  - equal to the outstanding accounts receivable to the department from the delinquent local unit's allocations from the motor vehicle highway account for deposit in the local agency revolving fund.
- (f) Transfers shall be made under subsection (e) until the unpaid amount has been paid in full under the terms of the agreement. However, the agreement may be amended if both the department and the unit agree to amortize the transfer over a period not to exceed five (5) years.
- (g) Money in the fund at the end of a fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.

SECTION 45. IC 8-14-3-3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 3. (a) There is annually appropriated two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) from the motor vehicle highway account to the department to develop and maintain a centralized electronic statewide asset management data base that may be used to aggregate data on local road conditions. The data base shall be developed in cooperation with the department and the office of management and budget.



(b) The department shall submit a written report on the department's progress in developing the data base described in subsection (a) to the funding Indiana's roads for a stronger, safer tomorrow task force under IC 2-5-41 in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6 before November 1, 2017.

SECTION 46. IC 8-14-10-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. As used in this chapter, "state highway" means any highway that is designated as part of the state highway system under IC 8-23-4. The term includes all bridges, tunnels, overpasses, underpasses, **highway railroad crossings**, interchanges, entrance plazas, approaches, buildings, and facilities that the department considers necessary for the operation of the highway, together with all property, rights, easements, and interests that are acquired by the department for the construction or reconstruction of the highway.

SECTION 47. IC 8-14.5-6-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1. Except as provided in sections 2 and 5 of this chapter, the authority may, by resolution, issue and sell bonds or notes of the authority for the purpose of providing funds to carry out the provisions of this article with respect to the construction of a project or projects or the refunding of any bonds or notes, together with any reasonable costs associated with a refunding. However, the authority may not issue any bonds or notes for the construction of a project:

- (1) after July 1, 2007, for a project that is not a highway railroad crossing upgrade project described in IC 8-14.5-8; and
- (2) after June 30, 2025, for a highway railroad crossing upgrade project described in IC 8-14.5-8.

The amount of the bonds or notes issued for purposes of subdivision (2) may not cause the annual payments on all the bonds and notes for this purpose to exceed ten million dollars (\$10,000,000).

SECTION 48. IC 8-14.5-8 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]:

- **Chapter 8. State Highway Railroad Crossing Remediation Projects**
- Sec. 1. (a) The department may approve state highway railroad crossing remediation projects under this chapter for financing under this article.
  - (b) The department shall establish a documented policy and



procedure consistent with the requirements of IC 8-6-1 for making
determinations of whether a project should be approved under this
chapter.

- Sec. 2. To approve a project under this chapter the department must determine that the project meets the following conditions:
  - (1) The crossing is at a state highway.

- (2) The crossing is at a stage of critical need.
- Sec. 3. A project under this chapter may include building an overpass over the railroad if the department determines that is the best solution for the crossing.
- Sec. 4. The department may seek financing by the authority under this article for a project approved under this chapter.
- Sec. 5. The authority may issue bonds or notes to finance a project approved by the department under this chapter using lease rentals for bond or note repayments. However, the annual payments on all the bonds and notes outstanding may not exceed ten million dollars (\$10,000,000).
- Sec. 6. The department shall make lease rental payments from the state highway road construction and improvement fund established by IC 8-14-10.

SECTION 49. IC 8-15-2-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.94-2015, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1. (a) In order to remove the handicaps and hazards on the congested highways in Indiana, to facilitate vehicular traffic throughout the state, to promote the agricultural and industrial development of the state, and to provide for the general welfare by the construction of modern express highways embodying safety devices, including center division, ample shoulder widths, long sight distances, multiple lanes in each direction, and grade separations at intersections with other highways and railroads, the authority may:

- (1) subject to subsection (d), construct, reconstruct, maintain, repair, and operate toll road projects at such locations as shall be approved by the governor;
- (2) in accordance with such alignment and design standards as shall be approved by the authority and subject to IC 8-9.5-8-10, issue toll road revenue bonds of the state payable solely from funds pledged for their payment, as authorized by this chapter, to pay the cost of such projects;
- (3) finance, develop, construct, reconstruct, improve, or maintain improvements for manufacturing, commercial, or public transportation activities within a county through which a toll road passes;



1	(4) in cooperation with the Indiana department of transportation
2	or a political subdivision, construct, reconstruct, or finance the
3	construction or reconstruction of an arterial highway or an arterial
4	street that is located within a county through which a toll road
5	passes and that:
6	(A) interchanges with a toll road project; or
7	(B) intersects with a road or a street that interchanges with a
8	toll road project;
9	(5) finance improvements necessary for developing transportation
10	corridors in northwestern Indiana; and
11	(6) exercise these powers in participation with any governmental
12	entity or with any individual, partnership, limited liability
13	company, or corporation.
14	(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the authority shall not construct,
15	maintain, operate, nor contract for the construction, maintenance, or
16	operation of transient lodging facilities on, or adjacent to, such toll road
17	projects.
18	(c) This chapter:
19	(1) applies to the authority only when acting for the purposes set
20	forth in this chapter; and
21	(2) does not apply to the authority when acting under any other
22	statute for any other purpose.
23	(d) Before the authority or an operator selected under IC 8-15.5 may
24	carry out any of the following activities under this chapter, the general
25	assembly must enact a statute authorizing that activity:
26	(1) Imposing tolls on motor vehicles for use of Interstate Highway
27	<del>69.</del>
28	(2) Imposing tolls on motor vehicles for use of a nontolled
29	highway, roadway, or other facility in existence or under
30	construction on July 1, 2011, including nontolled interstate
31	highways, U.S. routes, and state routes.
32	SECTION 50. IC 8-15-3-0.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
33	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
34	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 0.5. As used in this chapter, "authority"
35	refers to the Indiana finance authority established under IC 4-4-11.
36	SECTION 51. IC 8-15-3-9, AS AMENDED BY P.L.94-2015,
37	SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
38	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 9. (a) Subject to subsection (e), The governor
39	must approve the location of any tollway.
40	(b) The department may, in any combination, plan, design, develop,
41	construct, reconstruct, maintain, repair, police, finance, and operate

tollways, public improvements, and arterial streets and roads at those



1	locations that the governor approves.
2	(c) The department may, in any combination, plan, design, develop
3	construct, reconstruct, improve, finance, operate, repair, or maintain
4	public improvements such as roads and streets, sewer lines, water lines
5	and other utilities if these improvements are:
6	(1) adjacent or appurtenant to a tollway; or
7	(2) necessary or desirable for the financing, construction
8	operation, or maintenance of a tollway.
9	(d) The department may, in any combination, plan, design, develop
10	construct, reconstruct, improve, maintain, repair, operate, or finance
11	the construction or reconstruction of an arterial highway or an arteria
12	street that:
13	(1) is adjacent to, appurtenant to, or interchanges with a tollway
14	or
15	(2) intersects with a road or street that interchanges with
16	tollway.
17	(e) Before the governor, the department, or an operator may earry
18	out any of the following activities under this chapter, the general
19	assembly must enact a statute authorizing that activity:
20	(1) Approve the location of a tollway other than a tollway that is
21	approved before July 1, 2011.
22	(2) Impose tolls on motor vehicles for use of Interstate Highway
23	<del>69.</del>
24	(f) Notwithstanding subsection (e), during the period beginning July
25	1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2021, the general assembly is not required
26	to enact a statute authorizing the governor, the department, or as
27	operator to approve the location of a tollway with respect to the
28	following projects:
29	(1) A project on which construction begins after June 30, 2011
30	not including any part of Interstate Highway 69 other than a par
31	described in subdivision (4).
32	(2) The addition of toll lanes, including high occupancy toll lanes
33	to a highway, roadway, or other facility in existence on July 1
34	2011, if the number of nontolled lanes on the highway, roadway
35	or facility as of July 1, 2011, does not decrease due to the addition
36	of the toll lanes.
37	(3) The Illiana Expressway, a limited access facility connecting
38	Interstate Highway 65 in northwestern Indiana with an interstate
39	<del>highway in Illinois.</del>
40	(4) A project that is located within a metropolitan planning area
41	(as defined by 23 U.S.C. 134) and that connects the state of
42	Indiana with the commonwealth of Kentucky.



1	SECTION 52. IC 8-15-3-36 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 36. (a) Before July 1, 2017, the department
4	may, after approval by the governor, submit a request to the
5	Federal Highway Administration for a waiver to toll lanes on
6	interstate highways. If:
7	(1) a waiver is granted under this subsection; and
8	(2) the department, with the approval of the governor, decides
9	to establish toll lanes under the waiver;
10	the first toll lanes established on an interstate highway must be
11	located at least seventy-five (75) miles from an interstate highway
12	or bridge on which travel is subject to tolling as of July 1, 2017.
13	(b) The department shall engage an outside consulting firm to
14	conduct a feasibility study on tolling the interstate highways,
15	including revenue projections based on an analysis of optimal
16	tolling rates, vehicle counts and types by state of registration, and
17	traffic diversion.
18	(c) A written report on the feasibility study shall be delivered to
19	the funding Indiana's roads for a stronger, safer tomorrow task
20	force under IC 2-5-41 in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6
21	before November 1, 2017.
22	SECTION 53. IC 8-21-11-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
23	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) The airport
24	development grant fund and the airport development revolving loan
25	fund are established for the purposes of this chapter. The department
26	shall administer the two (2) funds.
27	(b) The department shall pay the expenses of administering the
28	funds.
29	(c) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in each fund not
30	currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
31	manner as other public funds may be invested. Interest that accrues
32	from these investments shall be deposited in the fund that earns the
33	interest.
34	(d) Money deposited in the airport development grant fund
35	under IC 6-6-13-15(2)(B) may be used only to make matching
36	grants to airports under section 5(a)(1) of this chapter for capital
37	improvements.
38	(d) (e) Money in a fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not
39	revert to the state general fund.

SECTION 54. IC 8-23-29-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.208-2014,

SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. The department shall contract with a third party



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1 2	to study transportation infrastructure funding mechanisms. The contract must include the following terms:
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4	(1) A description of the funding mechanisms that will be studied. The funding mechanisms must include the following:
5	(A) An option that is based on variables, including vehicle
6	gross weight and miles traveled.
7	(B) An option that accounts for variations in usage and degree
8	of damage caused to transportation infrastructure by vehicles
9	of different sizes and configurations.
10	(C) A flat per vehicle fee.
11	(D) Adjustments to one (1) or more of the following:
12 13	(i) The state gross retail tax on motor fuel imposed under IC 6-2.5-7.
14	(ii) The gasoline tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1.
15	(iii) (ii) The special fuel tax imposed under IC 6-6-2.5.
16	(iv) (iii) The motor carrier fuel tax imposed under
17	IC 6-6-4.1, including the surcharge tax imposed under
18	IC 6-6-4.1-4.5.
19	(E) Tolls.
20	(F) Any other mechanism the department determines is
21	appropriate.
22	(2) The duration of the study, which must be an adequate length
23	of time to ensure that a quality and comprehensive analysis of all
24	topics will be thoroughly reviewed, but is not to exceed two (2)
24 25	years.
26	(3) An inventory of the transportation infrastructure that will be
27	maintained through revenue generated by the funding
28	mechanisms included in the study. The inventory must include
29	state and local highways, roads, and streets.
30	(4) The rating system by which the maintenance of the
31	transportation infrastructure will be evaluated.
32	SECTION 55. IC 8-23-9-54, AS AMENDED BY P.L.47-2006,
33	SECTION 43, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
34	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 54. (a) To provide funds for carrying out the
35	provisions of this chapter, there is created a state highway fund from
36	the following sources:
37	(1) All money in the general fund to the credit of the state
38	highway account.
39	(2) All money that is received from the Department of
40	Transportation or other federal agency and known as federal aid
41	(3) All money paid into the state treasury to reimburse the state
42	for money paid out of the state highway fund.



1	(4) All money provided by Indiana law for the construction,
2	maintenance, reconstruction, repair, and control of public
3	highways, as provided under this chapter.
4	(5) All money that on May 22, 1933, was to be paid into the state
5	highway fund under contemplation of any statute in force as of
6	May 22, 1933.
7	(6) All money that may at any time be appropriated from the state
8	treasury.
9	(7) Any part of the state highway fund unexpended at the
10	expiration of any fiscal year, which shall remain in the fund and
11	be available for the succeeding years.
12	(8) Any money credited to the state highway fund from the motor
13	vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1-3(4). IC 8-14-1-3(3).
14	(9) Any money credited to the state highway fund from the
15	highway road and street fund under IC 8-14-2-3.
16	(10) Any money credited to the state highway fund under
17	IC 6-6-1.1-801.5, IC 6-6-4.1-5, or IC 8-16-1-17.1.
18	(11) Any money distributed to the state highway fund under
19	IC 8-14-14, IC 8-15.5, or IC 8-15.7.
20	(b) All expenses incurred in carrying out this chapter shall be paid
21	out of the state highway fund.
22	SECTION 56. IC 8-23-30-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016,
23	SECTION 16, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
24	MARCH 23, 2016 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 3. A local unit may apply
25	to the department for a grant from the fund for an eligible project if the
26	local unit:
27	(1) uses a transportation asset management plan approved by the
28	department; and
29	(2) commits to a local match by using one (1) or more of the
30	following:
31	(A) Revenue attributable to an increase, after June 30, 2016,
32	in Any money the local unit's motor vehicle excise surtax or
33	wheel tax rate under IC 6-3.5. unit is authorized to use for a
34	local road or bridge project.
35	(B) Money received by the local unit as a special distribution
36	of local income taxes under IC 6-3.6-9-17.
37	(C) Money in the local unit's rainy day fund under
38	IC 36-1-8-5.1.
39	The application must be in the form and manner prescribed by the
40	department.
41	SECTION 57. IC 8-23-30-7, AS ADDED BY P.L.146-2016,

SECTION 16, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE



JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. The department shall allocate at least fifty percent (50%) of the grants to be made amount available to the department to make grants in a state fiscal year to local units located in counties having a population of less than fifty thousand (50,000).

SECTION 58. IC 9-18.1-5-8, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in section 11 of this chapter, the fee to register a trailer is as follows:

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9	<b>Declared Gross</b>	Weight (Pounds)	Fee (\$)
10	Greater than	Equal to	
11		or less than	
12	0	3,000	\$ 16.35
13	3,000	9,000	25.35
14	9,000	12,000	72
15	12,000	16,000	108
16	16,000	22,000	168
17	22,000		228

- (b) A fee described in subsection (a) that is collected under the International Registration Plan shall be distributed as set forth in section 10.5 of this chapter.
- (b) (c) A fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (3) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and street fund.
  - (4) Four dollars (\$4) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (5) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
    - (A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated public safety communications fund.
    - (B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund.
  - (6) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
- (7) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account. SECTION 59. IC 9-18.1-5-9, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 9. (a) Except as provided in section 11 of this chapter, the fee to register a truck, a tractor used with a semitrailer, or a for-hire bus is determined as follows:

41 Declared Gross Weight (Pounds) Fee (\$) 42 Greater than Equal to



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2	0	11,000	\$ 30.35
3	11,000	16,000	144
4	16,000	26,000	180
5	26,000	36,000	<del>300</del> <b>450</b>
6	36,000	48,000	<del>504</del> <b>756</b>
7	48,000	66,000	<del>720</del> 1,080
8	66,000	78,000	<del>960</del> <b>1,440</b>
9	78,000		<del>1,356</del> <b>2,034</b>
10	(b) A fee descri	bed in subsection (a)	that is collected und
11	International Reg	istration Plan shall be	distributed as set fo
12	section 10.5 of this	s chapter.	

- der the orth in section 10.5 of this chapter.
- (b) (c) The revenue collected from a fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) and that results from the part of the fee that is equal to the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) For a truck with a declared gross weight of eleven thousand (11,000) pounds or less, thirty cents (\$0.30) to the spinal cord and brain injury fund.
  - (3) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (4) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and street fund.
  - (5) Four dollars (\$4) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (6) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
    - (A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated public safety communications fund.
    - (B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission
  - (7) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
  - (8) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.
- (d) The revenue collected from a fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) and that results from the part of the fee that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.
- (e) (e) A trailer that is towed by a truck must be registered separately, and the appropriate fee must be paid under this chapter.

SECTION 60. IC 9-18.1-5-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10. (a) The following vehicles shall



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1	be registered as semitrailers:
2	(1) A semitrailer converted to a full trailer through the use of a
3	converter dolly.
4	(2) A trailer drawn behind a semitrailer.
5	(3) A trailer drawn by a vehicle registered under the International
6	Registration Plan.
7	(b) The fee for a permanent registration of a semitrailer is
8	eighty-two dollars (\$82).
9	(c) A fee described in subsection (b) that is collected for a
10	registration issued through an Indiana based International
11	Registration Plan account shall be distributed as set forth in
12	section 10.5 of this chapter.
13	(d) The fee described in subsection (b) that is not required to be
14	<b>distributed under subsection (c)</b> shall be distributed as follows:
15	(1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
16	(2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
17	(3) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and
18	street fund.
19	(4) Twelve dollars (\$12) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
20	(5) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
21	(A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated
22	public safety communications fund.
23	(B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission
24	fund.
25	(6) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and
26	thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
27	(7) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.
28	(c) (e) A permanent registration under subsection (b) must be
29	renewed on an annual basis. The fee to renew a permanent registration
30	is eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$8.75). The fee is in addition to
31	any applicable excise tax. and shall be distributed as follows:
32	(f) A fee described in subsection (e) that is collected for a
33	registration issued through an Indiana based International
34	Registration Plan account shall be distributed as set forth in
35	section 10.5 of this chapter.
36	(g) A fee described in subsection (e) that is not required to be
37	distributed under subsection (f) shall be distributed as follows:
38	(1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
39	(2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
40	(3) Three dollars (\$3) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
41	(4) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund.
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(5) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.



(d) (h) A permanent registration under subsection (b) may be

2	transferred under IC 9-18.1-11.
3	(e) (i) A semitrailer that is registered under IC 9-18-10-2(a)(2)
4	(before its expiration) or IC 9-18-10-2(a)(3) (before its expiration)
5	remains valid until its expiration and is not subject to renewal under
6	subsection (c). (e). This subsection expires July 1, 2020.
7	SECTION 61. IC 9-18.1-5-10.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
8	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
9	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10.5. (a) This section applies after
10	June 30, 2017.
11	(b) This section applies only to fees described in sections 8(a),
12	9(a), 10(b), and 10(e) of this chapter that are collected under the
13	International Registration Plan or through an Indiana based
14	International Registration Plan account.
15	(c) The revenue that is from the fees collected under subsection
16	(b) during each state fiscal year and that results from the part of
17	a fee that is equal to the amount of the fee in effect on June 30,
18	2017, shall be distributed as follows:
19	(1) The first one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars
20	(\$125,000) to the state police building account.
21	(2) Any remaining amounts to the motor vehicle highway
22	account.
23	(d) The revenue that is from the fees collected under subsection
24	(b) during each state fiscal year and that results from the part of
25	a fee that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017,
26	shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established
27	under IC 8-14-1.
28	SECTION 62. IC 9-18.1-5-12 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
29	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
30	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 12. (a) The supplemental fee in
31	this section applies after December 31, 2017, to each electric
32	vehicle and hybrid vehicle that is required to be registered under
33	IC 9-18.1.
34	(b) As used in this section, "electric vehicle" means a vehicle
35	that:
36	(1) is propelled by an electric motor powered by a battery or
37	other electrical device incorporated into the vehicle; and
38	(2) is not propelled by an engine powered by the combustion

of a hydrocarbon fuel, including gasoline, diesel, propane, or

(c) As used in this section, "hybrid vehicle" means a vehicle



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that:

liquid natural gas.

1	(1) draws propulsion energy from both an internal		
2	combustion engine and an energy storage device; and		
3	(2) employs a regenerative braking system to recover waste		
4	energy to charge the energy storage device that is providing		
5	propulsion energy.		
6	(d) In addition to any other fee required to register an electric		
7	vehicle under this chapter, the supplemental fee to register an		
8	electric vehicle is one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) through		
9	December 31, 2022. Before October 1, 2022, and before each		
10	October 1 of every fifth year thereafter, the bureau shall determine		
11	a new fee amount to take effect as of January 1 of the following		
12	year by determining the product of:		
13	(1) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by		
14	(2) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.		
15	The fee shall be rounded to the nearest dollar.		
16	(e) In addition to any other fee required to register a hybrid		
17	vehicle under this chapter, the supplemental fee to register a		
18	hybrid vehicle is seventy-five dollars (\$75) through December 31,		
19	2022. Before October 1, 2022, and before each October 1 of every		
20	fifth year thereafter, the bureau shall determine a new fee amount		
21	to take effect as of January 1 of the following year by determining		
22	the product of:		
23	(1) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by		
24	(2) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.		
25	The fee shall be rounded to the nearest dollar.		
26	(f) The fee shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway		
27	account established under IC 8-14-1.		
28	SECTION 63. IC 9-18.1-15 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE		
29	AS A <b>NEW</b> CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE		
30	JULY 1, 2017]:		
31	Chapter 15. Transportation Infrastructure Improvement Fee		
32	Sec. 1. This chapter applies to annual motor vehicle		
33	registrations occurring after December 31, 2017.		
34	Sec. 2. (a) The following shall pay an annual transportation		
35	infrastructure improvement fee:		
36	(1) The owner of a motor vehicle with a declared gross weight		
37	equal to or less than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds that		
38	is registered in Indiana.		
39	(2) The owner of a commercial motor vehicle with a declared		
40	gross weight greater than twenty-six thousand (26,000)		
41	pounds that is registered in Indiana.		



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(b) The amount of the annual fee is:

1	(1) fifteen dollars (\$15), in the case of a motor vehicle with a
2	declared gross weight equal to or less than twenty-six
3	thousand (26,000) pounds; and
4	(2) one hundred dollars (\$100), in the case of a commercial
5	motor vehicle with a declared gross weight greater than
6	twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds.
7	(c) The bureau shall transfer fees collected under this chapter
8	to the department of state revenue for deposit.
9	(d) Fees collected under this chapter shall be deposited as
10	follows:
11	(1) Fees described in subsection (b)(1) shall be deposited in the
12	local road and bridge matching grant fund established under
13	IC 8-23-30.
14	(2) Fees described in subsection (b)(2) shall be deposited in the
15	motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.
16	Sec. 3. The annual fee imposed under section 2 of this chapter
17	is due on or before the regular annual registration date in each
18	year that the owner of the motor vehicle is required to register the
19	$motor\ vehicle\ under\ the\ motor\ vehicle\ registration\ laws\ of\ Indiana.$
20	Sec. 4. (a) Payment of the fee imposed under section 2 of this
21	chapter is a condition to the right to register or reregister a motor
22	vehicle. The fee is in addition to all other conditions, taxes, and fees
23	prescribed by law.
24	(b) The bureau shall collect an apportioned transportation
25	infrastructure improvement fee under section 2 of this chapter for
26	any motor vehicle for which a registration fee is paid in Indiana
27	under the terms of the International Registration Plan.
28	Sec. 5. The annual fee imposed under section 2 of this chapter
29	must be reduced proportionately on a monthly basis if:
30	(1) the motor vehicle is registered in a calendar month
31	following the month in which:
32	(A) the owner's annual registration date occurs; or
33	(B) the owner is required to register motor vehicles under
34	the International Registration Plan; and
35	(2) the motor vehicle is newly:
36	(A) purchased; or
37	(B) registered in Indiana.
38	Sec. 6. (a) A person is entitled to a refund of a fee paid under
39	section 3 of this chapter if the motor vehicle is sold or destroyed
40	before the person's registration year elapses. Subject to subsection
41	(b), the amount of the refund is equal to:

(1) the amount of the fee paid; multiplied by



1	(2) the quotient of:
2	(A) the number of full calendar months occurring after the
3	date of the sale or destruction of the motor vehicle and
4	before the date on which the person would have been
5	required to reregister the motor vehicle; divided by
6	(B) twelve (12).
7	(b) The amount of a refund determined under subsection (a)
8	must be rounded up to the next full dollar amount.
9	SECTION 64. IC 13-20-13-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
10	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. (a) A fee of <b>five</b>
11	<b>dollars and</b> twenty-five cents (\$0.25) (\$5.25) is imposed on the sale of
12	the following:
13	(1) Each new tire that is sold at retail.
14	(2) Each new tire mounted on a new vehicle sold at retail.
15	(b) The person that sells the new tire or vehicle at retail to the
16	ultimate consumer of the tire or vehicle shall collect the fee imposed
17	by this section.
18	(c) A person that collects a fee under subsection (b):
19	(1) shall pay the fees collected under subsection (b):
20	(A) to the department of state revenue; and
21	(B) at the same time and in the same manner that the person
22	pays the state gross retail tax collected by the person to the
22 23 24	department of state revenue;
24	(2) shall indicate on the return:
25	(A) prescribed by the department of state revenue; and
26	(B) used for the payment of state gross retail taxes;
27	that the person is also paying fees collected under subsection (b);
28	and
29	(3) is entitled to deduct and retain one percent (1%) of the fees
30	required to be paid to the department of state revenue under this
31	subsection.
32	(d) The department of state revenue shall deposit fees collected
33	under this section as follows:
34	(1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) from each fee collected shall be
35	<b>deposited</b> in the waste tire management fund established by this
36	chapter.
37	(2) Five dollars (\$5) from each fee collected shall be deposited
38	in the motor vehicle highway account established under
39	IC 8-14-1.
40	SECTION 65. IC 13-20-13-8, AS AMENDED BY P.L.37-2012,
41	SECTION 34, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
42	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in subsection (d)(2),



1	(d)(3), (d)(6), and (d)(7), the waste tire management fund is established
2	for the following purposes:
3	(1) The department may use not more than thirty-five percent
4	(35%) of the money deposited in the fund each year for:
5	(A) the removal and disposal of waste tires from sites where
6	the waste tires have been disposed of improperly; and
7	(B) operating the waste tire education program under section
8	15 of this chapter.
9	(2) The department may use the remaining money deposited in
10	the fund each year to:
l 1	(A) provide grants and loans under section 9(b) of this chapter
12	to entities involved in waste tire management activities; and
13	(B) pay the expenses of administering the programs described
14	in:
15	(i) subdivision (1)(B); and
16	(ii) clause (A).
17	(b) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from
18	money in the fund.
19	(c) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert
20	to the state general fund.
21	(d) Sources of money for the fund are the following:
22 23 24 25	(1) Fees paid under section 4(a)(6) of this chapter and
23	IC 13-20-14-5(c).
24	(2) Fees <del>collected under section 7</del> <b>deposited under section</b>
	7(d)(1) of this chapter. All money deposited in the fund under this
26	subdivision may be used by the department for waste reduction,
27	recycling, removal, or remediation projects.
28	(3) Costs and damages recovered from a person or other entity
29	under section 14 of this chapter or IC 13-20-14-8. All money
30	deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be used by the
31	department for removal and remediation projects.
32	(4) Fees established by the general assembly for the purposes of
33	this chapter.
34	(5) Appropriations made by the general assembly.
35	(6) Gifts and donations intended for deposit in the fund. A gift or
36	donation deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be
37	specified to be entirely for the use of the department.
38	(7) Civil penalties collected under IC 13-30-4 for violations of:
39	(A) this chapter;
10	(B) IC 13-20-14; and
‡1	(C) rules adopted under section 11 of this chapter and



All money deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be used by the department for eligible projects.

SECTION 66. IC 36-9-42.2-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "eligible entity" means a county or municipality that receives, any entity eligible to receive, directly or indirectly, federal funds through the state or a metropolitan planning organization or otherwise.

SECTION 67. IC 36-9-42.2-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 2.5.** As used in this chapter, "exchanged funds" means the state funds allocated to the program in accordance with section 6(b) of this chapter.

SECTION 68. IC 36-9-42.2-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "federal funds" means the total amount of federal transportation funds received by an eligible entity through the federal surface transportation program. provided by the federal government to the state.

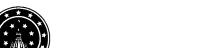
SECTION 69. IC 36-9-42.2-3.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 3.3.** As used in this chapter, "local share" means twenty-five percent (25%) of the federal funds received by the state in a year.

SECTION 70. IC 36-9-42.2-3.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 3.5. As used in this chapter,** "metropolitan planning organization" means a federally mandated transportation policy making organization that:

- (1) is designated to serve a particular transportation planning area within the state; and
- (2) receives, directly or indirectly, federal funds.

SECTION 71. IC 36-9-42.2-4.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 4.5. As used in this chapter,** "transportation asset management plan" has the meaning set forth in IC 8-23-30-1(4).

SECTION 72. IC 36-9-42.2-5, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 5. The federal fund exchange program is established to provide eligible entities and the department with greater flexibility in funding transportation projects. The department shall



1	administer the program as follows:
2	(1) Exchanged funds awarded to an eligible entity may be
3	carried over for up to three (3) years at the discretion of the
4	department or the metropolitan planning organization,
5	whichever is applicable.
6	(2) Exchanged funds may be expended for any transportation
7	purpose allowable under federal law.
8	(3) Exchanged funds may be expended on any phase of a
9	project, including:
10	(A) periodic project oversight services;
11	(B) construction inspection services; and
12	(C) reimbursement for items that were conducted before
13	the application or request for exchanged funds or before
14	the award of exchanged funds.
15	(4) A recipient of exchanged funds must provide a twenty
16	percent (20%) local match payable by any available revenue
17	source, except as provided by federal law. Awards shall be
18	made by the department or metropolitan planning
19	organization, whichever is applicable, in an amount that is
20	twenty percent (20%) less than the total cost of the project to
21	accomplish the required match.
22	(5) After the initial award of exchanged funds for a project
23	and before the department's closeout of the project, an
24	eligible entity may apply to the department or metropolitan
25	planning organization, whichever is applicable, to be awarded
26	additional exchanged funds as considered necessary to pay for
27	project change orders.
28	(6) All contracts for professional services paid for with
29	exchanged funds must be made on the basis of competence
30	and qualifications for the type of services to be performed and
31	compensation shall be negotiated as the eligible entity
32	determines to be reasonable after its selection of a consultant
33	or consultants.
34	(7) Professional services must be performed by an entity that
35	is prequalified by the department.
36	(8) The department's design manual must provide guidance
37	for projects funded with exchanged funds. However,
38	exceptions to the design manual guidance shall be permitted
39	at the discretion of the eligible entity.
40	SECTION 73. IC 36-9-42.2-6, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013,
41	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE

JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 6. (a) Not later than fifteen (15) days after



1	receiving information from the federal government regarding the
2	state's distribution of federal funds, the department shall determine
3	the amount of state funds available for the program. calculate the local
4	share for that year and notify the budget agency of the amount.
5	(b) After review by the budget committee and after approval by
6	the budget director, the department may exchange up to one
7	hundred percent (100%) of the local share for state dollars.
8	(c) The department shall allocate the exchanged funds for the
9	following purposes:
10	(1) To be distributed to eligible entities for projects under the
11	program in accordance with federal law regarding
12	distributions between areas within a metropolitan planning
13	organization and areas not within a metropolitan planning
14	organization.
15	(2) To be available for direct distribution to eligible entities
16	for projects or annual services including, but not limited to,
17	federally required bridge inspections.
18	(d) The department may allocate additional state funds to the
19	program at any time. In making the its determination the department
20	shall consider the following:
21	(1) whether adequate additional state funds are available to fund
22	for the program without putting at risk other transportation
23	activities or projects needing state funds.
24	(2) Whether the department can readily and effectively use
25	federal funds received through the program.
26	SECTION 74. IC 36-9-42.2-7, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013,
27	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
28	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. (a) An eligible entity is eligible to participate
29	in the program upon entering into an exchange agreement with may
30	apply to the department or to a metropolitan planning organization
31	to receive exchanged funds if:
32	(1) the project:
33	(A) is eligible under federal law; or
34	(B) is part of a transportation asset management plan
35	approved by the department; and
36	(2) using any available revenue source, the eligible entity
37	commits to a local match of twenty percent (20%), or a match
38	consistent with federal law, of the amount of the exchanged
39	funds the eligible entity is requesting to receive.
40	(b) The department shall consider the following before entering into
41	an exchange agreement with awarding exchanged funds to an eligible
42	entity:



1	(1) The amount of federal funds the eligible entity wants to
2	exchange and the proposed exchange rate. exchanged funds the
3	eligible entity has requested.
4	(2) A brief description of each project the eligible entity wants to
5	fund, including the estimated cost of the project.
6	(3) The benefit to a project described in subdivision (2) from the
7	removal of federal funding, in receiving exchanged funds due to
8	the project's size, type, location, or other features.
9	(4) The availability of state funds. The nature of the project and
10	whether it has an economic significance for the region in
11	which the eligible entity is located.
12	(5) Whether or not the eligible entity wishes to carry over its
13	award of exchanged funds to the following year.
14	Subject to section 7.5 of this chapter, an eligible entity may enter into
15	an exchange agreement with respect to a project at any time during the
16	project development process.
17	SECTION 75. IC 36-9-42.2-7.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY
18	1, 2017]. Sec. 7.5. (a) The department may enter into an exchange
19	agreement only if the exchange agreement is first approved by the
20	office of management and budget and the attorney general.
21	(b) The executive of an eligible entity may enter into an exchange
22	agreement on behalf of the eligible entity. However, the executive of
23	an eligible entity may enter into an exchange agreement only if the
24	exchange agreement is first approved by the fiscal body of the eligible
25	entity.
26	SECTION 76. IC 36-9-42.2-8 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY
27	1, 2017]. Sec. 8. An exchange agreement must provide the following:
28	(1) The eligible entity may exchange only federal funds for state
29	<del>funds.</del>
30	(2) The eligible entity may use state funds only for a capital
31	project that will fulfill the purpose of the original federal project
32	award and that is approved by the department.
33	(3) If the eligible entity uses state funds to replace local funds in
34	order to use the local funds for purposes unrelated to
35	transportation, the eligible entity:
36	(A) must repay the state funds to the department; and
37	(B) may not participate in the program during the succeeding
38	<del>fiscal year.</del>
39	(4) An exchange rate of not less than seventy-five cents (\$0.75)
40	of state funds for each one dollar (\$1) of federal funds.
41	(5) The eligible entity agrees to provide local matching funds
42	equal to not less than ten percent (10%) of the estimated project



1	<del>cost.</del>
2	(6) The department will disburse the state funds to the eligible
3	entity on a reimbursement basis.
4	SECTION 77. IC 36-9-42.2-9, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013,
5	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
6	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 9. Not later than November 1 of each year, the
7	department shall submit a report on the program to the general
8	assembly in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6. A report submitted
9	under this section must include:
10	(1) a summary of the exchange agreements entered into awarded
11	exchanged funds to eligible entities during the previous state
12	fiscal year; and
13	(2) a status report on the implementation of projects funded
14	through the program.
15	SECTION 78. IC 36-9-42.2-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013,
16	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
17	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10. An eligible entity that participates in the
18	program shall comply with Applicable public purchasing laws and
19	competitive bidding requirements must be complied with respect to
20	for projects funded through the program.
21	SECTION 79. IC 36-9-42.2-11, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013,
22	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
23	JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 11. The department may adopt rules under
24	IC 4-22-2 or guidelines, or both, to implement this chapter.
25	SECTION 80. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017] (a) IC 6-6-14-4, as
26	amended by this act, applies to decals issued after June 30, 2017.
27	(b) An alternative fuel decal that is effective from April 1, 2017,
28	through March 31, 2018, remains valid through March 31, 2018,
29	without the payment of an additional fee.
30	(c) IC 9-18.1-5-9, as amended by this act, applies to registrations
31	after June 30, 2017.
32	(d) This SECTION expires June 30, 2018.
33	SECTION 81. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) IC 6-6-4.1-4.5,
34	as amended by this act, applies to the collection of the motor fuel
35	surcharge tax imposed on the consumption of special fuel that is
36	not an alternative fuel as follows:
37	(1) For special fuel received by a licensed supplier in Indiana
38	for sale or resale in Indiana, the special fuel received after
39	June 30, 2017.
40	(2) For special fuel subject to a tax precollection agreement
41	under IC 6-6-2.5-35(j), the special fuel removed after June 30,
42	2017, by a licensed supplier from a terminal outside Indiana



1	for sale for export or for export to Indiana.
2	(3) For special fuel imported into Indiana, other than into a
3	terminal, the special fuel imported into Indiana after June 30
4	2017, as measured by invoiced gallons received at a termina
5	or at a bulk plant.
6	(b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2018.
7	SECTION 82. An emergency is declared for this act.



### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Bill 1002, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- Page 5, line 6, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 5, line 10, delete "October" and insert "August".
- Page 5, line 19, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 5, line 40, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 6, line 2, delete "October" and insert "August".
- Page 6, line 18, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 6, line 20, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 6, line 21, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 6, line 24, delete "December" and insert "October".
- Page 6, line 30, delete "December" and insert "October".
- Page 6, line 40, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 7, line 3, delete "October" and insert "August".
- Page 7, line 12, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 7, line 33, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 7, line 36, delete "October" and insert "August".
- Page 8, line 12, delete "November" and insert "September".
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- Page 9, line 11, delete "November" and insert "September".
- Page 9, line 15, delete "October" and insert "August".
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- Page 12, line 19, delete "November" and insert "September".



Page 12, line 20, delete "November" and insert "September".

Page 12, line 23, delete "December" and insert "October".

Page 13, line 11, after "(\$0.01)." insert "However, after June 30, 2018, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01)."

Page 13, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 26. IC 6-6-1.1-801.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 801.5. (a) The administrator shall transfer one-ninth (1/9) the first seventy million dollars (\$70,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter during a state fiscal year to the state highway road construction and improvement fund.

- (b) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the state highway fund.
- (c) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the auditor of state for distribution to counties, cities, and towns. The auditor of state shall distribute the amounts transferred under this subsection to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1. Money distributed under this subsection may be used only for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account may be expended under IC 8-14-1.
- (d) (b) After the transfers transfer required by subsections subsection (a), through (e), the administrator shall transfer the next twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter and received during a period beginning July 1 of a year and ending June 30 of the immediately succeeding year state fiscal year to the auditor of state for distribution in the following manner:
  - (1) Thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the local road and street account under IC 8-14-2 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed under IC 8-14-2-4.
  - (2) Thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1. and



- (3) Forty percent (40%) to the Indiana department of transportation.
- (e) (c) The auditor of state shall hold all amounts of collections received under subsection (d) (b) from the administrator that are made during a particular month and shall distribute all of those amounts pursuant to subsection (d) (b) on the fifth day of the immediately succeeding month.
- (f) (d) All amounts distributed under subsection (d) (b) may only be used for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account may be expended under IC 8-14-1.".

Page 15, line 23, after "(\$0.01)." insert "However, after June 30, 2018, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01)."

Page 21, between lines 21 and 22, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 31. IC 6-6-4.1-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.277-2013, SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) A tax is imposed on the consumption of motor fuel by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana. The rate of this tax is determined as follows:

- (1) When imposed upon the consumption of gasoline or special fuel (other than a special fuel that is an alternative fuel), the tax rate is the same rate per gallon as the rate per gallon at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5 plus, for a carrier that has paid the surcharge tax at the time of purchasing special fuel that is not an alternative fuel, the surcharge tax rate under section 4.5 of this chapter for those gallons purchased.
- (2) When imposed upon the consumption of a special fuel that is an alternative fuel, the tax rate is either of the following:
  - (A) The same rate per diesel gallon equivalent as the rate per gallon at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5, in the case of liquid natural gas.
  - (B) The same rate per gasoline gallon equivalent at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5, in the case of compressed natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane or propane.

The tax shall be paid quarterly by the carrier to the department on or before the last day of the month immediately following the quarter.

(b) The amount of motor fuel consumed by a carrier in its operations on highways in Indiana is the total amount of motor fuel consumed in its entire operations within and without Indiana, multiplied by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the total number of miles traveled on highways in Indiana, and the denominator of the fraction is



the total number of miles traveled within and without Indiana.

- (c) The amount of tax that a carrier shall pay for a particular quarter under this section equals the product of the tax rate in effect for that quarter, multiplied by the amount of motor fuel consumed by the carrier in its operation on highways in Indiana and upon which the carrier has not paid tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1, or IC 6-6-2.5, or section 4.5 of this chapter.
- (d) Subject to section 4.8 of this chapter, a carrier is entitled to a proportional use credit against the tax imposed under this section for that portion of motor fuel used to propel equipment mounted on a motor vehicle having a common reservoir for locomotion on the highway and the operation of the equipment, as determined by rule of the commissioner. An application for a proportional use credit under this subsection shall be filed on a quarterly basis on a form prescribed by the department."

Page 22, line 4, delete "The" and insert "Beginning July 1, 2017, the surcharge tax that applies to special fuel that is not an alternative fuel shall be collected and remitted in the manner specified for the special fuel tax under IC 6-6-2.5 as required by the department. A carrier shall reconcile the amount owed under this section as part of the carrier's motor fuel use tax reconciliation under this chapter. However, for a carrier that has not paid any surcharge tax at the time of purchase, the".

Page 22, line 19, after "(\$0.01)." insert "However, after June 30, 2018, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01)."

Page 25, between lines 14 and 15, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 34. IC 6-6-4.1-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 5. (a) The department shall deposit revenue collected under sections 4 and 12 of this chapter in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).

- (b) The department shall deposit revenue collected under section 4.5 of this chapter as follows:
  - (1) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) Forty-seven and seventy-five hundredths percent (47.75%) in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).
  - (2) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) Forty-seven and seventy-five hundredths percent (47.75%) in the motor vehicle highway account (IC 8-14-1).
  - (3) Nine percent (9%) Four and five-tenths percent (4.5%) in the motor carrier regulation fund administered by the department.
  - (c) The department shall deposit revenue collected under section 13



of this chapter as follows:

- (1) Thirty-five percent (35%) in the motor vehicle highway account (IC 8-14-1).
- (2) Sixty-five percent (65%) in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).

SECTION 34. IC 6-6-4.1-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 6. (a) A carrier is entitled to a credit against the tax imposed under section 4 of this chapter if the carrier, or a lessor operating under the carrier's annual permit, has:

- (1) paid the tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and section 4.5 of this chapter on motor fuel purchased in Indiana;
- (2) consumed the motor fuel outside Indiana; and
- (3) paid a gasoline, special fuel, or road tax with respect to the fuel in one (1) or more other states or jurisdictions.
- (b) The amount of credit for a quarter is equal to the tax paid under IC 6-6-1.1 and IC 6-6-2.5 on motor fuel that:
  - (1) was purchased in Indiana;
  - (2) was consumed outside Indiana; and
  - (3) with respect to which the carrier paid a gasoline, special fuel, or road tax to another state or jurisdiction.
- (c) To qualify for the credit, the carrier shall submit any evidence required by the department of payment of the tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and section 4.5 of this chapter.
- (d) A credit earned by a carrier in a particular quarter shall be applied against the carrier's tax liability under this chapter for that quarter before any credit carryover is applied against that liability under section 7 of this chapter.

SECTION 35. IC 6-6-4.1-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. (a) As used in this section, the credit of a carrier for any quarter is the amount by which the credit to which the carrier is entitled under section 6 of this chapter for that quarter exceeds the tax liability of the carrier under section sections 4 and 4.5 of this chapter for that quarter.

- (b) The credit for any quarter shall be allowed as a credit against the tax for which the carrier would otherwise be liable in the quarter in which the credit accrued.
- (c) A carrier is entitled to the refund of any credit not previously used to offset a tax liability or for any erroneously paid tax or penalty. To obtain the refund, the carrier shall submit to the department a properly completed application in accordance with rules adopted by the department under IC 4-22-2. The application must be submitted within



three (3) years after the end of:

- (1) the quarter in which the credit accrued; or
- (2) the calendar year that contains the taxable period in which the tax or penalty was erroneously paid.

Along with the application, the carrier shall submit any evidence required by the department and any reports required by the department under this chapter.

- (d) The department shall pay interest on any part of a refund that is not made within ninety (90) days after the date on which all of the following have been completed:
  - (1) The filing of:
    - (A) the properly completed application for refund; or
    - (B) the quarterly return on which a refund is claimed.
  - (2) The submission of any evidence required by the department of payment of the tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5 and section 4.5 of this chapter.
  - (3) The submission of reports required by the department under this chapter.
  - (4) The furnishing of a surety bond, letter of credit, or cash deposit under section 8 of this chapter.
- (e) The department shall pay interest at the rate established under IC 6-8.1-9 from the date of:
  - (1) the refund application;
  - (2) the due date of a timely filed quarterly return on which a refund is claimed; or
  - (3) the filing date of a quarterly return on which a refund is claimed, if the quarterly refund is filed after the due date of the quarterly return;

to a date determined by the department that does not precede the date on which the refund is made by more than thirty (30) days.

SECTION 36. IC 6-6-4.1-28 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 28. (a) A person that:** 

- (1) is not a carrier; and
- (2) owns a vehicle and purchases special fuel that is not an alternative fuel for the vehicle upon which the surcharge tax imposed by section 4.5 of this chapter is included;

is entitled to an annual refund for surcharge taxes paid on the special fuel consumed by that vehicle.

(b) The bureau of motor vehicles shall provide an annual refund of one hundred dollars (\$100) to each person for each vehicle described in subsection (a) at the time the owner registers the



vehicle under IC 9-18.1.

- (c) An owner of a vehicle described in subsection (a) who:
  - (1) is not required to register the owner's vehicle under IC 9-18.1; or
  - (2) pays more than one hundred dollars (\$100) in surcharge taxes for a particular vehicle during the previous registration year:

may claim a refund for annual surcharge taxes paid with regard to that vehicle. To obtain the refund, the person shall submit to the bureau of motor vehicles a properly completed refund claim in accordance with rules adopted by the bureau of motor vehicles commission under IC 4-22-2. A refund shall be paid from the funds and using the ratios specified in section 5(b) of this chapter.

(d) Refunds made under this section are not to be considered a reduction in the registration fees or excise taxes for a vehicle for purposes of allocating revenue from the fees and excise taxes for that vehicle. If necessary, the auditor of state shall monthly reconcile the appropriate funds that should be charged for the refund using the funds named in section 5(b) of this chapter and using the ratios specified in section 5(b) of this chapter."

Page 26, delete lines 4 through 29.

Page 27, line 41, delete "state revenue." and insert "transportation.".

Page 28, line 11, delete "shall" and insert "may".

Page 28, line 12, delete "The" and insert "If the department adopts rules under this section, the".

Page 28, line 32, delete "commission" and insert "department".

Page 35, line 15, reset in roman "is equal".

Page 35, line 16, reset in roman "to".

Page 35, line 16, delete "may not exceed".

Page 35, line 20, reset in roman "fifty".

Page 35, line 20, delete "forty".

Page 35, line 21, reset in roman "(50%)".

Page 35, line 21, delete "(40%)".

Page 35, between lines 24 and 25, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 7. IC 9-18.1-5-8, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in section 11 of this chapter, the fee to register a trailer is as follows:

Declared Gross Weight (Pounds) Fee (\$)

Greater than Equal to or less than



0	3,000	\$ 16.35
3,000	9,000	25.35
9,000	12,000	72
12,000	16,000	108
16,000	22,000	168
22,000		228

- (b) A fee described in subsection (a) that is collected under the International Registration Plan shall be distributed as set forth in section 10.5 of this chapter.
- (b) (c) A fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (3) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and street fund.
  - (4) Four dollars (\$4) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (5) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
    - (A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated public safety communications fund.
    - (B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund.
  - (6) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
- (7) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account. SECTION 8. IC 9-18.1-5-9, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 9. (a) Except as provided in section 11 of this chapter, the fee to register a truck, a tractor used with a semitrailer, or a for-hire bus is determined as follows:

<b>Declared Gross</b>	Weight (Pounds)	Fee (\$)
Greater than	Equal to	
	or less than	
0	11,000	\$ 30.35
11,000	16,000	144
16,000	26,000	180
26,000	36,000	<del>300</del> <b>315</b>
36,000	48,000	<del>504</del> <b>529</b>
48,000	66,000	<del>720</del> <b>756</b>
66,000	78,000	<del>960</del> 1,008
78,000		<del>1,356</del> <b>1,423</b>

(b) A fee described in subsection (a) that is collected under the International Registration Plan shall be distributed as set forth in



## section 10.5 of this chapter.

- (b) (c) A fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) For a truck with a declared gross weight of eleven thousand
  - (11,000) pounds or less, thirty cents (\$0.30) to the spinal cord and brain injury fund.
  - (3) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (4) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and street fund.
  - (5) Four dollars (\$4) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (6) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
    - (A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated public safety communications fund.
    - (B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund.
  - (7) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
  - (8) For a truck, tractor used with a semitrailer, or for-hire bus having a declared gross weight of at least twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds, five percent (5%) of the total fees, determined before any allocation under subdivision (1) and subdivisions (3) through (7), to the local road and bridge matching grant fund established by IC 8-23-30.
  - (8) (9) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.
- (c) (d) A trailer that is towed by a truck must be registered separately, and the appropriate fee must be paid under this chapter.

SECTION 9. IC 9-18.1-5-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016, SECTION 326, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10. (a) The following vehicles shall be registered as semitrailers:

- (1) A semitrailer converted to a full trailer through the use of a converter dolly.
- (2) A trailer drawn behind a semitrailer.
- (3) A trailer drawn by a vehicle registered under the International Registration Plan.
- (b) The fee for a permanent registration of a semitrailer is eighty-two dollars (\$82).
- (c) A fee described in subsection (b) that is collected under the International Registration Plan shall be distributed as set forth in section 10.5 of this chapter.



- (d) The fee described in subsection (b) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (c) shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (3) Two dollars and ninety cents (\$2.90) to the highway, road and street fund.
  - (4) Twelve dollars (\$12) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (5) For a vehicle registered before July 1, 2019, as follows:
    - (A) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated public safety communications fund.
    - (B) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund
  - (6) For a vehicle registered after June 30, 2019, four dollars and thirty-five cents (\$4.35) to the commission fund.
  - (7) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.
- (c) (e) A permanent registration under subsection (b) must be renewed on an annual basis. The fee to renew a permanent registration is eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$8.75). The fee is in addition to any applicable excise tax. and shall be distributed as follows:
- (f) A fee described in subsection (e) that is collected under the International Registration Plan shall be distributed as set forth in section 10.5 of this chapter.
- (g) A fee described in subsection (e) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (f) shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) to the state police building account.
  - (2) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology fund.
  - (3) Three dollars (\$3) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
  - (4) Three dollars and ten cents (\$3.10) to the commission fund.
  - (5) Any remaining amount to the motor vehicle highway account.
- (d) (h) A permanent registration under subsection (b) may be transferred under IC 9-18.1-11.
- (e) (i) A semitrailer that is registered under IC 9-18-10-2(a)(2) (before its expiration) or IC 9-18-10-2(a)(3) (before its expiration) remains valid until its expiration and is not subject to renewal under subsection (c). (e). This subsection expires July 1, 2020.

SECTION 10. IC 9-18.1-5-10.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 10.5. (a) This section applies after June 30, 2017.** 

(b) This section applies only to fees described in sections 8(a), 9(a), 10(b), and 10(e) of this chapter that are collected under the International Registration Plan.



- (c) The fees collected under the International Registration Plan during each state fiscal year shall be distributed as follows:
  - (1) The first one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000) to the state police building account.
  - (2) Five percent (5%) of the total fees collected (without regard to the distribution under subdivision (1)) to the local road and bridge matching grant fund established by IC 8-23-30.
  - (3) Any remaining amounts to the motor vehicle highway account.".

Page 36, line 13, after "vehicle" insert "with a declared gross weight equal to or less than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds".

Page 36, line 30, delete "may accept a voucher from the department of".

Page 36, line 31, delete "state revenue showing payment of the fee for a motor vehicle" and insert "shall collect an apportioned registration fee for any motor vehicle".

Page 38, delete lines 5 through 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 55. IC 36-9-42.2-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.141-2013, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "eligible entity" means a county or municipality that receives, is eligible to receive, directly or indirectly, federal funds through a metropolitan planning organization or otherwise."

Page 38, line 17, after "with" insert "section 6(b) of".

Page 38, line 23, delete "allocated" and insert "provided".

Page 38, delete lines 37 through 41.

Page 39, line 11, delete "or to an".

Page 39, line 12, delete "MPO member".

Page 39, line 15, delete "Except for design-build projects, the following must be" and insert "Exchanged funds may be expended for any transportation purpose allowable under federal law.".

Page 39, delete lines 16 through 21.

Page 39, line 25, delete "full-time".

Page 39, line 26, delete "listed in subdivision (2)".

Page 39, line 37, delete "or an MPO member".

Page 39, line 39, delete "receive" and insert "be awarded".

Page 40, line 3, delete "or MPO".

Page 40, line 4, delete "member".

Page 40, line 4, delete "reasonable." and insert "reasonable after its selection of a consultant or consultants.".



Page 40, line 10, delete "or MPO member".

Page 40, line 17, delete "that year." and insert "that year and notify the budget agency of the amount.".

Page 40, line 17, delete "By November 1 of each year, the department".

Page 40, delete lines 18 through 19, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(b) After review by the budget committee and after approval by the budget director, the department shall exchange one hundred percent (100%) of the local share for state dollars.
- (c) The department shall allocate the exchanged funds for the following purposes:
  - (1) To be distributed to eligible entities for projects under the program in accordance with federal law regarding distributions between areas within a metropolitan planning organization and areas not within a metropolitan planning organization.
  - (2) To be available for direct distribution to eligible entities for projects or annual services including, but not limited to, federally required bridge inspections.".

Page 40, line 20, delete "(b)" and insert "(d)".

Page 40, line 21, delete "that exceed the local share." and insert "at any time."

Page 40, line 22, delete "to exceed the local share,".

Page 40, line 23, strike "adequate" and insert "additional".

Page 40, line 23, strike "to".

Page 40, line 23, delete "allocate".

Page 40, line 24, delete "additional state funds to" and insert "for".

Page 40, line 24, delete "beyond the local share".

Page 40, line 25, delete "amount".

Page 40, delete lines 29 through 31.

Page 40, line 36, after "department" insert "or to a metropolitan planning organization".

Page 40, line 38, after "department;" insert "and".

Page 40, delete lines 39 through 41.

Page 40, line 42, delete "(4)" and insert "(2)".

Page 40, line 42, delete "entity's" and insert "entity".

Page 41, line 1, delete "fiscal body".

Page 41, delete lines 4 through 5.

Page 41, delete lines 25 through 41.

Page 42, line 35, delete "awarded exchanged funds to eligible".

Page 42, line 36, delete "entities and".



Page 42, line 36, strike "exchange agreements entered into".

Page 42, line 36, delete "with" and insert "awarded exchanged funds to eligible entities".

Page 42, line 37, delete "metropolitan planning organizations".

Page 43, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(c) IC 9-18.1-5-9, as amended by this act, applies to registrations after June 30, 2017.".

Page 43, line 14, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)".

Page 43, between lines 14 and 15, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 72. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) IC 6-6-4.1-4.5, as amended by this act, applies to the collection of the motor fuel surcharge tax imposed on the consumption of special fuel that is not an alternative fuel as follows:

- (1) For special fuel received by a licensed supplier in Indiana for sale or resale in Indiana, the special fuel received after June 30, 2017.
- (2) For special fuel subject to a tax precollection agreement under IC 6-6-2.5-35(j), the special fuel removed after June 30, 2017, by a licensed supplier from a terminal outside Indiana for sale for export or for export to Indiana.
- (3) For special fuel imported into Indiana, other than into a terminal, the special fuel imported into Indiana after June 30, 2017, as measured by invoiced gallons received at a terminal or at a bulk plant.
- (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2018.".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1002 as introduced.)

**SOLIDAY** 

Committee Vote: yeas 8, nays 5.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1002, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 3, strike lines 27 through 29.

Page 3, line 30, strike "vehicle highway account".

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Page 3, line 30, strike "(IC 8-14-1).".

Page 3, strike lines 31 through 32.

Page 3, line 33, strike "road and bridge matching grant fund".

Page 3, strike lines 34 through 36.

Page 3, line 37, strike "(3) For state fiscal year 2019,".

Page 3, line 37, strike "the following:".

Page 3, strike lines 38 through 39.

Page 3, line 40, strike "vehicle highway account".

Page 3, line 40, strike "(IC 8-14-1).".

Page 3, strike lines 41 through 42.

Page 4, line 1, strike "local road and bridge matching grant fund".

Page 4, strike line 2.

Page 4, delete lines 3 through 5.

Page 4, line 6, delete "(D)".

Page 4, line 7, delete "Twenty-eight and five hundred".

Page 4, delete line 8.

Page 4, line 9, delete "deposited in".

Page 4, line 9, strike "the state general fund.".

Page 4, delete lines 10 through 22.

Page 4, line 23, delete "(5)" and insert "(2)".

Page 4, line 23, delete "2021" and insert "2018".

Page 42, line 14, delete "under the" and insert "for a registration issued through an Indiana based".

Page 42, line 15, after "Plan" insert "account".

Page 42, line 36, delete "under the" and insert "for a registration issued through an Indiana based".

Page 42, line 37, after "Plan" insert "account".

Page 43, line 16, delete "Plan." and insert "Plan or through an Indiana based International Registration Plan account."

Page 43, line 17, delete "the International Registration Plan" and insert "**subsection (b)**".

Page 44, line 33, delete "registration fee" and insert "**transportation** infrastructure improvement fee under section 2 of this chapter".

Page 44, line 34, delete "that is base registered" and insert "for which a registration fee is paid".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1002 as printed January 27, 2017.)

**BROWN T** 

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 9.



### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1002 be amended to read as follows:

Page 12, line 30, delete "thereafter," and insert "through July 1, 2024,".

Page 15, line 1, delete "2018." and insert "2018 through July 1, 2024.".

Page 16, line 6, delete "thereafter," and insert "through July 1, 2024,".

Page 24, line 12, delete "thereafter," and insert "through July 1, 2024,".

(Reference is to HB 1002 as printed February 10, 2017.)

**LEHMAN** 

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1002 be amended to read as follows:

Page 37, line 14, after "." insert "If:

- (1) a waiver is granted under this subsection; and
- (2) the department, with the approval of the governor, decides to establish toll lanes under the waiver;

the first toll lanes established on an interstate highway must be located at least seventy-five (75) miles from an interstate highway or bridge on which travel is subject to tolling as of July 1, 2017.".

(Reference is to HB 1002 as printed February 10, 2017.)

**BROWN T** 



## **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1002 be amended to read as follows:

Page 37, between lines 23 and 24, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 52. IC 8-15.5-4-1.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.213-2015, SECTION 110, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1.5. (a) This section applies only to a toll road project and not to a freeway project or a facility project.

- (b) The authority may not issue a request for proposals for a toll road project under this article unless the authority has received a preliminary feasibility study and an economic impact study for the project from the department, conducted a public hearing, and concluded the periods for public comments and the authority's replies.
- (c) The economic impact study must, at a minimum, include an analysis of the following matters with respect to the proposed project:
  - (1) Economic impacts on existing commercial and industrial development.
  - (2) Potential impacts on employment.
  - (3) Potential for future development near the project area, including consideration of locations for interchanges that will maximize opportunities for development.
  - (4) Fiscal impacts on revenues to local units of government.
- (5) Demands on government services, such as public safety, public works, education, zoning and building, and local airports. The authority shall post a copy of the economic impact study on the authority's Internet web site and shall also provide copies of the study to the governor and the legislative council (in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6).
- (d) After completion of the economic impact study, the authority must conduct a public hearing on the results of the study in the county seat of the county in which the proposed project would be located. At least ten (10) days before each public hearing, the authority shall:
  - (1) post notice of the public hearing on the authority's Internet web site;
  - (2) publish notice of the public hearing one (1) time in accordance with IC 5-3-1 in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the county; and
  - (3) include in the notices under subdivisions (1) and (2):
    - (A) the date, time, and place of the hearing;
    - (B) the subject matter of the hearing;



- (C) a description of the purpose of the economic impact study;
- (D) a description of the proposed project and its location; and
- (E) a statement concerning the availability of the study on the authority's Internet web site.

At the hearing, the authority shall allow the public to be heard on the economic impact study and the proposed project.

- (e) For the thirty (30) days following the public hearing on the results of the economic impact study, the authority shall receive comments from the public on the proposed project. The comments may address any aspect of the proposed project.
- (f) Within fifteen (15) days following the close of the public comment period, the authority shall publish on the authority's Internet web site the authority's replies to the public comments submitted to the authority during the public comment period.

SECTION 53. IC 8-15.7-4-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.163-2011, SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1. (a) The department may request proposals from private entities for all or part of the development, financing, and operation of one (1) or more projects.

- (b) If all or part of the project will consist of a tollway, the department shall take the following steps before the commencement of the procurement process under this chapter:
  - (1) Except as provided by subsection (c), the department shall cause to be prepared a preliminary feasibility study and an economic impact study on that part of the project consisting of a tollway by a firm or firms internationally recognized in the preparation of studies or reports on the financial feasibility and economic impact of proposed toll road projects. Before the preparation of the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact study, the department must conduct a public hearing on the proposed studies in the county seat of the county in which the proposed project would be located. At least ten (10) days before each public hearing, the authority shall:
    - (A) post notice of the public hearing on the department's Internet web site;
    - (B) publish notice of the public hearing one (1) time in accordance with IC 5-3-1 in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the county in which the proposed project would be located; and
    - (C) include in the notices under clauses (A) and (B):
      - (i) the date, time, and place of the hearing;
      - (ii) the subject matter of the hearing;



- (iii) a description of the purpose of the proposed preliminary feasibility study and economic impact study; and
- (iv) a description of the proposed project and its location. At the hearing, the department shall allow the public to be heard on the proposed studies and the proposed project.
- (2) The preliminary feasibility study must be based upon a public-private financial and project delivery structure. The economic impact study must, at a minimum, include an analysis of the following matters with respect to the proposed project:
  - (A) Economic impacts on existing commercial and industrial development.
  - (B) Potential impacts on employment.
  - (C) Potential for future development near the project area, including consideration of locations for interchanges that will maximize opportunities for development.
  - (D) Fiscal impacts on revenues to local units of government.
  - (E) Demands on government services, such as public safety, public works, education, zoning and building, and local airports.

The department shall post copies of the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact study on the department's Internet web site and shall also provide copies of the studies to the governor and to the legislative council (in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6).

- (3) After the completion of the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact statement, the department shall schedule a public hearing on the proposed project and the studies in the county seat of the county that would be an affected jurisdiction for purposes of the proposed project. At least ten (10) days before the public hearing, the department shall:
  - (A) post notice of the public hearing on the department's Internet web site;
  - (B) publish notice of the hearing one (1) time in accordance with IC 5-3-1 in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the county; and
  - (C) include the following in the notices under clauses (A) and (B):
    - (i) The date, time, and place of the hearing.
    - (ii) The subject matter of the hearing.
    - (iii) A description of the proposed project, its location, the part of the project consisting of a tollway, and, consistent with the assessments reached in the preliminary feasibility



study, the estimated total cost of the acquisition, construction, installation, equipping, and improving of the proposed project, as well as the part of the project consisting of a tollway.

- (iv) The address and telephone number of the department.
- (v) A statement concerning the availability of the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact study on the department's Internet web site.
- (4) At the hearing, the department shall allow the public to be heard on the proposed project, the preliminary feasibility study, and the economic impact study.
- (5) For the thirty (30) days following the public hearing on the proposed project, the department shall receive comments from the public on the proposed project. The comments may address any aspect of the proposed project.
- (6) Within fifteen (15) days following the close of the public comment period, the department shall publish on the department's Internet web site the department's replies to the public comments submitted to the department during the public comment period.
- (5) (7) After the completion of the public hearings response period described in subdivision (3), (6), the department shall submit the preliminary feasibility study, and the economic impact study, the public comments received, and the department responses to the public comments to the budget committee for its review before the commencement of the procurement process under this chapter. If the preliminary feasibility study or the economic impact study submitted for review provides for any tolls, the budget committee shall hold a meeting and conduct a review of the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact study not later than ninety (90) days after the date the preliminary feasibility study and the economic impact study are submitted for review.
- (c) The following provisions apply if the department determines that a feasibility study for the Illiana Expressway that was prepared before March 15, 2010, meets the requirements of subsection (b) concerning the preparation of a preliminary feasibility study:
  - (1) The department is not required to prepare an additional preliminary feasibility study.
  - (2) The requirement under subsection (b)(1) for a public hearing before preparation of a preliminary feasibility study does not



apply. However, the requirement under subsection (b)(1) for a public hearing on the economic impact study does apply.

(3) The feasibility study prepared before March 15, 2010, is considered to be the preliminary feasibility study for purposes of subsection (b)(3) through (b)(5).".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1002 as printed February 10, 2017.)

**PIERCE** 

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Tax and Fiscal Policy, to which was referred House Bill No. 1002, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 15, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 1. IC 6-2.5-5-51 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 51. (a) As used in this section, "special fuel" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-2.5-22.

(b) The sale of special fuel is exempt from the state gross retail tax.

SECTION 2. IC 6-2.5-6-10, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2013, SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 10. (a) In order to compensate retail merchants and those required to remit gasoline use tax for collecting and timely remitting the state gross retail tax, the state use tax, and the gasoline use tax, every retail merchant or person required to remit the gasoline use tax, except as provided in subsection (c), is entitled to deduct and retain from the amount of those taxes otherwise required to be remitted under <del>IC 6-2.5-7-5</del>, IC 6-2.5-3.5 or under this chapter, if timely remitted, a retail merchant's collection allowance.

- (b) The allowance equals a percentage of the retail merchant's state gross retail and use tax or the person's gasoline use tax liability accrued during a calendar year, specified as follows:
  - (1) Seventy-three hundredths percent (0.73%), if the retail merchant's state gross retail and use tax or gasoline use tax liability accrued during the state fiscal year ending on June 30 of



- the immediately preceding calendar year did not exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000).
- (2) Fifty-three hundredths percent (0.53%), if the retail merchant's state gross retail and use tax or gasoline use tax liability accrued during the state fiscal year ending on June 30 of the immediately preceding calendar year:
  - (A) was greater than sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000); and
  - (B) did not exceed six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000).
- (3) Twenty-six hundredths percent (0.26%), if the retail merchant's state gross retail and use tax liability or the person's gasoline use tax accrued during the state fiscal year ending on June 30 of the immediately preceding calendar year was greater than six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000).
- (c) A retail merchant described in IC 6-2.5-4-5 or IC 6-2.5-4-6 is not entitled to the allowance provided by this section. A retail merchant is not entitled to the allowance provided by this section with respect to gasoline use taxes imposed by IC 6-2.5-3.5.
- SECTION 3. IC 6-2.5-7-2 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 2. Except as provided in section 2.5 of this chapter, a retail merchant who uses a metered pump to dispense special fuel shall display on the pump the total price per unit of the special fuel. Subject to the provisions of section 2.5 of this chapter, a retail merchant may not advertise the special fuel at a price that is different than the price that the retail merchant is required to display on the metered pump.
- SECTION 4. IC 6-2.5-7-2.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 2.5. (a) This section does not apply to alternative fuel (as defined by IC 6-6-2.5-1) dispensed after December 31, 2013, and before January 1, 2017.
- (b) A retail merchant may designate any metered pumps at a business location that dispense special fuel as being "for trucks only". To do this, a retail merchant must place on the pump a sign that states that fuel dispensed from the metered pump may only be placed in the fuel supply tanks of a truck. A sign that reads "TRUCKS ONLY" is sufficient to meet the requirements of this subsection.
- (c) A retail merchant may not dispense special fuel from a metered pump that is designated for trucks only into the supply tank of a vehicle that is not a truck.
- (d) A retail merchant is not required to display the total price per unit of the special fuel on a metered pump if that particular metered pump is designated for trucks only.
- (e) A retail merchant may advertise special fuel at a price that does not include gross retail taxes that may be due on the sale of the special



fuel only if the retail merchant maintains a metered pump that is designated for trucks only. If a retail merchant advertises special fuel at a price that does not include any gross retail taxes that may be due on the sale of the special fuel, the retail merchant must display in easily read lettering above or below the advertised price the words "EXEMPT TRUCKS ONLY".

SECTION 5. IC 6-2.5-7-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2013, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 3. With respect to the sale of special fuel or kerosene which is dispensed from a metered pump, unless the purchaser provides an exemption certificate in accordance with IC 6-2.5-8-8, a retail merchant shall collect, for each unit of special fuel or kerosene sold, state gross retail tax in an amount equal to the product, rounded to the nearest one-tenth of one cent (\$0.001), of:

- (1) the price per unit before the addition of state and federal taxes; multiplied by
- (2) seven percent (7%).

Unless the exemption certificate is provided, the retail merchant shall collect the state gross retail tax prescribed in this section even if the transaction is exempt from taxation under IC 6-2.5-5.

SECTION 6. IC 6-2.5-7-4 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 4. (a) If a sale of special fuel is exempt from the state gross retail tax, the person who pays the tax to the retail merchant may file a claim for refund with the department. The person must file the claim on the form, in the manner, and with the supporting documentation, prescribed by the department. If a person properly files a claim for refund, the department shall refund to the person the state gross retail tax collected with respect to the exempt transaction.

(b) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this section, the department may prescribe simplified procedures to make adjustments for exempt transactions.

SECTION 7. IC 6-2.5-7-5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 5. (a) Each retail merchant who dispenses special fuel from a metered pump shall, in the manner prescribed in IC 6-2.5-6, report to the department the following information:

- (1) The total number of gallons of special fuel sold from a metered pump during the period covered by the report.
- (2) The total amount of money received from the sale of special fuel during the period covered by the report.
- (3) That portion of the amount described in subdivision (2) that represents state and federal taxes imposed under this article,



IC 6-6-2.5, or Section 4041 or Section 4081 of the Internal Revenue Code.

- (b) Concurrently with filing the report, the retail merchant shall remit the state gross retail tax in an amount which equals six and fifty-four hundredths percent (6.54%) of the gross receipts, including state gross retail taxes but excluding Indiana and federal special fuel taxes, received by the retail merchant from the sale of the special fuel that is covered by the report and on which the retail merchant was required to collect state gross retail tax. The retail merchant shall remit that amount regardless of the amount of state gross retail tax which the merchant has actually collected under this chapter. However, the retail merchant is entitled to deduct and retain the amounts prescribed in subsection (c), IC 6-2.5-6-10, and IC 6-2.5-6-11.
- (c) A retail merchant is entitled to deduct from the amount of state gross retail tax required to be remitted under subsection (b) an amount equal to:
  - (1) the sum of the prepayment amounts made during the period eovered by the retail merchant's report; minus
  - (2) the sum of prepayment amounts collected by the retail merchant, in the merchant's capacity as a qualified distributor, during the period covered by the retail merchant's report.

For purposes of this section, a prepayment of the gross retail tax is presumed to occur on the date on which it is invoiced.

SECTION 8. IC 6-2.5-7-6.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. Sec. 6.5. (a) If the deduction under section 5(c) of this chapter exceeds the amount of gross retail tax required to be remitted under section 5(b) of this chapter, the retail merchant is entitled to a credit. The credit shall be used as follows:

- (1) First, the credit shall be applied against gross retail and use tax liability of the retail merchant that is required to be remitted under IC 6-2.5-6.
- (2) Second, any amount remaining shall be applied against the gasoline tax liability of the retail merchant, as determined under IC 6-6-1.1, excluding any liability for gasoline delivered to a taxable marine facility.

A retail merchant may file a claim for a refund instead of taking a credit or for a refund of any excess tax payment remaining after the credits allowed by this section.

(b) A retail merchant that is entitled to a refund under this section must file a claim for the refund on the refund claim form approved by the department and must include any supporting documentation reasonably required by the department. If a retail merchant files a



completed refund claim form that includes all supporting documentation, the excess tax payment that is not refunded within ninety (90) days accrues interest as provided in IC 6-8.1-9-2.

- (c) Before the fifth day of each month, the department shall determine and notify the treasurer of state of the amount of credits applied during the preceding month against the gasoline tax under this section. The treasurer of state shall transfer from the general fund:
  - (1) to the highway, road and street fund, twenty-five percent (25%) of the amount set forth in the department's notice; and
  - (2) to the motor fuel tax fund of the motor vehicle highway account, seventy-five percent (75%) of the amount set forth in the department's notice.

SECTION 9. IC 6-2.5-9-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) Except as provided in IC 6-2.5-7, A person who:

- (1) displays an advertised price, marked price, or publicly stated price that includes the state gross retail or use taxes;
- (2) offers to assume or absorb part of a customer's state gross retail or use tax on a sale; or
- (3) offers to refund part of a customer's state gross retail or use tax as a part of a sale;

commits a Class B infraction.

- (b) A retail merchant who:
  - (1) uses a metered pump to dispense gasoline; or special fuel;
  - (2) is required to display on the pump the total price per unit of the gasoline or special fuel under IC 6-2.5-7-2; and
  - (3) advertises the gasoline or special fuel at a price other than that required by IC 6-2.5-7-2;

## commits a Class B infraction.".

Delete pages 2 through 5.

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 3.

Page 6, delete lines 19 through 42.

Page 7, delete lines 1 through 39.

Page 8, delete lines 31 through 42.

Page 9, delete lines 1 through 38.

Page 10, delete lines 34 through 42.

Delete page 11.

Page 12, delete lines 1 through 2.

Page 12, delete lines 12 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 32. IC 6-6-1.1-201 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 201. (a) A license





tax of eighteen cents (\$0.18) per gallon is imposed on the use of all gasoline used in Indiana at the applicable rate specified in subsection (b), except as otherwise provided by this chapter. The distributor shall initially pay the tax on the billed gallonage of all gasoline the distributor receives in this state, less any deductions authorized by this chapter. The distributor shall then add the per gallon amount of tax to the selling price of each gallon of gasoline sold in this state and collected from the purchaser so that the ultimate consumer bears the burden of the tax.

- (b) The license tax described in subsection (a) is imposed at the following applicable rate per gallon:
  - (1) Before July 1, 2017, eighteen cents (\$0.18).
  - (2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, twenty-three cents (\$0.23).
  - (3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-eight cents (\$0.28).
  - (4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1, 2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal to the product of:
    - (A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by
    - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.

The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However, after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the department's Internet web site not later than June 1.

SECTION 33. IC 6-6-1.1-209 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,2017]: Sec. 209. (a) Persons having title to gasoline in storage and held for sale on the effective date of an increase in the license tax rate imposed under section 201 of this chapter are subject to an inventory tax based upon the gallonage in storage as of the close of the business day preceding the effective date of the increased license tax rate.

- (b) Persons subject to the tax imposed under this section shall:
  - (1) take an inventory to determine the gallonage in storage for purposes of determining the inventory tax;
  - (2) report that gallonage on forms provided by the administrator; and
  - (3) pay the tax due within thirty (30) days of the prescribed inventory date.
- (c) The amount of the inventory tax is equal to the inventory tax rate times the gallonage in storage as determined under subsection (a). The



inventory tax rate is equal to the difference of the increased license tax rate minus the previous license tax rate.

- (d) The inventory tax shall be considered a listed tax for the purposes of IC 6-8.1.
- (e) Revenue collected from the inventory tax imposed under this section shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.

SECTION 34. IC 6-6-1.1-502, AS AMENDED BY P.L.211-2007, SECTION 35, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 502. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), at the time of filing each monthly report, each distributor shall pay to the administrator the full amount of tax due under this chapter for the preceding calendar month, computed as follows:

- (1) Enter the total number of invoiced gallons of gasoline received during the preceding calendar month.
- (2) Subtract the number of gallons for which deductions are provided by sections 701 through 705 of this chapter from the number of gallons entered under subdivision (1).
- (3) Subtract the number of gallons reported under section 501(3) of this chapter.
- (4) Multiply the number of invoiced gallons remaining after making the computation in subdivisions (2) and (3) by the tax rate prescribed by section 201 of this chapter to compute that part of the gasoline tax to be deposited in the highway, road, and street fund under section 802(2) 802(b)(2) of this chapter or in the motor fuel tax fund under section 802(3) 802(b)(3) of this chapter.
- (5) Multiply the number of gallons subtracted under subdivision
- (3) by the tax rate prescribed by section 201 of this chapter to compute that part of the gasoline tax to be deposited in the fish and wildlife fund under section 802(1) 802(b)(1) of this chapter.
- (b) If the department determines that a distributor's:
  - (1) estimated monthly gasoline tax liability for the current year; or
- (2) average monthly gasoline tax liability for the preceding year; exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the distributor shall pay the monthly gasoline taxes due by electronic fund transfer (as defined in IC 4-8.1-2-7) or by delivering in person or by overnight courier a payment by cashier's check, certified check, or money order to the department. The transfer or payment shall be made on or before the date the tax is due.



SECTION 35. IC 6-6-1.1-801.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,2017]: Sec. 801.5. (a) This section applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the first eighteen cents (\$0.18) of the gasoline tax rate imposed under this chapter.

- (a) (b) The administrator shall transfer one-ninth (1/9) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the state highway road construction and improvement fund.
- (b) (c) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the state highway fund.
- (c) (d) The administrator shall transfer one-eighteenth (1/18) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter to the auditor of state for distribution to counties, cities, and towns. The auditor of state shall distribute the amounts transferred under this subsection to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 local road and street account under IC 8-14-2-4 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1. local road and street account under IC 8-14-2-4. Money distributed under this subsection may be used only for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account local road and street account may be expended under IC 8-14-1. IC 8-14-2.
- (d) (e) After the transfers required by subsections (a) (b) through (c), (d), the administrator shall transfer the next twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter and received during a period beginning July 1 of a year and ending June 30 of the immediately succeeding year to the auditor of state for distribution in the following manner:
  - (1) thirty percent (30%) Sixty percent (60%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the local road and street account under IC 8-14-2 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed under IC 8-14-2-4.
  - (2) thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1; and
  - (3) (2) Forty percent (40%) to the Indiana department of transportation.



- (e) (f) The auditor of state shall hold all amounts of collections received under subsection (d) (e) from the administrator that are made during a particular month and shall distribute all of those amounts pursuant to subsection (d) (e) on the fifth day of the immediately succeeding month.
- (f) (g) All amounts distributed under subsection (d) (e) may only be used for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account local road and street account may be expended under 1C 8-14-1. IC 8-14-2.

SECTION 36. IC 6-6-1.1-802 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 802. (a) This section applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the first eighteen cents (\$0.18) of the gasoline tax rate imposed under this chapter.

- **(b)** The administrator shall, after the transfer specified in section 801.5 of this chapter, deposit the remainder of the revenues collected under this chapter **and described in subsection (a)** in the following manner:
  - (1) The taxes collected with respect to gasoline delivered to a taxable marine facility shall be deposited in the fish and wildlife fund established by IC 14-22-3-2.
  - (2) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the taxes collected under this chapter, except the taxes referred to in subdivision (1), shall be deposited in the highway, road and street fund established under IC 8-14-2-2.1.
  - (3) The remainder of the revenues collected under this chapter shall be deposited in the motor fuel tax fund of the motor vehicle highway account.

SECTION 37. IC 6-6-1.1-802.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 802.5. The revenue collected under this chapter from that part of the gasoline tax rate imposed under this chapter that exceeds eighteen cents (\$0.18) shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1 and used only for Indiana's roads."

Delete page 13.

Page 14, delete line 1.

Page 14, delete lines 14 through 41.

Page 14, line 42, delete "3." and insert "2.".

Page 15, line 1, delete "2018" and insert "2019".

Page 15, line 6, delete "equals" and insert "equal".

Page 15, between lines 17 and 18, begin a new paragraph and insert:



"(c) The department shall continue to calculate the annual index factor after 2024 for purposes of IC 8-14-1-3(1)(B).".

Page 15, delete lines 28 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 40. IC 6-6-2.5-28, AS AMENDED BY P.L.190-2014, SECTION 24, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 28. (a) A license tax of sixteen cents (\$0.16) per:

- (1) gallon;
- (2) diesel gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(f)), in the ease of a special fuel that is liquid natural gas; or
- (3) gasoline gallon equivalent (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(g)), in the case of a special fuel that is compressed natural gas;

is imposed on all special fuel sold or used in producing or generating power for propelling motor vehicles, except fuel used under section 30(a)(8) or 30.5 of this chapter, at the applicable rate specified in subsection (b). The tax shall be paid at those times, in the manner, and by those persons specified in this section and section 35 of this chapter.

- (b) The license tax described in subsection (a) is imposed at the following applicable rate per special fuel gallon:
  - (1) Before July 1, 2017, sixteen cents (\$0.16).
  - (2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, nineteen cents (\$0.19).
  - (3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-two cents (\$0.22).
  - (4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1, 2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal to the product of:
    - (A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by
    - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.

The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However, after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the department's Internet web site not later than June 1.

- (b) (c) The department shall consider it a rebuttable presumption that all undyed or unmarked special fuel, or both, received in Indiana is to be sold for use in propelling motor vehicles.
- (c) (d) Except as provided in subsection (d), (e), the tax imposed on special fuel by subsection (a) shall be measured by invoiced gallons (or diesel or gasoline gallon equivalents in the case of a special fuel described in subsection (a)(2) or (a)(3)) section 22.5(2) or 22.5(3) of



this chapter of nonexempt special fuel received by a licensed supplier in Indiana for sale or resale in Indiana or with respect to special fuel subject to a tax precollection agreement under section 35(d) of this chapter, such special fuel removed by a licensed supplier from a terminal outside of Indiana for sale for export or for export to Indiana and in any case shall generally be determined in the same manner as the tax imposed by Section 4081 of the Internal Revenue Code and Code of Federal Regulations.

- (d) (e) The tax imposed by subsection (a) on special fuel imported into Indiana, other than into a terminal, is imposed at the time the product is entered into Indiana and shall be measured by invoiced gallons received at a terminal or at a bulk plant.
- (e) (f) In computing the tax, all special fuel in process of transfer from tank steamers at boat terminal transfers and held in storage pending wholesale bulk distribution by land transportation, or in tanks and equipment used in receiving and storing special fuel from interstate pipelines pending wholesale bulk reshipment, shall not be subject to tax.
- (f) (g) The department shall consider it a rebuttable presumption that special fuel consumed in a motor vehicle plated for general highway use is subject to the tax imposed under this chapter. A person claiming exempt use of special fuel in such a vehicle must maintain adequate records as required by the department to document the vehicle's taxable and exempt use.
- (g) (h) A person that engages in blending fuel for taxable sale or use in Indiana is primarily liable for the collection and remittance of the tax imposed under subsection (a). The person shall remit the tax due in conjunction with the filing of a monthly report in the form prescribed by the department.
- (h) (i) A person that receives special fuel that has been blended for taxable sale or use in Indiana is secondarily liable to the state for the tax imposed under subsection (a).
- (i) (j) A person may not use special fuel on an Indiana public highway if the special fuel contains a sulfur content that exceeds five one-hundredths of one percent (0.05%). A person who knowingly:
  - (1) violates; or
  - (2) aids or abets another person to violate;

this subsection commits a Class A infraction. However, the violation is a Class A misdemeanor if the person has committed one (1) prior unrelated violation of this subsection, and a Level 6 felony if the person has committed more than one (1) unrelated violation of this subsection.



SECTION 41. IC 6-6-2.5-29 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 29. (a) Persons having title to special fuel in storage and held for sale on the effective date of an increase in the license tax rate imposed under section 28 of this chapter are subject to an inventory tax based on the gallons in storage as of the close of the business day preceding the effective date of the increased license tax rate.

- (b) Persons subject to the tax imposed under this section shall:
  - (1) take an inventory to determine the gallons in storage for purposes of determining the inventory tax;
  - (2) report the gallons listed in subdivision (1) on forms provided by the commissioner; and
  - (3) pay the tax due not more than thirty (30) days after the prescribed inventory date.

In determining the amount of special fuel tax due under this section, the person may exclude the amount of special fuel that will not be pumped out of the storage tank because the special fuel is below the mouth of the draw pipe. For this purpose, the person may deduct two hundred (200) gallons for a storage tank with a capacity of less than ten thousand (10,000) gallons, and four hundred (400) gallons for a storage tank with a capacity that exceeds ten thousand (10,000) gallons.

- (c) The amount of the inventory tax is equal to the inventory tax rate times the gallons in storage as determined under subsection (b). The inventory tax rate is equal to the difference of the increased license tax rate minus the previous license tax rate.
- (d) The inventory tax shall be considered a listed tax for the purposes of IC 6-8.1.
- (e) Revenue collected from the inventory tax imposed under this section shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1."

Delete page 16.

Page 17, delete lines 1 through 22.

Page 22, between lines 12 and 13, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 44. IC 6-6-2.5-68 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 68. (a) This section applies only to the revenue collected under this chapter from the first sixteen cents (\$0.16) of the special fuel tax rate imposed under this chapter.

(a) (b) The administrator shall transfer the next twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) of the taxes that are collected under this chapter and received during a period beginning July 1 of a year and ending



June 30 of the immediately succeeding year to the auditor of state for distribution in the following manner:

- (1) Thirty percent (30%) Sixty percent (60%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the local road and street account under IC 8-14-2 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed under IC 8-14-2-4.
- (2) Thirty percent (30%) to each of the counties, cities, and towns eligible to receive a distribution from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1 and in the same proportion among the counties, cities, and towns as funds are distributed from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1.
- (3) (2) Forty percent (40%) to the Indiana department of transportation.
- (b) (c) The auditor of state shall hold all amounts of collections received from the administrator that are made during a particular month and shall distribute all of those amounts under subsection (a) (b) on the fifth day of the immediately succeeding month.
- (c) (d) All amounts distributed under subsection (a) (b) may only be used for purposes that money distributed from the motor vehicle highway account local road and street account may be expended under 1C 8-14-1. IC 8-14-2.
- (d) (e) All revenue collected under this chapter and described in subsection (a) shall be used in the same manner as the revenue collected under IC 6-6-1.1. The administrator shall, after the transfers specified in subsection (a), (b), deposit the remainder of the revenues collected under this chapter and described in subsection (a) in the same manner that revenues are deposited under IC 6-6-1.1-802.

SECTION 45. IC 6-6-2.5-68.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 68.5.** The revenue collected from that part of the special fuel tax rate imposed under this chapter that exceeds sixteen cents (\$0.16) shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1."

Page 23, line 28, after "(c)" delete "." and insert "and on the consumption of special fuel (other than natural gas or an alternative fuel) by a person that is not a carrier at the applicable rate specified in subsection (c)."

Page 23, line 38, beginning with "**Beginning**" begin a new line blocked left.

Page 24, delete lines 5 through 22, begin a new paragraph and insert:



- "(c) The surcharge tax described in subsection (b) is imposed at the following applicable rate per surcharge gallon:
  - (1) Before July 1, 2017, eleven cents (\$0.11).
  - (2) For July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, sixteen cents (\$0.16).
  - (3) For July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, twenty-one cents (\$0.21).
  - (4) Beginning July 1, 2019, and each July 1 through July 1, 2024, the department shall determine an applicable rate equal to the product of:
    - (A) the rate in effect on June 30; multiplied by
    - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.

The rate shall be rounded to the nearest cent (\$0.01). However, after June 30, 2019, the new applicable rate may not exceed the rate in effect on June 30 plus one cent (\$0.01). The department shall publish the rate that will take effect on July 1 on the department's Internet web site not later than June 1.".

Page 27, delete lines 16 through 35, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 50. IC 6-6-4.1-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 5. (a) The department shall deposit revenue collected under sections 4 and 12 of this chapter in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).

- (b) The department shall deposit revenue collected **from the first eleven cents (\$0.11) of the surcharge tax rate imposed** under section 4.5 of this chapter as follows:
  - (1) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).
  - (2) Forty-five and one-half percent (45.5%) in the motor vehicle highway account (IC 8-14-1).
  - (3) Nine percent (9%) in the motor carrier regulation fund administered by the department.
- (c) The department shall deposit revenue collected from that part of the surcharge tax rate imposed under section 4.5 of this chapter that exceeds eleven cents (\$0.11) in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.
- (c) (d) The department shall deposit revenue collected under section 13 of this chapter as follows:
  - (1) Thirty-five percent (35%) in the motor vehicle highway account (IC 8-14-1).
  - (2) Sixty-five percent (65%) in the state highway fund (IC 8-23-9-54).".



Page 29, delete lines 19 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 53. IC 6-6-4.1-21 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 21. A person carrier subject to the taxes imposed under sections 4 through 4.5 of this chapter who fails to file a quarterly report as required by section 10 of this chapter shall pay a civil penalty of three hundred dollars (\$300) for each report that is not filed.

SECTION 54. IC 6-6-4.1-22 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 22. (a) If a person: carrier:

- (1) fails to file a return for taxes due under this chapter;
- (2) fails to pay the full amount of tax shown on the person's return by the due date for the return or the payment; or
- (3) incurs a deficiency upon a determination by the department; the person carrier is subject to interest on the nonpayment.
- (b) The interest for a failure described in subsection (a) is the rate of interest calculated under the interest provisions of the International Fuel Tax Agreement entered into by the department under IC 6-8.1-3-14.

SECTION 55. IC 6-6-13-6, AS ADDED BY P.L.288-2013, SECTION 67, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 6. (a) Except as provided in section 7 of this chapter, an excise tax of ten twenty cents (\$0.10) (\$0.20) per gallon is imposed on the gross retail income received by a retailer on each gallon of aviation fuel purchased in Indiana. A retailer shall add the per gallon amount of tax to the selling price of each gallon of aviation fuel sold by the retailer so that the ultimate consumer bears the burden of the tax.

(b) For purposes of this chapter, the gross retail income received by the retailer from the sale of aviation fuel does not include the amount of any excise tax imposed upon the sale under federal law.

SECTION 56. IC 6-6-13-15, AS ADDED BY P.L.288-2013, SECTION 67, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 15. The department shall transfer aviation fuel excise taxes collected under this chapter to the treasurer of state for deposit:

- (1) before July 1, 2017, in the state general fund; and
- (2) after June 30, 2017, as follows:
  - (A) Fifty percent (50%) in the state general fund.
  - (B) Fifty percent (50%) in the airport development grant fund established by IC 8-21-11-4.".

Page 30, delete lines 1 through 8.



Page 30, delete lines 40 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(c) The revenue collected from that part of a fee imposed under this section that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1."

Delete page 31.

Page 32, delete lines 1 through 3.

Page 33, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 69. IC 8-14-1-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.2-2014, SECTION 33, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018]: Sec. 3. The money collected for the motor vehicle highway account fund and remaining after refunds and the payment of all expenses incurred in the collection thereof, and after the deduction of the amount appropriated to the department for traffic safety, shall be allocated to and distributed among the department and subdivisions designated as follows:

- (1) Of the net amount in the motor vehicle highway account the auditor of state shall set aside for the cities and towns of the state fifteen percent (15%) thereof. This sum shall be allocated to the cities and towns upon the basis that the population of each city and town bears to the total population of all the cities and towns and distribute to cities and towns the amounts determined under this subdivision. The amount that each city or town is entitled to receive under this subdivision in 2018 and in each calendar year thereafter is equal to the result of:
  - (A) the amount of the distribution received by the city or town under this section during the preceding calendar year; multiplied by
  - (B) the annual index factor determined in the manner described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for the preceding year.

The amount received by a city or town under this subdivision shall be used for the construction or reconstruction and maintenance of streets and alleys and shall be annually budgeted as now provided by law. However, no part of such sum shall be used for any other purpose than for the purposes defined in this chapter. If any funds allocated to any city or town shall be used by any officer or officers of such city or town for any purpose or purposes other than for the purposes as defined in this chapter, such officer or officers shall be liable upon their official bonds to such city or town in such amount so used for other purposes than for the purposes as defined in this chapter, together with the costs



of said action and reasonable attorney fees, recoverable in an action or suit instituted in the name of the state of Indiana on the relation of any taxpayer or taxpayers resident of such city or town. A monthly distribution thereof of funds accumulated during the preceding month shall be made by the auditor of state.

- (2) Of the net amount in the motor vehicle highway account, the auditor of state shall set aside for the counties of the state thirty-two percent (32%) thereof. However, as to the allocation to cities and towns under subdivision (1) and as to the allocation to counties under this subdivision, in the event that the amount in the motor vehicle highway account fund remaining after refunds and after the payment of all expenses incurred in the collection thereof shall be less than twenty-two million six hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$22,650,000) in any fiscal year, then the amount so set aside in the next calendar year for distributions to counties shall be reduced fifty-four percent (54%) of such deficit and the amount so set aside for distribution in the next calendar year to eities and towns shall be reduced thirteen percent (13%) of such deficit. Such reduced distributions shall begin with the distribution January 1 of each year. and distribute to counties the amounts determined under this subdivision. The amount that each county is entitled to receive under this subdivision in 2018 and in each calendar year thereafter is equal to the result of:
  - (A) the amount of the distribution received by the county under this section during the preceding calendar year; multiplied by
  - (B) the annual index factor determined in the manner described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for the preceding year.
- (3) The amount set aside for the counties of the state under the provisions of subdivision (2) shall be allocated monthly upon the following basis:
  - (A) Five percent (5%) of the amount allocated to the counties to be divided equally among the ninety-two (92) counties.
  - (B) Sixty-five percent (65%) of the amount allocated to the counties to be divided on the basis of the ratio of the actual miles, now traveled and in use, of county roads in each county to the total mileage of county roads in the state, which shall be annually determined, accurately, by the department and submitted to the auditor of state before April 1 of each year.
  - (C) Thirty percent (30%) of the amount allocated to the counties to be divided on the basis of the ratio of the motor



vehicle registrations of each county to the total motor vehicle registration of the state.

All money so distributed to the several counties of the state shall constitute a special road fund for each of the respective counties and shall be under the exclusive supervision and direction of the board of county commissioners in the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, or repair of the county highways or bridges on such county highways within such county.

- (4) (3) Each month the remainder of the net amount in the motor vehicle highway account shall be credited to the state highway fund for the use of the department.
- (5) (4) Money in the fund may not be used for any toll road or toll bridge project.
- (6) (5) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section, money in the motor vehicle highway account fund may be appropriated to the Indiana department of transportation from the forty-seven percent (47%) amounts distributed to the political subdivisions of the state under subdivisions (2) and (3) to pay the costs incurred by the department in providing services to those subdivisions.
- (7) (6) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section or of IC 8-14-8, for the purpose of maintaining a sufficient working balance in accounts established primarily to facilitate the matching of federal and local money for highway projects, money may be appropriated to the Indiana department of transportation as follows:
  - (A) One-half (1/2) from the forty-seven percent (47%) amounts set aside under subdivisions (1) and (2) for counties and for those cities and towns with a population greater than five thousand (5,000).
  - (B) One-half (1/2) from the distressed road fund under IC 8-14-8.
- (7) In the case of a municipality incorporated after December 31, 2017, the municipality's initial annual distribution under this section shall be determined based on the amount the municipality would have received under the distribution formula in this section as in effect June 30, 2017, increased by applying the annual index factor determined in the manner described in IC 6-6-1-6.2(b) for each year that is after 2017 and that precedes the year in which the municipality is incorporated.



SECTION 70. IC 8-14-1-11 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018]: Sec. 11. (a) The department may create a local agency revolving fund from money appropriated under section 3(7) 3(6) of this chapter for the purpose of maintaining a sufficient working balance in accounts established primarily to facilitate the matching of federal and local money for highway projects.

- (b) The revolving fund balance must be maintained through reimbursement from a local unit for money used by that unit to match federal funds.
- (c) If the local unit fails to reimburse the revolving fund, the department shall notify the local unit that the department has found the outstanding accounts receivable to be uncollectible.
- (d) The attorney general shall review the outstanding accounts receivable and if the attorney general agrees with the department's assessment of the account's status, the attorney general shall certify to the auditor of state that the outstanding accounts receivable is uncollectible and request a transfer of funds as provided in subsection (e).
- (e) Upon receipt of a certificate as specified in subsection (d), the auditor of state shall:
  - (1) immediately notify the delinquent local unit of the claim; and
  - (2) if proof of payment is not furnished to the auditor of state within thirty (30) days after the notification, transfer an amount equal to the outstanding accounts receivable to the department from the delinquent local unit's allocations from the motor vehicle highway account for deposit in the local agency revolving fund.
- (f) Transfers shall be made under subsection (e) until the unpaid amount has been paid in full under the terms of the agreement. However, the agreement may be amended if both the department and the unit agree to amortize the transfer over a period not to exceed five (5) years.
- (g) Money in the fund at the end of a fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.".

Page 37, line 14, delete "shall" and insert "may, after approval by the governor,".

Page 37, delete lines 31 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 76. IC 8-21-11-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 4. (a) The airport development grant fund and the airport development revolving loan



fund are established for the purposes of this chapter. The department shall administer the two (2) funds.

- (b) The department shall pay the expenses of administering the funds.
- (c) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in each fund not currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same manner as other public funds may be invested. Interest that accrues from these investments shall be deposited in the fund that earns the interest.
- (d) Money deposited in the airport development grant fund under IC 6-6-13-15(2)(B) may be used only to make matching grants to airports under section 5(a)(1) of this chapter for capital improvements.
- (d) (e) Money in a fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.

SECTION 77. IC 8-23-29-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.208-2014, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. The department shall contract with a third party to study transportation infrastructure funding mechanisms. The contract must include the following terms:

- (1) A description of the funding mechanisms that will be studied. The funding mechanisms must include the following:
  - (A) An option that is based on variables, including vehicle gross weight and miles traveled.
  - (B) An option that accounts for variations in usage and degree of damage caused to transportation infrastructure by vehicles of different sizes and configurations.
  - (C) A flat per vehicle fee.
  - (D) Adjustments to one (1) or more of the following:
    - (i) The state gross retail tax on motor fuel imposed under IC 6-2.5-7.
    - (ii) (i) The gasoline tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1.
    - (iii) The special fuel tax imposed under IC 6-6-2.5.
    - (iv) (iii) The motor carrier fuel tax imposed under IC 6-6-4.1, including the surcharge tax imposed under IC 6-6-4.1-4.5.
  - (E) Tolls.
  - (F) Any other mechanism the department determines is appropriate.
- (2) The duration of the study, which must be an adequate length of time to ensure that a quality and comprehensive analysis of all



- topics will be thoroughly reviewed, but is not to exceed two (2) years.
- (3) An inventory of the transportation infrastructure that will be maintained through revenue generated by the funding mechanisms included in the study. The inventory must include state and local highways, roads, and streets.
- (4) The rating system by which the maintenance of the transportation infrastructure will be evaluated.".

Delete pages 38 through 42.

Page 43, delete lines 1 through 8, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 78. IC 8-23-9-54, AS AMENDED BY P.L.47-2006, SECTION 43, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 54. (a) To provide funds for carrying out the provisions of this chapter, there is created a state highway fund from the following sources:

- (1) All money in the general fund to the credit of the state highway account.
- (2) All money that is received from the Department of Transportation or other federal agency and known as federal aid.
- (3) All money paid into the state treasury to reimburse the state for money paid out of the state highway fund.
- (4) All money provided by Indiana law for the construction, maintenance, reconstruction, repair, and control of public highways, as provided under this chapter.
- (5) All money that on May 22, 1933, was to be paid into the state highway fund under contemplation of any statute in force as of May 22, 1933.
- (6) All money that may at any time be appropriated from the state treasury.
- (7) Any part of the state highway fund unexpended at the expiration of any fiscal year, which shall remain in the fund and be available for the succeeding years.
- (8) Any money credited to the state highway fund from the motor vehicle highway account under IC 8-14-1-3(4). IC 8-14-1-3(3).
- (9) Any money credited to the state highway fund from the highway road and street fund under IC 8-14-2-3.
- (10) Any money credited to the state highway fund under IC 6-6-1.1-801.5, IC 6-6-4.1-5, or IC 8-16-1-17.1.
- (11) Any money distributed to the state highway fund under IC 8-14-14, IC 8-15.5, or IC 8-15.7.
- (b) All expenses incurred in carrying out this chapter shall be paid out of the state highway fund.".



Page 43, delete lines 28 through 33.

Page 44, line 40, delete "315" and insert "450".

Page 44, line 41, delete "529" and insert "756".

Page 44, line 42, delete "756" and insert "1,080".

Page 45, line 1, delete "1,008" and insert "1,440".

Page 45, line 2, delete "1,423" and insert "2,034".

Page 45, line 6, delete "A" and insert "**The revenue collected from** a".

Page 45, line 7, after "(b)" insert "and that results from the part of the fee that is equal to the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017,".

Page 45, delete lines 23 through 28.

Page 45, line 29, reset in roman "(8)".

Page 45, line 29, delete "(9)".

Page 45, between lines 30 and 31, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(d) The revenue collected from a fee described in subsection (a) that is not required to be distributed under subsection (b) and that results from the part of the fee that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1."

Page 45, line 31, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)".

Page 47, delete lines 8 through 9, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(c) The revenue that is from the fees collected under subsection (b) during each state fiscal year and that results from the part of a fee that is equal to the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be distributed as follows:".

Page 47, delete lines 12 through 15.

Page 47, line 16, delete "(3)" and insert "(2)".

Page 47, between lines 17 and 18, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(d) The revenue that is from the fees collected under subsection (b) during each state fiscal year and that results from the part of a fee that exceeds the amount of the fee in effect on June 30, 2017, shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1."

Page 47, line 22, after "vehicle" insert "and hybrid vehicle".

Page 47, between lines 29 and 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(c) As used in this section, "hybrid vehicle" means a vehicle that:
  - (1) draws propulsion energy from both an internal combustion engine and an energy storage device; and



(2) employs a regenerative braking system to recover waste energy to charge the energy storage device that is providing propulsion energy.".

Page 47, line 30, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)".

Page 47, line 38, delete "IC 6-6-1.6-3." and insert "IC 6-6-1.6-2.".

Page 47, between lines 39 and 40, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(e) In addition to any other fee required to register a hybrid vehicle under this chapter, the supplemental fee to register a hybrid vehicle is seventy-five dollars (\$75) through December 31, 2022. Before October 1, 2022, and before each October 1 of every fifth year thereafter, the bureau shall determine a new fee amount to take effect as of January 1 of the following year by determining the product of:
  - (1) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by
  - (2) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2.

The fee shall be rounded to the nearest dollar.".

Page 47, line 40, delete "(d)" and insert "(f)".

Page 47, line 40, delete "local road and bridge" and insert "motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.".

Page 47, delete line 41.

Page 48, delete lines 6 through 10, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "Sec. 2. (a) The following shall pay an annual transportation infrastructure improvement fee:
  - (1) The owner of a motor vehicle with a declared gross weight equal to or less than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds that is registered in Indiana.
  - (2) The owner of a commercial motor vehicle with a declared gross weight greater than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds that is registered in Indiana.
  - (b) The amount of the annual fee is:
    - (1) fifteen dollars (\$15), in the case of a motor vehicle with a declared gross weight equal to or less than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds; and
    - (2) one hundred dollars (\$100), in the case of a commercial motor vehicle with a declared gross weight greater than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds."

Page 48, line 13, delete "in the" and insert "as follows:

(1) Fees described in subsection (b)(1) shall be deposited in the local road and bridge matching grant fund established under IC 8-23-30.



(2) Fees described in subsection (b)(2) shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.".

Page 48, delete lines 14 through 15.

Page 49, delete lines 9 through 40, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 87. IC 13-20-13-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 7. (a) A fee of **five dollars and** twenty-five cents (\$0.25) (\$5.25) is imposed on the sale of the following:

- (1) Each new tire that is sold at retail.
- (2) Each new tire mounted on a new vehicle sold at retail.
- (b) The person that sells the new tire or vehicle at retail to the ultimate consumer of the tire or vehicle shall collect the fee imposed by this section.
  - (c) A person that collects a fee under subsection (b):
    - (1) shall pay the fees collected under subsection (b):
      - (A) to the department of state revenue; and
      - (B) at the same time and in the same manner that the person pays the state gross retail tax collected by the person to the department of state revenue;
    - (2) shall indicate on the return:
      - (A) prescribed by the department of state revenue; and
    - (B) used for the payment of state gross retail taxes; that the person is also paying fees collected under subsection (b); and
    - (3) is entitled to deduct and retain one percent (1%) of the fees required to be paid to the department of state revenue under this subsection.
- (d) The department of state revenue shall deposit fees collected under this section **as follows:** 
  - (1) Twenty-five cents (\$0.25) from each fee collected shall be deposited in the waste tire management fund established by this chapter.
  - (2) Five dollars (\$5) from each fee collected shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account established under IC 8-14-1.

SECTION 88. IC 13-20-13-8, AS AMENDED BY P.L.37-2012, SECTION 34, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in subsection (d)(2), (d)(3), (d)(6), and (d)(7), the waste tire management fund is established for the following purposes:



- (1) The department may use not more than thirty-five percent (35%) of the money deposited in the fund each year for:
  - (A) the removal and disposal of waste tires from sites where the waste tires have been disposed of improperly; and
  - (B) operating the waste tire education program under section 15 of this chapter.
- (2) The department may use the remaining money deposited in the fund each year to:
  - (A) provide grants and loans under section 9(b) of this chapter to entities involved in waste tire management activities; and
  - (B) pay the expenses of administering the programs described in:
    - (i) subdivision (1)(B); and
    - (ii) clause (A).
- (b) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from money in the fund.
- (c) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.
  - (d) Sources of money for the fund are the following:
    - (1) Fees paid under section 4(a)(6) of this chapter and IC 13-20-14-5(c).
    - (2) Fees collected under section 7 deposited under section 7(d)(1) of this chapter. All money deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be used by the department for waste reduction, recycling, removal, or remediation projects.
    - (3) Costs and damages recovered from a person or other entity under section 14 of this chapter or IC 13-20-14-8. All money deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be used by the department for removal and remediation projects.
    - (4) Fees established by the general assembly for the purposes of this chapter.
    - (5) Appropriations made by the general assembly.
    - (6) Gifts and donations intended for deposit in the fund. A gift or donation deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be specified to be entirely for the use of the department.
    - (7) Civil penalties collected under IC 13-30-4 for violations of:
      - (A) this chapter;
      - (B) IC 13-20-14; and
      - (C) rules adopted under section 11 of this chapter and IC 13-20-14-6.

All money deposited in the fund under this subdivision may be used by the department for eligible projects.".



Page 50, line 2, strike "a county or municipality that".

Page 50, line 2, delete "is" and insert "any entity".

Page 50, line 3, after "through" insert "the state or".

Page 51, line 13, after "source" delete "." and insert ", except as provided by federal law.".

Page 51, line 20, after "awarded" insert "additional".

Page 51, delete line 21.

Page 51, line 22, after "funds" insert "as considered necessary".

Page 52, line 1, delete "shall" and insert "may".

Page 52, line 1, after "exchange" insert "up to".

Page 52, line 27, after "project" insert ":

(A) is eligible under federal law; or (B)".

Page 52, line 30, after "(20%)" insert ", or a match consistent with federal law,".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

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HERSHMAN, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 11, Nays 2.

