### **SENATE BILL No. 565**

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 6-2.3-7-1; IC 6-2.5; IC 6-3; IC 6-3.1-4-8; IC 6-6; IC 6-8.1; IC 16-44-2-18.

Synopsis: Department of state revenue. Provides that the department of state revenue (department) may deny an application for a registered retail merchant's certificate in certain circumstances. Specifies the requirements necessary for a taxpayer to discontinue filing a combined income tax return. Requires a partnership, or an estate or trust, to file certain information returns electronically. Amends motor carrier fuel tax provisions retroactively to July 1, 2018, to specify the rates that apply to the imposition of the tax. Specifies that books and records that a taxpayer is required to keep must be maintained contemporaneously and be of the type that are kept in the ordinary course of business. Requires a taxpayer to retain books and records during the period of a judicial proceeding or appeal that extends beyond the three year retention period under current law. Changes the order in which the department is required to apply a taxpayer's partial payment to the taxpayer's tax liability, penalties, and interest. Requires a sheriff that collects a judgment on a tax warrant to notify the department of the name of the taxpayer and the amount of the payment within 24 hours of receipt of the payment. Provides certain circumstances in which a refund claim will not be considered as filed for purposes of determining when interest begins to accrue. Allows the department to waive or toll tax penalties and interest imposed on a taxpayer who is or has been incarcerated for a period of at least 180 days. Provides that, with regard to research expense credits, a taxpayer may not claim the credit if the taxpayer: (1) does not also claim a federal credit under certain provisions in Section 41 of the Internal Revenue Code (credit for increasing research activities); or (2) claims a deduction on the (Continued next page)

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taxpayer's federal return with regard to the expenses for which the taxpayer is claiming a credit on the taxpayer's state return. Provides certain exceptions to this provision. Makes technical corrections and conforming changes.



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#### Introduced

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## **SENATE BILL No. 565**

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

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

SECTION 1. IC 6-2.3-7-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1. (a) A taxpayer who fails to keep records of the taxpayer's gross receipts and any other records that may be necessary to determine the amount of utility receipts tax the taxpayer owes for a period of three (3) years, as required by IC 6-8.1-5-4, commits a Class C infraction.

(b) A taxpayer who fails to permit records described in subsection (a) to be examined at any time by the department in accordance with IC 6-8.1-5-4 commits a Class C infraction.

(c) A taxpayer who knowingly fails to produce or permit the department to examine records described in subsection (a) or (b) commits a Class B misdemeanor.

13 SECTION 2. IC 6-2.5-4-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
14 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 8. An Indiana
15 governmental entity, agency, instrumentality, or political subdivision

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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

(including a state college or university) is a retail merchant making a retail transaction when it performs private or proprietary activities that would constitute retail transactions under this article if those activities were performed by a retail merchant. However, this section does not apply to a political subdivision that when it performs an activity that is related to an annual festival, carnival, fair, or similar event.

SECTION 3. IC 6-2.5-8-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.212-2018(ss),
SECTION 19, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1. (a) A retail merchant may not make a retail
transaction in Indiana, unless the retail merchant has applied for a
registered retail merchant's certificate.

(b) A retail merchant may obtain a registered retail merchant's
certificate by filing an application with the department and paying a
registration fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each place of business
listed on the application. The retail merchant shall also provide such
security for payment of the tax as the department may require under
IC 6-2.5-6-12.

18 (c) The retail merchant shall list on the application the location 19 (including the township) of each place of business where the retail 20 merchant makes retail transactions. However, if the retail merchant 21 does not have a fixed place of business, the retail merchant shall list the 22 retail merchant's residence as the retail merchant's place of business. In 23 addition, a public utility may list only its principal Indiana office as its 24 place of business for sales of public utility commodities or service, but 25 the utility must also list on the application the places of business where it makes retail transactions other than sales of public utility 26 27 commodities or service.

(d) Upon receiving a proper application, the correct fee, and the
security for payment, if required, the department shall issue to the retail
merchant a separate registered retail merchant's certificate for each
place of business listed on the application. Each certificate shall bear
a serial number and the location of the place of business for which it is
issued.

(e) The department may deny an application for a registered retail merchant's certificate if the applicant's business is operated, managed, or otherwise controlled by or affiliated with a person, including a relative, family member, responsible officer, or shareholder, who the department has determined:

(1) failed to:

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- 40(A) file all tax returns or information reports with the41department for listed taxes; or
  - (B) pay all taxes, penalties, and interest to the department



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1 for listed taxes; and 2 (2) the business of the person who has failed to file all tax 3 returns or information reports under subdivision (1)(A) or 4 who has failed to pay all taxes, penalties, and interest under 5 subdivision (1)(B) is substantially similar to the business of the 6 applicant. 7 (e) (f) If a retail merchant intends to make retail transactions during 8 a calendar year at a new Indiana place of business, the retail merchant 9 must file a supplemental application and pay the fee for that place of 10 business. 11 (f) (g) Except as provided in subsection (h), (i), a registered retail 12 merchant's certificate is valid for two (2) years after the date the 13 registered retail merchant's certificate is originally issued or renewed. 14 If the retail merchant has filed all returns and remitted all taxes the 15 retail merchant is currently obligated to file or remit, the department shall renew the registered retail merchant's certificate within thirty (30) 16 17 days after the expiration date, at no cost to the retail merchant. Before issuing or renewing the registered retail merchant certification, the 18 department may require the following to be provided: 19 20 (1) The names and addresses of the retail merchant's principal 21 employees, agents, or representatives who engage in Indiana in 22 the solicitation or negotiation of the retail transaction. 23 (2) The location of all of the retail merchant's places of business 24 in Indiana, including offices and distribution houses. 25 (3) Any other information that the department requests. 26 (g) (h) The department may not renew a registered retail merchant 27 certificate of a retail merchant who is delinquent in remitting 28 withholding taxes required to be remitted under IC 6-3-4 or sales or use 29 tax. The department, at least sixty (60) days before the date on which 30 a retail merchant's registered retail merchant's certificate expires, shall 31 notify a retail merchant who is delinquent in remitting withholding 32 taxes required to be remitted under IC 6-3-4 or sales or use tax that the 33 department will not renew the retail merchant's registered retail 34 merchant's certificate. 35 (h) (i) If:

(1) a retail merchant has been notified by the department that the
retail merchant is delinquent in remitting withholding taxes or
sales or use tax in accordance with subsection (g); (h); and
(2) the retail merchant pays the outstanding liability before the
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(i) (j) A retail merchant engaged in business in Indiana as defined in IC 6-2.5-3-1(c) who makes retail transactions that are only subject to the use tax must obtain a registered retail merchant's certificate before making those transactions. The retail merchant may obtain the certificate by following the same procedure as a retail merchant under subsections (b) and (c), except that the retail merchant must also include on the application:

9 (1) the names and addresses of the retail merchant's principal 10 employees, agents, or representatives who engage in Indiana in 11 the solicitation or negotiation of the retail transactions;

12 (2) the location of all of the retail merchant's places of business in

13 Indiana, including offices and distribution houses; and

14 (3) any other information that the department requests.

15 The department may also require that this information be updated16 before renewal of a registered retail merchant's certificate.

17 (i) (k) The department may permit an out-of-state retail merchant to 18 collect the use tax. However, before the out-of-state retail merchant 19 may collect the tax, the out-of-state retail merchant must obtain a 20 registered retail merchant's certificate in the manner provided by this 21 section. Upon receiving the certificate, the out-of-state retail merchant 22 becomes subject to the same conditions and duties as an Indiana retail 23 merchant and must then collect the use tax due on all sales of tangible 24 personal property that the out-of-state retail merchant knows is 25 intended for use in Indiana.

(k) (l) Except as provided in subsection (l); (m), the department shall submit to the township assessor, or the county assessor if there is no township assessor for the township, before March 15 of each year:
(1) the name of each retail merchant that has newly obtained a registered retail merchant's certificate during the preceding year for a place of business located in the township or county; and
(2) the address of each place of business of the taxpayer in the township or county.

(1) (m) If the duties of the township assessor have been transferred to the county assessor as described in IC 6-1.1-1-24, the department shall submit the information listed in subsection (k) (l) to the county assessor.

38 SECTION 4. IC 6-2.5-8-7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.153-2018,
39 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
40 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 7. (a) The department may, for good cause, revoke
41 a certificate issued under section 1, 3, or 4 of this chapter. However,
42 the department must give the certificate holder at least five (5) days



1 2	notice before it revokes the certificate under this subsection. Good cause for revocation may include the following:
3	(1) Failure to:
4	(A) file a return required under this chapter or for any tax
5	collected for the state in trust; or
6	(B) remit any tax collected for the state in trust.
7	(2) Being charged with a violation of any provision under IC 35.
8	(3) Being subject to a court order under IC 7.1-2-6-7,
9	IC 32-30-6-8, IC 32-30-7, or IC 32-30-8.
10	(4) Being charged with a violation of IC 23-15-12.
11	(5) Operating as a retail merchant where the certificate issued
12	under section 1 of this chapter could have been denied under
13	section 1(e) of this chapter prior to its issuance.
14	The department may revoke a certificate before a criminal adjudication
15	or without a criminal charge being filed. If the department gives notice
16	of an intent to revoke based on an alleged violation of subdivision (2),
17	the department shall hold a public hearing to determine whether good
18	cause exists. If the department finds in a public hearing by a
19	preponderance of the evidence that a person has committed a violation
20	described in subdivision (2), the department shall proceed in
21	accordance with subsection (i) (if the violation resulted in a criminal
22	conviction) or subsection (j) (if the violation resulted in a judgment for
23	an infraction).
24	(b) The department shall revoke a certificate issued under section
25	1, 3, or 4 of this chapter if, for a period of three (3) years, the certificate
26	holder fails to:
27	(1) file the returns required by IC 6-2.5-6-1; or
28	(2) report the collection of any state gross retail or use tax on the
29	returns filed under IC 6-2.5-6-1.
30	However, the department must give the certificate holder at least five
31	(5) days notice before it revokes the certificate.
32	(c) The department may, for good cause, revoke a certificate issued
33	under section 1 of this chapter after at least five (5) days notice to the
34	certificate holder if:
35	(1) the certificate holder is subject to an innkeeper's tax under
36	IC 6-9; and
37	(2) a board, bureau, or commission established under IC 6-9 files
38	a written statement with the department.
39	(d) The statement filed under subsection (c) must state that:
40	(1) information obtained by the board, bureau, or commission
41	under IC 6-8.1-7-1 indicates that the certificate holder has not
42	complied with IC 6-9; and



(2) the board, bureau, or commission has determined that significant harm will result to the county from the certificate holder's failure to comply with IC 6-9.

(e) The department shall revoke or suspend a certificate issued under section 1 of this chapter after at least five (5) days notice to the certificate holder if:

(1) the certificate holder owes taxes, penalties, fines, interest, or
costs due under IC 6-1.1 that remain unpaid at least sixty (60)
days after the due date under IC 6-1.1; and

(2) the treasurer of the county to which the taxes are due requests the department to revoke or suspend the certificate.

12 (f) The department shall reinstate a certificate suspended under 13 subsection (e) if the taxes and any penalties due under IC 6-1.1 are paid 14 or the county treasurer requests the department to reinstate the 15 certificate because an agreement for the payment of taxes and any 16 penalties due under IC 6-1.1 has been reached to the satisfaction of the 17 county treasurer.

(g) The department shall revoke a certificate issued under section
1 of this chapter after at least five (5) days notice to the certificate
holder if the department finds in a public hearing by a preponderance
of the evidence that the certificate holder has violated IC 35-45-5-3,
IC 35-45-5-3.5, or IC 35-45-5-4.

23 (h) If a person makes a payment for the certificate under section 1 24 or 3 of this chapter with a check, credit card, debit card, or electronic 25 funds transfer, and the department is unable to obtain payment of the 26 check, credit card, debit card, or electronic funds transfer for its full 27 face amount when the check, credit card, debit card, or electronic funds 28 transfer is presented for payment through normal banking channels, the 29 department shall notify the person by mail that the check, credit card, 30 debit card, or electronic funds transfer was not honored and that the 31 person has five (5) days after the notice is mailed to pay the fee in cash, 32 by certified check, or other guaranteed payment. If the person fails to 33 make the payment within the five (5) day period, the department shall 34 revoke the certificate. 35

(i) If the department finds in a public hearing by a preponderance of the evidence that a person has a conviction for a violation of IC 35-48-4-10.5 and the conviction involved the sale of or the offer to sell, in the normal course of business, a synthetic drug or a synthetic drug lookalike substance by a retail merchant in a place of business for which the retail merchant has been issued a registered retail merchant certificate under section 1 of this chapter, the department:

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(1) shall suspend the registered retail merchant certificate for the



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1	place of business for one (1) year; and
2	(2) may not issue another retail merchant certificate under section
3	1 of this chapter for one (1) year to any person:
4	(A) that:
5	(i) applied for; or
6	(ii) made a retail transaction under;
7	the retail merchant certificate suspended under subdivision
8	(1); or
9	(B) that:
10	(i) owned or co-owned, directly or indirectly; or
11	(ii) was an officer, a director, a manager, or a partner of;
12	the retail merchant that was issued the retail merchant
13	certificate suspended under subdivision (1).
14	(j) If the department finds in a public hearing by a preponderance of
15	the evidence that a person has a judgment for a violation of
16	IC 35-48-4-10.5 as an infraction and the violation involved the sale of
17	or the offer to sell, in the normal course of business, a synthetic drug
18	or a synthetic drug lookalike substance by a retail merchant in a place
19	of business for which the retail merchant has been issued a registered
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20 21	retail merchant certificate under section 1 of this chapter, the
21	department:
22	(1) may suspend the registered retail merchant certificate for the
	place of business for six (6) months; and
24	(2) may withhold issuance of another retail merchant certificate
25 26	under section 1 of this chapter for six (6) months to any person:
26	(A) that:
27	(i) applied for; or
28	(ii) made a retail transaction under;
29	the retail merchant certificate suspended under subdivision
30	(1); or
31	(B) that:
32	(i) owned or co-owned, directly or indirectly; or
33	(ii) was an officer, a director, a manager, or a partner of;
34	the retail merchant that was issued the retail merchant
35	certificate suspended under subdivision (1).
36	(k) If the department finds in a public hearing by a preponderance
37	of the evidence that a person has a conviction for a violation of
38	IC 35-48-4-10(d)(3) and the conviction involved an offense committed
39	by a retail merchant in a place of business for which the retail merchant
40	has been issued a registered retail merchant certificate under section 1
41	of this chapter, the department:
42	(1) shall suspend the registered retail merchant certificate for the



1	place of business for one (1) year; and
2	(2) may not issue another retail merchant certificate under section
3	1 of this chapter for one (1) year to any person:
4	(A) that:
5	(i) applied for; or
6	(ii) made a retail transaction under;
7	the retail merchant certificate suspended under subdivision
8	(1); or
9	(B) that:
10	(i) owned or co-owned, directly or indirectly; or
11	(ii) was an officer, a director, a manager, or a partner of;
12	the retail merchant that was issued the retail merchant
13	certificate suspended under subdivision (1).
14	SECTION 5. IC 6-3-2-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.214-2018(ss),
15	SECTION 4, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
16	JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 2. (a) With regard to corporations and nonresident
17	persons, "adjusted gross income derived from sources within Indiana",
18	for the purposes of this article, shall mean and include:
19	(1) income from real or tangible personal property located in this
20	state;
20	(2) income from doing business in this state;
22	<ul><li>(2) income from a trade or profession conducted in this state;</li></ul>
23	(4) compensation for labor or services rendered within this state;
24	and
25	(5) income from stocks, bonds, notes, bank deposits, patents,
26	copyrights, secret processes and formulas, good will, trademarks,
20 27	trade brands, franchises, and other intangible personal property to
28	the extent that the income is apportioned to Indiana under this
29	section or if the income is allocated to Indiana or considered to be
30	derived from sources within Indiana under this section.
31	Income from a pass through entity shall be characterized in a manner
32	consistent with the income's characterization for federal income tax
33	purposes and shall be considered Indiana source income as if the
34	person, corporation, or pass through entity that received the income had
35	directly engaged in the income producing activity. Income that is
36	derived from one (1) pass through entity and is considered to pass
37	through to another pass through entity does not change these
38	characteristics or attribution provisions. In the case of nonbusiness
<u>39</u>	income described in subsection (g), only so much of such income as is
40	allocated to this state under the provisions of subsections (h) through
40 41	(k) shall be deemed to be derived from sources within Indiana. In the
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1 apportioned to this state under the provision of subsection (b) shall be 2 deemed to be derived from sources within the state of Indiana. In the 3 case of compensation of a team member (as defined in section 2.7 of 4 this chapter), only the portion of income determined to be Indiana 5 income under section 2.7 of this chapter is considered derived from 6 sources within Indiana. In the case of a corporation that is a life 7 insurance company (as defined in Section 816(a) of the Internal 8 Revenue Code) or an insurance company that is subject to tax under 9 Section 831 of the Internal Revenue Code, only so much of the income as is apportioned to Indiana under subsection (r) (s) is considered 10 11 derived from sources within Indiana. 12 (b) Except as provided in subsection (l), if business income of a 13 corporation or a nonresident person is derived from sources within the 14 state of Indiana and from sources without the state of Indiana, the 15 business income derived from sources within this state shall be 16 determined by multiplying the business income derived from sources 17 both within and without the state of Indiana by the following: 18 (1) For all taxable years that begin after December 31, 2006, and 19 before January 1, 2008, a fraction. The: 20 (A) numerator of the fraction is the sum of the property factor 21 plus the payroll factor plus the product of the sales factor 22 multiplied by three (3); and 23 (B) denominator of the fraction is five (5). 24 (2) For all taxable years that begin after December 31, 2007, and 25 before January 1, 2009, a fraction. The: (A) numerator of the fraction is the property factor plus the 26 27 payroll factor plus the product of the sales factor multiplied by 28 four and sixty-seven hundredths (4.67); and 29 (B) denominator of the fraction is six and sixty-seven 30 hundredths (6.67). 31 (3) For all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2008, and 32 before January 1, 2010, a fraction. The: 33 (A) numerator of the fraction is the property factor plus the 34 payroll factor plus the product of the sales factor multiplied by 35 eight (8); and 36 (B) denominator of the fraction is ten (10). 37 (4) For all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2009, and 38 before January 1, 2011, a fraction. The: 39 (A) numerator of the fraction is the property factor plus the 40payroll factor plus the product of the sales factor multiplied by 41 eighteen (18); and 42 (B) denominator of the fraction is twenty (20).



1	(5) For all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2010, the
2	sales factor.
3	(c) The property factor is a fraction, the numerator of which is the
4	average value of the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property
5	owned or rented and used in this state during the taxable year and the
6	denominator of which is the average value of all the taxpayer's real and
7	tangible personal property owned or rented and used during the taxable
8	year. However, with respect to a foreign corporation, the denominator
9	does not include the average value of real or tangible personal property
10	owned or rented and used in a place that is outside the United States.
11	Property owned by the taxpayer is valued at its original cost. Property
12	rented by the taxpayer is valued at eight (8) times the net annual rental
13	rate. Net annual rental rate is the annual rental rate paid by the taxpayer
14	less any annual rental rate received by the taxpayer from subrentals.
15	The average of property shall be determined by averaging the values at
16	the beginning and ending of the taxable year, but the department may
17	require the averaging of monthly values during the taxable year if
18	reasonably required to reflect properly the average value of the
19	taxpayer's property.
20	(d) The payroll factor is a fraction, the numerator of which is the
21	total amount paid in this state during the taxable year by the taxpayer
22	for compensation, and the denominator of which is the total
23	compensation paid everywhere during the taxable year. However, with
24	respect to a foreign corporation, the denominator does not include
25	compensation paid in a place that is outside the United States.
26	Compensation is paid in this state if:
27	(1) the individual's service is performed entirely within the state;
28	(2) the individual's service is performed both within and without
29	this state, but the service performed without this state is incidental
30	to the individual's service within this state; or
31	(3) some of the service is performed in this state and:
32	(A) the base of operations or, if there is no base of operations,
33	the place from which the service is directed or controlled is in
34	this state; or
35	(B) the base of operations or the place from which the service
36	is directed or controlled is not in any state in which some part
37	of the service is performed, but the individual is a resident of
38	this state.
39	(e) The sales factor is a fraction, the numerator of which is the total
40	sales of the taxpayer in this state during the taxable year, and the
41	denominator of which is the total sales of the taxpayer everywhere
42	during the taxable year. Sales include receipts from intangible property



1 and receipts from the sale or exchange of intangible property. However, 2 with respect to a foreign corporation, the denominator does not include 3 sales made in a place that is outside the United States. Receipts from 4 intangible personal property are derived from sources within Indiana 5 if the receipts from the intangible personal property are attributable to 6 Indiana under section 2.2 of this chapter. Regardless of the f.o.b. point 7 or other conditions of the sale, sales of tangible personal property are 8 in this state if: 9 (1) the property is delivered or shipped to a purchaser that is 10 within Indiana, other than the United States government; or (2) the property is shipped from an office, a store, a warehouse, a 11 factory, or other place of storage in this state and the purchaser is 12 the United States government. 13 14 Gross receipts derived from commercial printing as described in 15 IC 6-2.5-1-10 and from the sale of computer software shall be treated as sales of tangible personal property for purposes of this chapter. 16 17 (f) Sales, other than receipts from intangible property covered by 18 subsection (e) and sales of tangible personal property, are in this state 19 if: 20 (1) the income-producing activity is performed in this state; or (2) the income-producing activity is performed both within and 21 22 without this state and a greater proportion of the 23 income-producing activity is performed in this state than in any 24 other state, based on costs of performance. 25 (g) Rents and royalties from real or tangible personal property, capital gains, interest, dividends, or patent or copyright royalties, to the 26 27 extent that they constitute nonbusiness income, shall be allocated as 28 provided in subsections (h) through (k). 29 (h)(1) Net rents and royalties from real property located in this state 30 are allocable to this state. 31 (2) Net rents and royalties from tangible personal property are 32 allocated to this state: 33 (i) if and to the extent that the property is utilized in this state; or 34 (ii) in their entirety if the taxpayer's commercial domicile is in this 35 state and the taxpayer is not organized under the laws of or taxable in the state in which the property is utilized. 36 37 (3) The extent of utilization of tangible personal property in a state 38 is determined by multiplying the rents and royalties by a fraction, the 39 numerator of which is the number of days of physical location of the 40 property in the state during the rental or royalty period in the taxable 41 year, and the denominator of which is the number of days of physical 42 location of the property everywhere during all rental or royalty periods



1 in the taxable year. If the physical location of the property during the 2 rental or royalty period is unknown or unascertainable by the taxpayer, 3 tangible personal property is utilized in the state in which the property 4 was located at the time the rental or royalty payer obtained possession. 5 (i)(1) Capital gains and losses from sales of real property located in 6 this state are allocable to this state. 7 (2) Capital gains and losses from sales of tangible personal property 8 are allocable to this state if: 9 (i) the property had a situs in this state at the time of the sale; or 10 (ii) the taxpayer's commercial domicile is in this state and the taxpayer is not taxable in the state in which the property had a 11 12 situs. 13 (3) Capital gains and losses from sales of intangible personal 14 property are allocable to this state if the taxpayer's commercial 15 domicile is in this state. 16 (j) Interest and dividends are allocable to this state if the taxpayer's 17 commercial domicile is in this state. 18 (k)(1) Patent and copyright royalties are allocable to this state: 19 (i) if and to the extent that the patent or copyright is utilized by 20 the taxpayer in this state; or 21 (ii) if and to the extent that the patent or copyright is utilized by 22 the taxpayer in a state in which the taxpayer is not taxable and the 23 taxpayer's commercial domicile is in this state. 24 (2) A patent is utilized in a state to the extent that it is employed 25 in production, fabrication, manufacturing, or other processing in the state or to the extent that a patented product is produced in the 26 27 state. If the basis of receipts from patent royalties does not permit 28 allocation to states or if the accounting procedures do not reflect 29 states of utilization, the patent is utilized in the state in which the 30 taxpayer's commercial domicile is located. 31 (3) A copyright is utilized in a state to the extent that printing or 32 other publication originates in the state. If the basis of receipts 33 from copyright royalties does not permit allocation to states or if the accounting procedures do not reflect states of utilization, the 34 35 copyright is utilized in the state in which the taxpaver's 36 commercial domicile is located. 37 (1) If the allocation and apportionment provisions of this article do 38 not fairly represent the taxpayer's income derived from sources within 39 the state of Indiana, the taxpayer may petition for or the department 40 may require, in respect to all or any part of the taxpayer's business 41 activity, if reasonable: 42 (1) separate accounting;

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1	(2) for a taxable year beginning before January 1, 2011, the
2	exclusion of any one (1) or more of the factors, except the sales
3	factor;
4	(3) the inclusion of one (1) or more additional factors which will
5	fairly represent the taxpayer's income derived from sources within
6	the state of Indiana; or
7	(4) the employment of any other method to effectuate an equitable
8	allocation and apportionment of the taxpayer's income.
9	Notwithstanding IC 6-8.1-5-1(c), a taxpayer petitioning for, or the
10	department requiring, the use of an alternative method to effectuate an
11	equitable allocation and apportionment of the taxpayer's income under
12	this subsection bears the burden of proof that the allocation and
13	apportionment provisions of this article do not fairly represent the
14	taxpayer's income derived from sources within this state and that the
15	alternative method to the allocation and apportionment provisions of
16	this article is reasonable.
17	(m) In the case of two (2) or more organizations, trades, or
18	businesses owned or controlled directly or indirectly by the same
19	interests, the department shall distribute, apportion, or allocate the
20	income derived from sources within the state of Indiana between and
21	among those organizations, trades, or businesses in order to fairly
22	reflect and report the income derived from sources within the state of
23	Indiana by various taxpayers.
24	(n) For purposes of allocation and apportionment of income under
25	this article, a taxpayer is taxable in another state if:
26	(1) in that state the taxpayer is subject to a net income tax, a
27	franchise tax measured by net income, a franchise tax for the
28	privilege of doing business, or a corporate stock tax; or
29	(2) that state has jurisdiction to subject the taxpayer to a net
30	income tax regardless of whether, in fact, the state does or does
31	not.
32	(o) Notwithstanding subsections (l) and (m), the department may
33	not, under any circumstances, require that income, deductions, and
34	credits attributable to a taxpayer and another entity be reported in a
35	combined income tax return for any taxable year, if the other entity is:
36	(1) a foreign corporation; or
37	(2) a corporation that is classified as a foreign operating
38	corporation for the taxable year by section 2.4 of this chapter.
39	(p) Notwithstanding subsections (l) and (m), the department may not
40	require that income, deductions, and credits attributable to a taxpayer
41	and another entity not described in subsection $(0)(1)$ or $(0)(2)$ be
42	reported in a combined income tax return for any taxable year, unless
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the department is unable to fairly reflect the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for the taxable year through use of other powers granted to the department by subsections (1) and (m).

4 (q) Notwithstanding subsections (o) and (p), one (1) or more 5 taxpayers may petition the department under subsection (1) for 6 permission to file a combined income tax return for a taxable year. The 7 petition to file a combined income tax return must be completed and 8 filed with the department not more than thirty (30) days after the end 9 of the taxpayer's taxable year. A taxpayer filing a combined income tax 10 return must petition the department within thirty (30) days after the end of the taxpayer's taxable year to discontinue filing a combined income 12 tax return.

13 (r) A taxpayer filing a combined income tax return for any 14 reason must petition the department within thirty (30) days after 15 the end of the taxpayer's taxable year to discontinue filing a 16 combined income tax return.

17 (r) (s) This subsection applies to a corporation that is a life 18 insurance company (as defined in Section 816(a) of the Internal 19 Revenue Code) or an insurance company that is subject to tax under 20 Section 831 of the Internal Revenue Code. The corporation's adjusted 21 gross income that is derived from sources within Indiana is determined 22 by multiplying the corporation's adjusted gross income by a fraction: 23

(1) the numerator of which is the direct premiums and annuity considerations received during the taxable year for insurance upon property or risks in the state; and

(2) the denominator of which is the direct premiums and annuity 26 27 considerations received during the taxable year for insurance 28 upon property or risks everywhere. 29

The term "direct premiums and annuity considerations" means the gross premiums received from direct business as reported in the corporation's annual statement filed with the department of insurance.

(s) (t) This subsection applies to receipts derived from motorsports racing.

(1) Any purse, prize money, or other amounts earned for placement or participation in a race or portion thereof, including qualification, shall be attributed to Indiana if the race is conducted in Indiana.

38 (2) Any amounts received from an individual or entity as a result 39 of sponsorship or similar promotional consideration for one (1) or 40 more races shall be in this state in the amount received, multiplied 41 by the following fraction:

(A) The numerator of the fraction is the number of racing



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1 2	events for which sponsorship or similar promotional
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3 4	(B) The denominator of the fraction is the total number of
5	racing events for which sponsorship or similar promotional
6	consideration has been paid in a taxable year.
7	(3) Any amounts earned as an incentive for placement or
8	participation in one (1) or more races and that are not covered
9	under subdivision (1) or (2) or under IC 6-3-2-3.2 shall be
10	attributed to Indiana in the proportion of the races that occurred
11	in Indiana.
12	This subsection, as enacted in 2013, is intended to be a clarification of
13	the law and not a substantive change in the law.
14	(t) (u) For purposes of this section and section 2.2 of this chapter,
15	the following apply:
16	(1) For taxable years beginning after December 25, 2016, if a
17	taxpayer is required to include amounts in the taxpayer's federal
18	adjusted gross income, federal taxable income, or IRC 965
19	Transition Tax Statement, line 1 as a result of Section 965 of the
20	Internal Revenue Code, the following apply:
21	(A) For an entity that is not eligible to claim a deduction under
22	IC 6-3-2-12, these amounts shall not be receipts in any taxable
23	year for the entity.
24	(B) For an entity that is eligible to claim a deduction under
25	IC 6-3-2-12, these amounts shall be receipts in the year in
26	which the amounts are reported by the entity as adjusted gross
27	income under this article, but only to the extent of:
28	(i) any amounts includible after application of
29	IC 6-3-1-3.5(b)(13), IC 6-3-1-3.5(d)(12), and
30	IC 6-3-1-3.5(e)(12); minus
31	(ii) the deduction taken under IC 6-3-2-12 with regard to
32	that income.
33	This subdivision applies regardless of the taxable year in which
34	the money or property was actually received.
35	(2) If a taxpayer is required to include amounts in the taxpayer's
36	federal adjusted gross income or federal taxable income as a
37	result of Section 951A of the Internal Revenue Code the
38	following apply:
39 40	(A) For an entity that is not eligible to claim a deduction under $IC = 2 + 12$ the receives that generated the income shall not be
40 41	IC 6-3-2-12, the receipts that generated the income shall not be included as a receipt in any tayable year
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42	(B) For an entity that is eligible to claim a deduction under



1	IC 6-3-2-12, the amounts included in federal gross income as
2	a result of Section 951A of the Internal Revenue Code,
3	reduced by the deduction allowable under IC 6-3-2-12 with
4	regard to that income, shall be considered a receipt in the year
5	in which the amounts are includible in federal taxable income.
6	(3) Receipts do not include receipts derived from sources outside
7	the United States to the extent the taxpayer is allowed a deduction
8	or exclusion in determining both the taxpayer's federal taxable
9	income as a result of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017
10	and the taxpayer's adjusted gross income under this chapter. If any
11	portion of the federal taxable income derived from these receipts
12	is deductible under IC 6-3-2-12, receipts shall be reduced by the
13	proportion of the deduction allowable under IC 6-3-2-12 with
14	regard to that federal taxable income.
15	Receipts includible in a taxable year under subdivisions (1) and (2)
16	shall be considered dividends from investments for apportionment
17	purposes.
18	SECTION 6. IC 6-3-4-16.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.137-2012,
19	SECTION 59, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
20	JANUARY 1, 2020]: Sec. 16.5. (a) This section applies to:
21	(1) Form W-2 federal income tax withholding statements;
22	(2) Form W-2G certain gambling winnings;
23	(3) Form 1099-R distributions from pensions, annuities,
24	retirement or profit sharing plans, IRAs, insurance contracts, or
25	like distributions; and
26	(4) Form WH-3 annual withholding tax reports; and
27	(5) Form WH-18 miscellaneous withholding tax statements for
28	nonresidents;
29	filed with the department after December 31, 2012.
30	(b) If an employer or any person or entity acting on behalf of an
31	employer files more than twenty-five (25):
32	(1) Form W-2 federal income tax withholding statements;
33	(2) Form W-2G certain gambling winnings; or
34	(3) Form 1099-R distributions from pensions, annuities,
35	retirement or profit sharing plans, IRAs, insurance contracts, or
36	like distributions; <del>or</del>
37	(4) Form WH-18 miscellaneous withholding tax statements for
38	nonresidents;
39	with the department in a calendar year, all forms and Form WH-3
40	annual withholding tax reports filed with the department in that
41	calendar year by the employer or the person or entity acting on behalf
42	of the employer must be filed in an electronic format specified by the
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2 SECTION 7. IC 6-3-4-16.7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE 3 AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 4 1, 2019]: Sec. 16.7. (a) For taxable years ending after December 31, 5 2019, a partnership that is required to provide twenty-five (25) or 6 more reports to partners under section 12(b) of this chapter or a 7 corporation that is required to provide twenty-five (25) or more 8 reports to shareholders under section 13(b) of this chapter must 9 file all such reports in an electronic format specified by the 10 department. 11 (b) For taxable years ending after December 31, 2021, an estate 12 or trust required to provide ten (10) or more reports to 13 beneficiaries under section 15(b) of this chapter must file all such 14 reports in an electronic format specified by the department. 15 SECTION 8. IC 6-3.1-4-8 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE 16 AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 17 JANUARY 1, 2019 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 8. (a) A taxpayer may 18 not claim a credit under this chapter if the taxpayer: 19 (1) does not claim a credit under Section 41 of the Internal 20 Revenue Code for federal income tax purposes other than a 21 credit based solely on Sections 41(a)(2) and 41(a)(3) of the 22 Internal Revenue Code; or

(2) claims a deduction in determining adjusted gross income
or taxable income under the Internal Revenue Code with
regard to the expenses for which the taxpayer is claiming a
credit under this chapter.

27 (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), a taxpayer may claim a 28 credit under this chapter if the taxpayer establishes that it was 29 unable to claim the credit under Section 41 of the Internal Revenue 30 Code in determining the taxpayer's federal income tax because 31 none of the amounts computed under Sections 41(a)(1), 41(c)(4), 32 and 41(c)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code exceeded zero (0) for 33 federal tax purposes. Upon the request of the department, a 34 taxpayer claiming a credit under this chapter without claiming a 35 federal credit other than a credit based solely on Sections 41(a)(2) 36 and 41(a)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code must provide:

37 (1) information relating to the amounts and types of qualified
38 research expenses allowable in computing the credit under
39 Section 41 of the Internal Revenue Code for all taxable years,
40 including the current taxable year;

41 (2) information relating to gross receipts sufficient to compute
42 the base amount and the credit under Section 41 of the



1	Internal Revenue Code for all taxable years specified in
2	subdivision (1); and
$\frac{2}{3}$	(3) information to establish to which jurisdictions any
4	qualified research expenses and gross receipts allowable for
5	the credit under Section 41 of the Internal Revenue Code for
6	all taxable years specified in subdivision (1) would have been
7	attributable.
8	(c) For purposes of subsection (b), a taxpayer must report to the
9	department:
10	(1) any amounts that could have been claimed as qualified
11	expenses for each taxable year in subsection (b);
12	(2) any amounts for qualified research expenses that could
13	have been claimed as a deduction for a taxable year; and
14	(3) any gross receipts allowable for the federal credit for a
15	taxable year;
16	regardless of whether a federal credit or federal deduction based
17	on the qualified research expenses was actually claimed.
18	SECTION 9. IC 6-6-1.1-606.5, AS AMENDED BY
19	P.L.182-2009(ss), SECTION 234, IS AMENDED TO READ AS
20	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 606.5. (a) Every person
21	included within the terms of section 606(a) and 606(c) of this chapter
22	shall register with the administrator before engaging in those activities.
23	The administrator shall issue a transportation license to a person who
24	registers with the administrator under this section.
25	(b) Every person included within the terms of section 606(a) of this
26	chapter who transports gasoline in a vehicle on the highways in Indiana
27	for purposes other than use and consumption by that person may not
28	make a delivery of that gasoline to any person in Indiana other than a
29	licensed distributor except:
30	(1) when the tax imposed by this chapter on the receipt of the
31	transported gasoline was charged and collected by the parties; and
32	(2) under the circumstances described in section 205 of this
33	chapter.
34	(c) Every person included within the terms of section 606(c) of this
35	chapter who transports gasoline in a vehicle upon the highways of
36	Indiana for purposes other than use and consumption by that person
37	may not, on the journey carrying that gasoline to points outside Indiana,
38	make delivery of that fuel to any person in Indiana.
39	(d) Every transporter of gasoline included within the terms of
40	section 606(a) and 606(c) of this chapter who transports gasoline upon
41	the highways of Indiana for purposes other than use and consumption
42	by that person shall at the time of registration and on an annual basis



list with the administrator a description of all vehicles, including the vehicles' license numbers, to be used on the highways of Indiana in transporting gasoline from:

(1) points outside Indiana to points inside Indiana; and

(2) points inside Indiana to points outside Indiana.

6 (e) The description that subsection (d) requires shall contain the 7 information that is reasonably required by the administrator including 8 the carrying capacity of the vehicle. When the vehicle is a 9 tractor-trailer type, the trailer is the vehicle to be described. When 10 additional vehicles are placed in service or when a vehicle previously listed is retired from service during the year, the administrator shall be 11 12 notified within ten (10) days of the change so that the listing of the 13 vehicles may be kept accurate.

(f) A distributor's or an Indiana transportation license is required for
a person or the person's agent acting in the person's behalf to operate
a vehicle for the purpose of delivering gasoline within the boundaries
of Indiana when the vehicle has a total tank capacity of at least eight
hundred fifty (850) gallons.

(g) The operator of a vehicle to which this section applies shall at all
times when engaged in the transporting of gasoline on the highways
have with the vehicle an invoice or manifest showing the origin,
quantity, nature, and destination of the gasoline that is being
transported.

(h) The department shall provide for relief if a shipment of gasoline
is legitimately diverted from the represented destination state after the
shipping paper has been issued by a terminal operator or if a terminal
operator failed to cause proper information to be printed on the
shipping paper. Provisions for relief under this subsection:

(1) must require that the shipper or its agent provide notification
to the department before a diversion or correction if an intended
diversion or correction is to occur; obtain a diversion number
within twenty-four (24) hours of the diversion and report the
number on the shipper's or agent's monthly return to the
department; and
(2) must be consistent with the refund provisions of this chapter.

(2) must be consistent with the refund provisions of this chapter.
 SECTION 10. IC 6-6-1.1-902 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 902. (a) A local transit system is entitled to a refund of tax paid on gasoline used:

39 (1) for transporting persons for compensation by means of a40 motor vehicle or trackless trolley; or

41 (2) in a maintenance or an administrative vehicle that is used by42 the local transit system to support the transit service.



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1	(b) The claim for refund must contain the following:
2	(1) A quarterly operating statement.
3	(2) A current balance sheet.
4	(3) A schedule of all salaries in excess of ten thousand dollars
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6	(c) (b) If a refund is not issued within ninety (90) days of filing of
7	the verified statement and all supplemental information required by
8	IC 6-6-1.1-904.1, the department shall pay interest at the rate
9	established by IC 6-8.1-9 computed from the date of filing of the refund
10	application until a date determined by the administrator that does not
11	precede by more than thirty (30) days the date on which the refund is
12	made.
12	SECTION 11. IC 6-6-1.1-902.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
14	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 902.5. (a) A rural
15	transit system is entitled to a refund of tax paid on gasoline used for
16	transporting persons for compensation by means of a motor vehicle or
17	trackless trolley. However, the transporting must be done:
18	(1) within a service area that is not larger than the rural transit
19	system service area and the counties contiguous to that rural
20	transit system service area; and
20	(2) under a written contract between the rural transit system and
22	the county providers within the service area that meets the
22	requirements prescribed by the department.
23	(b) The claim for refund must contain the following:
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26	(1) A current balance sheet.
20	(2) A schedule of all salaries that exceed ten thousand dollars
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29	(c) (b) If a refund is not issued within ninety (90) days of filing of
30	the verified statement and all supplemental information required by
31	section 904.1 of this chapter, the department shall pay interest at the
32	rate established by IC 6-8.1-10-1(c) computed from the date of filing
33	of the refund application until a date determined by the administrator
34	that does not precede by more than thirty (30) days the date on which
35	the refund is made.
36	SECTION 12. IC 6-6-2.5-40, AS AMENDED BY P.L.158-2013,
37	SECTION 96, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
38	JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 40. (a) Each person operating a refinery, terminal,
39	or bulk plant in Indiana shall prepare and provide to the driver of every
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	vehicle receiving special fuel at the facility a shipping document setting
41	vehicle receiving special fuel at the facility a shipping document setting out on its face the destination state as represented to the terminal

of a bulk plant in Indiana delivering special fuel into a vehicle with a capacity of not more than five thousand four hundred (5,400) gallons for subsequent delivery to an end consumer in Indiana is exempt from this requirement.

5 (b) Every person transporting special fuel in vehicles upon the 6 Indiana public highways shall carry on board a shipping paper issued 7 by the terminal operator or the bulk plant operator of the facility where 8 the special fuel was obtained, which shipping paper shall set out on its 9 face the state of destination of the special fuel transported in the 10 vehicle, except that operators of vehicles with a capacity of not more 11 than five thousand four hundred (5,400) gallons that have received 12 special fuel at a bulk plant in Indiana for delivery to an end consumer 13 in Indiana are exempt from this provision with respect to the special fuel. A person who violates this subsection commits a Class A 14 15 infraction (as defined in IC 34-28-5-4).

16 (c) Every person transporting special fuel in vehicles upon the 17 public highways of Indiana shall provide the original or a copy of the 18 terminal issued shipping document accompanying the shipment to the 19 operator of the retail outlet or bulk plant to which delivery of the 20 shipment was made. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly 21 aids and abets another person in violating this subsection commits a 22 Level 6 felony.

23 (d) Each operator of a special fuel retail outlet or bulk plant shall 24 receive, examine, and retain for a period of thirty (30) days at the 25 delivery location the terminal issued shipping document received from the transporter for every shipment of special fuel that is delivered to 26 27 that location, with record retention of the shipping paper of three (3)28 years required offsite. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly 29 aids and abets another person in violating this subsection commits a 30 Level 6 felony.

(e) No bulk end user, retail dealer, bulk plant operator, or wholesale distributor shall knowingly accept delivery of special fuel into storage facilities in Indiana if that delivery is not accompanied by a shipping paper issued by the terminal operator or bulk plant operator that sets out on its face Indiana as the state of destination of the special fuel. A person who knowingly violates or knowingly aids and abets another person in violating this subsection commits a Level 6 felony.

(f) The department shall provide for relief in a case where a shipment of special fuel is legitimately diverted from the represented destination state after the shipping paper has been issued by the terminal operator or where the terminal operator failed to cause proper information to be printed on the shipping paper. These relief provisions



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shall include a provision requiring that the shipper or its agent provide notification before the diversion or correction to the department if an intended diversion or correction is to occur, obtain a diversion number within twenty-four (24) hours of the diversion and report the number on the shipper's or agent's monthly return to the department, and the relief provision shall be consistent with the refund provisions of this chapter.

8 (g) The supplier and the terminal operator shall be entitled to rely 9 for all purposes of this chapter on the representation by the shipper or 10 the shipper's agent as to the shipper's intended state of destination or 11 tax exempt use. The shipper, the importer, the transporter, the shipper's 12 agent, and any purchaser, not the supplier or terminal operator, shall be 13 jointly liable for any tax otherwise due to the state as a result of a 14 diversion of the special fuel from the represented destination state. 15 SECTION 13. IC 6-6-4.1-1. AS AMENDED BY P.L.185-2018.

SECTION 13. IC 6-6-4.1-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.185-2018, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 1. As used in this chapter:

(a) "Carrier" means a person who operates or causes to be operated a commercial motor vehicle on any highway in Indiana.

(b) "Commercial motor vehicle" means a vehicle which is listed in section 2(a) of this chapter and which is not excluded from the application of this chapter under section 2(b) of this chapter.

(c) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of the Indiana department of state revenue.

(d) "Declared gross weight" means the weight at which a motor vehicle is registered with:

(1) the bureau of motor vehicles; or

(2) a state other than Indiana.

(e) "Department" means the Indiana department of state revenue.

30 (f) "Diesel gallon equivalent" means the amount of an alternative
31 fuel or natural gas product that produces the same number of British
32 thermal units of energy as a gallon of diesel fuel.

(g) "Gasoline gallon equivalent" means the amount of an alternative
fuel or natural gas product that produces the same number of British
thermal units of energy as a gallon of gasoline.

(h) "Highway" means the entire width between the boundary lines
of every publicly maintained way that is open in any part to the use of
the public for purposes of vehicular travel.

39 (i) "Motor fuel" means gasoline (as defined in IC 6-6-1.1), special
40 fuel (as defined in IC 6-6-2.5), and alternative fuel (as defined in
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(j) "Quarter" means calendar quarter.

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1 (k) "Motor vehicle" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-1.1-103. 2 (1) "Recreational vehicle" means motor homes, pickup trucks with 3 attached campers, and buses when used exclusively for personal 4 pleasure. A vehicle is not a recreational vehicle if the vehicle is used 5 in connection with a business. 6 (m) "Alternative fuel" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-2.5-1. 7 (n) "Special fuel" has the meaning set forth in IC 6-6-2.5-22. 8 (o) "Natural gas product" has the meaning set forth in 9 IC 6-6-2.5-16.5. 10 SECTION 14. IC 6-6-4.1-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.185-2018, 11 SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 12 JULY 1, 2018 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 4. (a) A tax is imposed on the 13 consumption of motor fuel by a carrier in its operations on highways in 14 Indiana. The rate of this tax is determined as follows: 15 (1) When imposed upon the consumption of gasoline or special 16 fuel (other than a special fuel that is an alternative fuel), fuel or a natural gas product), the tax rate is the same rate per gallon as 17 18 the rate per gallon at which special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5. 19 (2) When imposed upon the consumption of gasoline, the tax 20 rate is the same rate per gallon as the rate per gallon at which 21 gasoline is taxed under IC 6-6-1.1. 22 (2) (3) When imposed upon the consumption of a special fuel that 23 is natural gas product or an alternative fuel, the tax rate is either 24 of the following: 25 (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 26 27 case of liquid natural gas. 28 (B) The same rate per gasoline gallon equivalent at which 29 special fuel is taxed under IC 6-6-2.5, in the case of 30 compressed natural gas or an alternative fuel commonly or 31 commercially known or sold as butane or propane. 32 The tax shall be paid quarterly by the carrier to the department on or 33 before the last day of the month immediately following the quarter. 34 (b) The amount of motor fuel consumed by a carrier in its operations 35 on highways in Indiana is the total amount of motor fuel consumed in 36 its entire operations within and without Indiana, multiplied by a 37 fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the total number of miles 38 traveled on highways in Indiana, and the denominator of the fraction is 39 the total number of miles traveled within and without Indiana. 40 (c) The amount of tax that a carrier shall pay for a particular quarter 41 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



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carrier in its operation on highways in Indiana and upon which the
 carrier has not paid tax imposed under IC 6-6-1.1, IC 6-6-2.5, or
 section 4.5 of this chapter (before its repeal).

4 (d) Subject to section 4.8 of this chapter, a carrier is entitled to a 5 proportional use credit against the tax imposed under this section for 6 that portion of motor fuel used to propel equipment mounted on a 7 motor vehicle having a common reservoir for locomotion on the 8 highway and the operation of the equipment, as determined by rule of 9 the commissioner. An application for a proportional use credit under 10 this subsection shall be filed on a quarterly basis on a form prescribed by the department. 11

SECTION 15. IC 6-6-6.5-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 14. (a) A person
required to register his the person's aircraft and to pay the tax imposed
under this chapter, shall do so on or before the regular annual
registration date.

(b) The payment of the tax imposed by this chapter shall be a
condition to the right to register the taxable aircraft and shall be in
addition to all other conditions prescribed by law.

(c) When a taxpayer makes a partial payment on the taxpayer's tax
liability, the department shall apply the partial payment in the
following order:

(1) To any registration or transfer fee owed by the taxpayer.

24 (2) To any late penalty and interest on the late registration or
 25 excise tax owed by the taxpayer.

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- 27 (4) (3) To any late penalty first and then toward interest on gross
   28 retail or use the excise tax owed by the taxpayer.
- (5) (4) To any gross retail or use tax owed by the taxpayer.

30 (5) To any late penalty first and then toward interest on gross
31 retail or use tax owed by the taxpayer.

If the taxpayer has liabilities for taxes in addition to what is due
under this section, the payment must be applied as prescribed by
this section and then pursuant to IC 6-8.1-8-1.5 or the department's
rules.

SECTION 16. IC 6-8.1-3-16, AS AMENDED BY P.L.197-2016,
SECTION 75, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 16. (a) The department shall prepare a list of all
outstanding tax warrants for listed taxes each month. The list shall
identify each taxpayer liable for a warrant by name, address, amount of
tax, and either Social Security number or employer identification
number. Unless the department renews the warrant, the department



1 shall exclude from the list a warrant issued more than ten (10) years 2 before the date of the list. The department shall certify a copy of the list 3 to the bureau of motor vehicles. 4 (b) The department shall prescribe and furnish tax release forms for 5 use by tax collecting officials. A tax collecting official who collects 6 taxes in satisfaction of an outstanding warrant shall issue to the 7 taxpayers named on the warrant a tax release stating that the tax has 8 been paid. The department may also issue a tax release: 9 (1) to a taxpayer who has made arrangements satisfactory to the 10 department for the payment of the tax; or (2) by action of the commissioner under IC 6-8.1-8-2(k). 11 12 (c) The department may not issue or renew: 13 (1) a certificate under IC 6-2.5-8; 14 (2) a license under IC 6-6-1.1 or IC 6-6-2.5; or 15 (3) a permit under IC 6-6-4.1; 16 to a taxpayer whose name appears on the most recent monthly warrant list, unless that taxpayer pays the tax, makes arrangements satisfactory 17 18 to the department for the payment of the tax, or a release is issued 19 under IC 6-8.1-8-2(k). 20 (d) The bureau of motor vehicles shall, before issuing the title to a 21 motor vehicle under IC 9-17, determine whether the purchaser's or 22 assignee's name is on the most recent monthly warrant list. If the 23 purchaser's or assignee's name is on the list, the bureau shall enter as 24 a lien on the title the name of the state as the lienholder unless the 25 bureau has received notice from the commissioner under 26 IC 6-8.1-8-2(k). The tax lien on the title: 27 (1) is subordinate to a perfected security interest (as defined and 28 perfected in accordance with IC 26-1-9.1); and 29 (2) shall otherwise be treated in the same manner as other title 30 liens. 31 (e) The commissioner is the custodian of all titles for which the state 32 is the sole lienholder under this section. Upon receipt of the title by the 33 department, the commissioner shall notify the owner of the 34 department's receipt of the title. 35 (f) The department shall reimburse the bureau of motor vehicles for 36 all costs incurred in carrying out this section. 37 (g) Notwithstanding IC 6-8.1-8, a person who is authorized to 38 collect taxes, interest, or penalties on behalf of the department under 39 IC 6-3 or IC 6-3.6 may not, except as provided in subsection (h) or (i), 40 receive a fee for collecting the taxes, interest, or penalties if: 41 (1) the taxpayer pays the taxes, interest, or penalties as 42 consideration for the release of a lien placed under subsection (d)

1	on a motor vehicle title; or
2	(2) the taxpayer has been denied a certificate or license under
3	subsection (c) within sixty (60) days before the date the taxes,
4	interest, or penalties are collected.
5	(h) In the case of a sheriff, subsection (g) does not apply if:
6	(1) the sheriff collects the taxes, interest, or penalties within sixty
7	(60) days after the date the sheriff receives the tax warrant; or
8	(2) the sheriff collects the taxes, interest, or penalties through the
9	sale or redemption, in a court proceeding, of a motor vehicle that
10	has a lien placed on its title under subsection (d).
11	(i) In the case of a person other than a sheriff:
12	(1) subsection (g)(2) does not apply if the person collects the
13	taxes, interests, or penalties within sixty (60) days after the date
14	the commissioner employs the person to make the collection; and
15	(2) subsection $(g)(1)$ does not apply if the person collects the
16	taxes, interest, or penalties through the sale or redemption, in a
17	court proceeding, of a motor vehicle that has a lien placed on its
18	title under subsection (d).
19	(j) IC 5-14-3-4, IC 6-8.1-7-1, and any other law exempting
20	information from disclosure by the department do not apply to this
21	subsection. The department shall prepare a list of retail merchants
22	whose registered retail merchant certificate has not been renewed
${23}$	under <del>IC 6-2.5-8-1(g)</del> <b>IC 6-2.5-8-1(h)</b> or whose registered retail
24	merchant certificate has been revoked under IC 6-2.5-8-7. The list
25	compiled under this subsection must identify each retail merchant by
26	name (including any name under which the retail merchant is doing
27	business), address, and county. The department shall publish the list
28	compiled under this subsection on the department's Internet web site
29	(as operated under IC 4-13.1-2) and make the list available for public
30	inspection and copying under IC 5-14-3. The department or an agent,
31	employee, or officer of the department is immune from liability for the
32	publication of information under this subsection.
33	SECTION 17. IC 6-8.1-5-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
34	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 4. (a) Every person
35	subject to a listed tax must keep <b>contemporaneous</b> books and records
36	so that the department can determine the amount, if any, of the person's
37	liability for that tax by reviewing those books and records. The records
38	referred to in this subsection include all source documents necessary
38 39	to determine the tax, including invoices, register tapes, receipts, and
40	canceled checks. A record shall not include any information not
40 41	contemporaneously maintained in the ordinary course of business,
41	either in written or digital format.
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1 (b) A person must retain the books and records described in 2 subsection (a), and any state or federal tax return that the person has 3 filed: 4 (1) for an unlimited period, if the person fails to file a return or 5 receives notice from the department that the person has filed a 6 suspected fraudulent return, or an unsigned or substantially blank 7 return; or 8 (2) in all other cases, for a period of at least three (3) years after 9 the date the final payment of the particular tax liability was due, 10 or for a period during which a judicial proceeding or appeal related to a listed tax of the person is pending, whichever is 11 12 later, unless after an audit, the department consents to earlier 13 destruction. 14 In addition, if the limitation on assessments provided in section 2 of 15 this chapter is extended beyond three (3) years for a particular tax 16 liability, the person must retain the books and records until the assessment period is over, or the date on which a judicial proceeding 17 18 or appeal related to a listed tax is no longer pending, whichever is 19 later. 20 (c) A person must allow inspection and copying of the books and 21 records and returns by the department or its authorized agents at all 22 reasonable times. 23 (d) A person must, on request by the department, furnish a copy of 24 any federal returns that he the person has filed. 25 (e) If a taxpayer: 26 (1) does not keep contemporaneous books and records in the 27 ordinary course of business as required under subsection (a); 28 (2) destroys such books and records prior to the expiration of 29 the period under subsection (b); or 30 (3) fails to allow access to such books and records under 31 subsection (c); 32 the department may use any reasonable method to reconstruct the 33 taxpayer's receipts, expenses, and any other items necessary to 34 determine the taxpayer's proper amount of listed tax liability. 35 (f) If the department requests books and records of a taxpayer 36 and the taxpayer can establish both that the taxpayer maintained 37 the books and records required by the department and that the 38 books and records were destroyed, other than by an intentional or 39 reckless act of the taxpayer, the taxpayer may produce information 40 from the books and records maintained by third parties to be 41 received as evidence. Any information that reasonably should have 42 been available in the books and records of the taxpayer and that is



not otherwise produced by the taxpayer may not be introduced as evidence.

3 SECTION 18. IC 6-8.1-7-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2018, 4 SECTION 80, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 5 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1. (a) This subsection does not apply to the 6 disclosure of information concerning a conviction on a tax evasion 7 charge. Unless in accordance with a judicial order or as otherwise 8 provided in this chapter, the department, its employees, former 9 employees, counsel, agents, or any other person may not divulge the 10 amount of tax paid by any taxpayer, terms of a settlement agreement 11 executed between a taxpayer and the department, investigation records, 12 investigation reports, or any other information disclosed by the reports 13 filed under the provisions of the law relating to any of the listed taxes, including required information derived from a federal return, except to 14 15 any of the following when it is agreed that the information is to be confidential and to be used solely for official purposes: 16 17 (1) Members and employees of the department.

18 (2) The governor.

(2) The governor.
(3) A member of the general assembly or an employee of the house of representatives or the senate when acting on behalf of a taxpayer located in the member's legislative district who has provided sufficient information to the member or employee for the department to determine that the member or employee is acting on behalf of the taxpayer.

(4) An employee of the legislative services agency to carry out the
responsibilities of the legislative services agency under
IC 2-5-1.1-7 or another law.

(5) The attorney general or any other legal representative of the
state in any action in respect to the amount of tax due under the
provisions of the law relating to any of the listed taxes.

31 (6) Any authorized officers of the United States.

(b) The information described in subsection (a) may be revealed upon the receipt of a certified request of any designated officer of the state tax department of any other state, district, territory, or possession of the United States when:

(1) the state, district, territory, or possession permits the exchange of like information with the taxing officials of the state; and

(2) it is agreed that the information is to be confidential and to be used solely for tax collection purposes.

40 (c) The information described in subsection (a) relating to a person
41 on public welfare or a person who has made application for public
42 welfare may be revealed to the director of the division of family

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resources, and to any director of a county office of the division of 2 family resources located in Indiana, upon receipt of a written request 3 from either director for the information. The information shall be 4 treated as confidential by the directors. In addition, the information described in subsection (a) relating to a person who has been 6 designated as an absent parent by the state Title IV-D agency shall be made available to the state Title IV-D agency upon request. The information shall be subject to the information safeguarding provisions of the state and federal Title IV-D programs.

10 (d) The name, address, Social Security number, and place of employment relating to any individual who is delinquent in paying 11 educational loans owed to a postsecondary educational institution may 12 13 be revealed to that institution if it provides proof to the department that 14 the individual is delinquent in paying for educational loans. This 15 information shall be provided free of charge to approved postsecondary educational institutions (as defined by IC 21-7-13-6(a)). The 16 17 department shall establish fees that all other institutions must pay to the department to obtain information under this subsection. However, these 18 19 fees may not exceed the department's administrative costs in providing 20 the information to the institution.

21 (e) The information described in subsection (a) relating to reports 22 submitted under IC 6-6-1.1-502 concerning the number of gallons of 23 gasoline sold by a distributor and IC 6-6-2.5 concerning the number of 24 gallons of special fuel sold by a supplier and the number of gallons of 25 special fuel exported by a licensed exporter or imported by a licensed transporter may be released by the commissioner upon receipt of a 26 27 written request for the information.

(f) The information described in subsection (a) may be revealed upon the receipt of a written request from the administrative head of a state agency of Indiana when:

(1) the state agency shows an official need for the information; and

(2) the administrative head of the state agency agrees that any information released will be kept confidential and will be used solely for official purposes.

(g) The information described in subsection (a) may be revealed 36 37 upon the receipt of a written request from the chief law enforcement 38 officer of a state or local law enforcement agency in Indiana when it is 39 agreed that the information is to be confidential and to be used solely 40 for official purposes.

41 (h) The name and address of retail merchants, including township, 42 as specified in IC 6-2.5-8-1(k) IC 6-2.5-8-1(l) may be released solely



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for tax collection purposes to township assessors and county assessors.

(i) The department shall notify the appropriate innkeeper's tax board, bureau, or commission that a taxpayer is delinquent in remitting innkeepers' taxes under IC 6-9.

(j) All information relating to the delinquency or evasion of the vehicle excise tax may be disclosed to the bureau of motor vehicles in Indiana and may be disclosed to another state, if the information is disclosed for the purpose of the enforcement and collection of the taxes imposed by IC 6-6-5.

(k) All information relating to the delinquency or evasion of
commercial vehicle excise taxes payable to the bureau of motor
vehicles in Indiana may be disclosed to the bureau and may be
disclosed to another state, if the information is disclosed for the
purpose of the enforcement and collection of the taxes imposed by
IC 6-6-5.5.

(l) All information relating to the delinquency or evasion of
commercial vehicle excise taxes payable under the International
Registration Plan may be disclosed to another state, if the information
is disclosed for the purpose of the enforcement and collection of the
taxes imposed by IC 6-6-5.5.

(m) All information relating to the delinquency or evasion of the
excise taxes imposed on recreational vehicles and truck campers that
are payable to the bureau of motor vehicles in Indiana may be disclosed
to the bureau and may be disclosed to another state if the information
is disclosed for the purpose of the enforcement and collection of the
taxes imposed by IC 6-6-5.1.

(n) This section does not apply to:

(1) the beer excise tax, including brand and packaged type (IC 7.1-4-2);

- 30 (2) the liquor excise tax (IC 7.1-4-3);
- 31 (3) the wine excise tax (IC 7.1-4-4);
- 32 (4) the hard cider excise tax (IC 7.1-4-4.5);
- 33 (5) the malt excise tax (IC 7.1-4-5);
- 34 (6) the vehicle excise tax (IC 6-6-5);
- 35 (7) the commercial vehicle excise tax (IC 6-6-5.5); and
- 36 (8) the fees under IC 13-23.

(o) The name and business address of retail merchants within each county that sell tobacco products may be released to the division of mental health and addiction and the alcohol and tobacco commission solely for the purpose of the list prepared under IC 6-2.5-6-14.2.

(p) The name and business address of a person licensed by the
department under IC 6-6 or IC 6-7 may be released for the purpose of



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1 reporting the status of the person's license. 2 (q) The department may release information concerning total 3 incremental tax amounts under: 4 (1) IC 5-28-26; 5 (2) IC 36-7-13; 6 (3) IC 36-7-26; 7 (4) IC 36-7-27; 8 (5) IC 36-7-31; 9 (6) IC 36-7-31.3; or 10 (7) any other statute providing for the calculation of incremental state taxes that will be distributed to or retained by a political 11 12 subdivision or other entity; 13 to the fiscal officer of the political subdivision or other entity that 14 established the district or area from which the incremental taxes were 15 received if that fiscal officer enters into an agreement with the 16 department specifying that the political subdivision or other entity will 17 use the information solely for official purposes. 18 (r) The department may release the information as required in IC 6-8.1-3-7.1 concerning: 19 20 (1) an innkeeper's tax, a food and beverage tax, or an admissions 21 tax under IC 6-9; 22 (2) the supplemental auto rental excise tax under IC 6-6-9.7; and 23 (3) the covered taxes allocated to a professional sports 24 development area fund, sports and convention facilities operating 25 fund, or other fund under IC 36-7-31 and IC 36-7-31.3. 26 (s) Information concerning state gross retail tax exemption 27 certificates that relate to a person who is exempt from the state gross 28 retail tax under IC 6-2.5-4-5 may be disclosed to a power subsidiary (as 29 defined in IC 6-2.5-4-5) or a person selling the services or commodities 30 listed in IC 6-2.5-4-5(b) for the purpose of enforcing and collecting the 31 state gross retail and use taxes under IC 6-2.5. 32 SECTION 19. IC 6-8.1-8-1.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS 33 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1.5. Whenever a 34 taxpayer makes a partial payment on the taxpayer's tax liability, the 35 department shall apply the partial payment in the following order: (1) To any penalty owed by the tax liability of the taxpayer. 36 37 (2) To any interest penalty owed by the taxpayer. 38 (3) To the tax liability of any interest owed by the taxpayer. 39 In the case of a taxpayer with multiple liabilities, the department 40 may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to establish the manner in which 41 payments are applied to the taxpayer's outstanding liabilities. 42 SECTION 20. IC 6-8.1-8-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.99-2011,

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1 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 2 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 3. (a) The county sheriff of a county shall attempt 3 to levy on and collect a judgment arising from a tax warrant in that 4 county for a period of one hundred twenty (120) days from the date the 5 judgment lien is entered, unless the sheriff is relieved of that duty at an 6 earlier time by the department. The sheriff shall also have authority to 7 attempt to levy on and collect the outstanding tax liability if the 8 taxpayer does not pay the amount demanded under section 2(b) of this 9 chapter and the taxpayer has taken an action under section 2(n) of this 10 chapter to foreclose the lien. The sheriff's authority to collect the 11 warrant exists only while the sheriff holds the tax warrant, and if the 12 sheriff surrenders the warrant to the department for any reason the 13 sheriff's authority to collect that tax warrant ceases. During the period 14 that the sheriff has the duty to collect a tax warrant, the sheriff shall 15 collect from the person owing the tax, an amount equal to the amount of the judgment lien plus the accrued interest to the date of the 16 17 payment. Subject to subsection (b), the sheriff shall make the collection 18 by garnisheeing the person's wages and by levying on and selling any 19 interest in property or rights in any chose in action that the person has 20 in the county. The Indiana laws which provide relief for debtors by exempting certain property from levy by creditors do not apply to levy 21 22 and sale proceedings for judgments arising from tax warrants.

23 (b) A sheriff shall sell property to satisfy a tax warrant in a manner 24 that is reasonably likely to bring the highest net proceeds from the sale 25 after deducting the expenses of the offer to sell and sale. A sheriff may engage an auctioneer to advertise a sale and to conduct a public 26 27 auction, unless the person being levied files an objection with the clerk 28 of the circuit or superior court having the tax warrant within five (5) 29 days of the day that the sheriff informs the person of the person's right 30 to object. The advertising conducted by the auctioneer is in addition to 31 any other notice required by law, and shall include a detailed 32 description of the property to be sold. When an auctioneer is engaged 33 under this subsection and the auctioneer files a verified claim with the 34 clerk of the circuit or superior court with whom the tax warrant is filed, 35 the sheriff may pay the reasonable fee and reasonable expenses of the 36 auctioneer from the gross proceeds of the sale before other expenses 37 and the judgment arising from the tax warrant are paid. As used in this 38 section, "auctioneer" means an auctioneer licensed under IC 25-6.1. 39

(c) The sheriff shall deposit all amounts that the sheriff collects under this section, including partial payments, into a special trust account for judgments collected that arose from tax warrants. The sheriff shall notify the department, in a manner specified by the



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1 department, of the name of the taxpayer and the amount of the 2 payment within twenty-four (24) hours from receipt. On or before 3 the fifth day of each month, the sheriff shall disburse the money in the 4 tax warrant judgment lien trust account in the following order: 5 (1) The sheriff shall pay the department the part of the collections 6 that represents taxes, interest, and penalties. 7 (2) The sheriff shall pay the county treasurer and the clerk of the 8 circuit or superior court the part of the collections that represents 9 their assessed costs. 10 (3) Except as provided in subdivisions (4) and (5), the sheriff shall keep the part of the collections that represents the ten 11 12 percent (10%) collection fee added under section 2(b) of this 13 chapter. 14 (4) If the sheriff has entered a salary contract under 15 IC 36-2-13-2.5, the sheriff shall deposit in the county general fund the part of the collections that represents the ten percent (10%)16 collection fee added under section 2(b) of this chapter. 17 (5) If the sheriff has not entered into a salary contract under 18 19 IC 36-2-13-2.5, the sheriff shall deposit in the county general fund 20 the part of the collections that: 21 (A) represents the ten percent (10%) collection fee added 22 under section 2(b) of this chapter; and 23 (B) would, if kept by the sheriff, result in the total amount of 24 the sheriff's annual compensation exceeding the maximum 25 amount allowed under IC 36-2-13-17. 26 The department shall establish the procedure for the disbursement of 27 partial payments so that the intent of this section is carried out. 28 (d) After the period described in subsection (a) has passed, the 29 sheriff shall return the tax warrant to the department. However, if the 30 department determines that: 31 (1) at the end of this period the sheriff is in the process of 32 collecting the judgment arising from a tax warrant in periodic 33 payments of sufficient size that the judgment will be fully paid within one (1) year after the date the judgment was filed; and 34 35 (2) the sheriff's electronic data base regarding tax warrants is compatible with the department's data base; 36 37 the sheriff may keep the tax warrant and continue collections. 38 (e) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the 39 department may order a sheriff to return a tax warrant at any time, if the 40 department feels that action is necessary to protect the interests of the 41 state. 42 (f) This subsection applies only to the sheriff of a county having a



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1 consolidated city or a second class city. In such a county, the ten 2 percent (10%) collection fee added under section 2(b) of this chapter 3 shall be divided as follows: 4 (1) Subject to subsection (g), the sheriff may retain forty thousand 5 dollars (\$40,000), plus one-fifth (1/5) of any fees exceeding that 6 forty thousand dollar (\$40,000) amount. 7 (2) Two-fifths (2/5) of any fees exceeding that forty thousand 8 dollar (\$40,000) amount shall be deposited in the sheriff's 9 department's pension trust fund. (3) Two-fifths (2/5) of any fees exceeding that forty thousand 10 dollar (\$40,000) amount shall be deposited in the county general 11 12 fund. 13 (g) If an amount of the collection fee added under section 2(b) of 14 this chapter would, if retained by the sheriff under subsection (f)(1), 15 cause the total amount of the sheriff's annual compensation to exceed the maximum amount allowed under IC 36-2-13-17, the sheriff shall 16 17 instead deposit the amount in the county general fund. 18 (h) Money deposited into a county general fund under subsections 19 (c)(5) and (g) must be used as follows: 20 (1) To reduce any unfunded liability of a sheriff's pension trust 21 plan established for the county's sheriff's department. 22 (2) Any amounts remaining after complying with subdivision (1) 23 must be applied to the costs incurred to operate the county's 24 sheriff's department. 25 SECTION 21. IC 6-8.1-9-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.242-2015, 26 SECTION 40, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 27 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 2. (a) If the department finds that a person has 28 paid more tax for a taxable year than is legally due, the department 29 shall apply the amount of the excess against any amount of that same 30 tax that is assessed and is currently due. The department may then 31 apply any remaining excess against any of the listed taxes that have 32 been assessed against the person and that are currently due. Subject to 33 subsection (c), if any excess remains after the department has applied the overpayment against the person's tax liabilities, the department 34 35 shall either refund the amount to the person or, at the person's request, 36 credit the amount to the person's future tax liabilities. 37 (b) Subject to subsection (c), if a court determines that a person has 38 paid more tax for a taxable year than is legally due, the department 39 shall refund the excess amount to the person. 40 (c) As used in this subsection, "pass through entity" means a

40 (c) As used in this subsection, "pass through entity" means a
41 corporation that is exempt from the adjusted gross income tax under
42 IC 6-3-2-2.8(2), a partnership, a limited liability company, or a limited



1 liability partnership and "pass through income" means a person's 2 distributive share of adjusted gross income for a taxable year 3 attributable to the person's interest in a pass through entity. This 4 subsection applies to a person's overpayment of adjusted gross income 5 tax for a taxable year if: 6 (1) the person has filed a timely claim for refund with respect to 7 the overpayment under IC 6-8.1-9-1; 8 (2) the overpayment: (A) is with respect to a taxable year beginning before January 9 10 1,2009; 11 (B) is attributable to amounts paid to the department by: (i) a nonresident shareholder, partner, or member of a pass 12 13 through entity; (ii) a pass through entity under IC 6-3-4-12 or IC 6-3-4-13 14 15 on behalf of a nonresident shareholder, partner, or member 16 of the pass through entity; or 17 (iii) a pass through entity under IC 6-3-4-12 or IC 6-3-4-13 on behalf of a nonresident shareholder, partner, or member 18 19 of another pass through entity; and 20 (3) the overpayment arises from a determination by the 21 department or a court that the person's pass through income is not 22 includible in the person's adjusted gross income derived from 23 sources within Indiana as a result of the application of 24 IC 6-3-2-2(a)(5) and IC 6-3-2-2.2(g). 25 The department shall apply the overpayment to the person's liability for 26 taxes that have been assessed and are currently due as provided in 27 subsection (a) and apply any remaining overpayment as a credit or 28 credits in satisfaction of the person's liability for listed taxes in taxable 29 years beginning after December 31, 2008. If the person, including any 30 successor to the person's interest in the overpayment, does not have 31 sufficient liability for listed taxes against which to credit all the 32 remaining overpayment in a taxable year beginning after December 31, 33 2008, and ending before January 1, 2019, the taxpayer is not entitled for any taxable year ending after December 31, 2018, to have any part 34 35 of the remaining overpayment applied, refunded, or credited to the person's liability for listed taxes. If an overpayment or part of an 36 37 overpayment is required to be applied as a credit under this subsection 38 to the person's liability for listed taxes for a taxable year beginning after 39 December 31, 2008, and has not been determined by the department or 40 a court to meet the conditions of subdivision (3) by the due date of the 41 person's return for a listed tax for a taxable year beginning after 42 December 31, 2008, the department shall refund to the person that part



1 of the overpayment that should have been applied as a credit for such 2 taxable year within ninety (90) days of the date that the department or 3 a court makes the determination that the overpayment meets the 4 conditions of subdivision (3). However, the department may establish 5 a program to refund small overpayment amounts that do not exceed the 6 threshold dollar value established by the department rather than 7 crediting the amounts against tax liability accruing for a taxable year 8 after December 31, 2008. A person that receives a refund or credit 9 under this subsection shall file a report with the department in the form 10 and in the schedule specified by the department that identifies under penalties of perjury the home state or other jurisdiction where the 11 12 income subject to the refund or credit was reported as income 13 attributable to that state or jurisdiction. 14 (d) An excess tax payment that is not refunded or credited against 15 a current or future tax liability within ninety (90) days after the date the 16 refund claim is filed, the date the tax payment was due, or the date the 17 tax was paid, whichever is latest, accrues interest from: 18 (1) the date the refund claim is filed, if the refund claim is filed 19 before July 1, 2015; or 20 (2) for a refund claim filed after June 30, 2015, the latest of: 21 (A) the date the tax payment was due; 22 (B) the date the tax was paid; or 23 (C) July 1, 2015; 24 at the rate established under IC 6-8.1-10-1 until a date, determined by 25 the department, that does not precede by more than thirty (30) days, the 26 date on which the refund or credit is made. As used in this subsection 27 and subsection (e), "refund claim" includes a return and an amended 28 return that indicates an overpayment of tax. For purposes of this 29 subsection only, the due date for the payment of the state gross retail 30 or use tax, the oil inspection fee, and the petroleum severance tax is 31 December 31 of the calendar year that contains the taxable period for 32 which the payment is remitted. Notwithstanding any other provision, 33 no interest is due for any time before the filing of a tax return for the 34 period and tax type for which a taxpayer files a refund claim. 35 (e) For purposes of subsection (d): 36 (1) if a taxpayer files a refund claim, including any required 37 attachments, that: 38 (A) is not on a required form; 39 (B) does not contain the taxpayer's name, address, federal 40 identification number (if applicable), and signature; 41 (C) does not contain sufficient required information to

42 permit the mathematical verification of the taxpayer's tax

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1	liability; or
2	(D) does not otherwise provide sufficient required
3	information to verify that the tax was paid or that the
4	taxpayer is otherwise entitled to a refund;
5	the refund claim shall not be treated as filed for purposes of
6	subsection (d) until the taxpayer provides all information
7	required in clauses (A) through (D); and
8	(2) if the department requests in writing additional
9	information, other than the information required under
10	subdivision (1), that is reasonably necessary to confirm the
11	validity of the refund claim or to process the refund claim,
12	and the taxpayer does not provide the additional information
13	in the time period specified by the department:
14	(A) no interest shall be due from the date the department
15	requested the additional information until the taxpayer
16	provided all information requested by the department; and
17	(B) if such request is made by the department prior to the
18	date on which interest would accrue under this section, the
19	date the refund claim was made for purposes of subsection
20	(d) shall be adjusted by the number of days from the date
21	the information was requested by the department to the
22	date the taxpayer provides all information requested by
23	the department.
24	If the department makes multiple requests for information
25	and each request is for materially different information, the
26	period under this subdivision shall be computed separately for
27	each request.
28	(e) (f) A person who is liable for the payment of excise taxes under
29	IC 7.1-4-3 or IC 7.1-4-4 is entitled to claim a credit against the person's
30	excise tax liability in the amount of the excise taxes paid in duplicate
31	by the person, or the person's assignors or predecessors, upon both:
32	(1) the receipt of the goods subject to the excise taxes, as reported
33	by the person, or the person's assignors or predecessors, on excise
34	tax returns filed with the department; and
35	(2) the withdrawal of the same goods from a storage facility
36	operated under 19 U.S.C. 1555(a).
37	(f) (g) The amount of the credit under subsection (e) (f) is equal to
38	fifty percent (50%) of the amount of excise taxes:
39	(1) that were paid by the person as described in subsection $\frac{(e)(2)}{(e)(2)}$
40	(f) that were paire by the person as described in subsection (c)(2); (f)(2);
41	(2) that are duplicative of excise taxes paid by the person as
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4/	described in subsection (e)(1); (f)(1); and



1 (3) for which the person has not previously claimed a credit. 2 The credit may be claimed by subtracting the amount of the credit from 3 the amount of the person's excise taxes reported on the person's 4 monthly excise tax returns filed under IC 7.1-4-6 with the department 5 for taxes imposed under IC 7.1-4-3 or IC 7.1-4-4. The amount of the 6 credit that may be taken monthly by the person on each monthly excise 7 tax return may not exceed ten percent (10%) of the excise tax liability 8 reported by the person on the monthly excise tax return. The credit may 9 be claimed on not more than thirty-six (36) consecutive monthly excise 10 tax returns beginning with the month in which credit is first claimed. 11 (g) (h) The amount of the credit calculated under subsection (f) (g) 12 must be used for capital expenditures to: 13 (1) expand employment; or 14 (2) assist in retaining employment within Indiana. 15 The department shall annually verify whether the capital expenditures 16 made by the person comply with this subsection. 17 SECTION 22. IC 6-8.1-10-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.214-2018(ss), 18 SECTION 14, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 19 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1. (a) If a person fails to file a return for any of the 20 listed taxes, fails to pay the full amount of tax shown on the person's 21 return by the due date for the return or the payment, or incurs a 22 deficiency upon a determination by the department, the person is 23 subject to interest on the nonpayment. 24 (b) The interest for a failure described in subsection (a) is the 25 adjusted rate established by the commissioner under subsection (c), from the due date for payment. The interest applies to: 26 27 (1) the full amount of the unpaid tax due if the person failed to 28 file the return; 29 (2) the amount of the tax that is not paid, if the person filed the 30 return but failed to pay the full amount of tax shown on the return; 31 or 32 (3) the amount of the deficiency. (c) The commissioner shall establish an adjusted rate of interest for 33 34 a failure described in subsection (a) and for an excess tax payment on 35 or before November 1 of each year. For purposes of subsection (b), the adjusted rate of interest shall be the percentage rounded to the nearest 36 37 whole number that equals two (2) percentage points above the average 38 investment yield on state general fund money for the state's previous 39 fiscal year, excluding pension fund investments, as determined by the 40 treasurer of state on or before October 1 of each year and reported to 41 the commissioner. For purposes of IC 6-8.1-9-2(c), the adjusted rate of 42 interest for an excess tax payment must be the same as the adjusted rate



1	of interest determined under this subsection for a failure described in
2	subsection (a). The adjusted rates of interest established under this
$\frac{2}{3}$	subsection (a). The adjusted fates of interest established under this subsection shall take effect on January 1 of the immediately succeeding
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5	year. (d) For purposes of this section, the filing of a substantially blank or
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0 7	unsigned return does not constitute a return.
	(e) Except as provided by IC 6-8.1-3-17(c), IC 6-8.1-3-17(e), and $IC (2, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 2, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5,$
8	IC 6-8.1-5-2, and section 2.1(k) of this chapter, the department may
9	not waive the interest imposed under this section.
10	(f) Subsections (a) through (c) do not apply to a motor carrier fuel
11	tax return.
12	SECTION 23. IC 6-8.1-10-2.1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.181-2016,
13	SECTION 30, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
14	JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 2.1. (a) Except as provided in IC 6-3-4-12(k) and
15	IC 6-3-4-13(l), a person that:
16	(1) fails to file a return for any of the listed taxes;
17	(2) fails to pay the full amount of tax shown on the person's return
18	on or before the due date for the return or payment;
19	(3) incurs, upon examination by the department, a deficiency that
20	is due to negligence;
21	(4) fails to timely remit any tax held in trust for the state; or
22	(5) is required to make a payment by electronic funds transfer (as
23	defined in IC 4-8.1-2-7), overnight courier, or personal delivery
24	and the payment is not received by the department by the due date
25	in funds acceptable to the department;
26	is subject to a penalty.
27	(b) Except as provided in subsection (g), the penalty described in
28	subsection (a) is ten percent (10%) of:
29	(1) the full amount of the tax due if the person failed to file the
30	return;
31	(2) the amount of the tax not paid, if the person filed the return
32	but failed to pay the full amount of the tax shown on the return;
33	(3) the amount of the tax held in trust that is not timely remitted;
34	(4) the amount of deficiency as finally determined by the
35	department; or
36	(5) the amount of tax due if a person failed to make payment by
37	electronic funds transfer, overnight courier, or personal delivery
38	by the due date.
39	(c) For purposes of this section, the filing of a substantially blank or
40	unsigned return does not constitute a return.
40 41	(d) If a person subject to the penalty imposed under this section can
42	show that the failure to file a return, pay the full amount of tax shown
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on the person's return, timely remit tax held in trust, or pay the deficiency determined by the department was due to reasonable cause and not due to willful neglect, the department shall waive the penalty.

4 (e) A person who wishes to avoid the penalty imposed under this 5 section must make an affirmative showing of all facts alleged as a 6 reasonable cause for the person's failure to file the return, pay the amount of tax shown on the person's return, pay the deficiency, or 8 timely remit tax held in trust, in a written statement containing a declaration that the statement is made under penalty of perjury. The 10 statement must be filed with the return or payment within the time prescribed for protesting departmental assessments. A taxpayer may 12 also avoid the penalty imposed under this section by obtaining a ruling 13 from the department before the end of a particular tax period on the 14 amount of tax due for that tax period.

15 (f) The department shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to prescribe the 16 circumstances that constitute reasonable cause and negligence for 17 purposes of this section.

18 (g) A person who fails to file a return for a listed tax that shows no 19 tax liability for a taxable year, other than an information return (as 20 defined in section 6 of this chapter), on or before the due date of the 21 return shall pay a penalty of ten dollars (\$10) for each day that the 22 return is past due, up to a maximum of two hundred fifty dollars 23 (\$250).

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(1) corporation which otherwise qualifies under IC 6-3-2-2.8(2); (2) partnership; or

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that fails to withhold and pay any amount of tax required to be withheld under IC 6-3-4-12, IC 6-3-4-13, or IC 6-3-4-15 shall pay a penalty equal to twenty percent (20%) of the amount of tax required to be withheld under IC 6-3-4-12, IC 6-3-4-13, or IC 6-3-4-15. This penalty shall be in addition to any penalty imposed by section 6 of this chapter.

(i) Subsections (a) through (c) do not apply to a motor carrier fuel tax return.

(j) If a partnership or an S corporation fails to include all nonresidential individual partners or nonresidential individual shareholders in a composite return as required by IC 6-3-4-12(i) or IC 6-3-4-13(j), a penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500) per partnership or S corporation is imposed on the partnership or S corporation.

(k) If a person subject to the penalty imposed under this section provides the department with documentation showing that the person is or has been subject to incarceration for a period of a least

1 one hundred eighty (180) days, the department shall waive any 2 penalty under this section and interest that accrues during the time 3 the person was incarcerated, but not to an extent greater than the 4 penalty or interest relief to which a person would otherwise have 5 been entitled under the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act 6 (50 U.S.C. 3901-4043), if the person was in military service. 7 Nothing in this subsection shall preclude the department from 8 issuing a proposed assessment, demand notice, jeopardy proposed 9 assessment, jeopardy demand notice, or warrant otherwise 10 permitted by law. 11 SECTION 24. IC 6-8.1-10-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 6. (a) As used in this 12 13 section, "information return" means the following when a statute or rule 14 requires the following to be filed with the department: 15 (1) Schedule K-1 of form IT-20S, IT-41, or IT-65. 16 (2) Any form, statement, or schedule required to be filed with the 17 department with respect to an amount from which tax is required to be deducted and withheld under IC 6 or from which tax would 18 19 be required to be deducted and withheld but for an exemption 20 under IC 6. 21 (3) Any form, statement, or schedule required to be filed with the 22 Internal Revenue Service under 26 C.F.R. 301.6721-1(g) (1993). 23 The term does not include form IT-20FIT, IT-20S, IT-20SC, IT-41, or 24 IT-65. 25 (b) If a person fails to file an information return required by the 26

department, or fails to electronically file an information return that is required by the department to be filed in an electronic format, a penalty of ten dollars (\$10) for: 29

(1) each failure to file a timely return; or

(2) each failure to electronically file a timely return required by the department to be in an electronic format;

not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) in any one (1) calendar year, is imposed.

(c) For purposes of this section, the filing of a substantially blank or unsigned return does not constitute a return.

36 SECTION 25. IC 16-44-2-18, AS AMENDED BY P.L.214-2005, 37 SECTION 60, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 38 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 18. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), fees 39 for the inspection of gasoline or kerosene shall be at the rate of fifty 40 cents (\$0.50) per barrel (fifty (50) gallons) on all gasoline or kerosene 41 received in Indiana less deductions provided in this section.

(b) A fee for inspection of gasoline or kerosene may not be charged



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1	for the following:
2	(1) On transport or tank car shipments direct to the federal
3	government.
4	(2) On gasoline or kerosene received and subsequently exported
5	from Indiana or returned to refineries or marine or pipeline
6	terminals in Indiana.
7	(c) Fees shall be paid to the state department by the person receiving
8	gasoline or kerosene in Indiana at the time gasoline or kerosene
9	products are received, unless the person receiving the gasoline or
10	kerosene is licensed as a distributor under the gasoline tax law
11	(IC 6-6-1.1). In that case, the person in receipt of the gasoline or
12	kerosene shall do the following:
13	(1) Include in the person's monthly gasoline tax report a statement
14	of all gasoline and kerosene received during the preceding
15	calendar month on which inspection fees are due.
16	(2) Remit the amount of the inspection fees at the same time the
17	monthly motor fuel tax report is due.
18	(d) A refiner or other person supplying gasoline or kerosene to the
19	first receiver in Indiana may elect to pay the fees monthly on all
20	gasoline or kerosene supplied to persons in Indiana not licensed as
21	distributors under the gasoline tax law (IC 6-6-1.1). If the supplier is
22	not licensed as a distributor under the gasoline tax law of Indiana
23	(IC 6-6-1.1), the supplier shall, as a condition precedent to such
24	election, file with the state department a corporate surety bond that
25	meets the following conditions:
26	(1) Is in the form and amount that the state department
27	determines, not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000).
28	(2) Is conditioned that the supplier does the following:
29	(A) Reports all gasoline and kerosene supplied by the supplier
30	to persons in Indiana not licensed as distributors under the
31	gasoline tax law (IC 6-6-1.1).
32	(B) Pays inspection fees monthly on or before the twenty-fifth
33	day of each calendar month for the preceding calendar month.
34	(e) A person taking credit for gasoline or kerosene exported or
35	returned to a refinery or terminal shall substantiate that credit in the
36	manner that the state department reasonably requires by rule.
37	(f) A distributor who fails to file a monthly report and pay the tax
38	due as required by this chapter is subject to a penalty of five percent
39	(5%) of the amount of unpaid tax due and interest on the unpaid tax
40	and penalty at the rate of eight percent (8%) annually. However, if a
41	delay not exceeding ten (10) days is due to a mistake, an accident, or
42	an oversight without intent to avoid payment, the administrator may
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- 1 waive the penalty and interest.
- 2 SECTION 26. [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2019
- 3 (RETROACTIVE)] (a) IC 6-3.1-4-8, as added by this act, applies to
- 4 taxable years beginning after December 31, 2018.
- 5 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2021.
- 6 SECTION 27. An emergency is declared for this act.

