

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 258

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

---

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHEY.

0811H.011

DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

---

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 144, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to a sales tax exemption for electricity.

---

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 144, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 144.056, to read as follows:

3 **144.056. In addition to other exemptions granted under this chapter, there are**  
4 **hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of sections 144.010 to 144.525 and**  
5 **sections 144.600 to 144.761 and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed, or**  
6 **payable under sections 144.010 to 144.525 and sections 144.600 to 144.761, electrical**  
7 **energy and gas, whether natural, artificial, or propane; water, coal, and energy sources;**  
8 **chemicals, machinery, equipment, parts, and material used or consumed in connection**  
9 **with or to facilitate the generation, transmission, distribution, sale, or furnishing of**  
10 **electricity for light, heat, or power; and any conduits, ducts, or other devices, materials,**  
11 **apparatus, or property for containing, holding, or carrying conductors used or to be**  
12 **used for the transmission of electricity for light, heat, or power service to consumers.**  
13 **The exemptions granted in this section shall not apply to local sales taxes as defined in**  
**section 32.085 and the provisions of this section shall be in addition to any other sales or**  
**use tax exemption provided by law.**

✓

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.