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SENATE BILL NO. 1388

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR RAZER.

5414S.02P KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal section 144.054, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to a sales tax exemption for certain nuclear facilities.

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

- Section A. Section 144.054, RSMo, is repealed and one new
- 2 section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 144.054,
- 3 to read as follows:
 - 144.054. 1. As used in this section, the following
- 2 terms mean:
- 3 (1) "Nuclear security enterprise", the same meaning as
- 4 defined in 50 U.S.C. Section 2501, inclusive of buildings,
- 5 structures, and infrastructure constructed for use as a
- 6 defense nuclear facility as defined in 50 U.S.C. Section
- 7 2501;
- 8 (2) "Processing", any mode of treatment, act, or
- 9 series of acts performed upon materials to transform or
- 10 reduce them to a different state or thing, including
- 11 treatment necessary to maintain or preserve such processing
- 12 by the producer at the production facility;
- 13 [(2)] (3) "Producing" includes, but is not limited to,
- 14 the production of, including the production and transmission
- of, telecommunication services;
- 16 [(3)] (4) "Product" includes, but is not limited to,
- 17 telecommunications services;

EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

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[(4)] (5) "Recovered materials", those materials which 18 have been diverted or removed from the solid waste stream 19 20 for sale, use, reuse, or recycling, whether or not they

require subsequent separation and processing. 21 22 In addition to all other exemptions granted under 23 this chapter, there is hereby specifically exempted from the 24 provisions of this chapter and the local sales tax law as 25 defined in section 32.085 and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed, or payable under this chapter and the 26 27 local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, electrical energy and gas, whether natural, artificial, or propane, 28 water, coal, and energy sources, chemicals, machinery, 29 equipment, and materials used or consumed in the 30 manufacturing, processing, compounding, mining, or producing 31 of any product, or used or consumed in the processing of 32 recovered materials, or used in research and development 33 related to manufacturing, processing, compounding, mining, 34 35 or producing any product. The construction and application 36 of this subsection as expressed by the Missouri supreme court in DST Systems, Inc. v. Director of Revenue, 43 S.W.3d 37 799 (Mo. banc 2001); Southwestern Bell Tel. Co. v. Director 38 of Revenue, 78 S.W.3d 763 (Mo. banc 2002); and Southwestern 39 Bell Tel. Co. v. Director of Revenue, 182 S.W.3d 226 (Mo. 40

41 banc 2005), is hereby affirmed.

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In addition to all other exemptions granted under this chapter, there is hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed, or payable under this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, all utilities, machinery, and equipment used or consumed directly in television or radio broadcasting and all sales

and purchases of tangible personal property, utilities, services, or any other transaction that would otherwise be subject to the state or local sales or use tax when such sales are made to or purchases are made by a contractor for use in fulfillment of any obligation under a defense contract with the United States government, and all sales and leases of tangible personal property by any county, city, incorporated town, or village, provided such sale or lease is authorized under chapter 100, and such transaction is certified for sales tax exemption by the department of economic development, and tangible personal property used for railroad infrastructure brought into this state for processing, fabrication, or other modification for use outside the state in the regular course of business.

- 4. In addition to all other exemptions granted under this chapter, there is hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed, or payable under this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, all sales and purchases of tangible personal property, utilities, services, or any other transaction that would otherwise be subject to the state or local sales or use tax when such sales are made to or purchases are made by a private partner for use in completing a project under sections 227.600 to 227.669.
- 5. In addition to all other exemptions granted under this chapter, there is hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, and from the computation of the tax levied, assessed, or payable under this chapter and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, all

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- 82 materials, manufactured goods, machinery and parts,83 electrical energy and gas, whether natural, artificial or
- 84 propane, water, coal and other energy sources, chemicals,
- 85 soaps, detergents, cleaning and sanitizing agents, and other
- 86 ingredients and materials inserted by commercial or
- 87 industrial laundries to treat, clean, and sanitize textiles
- 88 in facilities which process at least five hundred pounds of
- 89 textiles per hour and at least sixty thousand pounds per
- 90 week.
- 91 6. In addition to all other exemptions granted
- 92 pursuant to this chapter, there is hereby exempted from the
- 93 provisions of and the computation of the tax levied,
- 94 assessed, or payable pursuant to this chapter and the local
- 95 sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, all sales and
- 96 purchases of tangible personal property, building materials,
- 97 equipment, fixtures, manufactured goods, machinery, and
- 98 parts for the purposes of constructing all or any portion of
- 99 a nuclear security enterprise located in any city with more
- 100 than four hundred thousand inhabitants and located in more
- 101 than one county. This subsection shall expire on August 28,
- 102 **2034**.

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