# 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 1/20/2005, by Rep. Joe Dunn

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 105/3-50	from Ch.	120,	par.	439.3-50
35 ILCS 120/2-45	from Ch.	120,	par.	441-45

Amends the Use Tax Act and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. Provides that the manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment exemption also includes production related tangible personal property. Defines "production related tangible personal property" as all tangible personal property used or consumed by the purchaser in a manufacturing facility in which a manufacturing process takes place, including tangible personal property purchased for incorporation into real estate within a manufacturing facility and including, but not limited to, tangible personal property used or consumed in activities such as preproduction material handling, receiving, quality control, inventory control, storage, staging, and packaging for shipping and transportation purposes. Provides that "production related tangible personal property" does not include (i) tangible personal property used, within or without a manufacturing facility, in sales, purchasing, accounting, fiscal management, marketing, personnel recruitment or selection, or landscaping or (ii) tangible personal property required to be titled or registered with a department, agency, or unit of federal, state, or local government. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning revenue.

# 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Use Tax Act is amended by changing Section
3-50 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 105/3-50) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.3-50)

7 Sec. 3-50. Manufacturing and assembly exemption. The manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment exemption 8 includes machinery and equipment that replaces machinery and 9 equipment in an existing manufacturing facility as well as 10 machinery and equipment that are for use in an expanded or new 11 manufacturing facility. The machinery and equipment exemption 12 also includes machinery and equipment used in the general 13 14 maintenance or repair of exempt machinery and equipment or for 15 in-house manufacture of exempt machinery and equipment. The manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment exemption 16 also includes production related tangible personal property. 17 For the purposes of this exemption, terms have the following 18 19 meanings:

(1) "Manufacturing process" means the production of an 20 article of tangible personal property, whether the article 21 is a finished product or an article for use in the process 22 23 of manufacturing or assembling a different article of tangible personal property, by a procedure commonly 24 25 regarded as manufacturing, processing, fabricating, or 26 refining that changes some existing material into a material with a different form, use, or name. In relation 27 to a recognized integrated business composed of a series of 28 29 operations that collectively constitute manufacturing, or 30 individually constitute manufacturing operations, the manufacturing process commences with the first operation 31 or stage of production in the series and does not end until 32

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the completion of the final product in the last operation or stage of production in the series. For purposes of this exemption, photoprocessing is a manufacturing process of tangible personal property for wholesale or retail sale.

5 (2) "Assembling process" means the production of an 6 article of tangible personal property, whether the article is a finished product or an article for use in the process 7 of manufacturing or assembling a different article of 8 tangible personal property, by the combination of existing 9 10 materials in a manner commonly regarded as assembling that 11 results in an article or material of a different form, use, or name. 12

(3) "Machinery" means major mechanical machines or
 major components of those machines contributing to a
 manufacturing or assembling process.

16 (4) "Equipment" includes an independent device or tool 17 separate from machinery but essential to an integrated manufacturing or assembly process; including computers 18 used primarily in a manufacturer's computer assisted 19 20 design, computer assisted manufacturing (CAD/CAM) system; 21 any subunit or assembly comprising a component of any machinery or auxiliary, adjunct, or attachment parts of 22 machinery, such as tools, dies, jigs, fixtures, patterns, 23 and molds; and any parts that require periodic replacement 24 25 in the course of normal operation; but does not include hand tools. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals 26 27 acting as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals 28 acting as catalysts effect a direct and immediate change 29 upon a product being manufactured or assembled for 30 wholesale or retail sale or lease.

31 (5) "Production related tangible personal property" 32 means all tangible personal property used or consumed by 33 the purchaser in a manufacturing facility in which a 34 manufacturing process, as defined in this Section, takes 35 place, including tangible personal property purchased for 36 incorporation into real estate within a manufacturing - 3 - LRB094 02428 BDD 32428 b

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1 facility and including, but not limited to, tangible 2 personal property used or consumed in activities such as preproduction material handling, receiving, quality 3 control, inventory control, storage, staging, 4 and 5 packaging for shipping and transportation purposes. "Production related tangible personal property" does not 6 include (i) tangible personal property used, within or 7 without a manufacturing facility, in sales, purchasing, 8 9 accounting, fiscal management, marketing, personnel recruitment or selection, or landscaping or (ii) tangible 10 11 personal property required to be titled or registered with a department, agency, or unit of federal, state, or local 12 13 government.

The manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment 14 15 exemption includes the sale of materials to a purchaser who 16 produces exempted types of machinery, equipment, or tools and 17 who rents or leases that machinery, equipment, or tools to a manufacturer of tangible personal property. This exemption 18 19 also includes the sale of materials to a purchaser who 20 manufactures those materials into an exempted type of machinery, equipment, or tools that the purchaser uses himself 21 22 or herself in the manufacturing of tangible personal property. 23 This exemption includes the sale of exempted types of machinery or equipment to a purchaser who is not the manufacturer, but 24 who rents or leases the use of the property to a manufacturer. 25 26 The purchaser of the machinery and equipment who has an active 27 resale registration number shall furnish that number to the 28 seller at the time of purchase. A user of the machinery, 29 equipment, or tools without an active resale registration 30 number shall prepare a certificate of exemption for each 31 transaction stating facts establishing the exemption for that 32 transaction, and that certificate shall be available to the Department for inspection or audit. The Department shall 33 prescribe the form of the certificate. Informal rulings, 34 35 opinions, or letters issued by the Department in response to an 36 inquiry or request for an opinion from any person regarding the - 4 - LRB094 02428 BDD 32428 b

1 coverage and applicability of this exemption to specific 2 devices shall be published, maintained as a public record, and made available for public inspection and copying. If the 3 informal ruling, opinion, or letter contains trade secrets or 4 5 other confidential information, where possible, the Department 6 shall delete that information before publication. Whenever informal rulings, opinions, or letters contain a policy of 7 general applicability, the Department shall formulate and 8 9 adopt that policy as a rule in accordance with the Illinois 10 Administrative Procedure Act.

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11 (Source: P.A. 91-51, eff. 6-30-99; 92-484, eff. 8-23-01.)

Section 10. The Retailers' Occupation Tax Act is amended by changing Section 2-45 as follows:

14 (35 ILCS 120/2-45) (from Ch. 120, par. 441-45)

Sec. 2-45. Manufacturing and assembly exemption. The manufacturing and assembly machinery and equipment exemption includes machinery and equipment that replaces machinery and equipment in an existing manufacturing facility as well as machinery and equipment that are for use in an expanded or new manufacturing facility.

21 The machinery and equipment exemption also includes machinery and equipment used in the general maintenance or 22 23 repair of exempt machinery and equipment or for in-house 24 manufacture of exempt machinery and equipment. The 25 manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment exemption also includes production related tangible personal property. 26 For the purposes of this exemption, terms have the following 27 28 meanings:

(1) "Manufacturing process" means the production of an article of tangible personal property, whether the article is a finished product or an article for use in the process of manufacturing or assembling a different article of tangible personal property, by a procedure commonly regarded as manufacturing, processing, fabricating, or HB0320

1 refining that changes some existing material or materials 2 into a material with a different form, use, or name. In 3 relation to a recognized integrated business composed of a series of operations that collectively constitute 4 5 manufacturing, or individually constitute manufacturing operations, the manufacturing process commences with the 6 7 first operation or stage of production in the series and does not end until the completion of the final product in 8 9 the last operation or stage of production in the series. 10 For purposes of this exemption, photoprocessing is a 11 manufacturing process of tangible personal property for wholesale or retail sale. 12

(2) "Assembling process" means the production of an
article of tangible personal property, whether the article
is a finished product or an article for use in the process
of manufacturing or assembling a different article of
tangible personal property, by the combination of existing
materials in a manner commonly regarded as assembling that
results in a material of a different form, use, or name.

(3) "Machinery" means major mechanical machines or
 major components of those machines contributing to a
 manufacturing or assembling process.

23 (4) "Equipment" includes an independent device or tool 24 separate from machinery but essential to an integrated 25 manufacturing or assembly process; including computers 26 used primarily in a manufacturer's computer assisted 27 design, computer assisted manufacturing (CAD/CAM) system; 28 any subunit or assembly comprising a component of any machinery or auxiliary, adjunct, or attachment parts of 29 30 machinery, such as tools, dies, jigs, fixtures, patterns, 31 and molds; and any parts that require periodic replacement 32 in the course of normal operation; but does not include hand tools. Equipment includes chemicals or chemicals 33 acting as catalysts but only if the chemicals or chemicals 34 35 acting as catalysts effect a direct and immediate change upon a product being manufactured or assembled for 36

1 wholesale or retail sale or lease.

2 (5) "Production related tangible personal property" means all tangible personal property used or consumed by 3 the purchaser in a manufacturing facility in which a 4 5 manufacturing process, as defined in this Section, takes 6 place, including tangible personal property purchased for incorporation into real estate within a manufacturing 7 facility and including, but not limited to, tangible 8 9 personal property used or consumed in activities such as preproduction material handling, receiving, quality 10 control, inventory control, storage, staging, and 11 12 packaging for shipping and transportation purposes. "Production related tangible personal property" does not 13 include (i) tangible personal property used, within or 14 without a manufacturing facility, in sales, purchasing, 15 16 accounting, fiscal management, marketing, personnel 17 recruitment or selection, or landscaping or (ii) tangible personal property required to be titled or registered with 18 19 a department, agency, or unit of federal, state, or local 20 government.

The manufacturing and assembling machinery and equipment 21 exemption includes the sale of materials to a purchaser who 22 23 produces exempted types of machinery, equipment, or tools and who rents or leases that machinery, equipment, or tools to a 24 manufacturer of tangible personal property. This exemption 25 26 also includes the sale of materials to a purchaser who 27 manufactures those materials into an exempted type of 28 machinery, equipment, or tools that the purchaser uses himself 29 or herself in the manufacturing of tangible personal property. 30 The purchaser of the machinery and equipment who has an active 31 resale registration number shall furnish that number to the 32 seller at the time of purchase. A purchaser of the machinery, equipment, and tools without an active resale registration 33 34 number shall furnish to the seller a certificate of exemption 35 for each transaction stating facts establishing the exemption for that transaction, and that certificate shall be available 36

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1 to the Department for inspection or audit. Informal rulings, 2 opinions, or letters issued by the Department in response to an 3 inquiry or request for an opinion from any person regarding the 4 coverage and applicability of this exemption to specific devices shall be published, maintained as a public record, and 5 made available for public inspection and copying. If the 6 7 informal ruling, opinion, or letter contains trade secrets or 8 other confidential information, where possible, the Department 9 shall delete that information before publication. Whenever 10 informal rulings, opinions, or letters contain a policy of general applicability, the Department shall formulate and 11 12 adopt that policy as a rule in accordance with the Illinois 13 Administrative Procedure Act.

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14 (Source: P.A. 91-51, eff. 6-30-99; 92-484, eff. 8-23-01.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.