1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022) COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE 3 FOR SENATE BILL 1499 By: Garvin 4 5 6 7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE An Act relating to feminine hygiene products; 8 defining terms; creating the Feminine Hygiene 9 Program; directing the State Department of Health to administer program; requiring the provision of certain grants to local health departments; stating 10 purpose of grants; stipulating grant application process; authorizing local health departments to 11 partner with certain entities; requiring determination from Department based on certain 12 metrics; directing promulgation of rules; creating the Feminine Hygiene Program Revolving Fund; stating 13 sources of funds; providing for expenditures from fund; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 1353, which 14 relates to sales tax apportionment; providing apportionment to Feminine Hygiene Program Revolving 15 Fund; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 1357, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 68, O.S.L. 2021, which 16 relates to exemptions; providing exemption for feminine hygiene products; requiring exemption 17 administered in the form of a refund; authorizing purchaser to apply for refund within certain period; 18 requiring furnishment of certain receipts; directing the Oklahoma Tax Commission to prescribe form; 19 defining term; providing for codification; and providing an effective date. 20 21 22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 23 24

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-228 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. As used in this section:

- 1. "Feminine hygiene products" means tampons, panty liners, menstrual cups, sanitary napkins, and other products designed for feminine hygiene in connection with the human menstrual cycle; and
- 2. "Local health department" means a county department of health, a cooperative department of health, a district department of health, or a city-county health department.
- B. There is hereby created the Feminine Hygiene Program. The State Department of Health shall administer the Feminine Hygiene Program to provide grants to local health departments for the purpose of providing feminine hygiene products to women.
- C. Local health departments may apply to the State Department of Health for available funds. The application shall be on a form provided by the Department and shall contain information including but not limited to the items the local health department plans to purchase, the needs of the population the local health department intends to serve, and any entities the local health department plans to partner with to distribute feminine hygiene products.
- D. For the distribution of feminine hygiene products, local health departments may partner with public schools, institutions of

higher education, career tech centers, and nonprofit organizations that are solely organized in this state.

- E. The State Department of Health shall determine grant application approvals and grant amounts based on a measure of the needs of the population the local health department intends to serve. The Department shall determine a measure of needs by analyzing information on the population to be served including but not limited to health statistics, income levels, employment statistics, or rates of domestic crime.
- F. The State Commissioner of Health shall promulgate rules to administer the provisions of this sections.
- SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-228.1 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund for the State Department of Health, to be designated the "Feminine Hygiene Program Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of all monies received by the State Department of Health from appropriations of the Legislature, federal grants or funds, and sales tax apportionments pursuant to Section 1353 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated and shall be budgeted and expended to administer and provide grants pursuant to the Feminine Hygiene

Program created in Section 1 of this act. Expenditures from the fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services for approval and payment.

SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 68 O.S. 2021, Section 1353, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1353. A. It is hereby declared to be the purpose of the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code to provide funds for the financing of the program provided for by the Oklahoma Social Security Act and to provide revenues for the support of the functions of the state government of Oklahoma, and for this purpose it is hereby expressly provided that, revenues derived pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code, subject to the apportionment requirements for the Oklahoma Tax Commission and Office of Management and Enterprise Services Joint Computer Enhancement Fund provided by Section 265 of this title, shall be apportioned as follows:

1. Except as provided in subsections C and D of this section, the following amounts shall be paid to the State Treasurer to be placed to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be paid out pursuant to direct appropriation by the Legislature:

22	Fiscal Year	Amount
23	FY 2003 and FY 2004	86.04%
24	FY 2005	85.83%

1	FY 2006 85.54%		
2	FY 2007 85.04%		
3	FY 2008 through FY 2022 83.61%		
4	FY 2023 through FY 2027 83.36%		
5	FY 2028 and each fiscal year thereafter 83.61%;		
6	2. The following amounts shall be paid to the State Treasurer		
7	to be placed to the credit of the Education Reform Revolving Fund of		
8	the State Department of Education:		
9	a. for FY 2003, FY 2004 and FY 2005, ten and forty-two		
10	one-hundredths percent (10.42%),		
11	b. for FY 2006 through FY 2020, ten and forty-six one-		
12	hundredths percent (10.46%),		
13	c. for FY 2021:		
14	(1) for the month beginning July 1, 2020, through the		
15	month ending August 31, 2020, ten and forty-six		
16	one-hundredths percent (10.46%), and		
17	(2) for the month beginning September 1, 2020,		
18	through the month ending June 30, 2021, eleven		
19	and ninety-six one-hundredths percent (11.96%),		
20	d. for FY 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, ten and		
21	forty-six one-hundredths percent (10.46%);		
22	3. The following amounts shall be paid to the State Treasurer		
23	to be placed to the credit of the Teachers' Retirement System		
24	Dedicated Revenue Revolving Fund:		

1	Fiscal	Year	Amount
2	FY 2003	3 and FY 2004	3.54%
3	FY 2005		3.75%
4	FY 2006		4.0%
5	FY 2007	1	4.5%
6	FY 2008	3 through FY 2020	5.0%
7	FY 2021	. :	
8	a.	for the month beginning July	
9		1, 2020, through the month	
10		ending August 31, 2020	5.0%
11	b.	for the month beginning	
12		September 1, 2020, through	
13		the month ending June 30,	
14		2021	3.5%
15	FY 2022		5.0%
16	FY 2023	3 through FY 2027	5.25%
17	FY 2028	3 and each fiscal year thereafter	5.0%;
18	4. a.	except as otherwise provided in	subparagraph b of this
19		paragraph, for the fiscal year	beginning July 1, 2015,
20		and for each fiscal year therea	fter, eighty-seven one-
21		hundredths percent (0.87%) shal	l be paid to the State
22		Treasurer to be further apporti	oned as follows:
23		(1) thirty-six percent (36%) s	shall be placed to the
24		credit of the Oklahoma Tou	rism Promotion

Revolving Fund, but in no event shall such
apportionment exceed Five Million Dollars

(\$5,000,000.00) in any fiscal year, and

- (2) sixty-four percent (64%) shall be placed to the credit of the Oklahoma Tourism Capital Improvement Revolving Fund, but in no event shall such apportionment exceed Nine Million Dollars (\$9,000,000.00) in any fiscal year, and
- b. any amounts which exceed the limitations of subparagraph a of this paragraph shall be placed to the credit of the General Revenue Fund; and
- 5. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and for each fiscal year thereafter, six one-hundredths percent (0.06%) shall be placed to the credit of the Oklahoma Historical Society Capital Improvement and Operations Revolving Fund, but in no event shall such apportionment exceed the total amount apportioned pursuant to this paragraph for the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2015. Any amounts which exceed the limitations of this paragraph shall be placed to the credit of the General Revenue Fund.
- B. Provided, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and every fiscal year thereafter, an amount of revenue shall be apportioned to each municipality or county which levies a sales tax subject to the provisions of Section 1357.10 of this title and subsection F of Section 2701 of this title equal to the amount of

- 1 sales tax revenue of such municipality or county exempted by the provisions of Section 1357.10 of this title and subsection F of 2 Section 2701 of this title. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall 3 promulgate and adopt rules necessary to implement the provisions of 4 this subsection.
 - C. From the monies that would otherwise be apportioned to the General Revenue Fund pursuant to subsection A of this section, there shall be apportioned the following amounts:
 - 1. For the month ending August 31, 2019:

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- Nine Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars a. (\$9,600,000.00) to the credit of the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund created in Section 1501 of Title 69 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and
- b. Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to the credit of the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund created in Section 309 of Title 66 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- For the month ending September 30, 2019:
 - Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000.00) to the credit a. of the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund created in Section 1501 of Title 69 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and
 - Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to the credit of b. the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund

created in Section 309 of Title 66 of the Oklahoma
Statutes:

- 3. For the month ending October 31, 2019:
 - a. Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000.00) to the credit of the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund created in Section 1501 of Title 69 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and
 - b. Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to the credit of the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund created in Section 309 of Title 66 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 4. For the month ending November 30, 2019:
 - a. Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000.00) to the credit of the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund created in Section 1501 of Title 69 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and
 - b. Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to the credit of the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund created in Section 309 of Title 66 of the Oklahoma Statutes; and
- 5. For the month ending December 31, 2019:
 - of the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund

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- b. Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to the credit of the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund created in Section 309 of Title 66 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
- D. For fiscal year 2023, and each subsequent fiscal year, before any other apportionment otherwise required by this section is made to the General Revenue Fund, there shall be apportioned to the State Public Common School Building Equalization Fund an amount, if any, as required pursuant to Section 3-104 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes, not to exceed the state sales tax generated by medical marijuana sales in the preceding fiscal year as reported by the Oklahoma Tax Commission.
- E. For fiscal year 2024 and each subsequent fiscal year, before any other apportionment otherwise required by this section is made to the General Revenue Fund, there shall be apportioned One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) to the Feminine Hygiene Program Revolving Fund created in Section 2 of this act.
- SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 68 O.S. 2021, Section 1357, as
 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 68, O.S.L. 2021, is amended to
 read as follows:

Section 1357. Exemptions - General. There are hereby specifically exempted from the tax levied by the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code:

1. Transportation of school pupils to and from elementary schools or high schools in motor or other vehicles;

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- 2. Transportation of persons where the fare of each person does not exceed One Dollar (\$1.00), or local transportation of persons within the corporate limits of a municipality except by taxicabs;
- Sales for resale to persons engaged in the business of reselling the articles purchased, whether within or without the state, provided that such sales to residents of this state are made to persons to whom sales tax permits have been issued as provided in the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code. This exemption shall not apply to the sales of articles made to persons holding permits when such persons purchase items for their use and which they are not regularly engaged in the business of reselling; neither shall this exemption apply to sales of tangible personal property to peddlers, solicitors, and other salespersons who do not have an established place of business and a sales tax permit. The exemption provided by this paragraph shall apply to sales of motor fuel or diesel fuel to a Group Five vendor, but the use of such motor fuel or diesel fuel by the Group Five vendor shall not be exempt from the tax levied by the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code. The purchase of motor fuel or diesel fuel is exempt from sales tax when the motor fuel is for shipment

outside this state and consumed by a common carrier by rail in the conduct of its business. The sales tax shall apply to the purchase of motor fuel or diesel fuel in Oklahoma by a common carrier by rail when such motor fuel is purchased for fueling, within this state, of any locomotive or other motorized flanged wheel equipment;

- 4. Sales of advertising space in newspapers and periodicals;
- 5. Sales of programs relating to sporting and entertainment events, and sales of advertising on billboards (including signage, posters, panels, marquees, or on other similar surfaces, whether indoors or outdoors) or in programs relating to sporting and entertainment events, and sales of any advertising, to be displayed at or in connection with a sporting event, via the Internet, electronic display devices, or through public address or broadcast systems. The exemption authorized by this paragraph shall be effective for all sales made on or after January 1, 2001;
- 6. Sales of any advertising, other than the advertising described by paragraph 5 of this section, via the Internet, electronic display devices, or through the electronic media, including radio, public address or broadcast systems, television (whether through closed circuit broadcasting systems or otherwise), and cable and satellite television, and the servicing of any advertising devices;
- 7. Eggs, feed, supplies, machinery, and equipment purchased by persons regularly engaged in the business of raising worms, fish,

any insect, or any other form of terrestrial or aquatic animal life and used for the purpose of raising same for marketing. This exemption shall only be granted and extended to the purchaser when the items are to be used and in fact are used in the raising of animal life as set out above. Each purchaser shall certify, in writing, on the invoice or sales ticket retained by the vendor that the purchaser is regularly engaged in the business of raising such animal life and that the items purchased will be used only in such business. The vendor shall certify to the Oklahoma Tax Commission that the price of the items has been reduced to grant the full benefit of the exemption. Violation hereof by the purchaser or vendor shall be a misdemeanor;

- 8. Sale of natural or artificial gas and electricity, and associated delivery or transmission services, when sold exclusively for residential use. Provided, this exemption shall not apply to any sales tax levied by a city or town, or a county, or any other jurisdiction in this state;
- 9. In addition to the exemptions authorized by Section 1357.6 of this title, sales of drugs sold pursuant to a prescription written for the treatment of human beings by a person licensed to prescribe the drugs, and sales of insulin and medical oxygen.

 Provided, this exemption shall not apply to over-the-counter drugs;
- 10. Transfers of title or possession of empty, partially filled, or filled returnable oil and chemical drums to any person

who is not regularly engaged in the business of selling, reselling, or otherwise transferring empty, partially filled, or filled

returnable oil drums;

- 11. Sales of one-way utensils, paper napkins, paper cups, disposable hot containers, and other one-way carry out materials to a vendor of meals or beverages;
- 12. Sales of food or food products for home consumption which are purchased in whole or in part with coupons issued pursuant to the federal food stamp program as authorized by Sections 2011 through 2029 of Title 7 of the United States Code, as to that portion purchased with such coupons. The exemption provided for such sales shall be inapplicable to such sales upon the effective date of any federal law that removes the requirement of the exemption as a condition for participation by the state in the federal food stamp program;
- 13. Sales of food or food products, or any equipment or supplies used in the preparation of the food or food products to or by an organization which:
 - is exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26
 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), and which provides and delivers prepared meals for home consumption to elderly or homebound persons as part of a program

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commonly known as "Meals on Wheels" or "Mobile Meals",

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- b. is exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), and which receives federal funding pursuant to the Older Americans Act of 1965, as amended, for the purpose of providing nutrition programs for the care and benefit of elderly persons;
- 14. a. Sales of tangible personal property or services to or by organizations which are exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), and:
 - (1) are primarily involved in the collection and distribution of food and other household products to other organizations that facilitate the distribution of such products to the needy and such distributee organizations are exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), or
 - (2) facilitate the distribution of such products to the needy.

- b. Sales made in the course of business for profit or savings, competing with other persons engaged in the same or similar business shall not be exempt under this paragraph;
- 15. Sales of tangible personal property or services to children's homes which are located on church-owned property and are operated by organizations exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3);

16. Sales of computers, data processing equipment, related peripherals, and telephone, telegraph or telecommunications service and equipment for use in a qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility. For purposes of this paragraph, "qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility" means a new or expanding facility primarily engaged in aircraft repair, building, or rebuilding whether or not on a factory basis, whose total cost of construction exceeds the sum of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) and which employs at least two hundred fifty (250) new full-time-equivalent employees, as certified by the Oklahoma Employment Security Commission, upon completion of the facility. In order to qualify for the exemption provided for by this paragraph, the cost of the items purchased by the qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility shall equal or exceed the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00);

17. Sales of tangible personal property consumed or incorporated in the construction or expansion of a qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility as defined in paragraph 16 of this section. For purposes of this paragraph, sales made to a contractor or subcontractor that has previously entered into a contractual relationship with a qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility for construction or expansion of such a facility shall be considered sales made to a qualified aircraft maintenance or manufacturing facility;

- 18. Sales of the following telecommunications services:
 - a. Interstate and International "800 service". "800 service" means a "telecommunications service" that allows a caller to dial a toll-free number without incurring a charge for the call. The service is typically marketed under the name "800", "855", "866", "877", and "888" toll-free calling, and any subsequent numbers designated by the Federal Communications Commission, or
 - b. Interstate and International "900 service". "900 service" means an inbound toll "telecommunications service" purchased by a subscriber that allows the subscriber's customers to call in to the subscriber's prerecorded announcement or live service. "900 service" does not include the charge for: collection

services provided by the seller of the

"telecommunications services" to the subscriber, or

service or product sold by the subscriber to the

subscriber's customer. The service is typically

marketed under the name "900" service, and any

subsequent numbers designated by the Federal

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- c. Interstate and International "private communications service". "Private communications service" means a "telecommunications service" that entitles the customer to exclusive or priority use of a communications channel or group of channels between or among termination points, regardless of the manner in which such channel or channels are connected, and includes switching capacity, extension lines, stations, and any other associated services that are provided in connection with the use of such channel or
- d. "Value-added nonvoice data service". "Value-added nonvoice data service" means a service that otherwise meets the definition of "telecommunications services" in which computer processing applications are used to act on the form, content, code, or protocol of the

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information or data primarily for a purpose other than transmission, conveyance, or routing,

- e. Interstate and International telecommunications service which is:
 - (1) rendered by a company for private use within its organization, or
 - (2) used, allocated, or distributed by a company to its affiliated group,
- f. Regulatory assessments and charges, including charges to fund the Oklahoma Universal Service Fund, the Oklahoma Lifeline Fund and the Oklahoma High Cost Fund, and
- g. Telecommunications nonrecurring charges, including but not limited to the installation, connection, change, or initiation of telecommunications services which are not associated with a retail consumer sale;
- 19. Sales of railroad track spikes manufactured and sold for use in this state in the construction or repair of railroad tracks, switches, sidings, and turnouts;
- 20. Sales of aircraft and aircraft parts provided such sales occur at a qualified aircraft maintenance facility. As used in this paragraph, "qualified aircraft maintenance facility" means a facility operated by an air common carrier, including one or more component overhaul support buildings or structures in an area owned,

leased, or controlled by the air common carrier, at which there were employed at least two thousand (2,000) full-time-equivalent employees in the preceding year as certified by the Oklahoma Employment Security Commission and which is primarily related to the fabrication, repair, alteration, modification, refurbishing, maintenance, building, or rebuilding of commercial aircraft or aircraft parts used in air common carriage. For purposes of this paragraph, "air common carrier" shall also include members of an affiliated group as defined by Section 1504 of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 1504. Beginning July 1, 2012, sales of machinery, tools, supplies, equipment, and related tangible personal property and services used or consumed in the repair, remodeling, or maintenance of aircraft, aircraft engines, or aircraft component parts which occur at a qualified aircraft maintenance facility;

- 21. Sales of machinery and equipment purchased and used by persons and establishments primarily engaged in computer services and data processing:
 - a. as defined under Industrial Group Numbers 7372 and
 7373 of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC)
 Manual, latest version, which derive at least fifty
 percent (50%) of their annual gross revenues from the
 sale of a product or service to an out-of-state buyer
 or consumer, and

b. as defined under Industrial Group Number 7374 of the SIC Manual, latest version, which derive at least eighty percent (80%) of their annual gross revenues from the sale of a product or service to an out-of-state buyer or consumer.

Eligibility for the exemption set out in this paragraph shall be established, subject to review by the Tax Commission, by annually filing an affidavit with the Tax Commission stating that the facility so qualifies and such information as required by the Tax Commission. For purposes of determining whether annual gross revenues are derived from sales to out-of-state buyers or consumers, all sales to the federal government shall be considered to be to an out-of-state buyer or consumer;

- 22. Sales of prosthetic devices to an individual for use by such individual. For purposes of this paragraph, "prosthetic device" shall have the same meaning as provided in Section 1357.6 of this title, but shall not include corrective eye glasses, contact lenses, or hearing aids;
- 23. Sales of tangible personal property or services to a motion picture or television production company to be used or consumed in connection with an eligible production. For purposes of this paragraph, "eligible production" means a documentary, special, music video, or a television commercial or television program that will serve as a pilot for or be a segment of an ongoing dramatic or

1 situation comedy series filmed or taped for network or national or regional syndication or a feature-length motion picture intended for 2 theatrical release or for network or national or regional 3 syndication or broadcast. The provisions of this paragraph shall 5 apply to sales occurring on or after July 1, 1996. In order to qualify for the exemption, the motion picture or television 6 production company shall file any documentation and information 7 required to be submitted pursuant to rules promulgated by the Tax 9 Commission;

24. Sales of diesel fuel sold for consumption by commercial vessels, barges and other commercial watercraft;

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- 25. Sales of tangible personal property or services to taxexempt independent nonprofit biomedical research foundations that provide educational programs for Oklahoma science students and teachers and to tax-exempt independent nonprofit community blood banks headquartered in this state;
- 26. Effective May 6, 1992, sales of wireless telecommunications equipment to a vendor who subsequently transfers the equipment at no charge or for a discounted charge to a consumer as part of a promotional package or as an inducement to commence or continue a contract for wireless telecommunications services;
- 27. Effective January 1, 1991, leases of rail transportation cars to haul coal to coal-fired plants located in this state which generate electric power;

28. Beginning July 1, 2005, sales of aircraft engine repairs, modification, and replacement parts, sales of aircraft frame repairs and modification, aircraft interior modification, and paint, and sales of services employed in the repair, modification, and replacement of parts of aircraft engines, aircraft frame and interior repair and modification, and paint;

- 29. Sales of materials and supplies to the owner or operator of a ship, motor vessel, or barge that is used in interstate or international commerce if the materials and supplies:
 - a. are loaded on the ship, motor vessel, or barge and used in the maintenance and operation of the ship, motor vessel, or barge, or
 - b. enter into and become component parts of the ship, motor vessel, or barge;
- 30. Sales of tangible personal property made at estate sales at which such property is offered for sale on the premises of the former residence of the decedent by a person who is not required to be licensed pursuant to the Transient Merchant Licensing Act, or who is not otherwise required to obtain a sales tax permit for the sale of such property pursuant to the provisions of Section 1364 of this title; provided:
 - a. such sale or event may not be held for a period exceeding three (3) consecutive days,

b. the sale must be conducted within six (6) months of the date of death of the decedent, and

- c. the exemption allowed by this paragraph shall not be allowed for property that was not part of the decedent's estate;
- 31. Beginning January 1, 2004, sales of electricity and associated delivery and transmission services, when sold exclusively for use by an oil and gas operator for reservoir dewatering projects and associated operations commencing on or after July 1, 2003, in which the initial water-to-oil ratio is greater than or equal to five-to-one water-to-oil, and such oil and gas development projects have been classified by the Corporation Commission as a reservoir dewatering unit;
- 32. Sales of prewritten computer software that is delivered electronically. For purposes of this paragraph, "delivered electronically" means delivered to the purchaser by means other than tangible storage media;
- 33. Sales of modular dwelling units when built at a production facility and moved in whole or in parts, to be assembled on-site, and permanently affixed to the real property and used for residential or commercial purposes. The exemption provided by this paragraph shall equal forty-five percent (45%) of the total sales price of the modular dwelling unit. For purposes of this paragraph, "modular dwelling unit" means a structure that is not subject to the

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Sales of tangible personal property or services to persons who are residents of Oklahoma and have been honorably discharged from active service in any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States or Oklahoma National Guard and who have been certified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs or its successor to be in receipt of disability compensation at the one-hundred-percent rate and the disability shall be permanent and have been sustained through military action or accident or resulting from disease contracted while in such active service or the surviving spouse of such person if the person is deceased and the spouse has not remarried; provided, sales for the benefit of the person to a spouse of the eligible person or to a member of the household in which the eligible person resides and who is authorized to make purchases on the person's behalf, when such eligible person is not present at the sale, shall also be exempt for purposes of this paragraph. Oklahoma Tax Commission shall issue a separate exemption card to a spouse of an eligible person or to a member of the household in which the eliqible person resides who is authorized to make purchases on the person's behalf, if requested by the eligible person. Sales qualifying for the exemption authorized by this paragraph shall not exceed Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) per year per individual while the disabled veteran is living.

qualifying for the exemption authorized by this paragraph shall not exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per year for an unremarried surviving spouse. Upon request of the Tax Commission, a person asserting or claiming the exemption authorized by this paragraph shall provide a statement, executed under oath, that the total sales amounts for which the exemption is applicable have not exceeded Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) per year per living disabled veteran or One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per year for an unremarried surviving spouse. If the amount of such exempt sales exceeds such amount, the sales tax in excess of the authorized amount shall be treated as a direct sales tax liability and may be recovered by the Tax Commission in the same manner provided by law for other taxes, including penalty and interest;

35. Sales of electricity to the operator, specifically designated by the Corporation Commission, of a spacing unit or lease from which oil is produced or attempted to be produced using enhanced recovery methods, including, but not limited to, increased pressure in a producing formation through the use of water or saltwater if the electrical usage is associated with and necessary for the operation of equipment required to inject or circulate fluids in a producing formation for the purpose of forcing oil or petroleum into a wellbore for eventual recovery and production from the wellhead. In order to be eligible for the sales tax exemption authorized by this paragraph, the total content of oil recovered

after the use of enhanced recovery methods shall not exceed one

percent (1%) by volume. The exemption authorized by this paragraph

shall be applicable only to the state sales tax rate and shall not

be applicable to any county or municipal sales tax rate;

- 36. Sales of intrastate charter and tour bus transportation.
 As used in this paragraph, "intrastate charter and tour bus transportation" means the transportation of persons from one location in this state to another location in this state in a motor vehicle which has been constructed in such a manner that it may lawfully carry more than eighteen persons, and which is ordinarily used or rented to carry persons for compensation. Provided, this exemption shall not apply to regularly scheduled bus transportation for the general public;
- 37. Sales of vitamins, minerals, and dietary supplements by a licensed chiropractor to a person who is the patient of such chiropractor at the physical location where the chiropractor provides chiropractic care or services to such patient. The provisions of this paragraph shall not be applicable to any drug, medicine, or substance for which a prescription by a licensed physician is required;
- 38. Sales of goods, wares, merchandise, tangible personal property, machinery, and equipment to a web search portal located in this state which derives at least eighty percent (80%) of its annual gross revenue from the sale of a product or service to an out-of-

state buyer or consumer. For purposes of this paragraph, "web search portal" means an establishment classified under NAICS code 519130 which operates websites that use a search engine to generate and maintain extensive databases of Internet addresses and content in an easily searchable format;

- 39. Sales of tangible personal property consumed or incorporated in the construction or expansion of a facility for a corporation organized under Section 437 et seq. of Title 18 of the Oklahoma Statutes as a rural electric cooperative. For purposes of this paragraph, sales made to a contractor or subcontractor that has previously entered into a contractual relationship with a rural electric cooperative for construction or expansion of a facility shall be considered sales made to a rural electric cooperative;
- 40. Sales of tangible personal property or services to a business primarily engaged in the repair of consumer electronic goods, including, but not limited to, cell phones, compact disc players, personal computers, MP3 players, digital devices for the storage and retrieval of information through hard-wired or wireless computer or Internet connections, if the devices are sold to the business by the original manufacturer of such devices and the devices are repaired, refitted, or refurbished for sale by the entity qualifying for the exemption authorized by this paragraph directly to retail consumers or if the devices are sold to another business entity for sale to retail consumers;

41. On or after July 1, 2019, and prior to July 1, 2024, sales or leases of rolling stock when sold or leased by the manufacturer, regardless of whether the purchaser is a public services corporation engaged in business as a common carrier of property or passengers by railway, for use or consumption by a common carrier directly in the rendition of public service. For purposes of this paragraph, "rolling stock" means locomotives, autocars, and railroad cars and "sales or leases" includes railroad car maintenance and retrofitting of railroad cars for their further use only on the railways;

- 42. Sales of gold, silver, platinum, palladium, or other bullion items such as coins and bars and legal tender of any nation, which legal tender is sold according to its value as precious metal or as an investment. As used in the paragraph, "bullion" means any precious metal, including, but not limited to, gold, silver, platinum, and palladium, that is in such a state or condition that its value depends upon its precious metal content and not its form. The exemption authorized by this paragraph shall not apply to fabricated metals that have been processed or manufactured for artistic use or as jewelry; and
- 43. Until January 2027, sales of commercial forestry service equipment, limited to forwarders, fellers, bunchers, track skidders, wheeled skidders, hydraulic excavators, delimbers, soil compactors and skid steer loaders, to businesses engaged in logging, timber and tree farming; and

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44. Sales of feminine hygiene products. The exemption
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    authorized by this paragraph shall be administered in the form of a
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    refund from the sales tax revenues apportioned pursuant to Section
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    1353 of this title, and the vendor shall be required to collect the
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    sales tax otherwise applicable to the transaction. The purchaser
    may apply for a refund of the state sales tax paid in the manner
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    prescribed by this paragraph. Within sixty (60) days after the end
    of each calendar year, any purchaser that is entitled to make
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    application for a refund based upon the exempt treatment authorized
    by this paragraph may file an application for refund of the state
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    sales taxes paid during the preceding calendar year and shall
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    furnish receipts documenting the exempt purchases made with the
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    application. The Tax Commission shall prescribe a form for purposes
    of making the application for refund. For the purposes of this
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    paragraph, "feminine hygiene products" means tampons, panty liners,
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    menstrual cups, sanitary napkins, and other similar tangible
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    personal property designed for feminine hygiene in connection with
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        SECTION 5. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.
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