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HOUSE BILL No. 5441

March 9, 2016, Introduced by Reps. Kosowski and LaVoy and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

A bill to amend 1937 PA 94, entitled

"Use tax act,"

(MCL 205.91 to 205.111) by adding section 4cc.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 4CC. (1) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (2), THE TAX UNDER THIS
- 2 ACT DOES NOT APPLY TO THE SALE OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IF THE
- 3 SALE IS MADE BETWEEN 12:01 A.M. AND 11:59 P.M. ON THE THIRD
- 4 SATURDAY OF AUGUST EACH YEAR:
- 5 (A) CLOTHING IF THE SALES PRICE OF EACH INDIVIDUAL ITEM IS NOT
- 6 GREATER THAN \$75.00.
- 7 (B) SCHOOL SUPPLIES IF THE SALES PRICE OF EACH INDIVIDUAL ITEM
- 8 IS NOT GREATER THAN \$15.00.
 - (2) THE EXEMPTION IN SUBSECTION (1) DOES NOT APPLY TO THE
- 10 FOLLOWING:
 - (A) CLOTHING ACCESSORIES OR EQUIPMENT.

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- 1 (B) PROTECTIVE, SPORT, OR RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT.
- 2 (C) ANY ITEM SOLD FOR USE IN A TRADE OR BUSINESS.
- 3 (D) FURNITURE.
- 4 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 5 (A) "CLOTHING" MEANS ANY ARTICLE OF WEARING APPAREL, INCLUDING
- 6 ALL FOOTWEAR, INTENDED TO BE WORN ON OR ABOUT THE HUMAN BODY.
- 7 (B) "CLOTHING ACCESSORIES OR EQUIPMENT" MEANS INCIDENTAL ITEMS
- 8 WORN ON THE PERSON OR IN CONJUNCTION WITH CLOTHING, INCLUDING, BUT
- 9 NOT LIMITED TO, WATCHES, WATCHBANDS, JEWELRY, UMBRELLAS, OR
- 10 HANDKERCHIEFS.
- 11 (C) "PROTECTIVE, SPORT, OR RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT" MEANS ITEMS
- 12 DESIGNED FOR HUMAN USE AND WORN IN CONJUNCTION WITH AN ATHLETIC OR
- 13 RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY AND THAT ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR GENERAL USE,
- 14 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SKIS, SWIM FINS, ROLLERBLADES, AND
- 15 SKATES.
- 16 (D) "SCHOOL SUPPLIES" MEANS PENS, PENCILS, ERASERS, CRAYONS,
- 17 NOTEBOOKS, NOTEBOOK FILLER PAPER, LEGAL PADS, BINDERS, LUNCH BOXES,
- 18 CONSTRUCTION PAPER, MARKERS, FOLDERS, POSTER BOARD, COMPOSITION
- 19 BOOKS, POSTER PAPER, SCISSORS, CELLOPHANE TAPE, GLUE, PASTE,
- 20 RULERS, COMPUTER DISKS, PROTRACTORS, COMPASSES, CALCULATORS, AND
- 21 SIMILAR ITEMS.