

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Valdés offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 1546 and 1547, insert:

5 Section 32. Paragraph (vvv) is added to subsection (7) of  
6 section 212.08, Florida Statutes, to read:

7 212.08 Sales, rental, use, consumption, distribution, and  
8 storage tax; specified exemptions.—The sale at retail, the  
9 rental, the use, the consumption, the distribution, and the  
10 storage to be used or consumed in this state of the following  
11 are hereby specifically exempt from the tax imposed by this  
12 chapter.

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13 (7) MISCELLANEOUS EXEMPTIONS.—Exemptions provided to any  
 14 entity by this chapter do not inure to any transaction that is  
 15 otherwise taxable under this chapter when payment is made by a  
 16 representative or employee of the entity by any means,  
 17 including, but not limited to, cash, check, or credit card, even  
 18 when that representative or employee is subsequently reimbursed  
 19 by the entity. In addition, exemptions provided to any entity by  
 20 this subsection do not inure to any transaction that is  
 21 otherwise taxable under this chapter unless the entity has  
 22 obtained a sales tax exemption certificate from the department  
 23 or the entity obtains or provides other documentation as  
 24 required by the department. Eligible purchases or leases made  
 25 with such a certificate must be in strict compliance with this  
 26 subsection and departmental rules, and any person who makes an  
 27 exempt purchase with a certificate that is not in strict  
 28 compliance with this subsection and the rules is liable for and  
 29 shall pay the tax. The department may adopt rules to administer  
 30 this subsection.

31 (vvv) Reusable water bottles.—The sale of reusable water  
 32 bottles are exempt from the tax imposed by this chapter.

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 35 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

36 Remove line 118 and insert:

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37 | for future repeal; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; providing  
38 | an exemption from sales tax for certain water bottles;  
39 | providing effective dates.

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