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# SENATE BILL NO. 931

### 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary

## **AN ACT**

To repeal sections 44.032, 130.029, 143.081, 143.121, 347.020, 347.143, 347.179, 347.183, 347.186, 358.460, 358.470, 431.202, and 620.1039, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof nineteen new sections relating to corporations, with penalty provisions.

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

Section A. Sections 44.032, 130.029, 143.081, 143.121,

- 2 347.020, 347.143, 347.179, 347.183, 347.186, 358.460, 358.470,
- 3 431.202, and 620.1039, RSMo, are repealed and nineteen new
- 4 sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections
- 5 30.267, 44.032, 130.029, 143.081, 143.121, 143.436, 347.020,
- 6 347.044, 347.143, 347.179, 347.183, 347.186, 358.460, 358.470,
- 7 362.034, 407.475, 431.201, 431.202, and 620.1039, to read as
- 8 follows:
  - 30.267. 1. In order to ensure that taxpayer money
- does not support any nation that has acted by means of
- 3 aggression towards the global community, the state of
- 4 Missouri, its political subdivisions, and any retirement
- 5 system established by the state of Missouri or any political
- 6 subdivision shall not contract with or invest in stocks,
- 7 bonds, or any direct holdings in companies that have active

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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- 8 business operations in strategic industries with the Russian
  9 Federation.
- 2. Existing contracts or investments shall not be renewed, and shall be cancelled or divested at the earliest prudent opportunity. Under no circumstance shall such contracts or investments be in force beyond December 31,
- 44.032. 1. (1) As used in this section, the term 2 "rural electric cooperative" means any rural electric 3 cooperative organized or operating under the provisions of 4 chapter 394, any corporation organized on a nonprofit or a cooperative basis as described in subsection 1 of section 5 394.200, or any electrical corporation operating under a 6 7 cooperative business plan as described in subsection 2 of 8 section 393.110.
- 9 The general assembly recognizes the necessity for 10 anticipating and making advance provisions to care for the unusual and extraordinary burdens imposed by disasters or 11 emergencies on this state [and], its political subdivisions 12 [by disasters or emergencies], and rural electric 13 cooperatives. To meet such situations, it is the intention 14 15 of the general assembly to confer emergency powers on the governor, acting through the director, and vesting the 16 17 governor with adequate power and authority within the limitation of available funds in the Missouri disaster fund 18 19 to meet any such emergency or disaster.
- 2. There is hereby established a fund to be known as
  the "Missouri Disaster Fund", to which the general assembly
  may appropriate funds and from which funds may be
  appropriated annually to the state emergency management
  agency. The funds appropriated shall be expended during a
  state emergency at the direction of the governor and upon

- 26 the issuance of an emergency declaration which shall set
- 27 forth the emergency and shall state that it requires the
- 28 expenditure of public funds to furnish immediate aid and
- 29 relief. The director of the state emergency management
- 30 agency shall administer the fund.
- 3. Expenditures may be made upon direction of the
- 32 governor for emergency management, as defined in section
- 33 44.010, or to implement the state disaster plans.
- 34 Expenditures may also be made to meet the matching
- 35 requirements of state and federal agencies for any
- 36 applicable assistance programs.
- 4. Assistance may be provided from the Missouri
- 38 disaster fund to political subdivisions of this state
- 39 [which] and rural electric cooperatives that have suffered
- 40 from a disaster to such an extent as to impose a severe
- 41 financial burden exceeding the ordinary reserve capacity of
- 42 the subdivision or rural electric cooperative affected.
- 43 Applications for aid under this section shall be made to the
- 44 state emergency management agency on such forms as may be
- 45 prescribed and furnished by the agency, which forms shall
- 46 require the furnishing of sufficient information to
- 47 determine eligibility for aid and the extent of the
- 48 financial burden incurred. The agency may call upon other
- 49 agencies of the state in evaluating such applications. The
- 50 director of the state emergency management agency shall
- 51 review each application for aid under the provisions of this
- 52 section and recommend its approval or disapproval, in whole
- or in part, to the governor. If approved, the governor
- 54 shall determine and certify to the director of the state
- 55 emergency management agency the amount of aid to be
- 56 furnished. The director of the state emergency management
- 57 agency shall thereupon issue [his] the director's voucher to

the commissioner of administration, who shall issue [his] the commissioner's warrants therefor to the applicant.

- 5. When a disaster or emergency has been proclaimed by the governor or there is a national emergency, the director of the state emergency management agency, upon order of the governor, shall have authority to expend funds for the following:
  - (1) The purposes of sections 44.010 to 44.130 and the responsibilities of the governor and the state emergency management agency as outlined in sections 44.010 to 44.130;
  - (2) Employing, for the duration of the response and recovery to emergency, additional personnel and contracting or otherwise procuring necessary appliances, supplies, equipment, and transport;
  - (3) Performing services for and furnishing materials and supplies to state government agencies, counties, [and] municipalities, and rural electric cooperatives with respect to performance of any duties enjoined by law upon such agencies, counties, [and] municipalities, and rural electric cooperatives which they are unable to perform because of extreme natural or man-made phenomena, and receiving reimbursement in whole or in part from such agencies, counties, [and] municipalities, and rural electric cooperatives able to pay therefor under such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the director of the state emergency management agency and any such agency, county, [or] municipality, or rural electric cooperative;
  - (4) Performing services for and furnishing materials to any individual in connection with alleviating hardship and distress growing out of extreme natural or man-made phenomena, and receiving reimbursement in whole or in part from such individual under such terms as may be agreed upon

- 90 by the director of the state emergency management agency and 91 such individual;
- 92 (5) Providing services to counties and municipalities 93 with respect to quelling riots and civil disturbances;
  - (6) Repairing and restoring public infrastructure;
- 95 (7) Furnishing transportation for supplies to 96 alleviate suffering and distress;
- 97 (8) Furnishing medical services and supplies to 98 prevent the spread of disease and epidemics;
  - (9) Quelling riots and civil disturbances;
- 100 (10) Training individuals or governmental agencies for 101 the purpose of perfecting the performance of emergency 102 assistance duties as defined in the state disaster plans;
- 103 (11) Procurement, storage, and transport of special
  104 emergency supplies or equipment determined by the director
  105 to be necessary to provide rapid response by state
  106 government to assist counties and municipalities in
  107 impending or actual emergencies;
- 108 (12) Clearing or removing from publicly or privately
  109 owned land or water, debris and wreckage which may threaten
  110 public health or safety;
- 111 (13) Reimbursement to any urban search and rescue task 112 force for any reasonable and necessary expenditures incurred 113 in the course of responding to any declared emergency under 114 this section; and
- 115 (14) Such other measures as are customarily necessary 116 to furnish adequate relief in cases of catastrophe or 117 disaster.
- 118 6. The governor may receive such voluntary
  119 contributions as may be made from any source to aid in
  120 carrying out the purposes of this section and shall credit
  121 the same to the Missouri disaster fund.

emergency management agency.

- 122 7. All obligations and expenses incurred by the 123 governor in the exercise of the powers and duties vested by 124 the provisions of this section shall be paid by the state treasurer out of available funds in the Missouri disaster 125 fund, and the commissioner of administration shall draw 126 127 warrants upon the state treasurer for the payment of such 128 sum, or so much thereof as may be required, upon receipt of 129 proper vouchers provided by the director of the state
- 131 The provisions of this section shall be liberally construed in order to accomplish the purposes of sections 132 44.010 to 44.130 and to permit the governor to cope 133 adequately with any emergency which may arise, and the 134 135 powers vested in the governor by this section shall be 136 construed as being in addition to all other powers presently 137 vested in the governor and not in derogation of any existing 138 powers.
- 9. Such funds as may be made available by the government of the United States for the purpose of alleviating distress from disasters may be accepted by the state treasurer and shall be credited to the Missouri disaster fund, unless otherwise specifically provided in the act of Congress making such funds available.
- 10. The foregoing provisions of this section

  notwithstanding, any expenditure or proposed series of

  expenditures which total in excess of one thousand dollars

  per project shall be approved by the governor prior to the

  expenditure.
  - 130.029. 1. Nothing herein contained shall be
    construed to prohibit any corporation organized under any
    general or special law of this state, or any other state or
    by an act of the Congress of the United States or any labor

- 5 organization, cooperative association or mutual association
- 6 from making any contributions or expenditures, provided:
- 7 (1) That the board of directors of any corporation by
- 8 resolution has authorized contributions or expenditures, or
- 9 by resolution has authorized a designated officer to make
- 10 such contributions or expenditures; or
- 11 (2) That the members of any labor organization,
- 12 cooperative association or mutual association have
- 13 authorized contributions or expenditures by a majority vote
- of the members present at a duly called meeting of any such
- 15 labor organization, cooperative association or mutual
- 16 association or by such vote has authorized a designated
- 17 officer to make such contributions or expenditures.
- 18 2. No provision of this section shall be construed to
- 19 authorize contributions or expenditures otherwise prohibited
- 20 by, or to change any necessary percentage of vote otherwise
- 21 required by, the articles of incorporation or association or
- 22 bylaws of such labor organization, corporation, cooperative
- 23 or mutual association.
- 24 3. Authority to make contributions or expenditures as
- 25 authorized by this section shall be adopted by general or
- 26 specific resolution. This resolution shall state the total
- 27 amount of contributions or expenditures authorized, the
- 28 purposes of such contributions or expenditures and the time
- 29 period within which such authority shall exist.
- 30 4. (1) Any limited liability company that is duly
- 31 registered pursuant to chapter 347 and that has not elected
- 32 to be classified as a corporation under the federal tax code
- 33 may make contributions to any committee if the limited
- 34 liability company has:
- 35 (a) Been in existence for at least one year prior to
- 36 such contribution; and

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- 37 (b) Submitted to the Missouri ethics commission a form
  38 indicating that the limited liability company is a
  39 legitimate business with a legitimate business interest and
  40 is not created for the sole purpose of making campaign
  41 contributions.
  - (2) The Missouri ethics commission shall develop a form for limited liability companies to use for purposes of paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of this subsection. The commission shall post all forms submitted pursuant to this subdivision on its website on a public page in a searchable format.
- 1. A resident individual, resident estate, 2 and resident trust shall be allowed a credit against the tax otherwise due pursuant to sections 143.005 to 143.998 for 3 the amount of any income tax imposed for the taxable year by 4 5 another state of the United States (or a political 6 subdivision thereof) or the District of Columbia on income 7 derived from sources therein and which is also subject to 8 tax pursuant to sections 143.005 to 143.998. For purposes of this subsection, the phrase "income tax imposed" shall be 9 that amount of tax before any income tax credit allowed by 10 such other state or the District of Columbia if the other 11 state or the District of Columbia authorizes a reciprocal 12 benefit for residents of this state. 13
- The credit provided pursuant to this section shall 14 not exceed an amount which bears the same ratio to the tax 15 16 otherwise due pursuant to sections 143.005 to 143.998 as the amount of the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income 17 18 derived from sources in the other taxing jurisdiction bears to the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income derived 19 from all sources. In applying the limitation of the 20 previous sentence to an estate or trust, Missouri taxable 21

- 22 income shall be substituted for Missouri adjusted gross
- 23 income. If the tax of more than one other taxing
- 24 jurisdiction is imposed on the same item of income, the
- 25 credit shall not exceed the limitation that would result if
- 26 the taxes of all the other jurisdictions applicable to the
- 27 item were deemed to be of a single jurisdiction.
- 28 3. (1) For the purposes of this section, in the case
- of an S corporation, each resident S shareholder shall be
- 30 considered to have paid a tax imposed on the shareholder in
- 31 an amount equal to the shareholder's pro rata share of any
- 32 net income tax paid by the S corporation to a state which
- 33 does not measure the income of shareholders on an S
- 34 corporation by reference to the income of the S corporation
- 35 or where a composite return and composite payments are made
- 36 in such state on behalf of the S shareholders by the S
- 37 corporation.
- 38 (2) A resident S shareholder shall be eligible for a
- 39 credit issued pursuant to this section in an amount equal to
- 40 the shareholder's pro rata share of any income tax imposed
- 41 pursuant to chapter 143 on income derived from sources in
- 42 another state of the United States, or a political
- 43 subdivision thereof, or the District of Columbia, and which
- 44 is subject to tax pursuant to chapter 143 but is not subject
- 45 to tax in such other jurisdiction.
- 4. For purposes of subsection 3 of this section, in
- 47 the case of an S corporation that is a bank chartered by a
- 48 state, the Office of Thrift Supervision, or the comptroller
- 49 of currency, each Missouri resident S shareholder of such
- 50 out-of-state bank shall qualify for the shareholder's pro
- 51 rata share of any net tax paid, including a bank franchise
- 52 tax based on the income of the bank, by such S corporation
- 53 where bank payment of taxes are made in such state on behalf

- of the S shareholders by the S bank to the extent of the tax paid.
- 143.121. 1. The Missouri adjusted gross income of a resident individual shall be the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income subject to the modifications in this section.
- 4 2. There shall be added to the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income:
- 6 (1) The amount of any federal income tax refund 7 received for a prior year which resulted in a Missouri 8 income tax benefit. The amount added pursuant to this
- 9 subdivision shall not include any amount of a federal income
- 10 tax refund attributable to a tax credit reducing a
- 11 taxpayer's federal tax liability pursuant to Public Law 116-
- 13 or 116-260, enacted by the 116th United States Congress,
- 13 for the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and
- 14 ending on or before December 31, 2020, and deducted from
- 15 Missouri adjusted gross income pursuant to section 143.171.
- 16 The amount added under this subdivision shall also not
- 17 include any amount of a federal income tax refund
- 18 attributable to a tax credit reducing a taxpayer's federal
- 19 tax liability under any other federal law that provides
- 20 direct economic impact payments to taxpayers to mitigate
- 21 financial challenges related to the COVID-19 pandemic, and
- 22 deducted from Missouri adjusted gross income under section
- 23 143.171;
- 24 (2) Interest on certain governmental obligations
- 25 excluded from federal gross income by 26 U.S.C. Section 103
- 26 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The previous
- 27 sentence shall not apply to interest on obligations of the
- 28 state of Missouri or any of its political subdivisions or
- 29 authorities and shall not apply to the interest described in
- 30 subdivision (1) of subsection 3 of this section. The amount

- 31 added pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by the
- 32 amounts applicable to such interest that would have been
- 33 deductible in computing the taxable income of the taxpayer
- 34 except only for the application of 26 U.S.C. Section 265 of
- 35 the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The reduction shall
- 36 only be made if it is at least five hundred dollars;
- 37 (3) The amount of any deduction that is included in
- 38 the computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26
- 39 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended
- 40 by the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002 to the
- 41 extent the amount deducted relates to property purchased on
- 42 or after July 1, 2002, but before July 1, 2003, and to the
- 43 extent the amount deducted exceeds the amount that would
- 44 have been deductible pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of
- 45 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as in effect on January 1,
- 46 2002;
- 47 (4) The amount of any deduction that is included in
- 48 the computation of federal taxable income for net operating
- 49 loss allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172 of the Internal
- 50 Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, other than the deduction
- 51 allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172(b)(1)(G) and 26 U.S.C.
- 52 Section 172(i) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as
- 53 amended, for a net operating loss the taxpayer claims in the
- 54 tax year in which the net operating loss occurred or carries
- 55 forward for a period of more than twenty years and carries
- 56 backward for more than two years. Any amount of net
- 57 operating loss taken against federal taxable income but
- 58 disallowed for Missouri income tax purposes pursuant to this
- 59 subdivision after June 18, 2002, may be carried forward and
- 60 taken against any income on the Missouri income tax return
- 61 for a period of not more than twenty years from the year of
- 62 the initial loss; and

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- 63 For nonresident individuals in all taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2006, the amount of any 64 65 property taxes paid to another state or a political subdivision of another state for which a deduction was 66 allowed on such nonresident's federal return in the taxable 67 year unless such state, political subdivision of a state, or 68 69 the District of Columbia allows a subtraction from income 70 for property taxes paid to this state for purposes of 71 calculating income for the income tax for such state, 72 political subdivision of a state, or the District of
- For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 74 (6) 75 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in a previous taxable year, but allowed as a deduction under 26 U.S.C. 76 77 Section 163, as amended, in the current taxable year by 78 reason of the carryforward of disallowed business interest 79 provisions of 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is 80 81 considered paid or accrued only in the first taxable year the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C. 82 Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C. 83 Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist. 84
  - 3. There shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the following amounts to the extent included in federal adjusted gross income:
- 88 (1) Interest received on deposits held at a federal
  89 reserve bank or interest or dividends on obligations of the
  90 United States and its territories and possessions or of any
  91 authority, commission or instrumentality of the United
  92 States to the extent exempt from Missouri income taxes
  93 pursuant to the laws of the United States. The amount
  94 subtracted pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by

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- 95 any interest on indebtedness incurred to carry the described 96 obligations or securities and by any expenses incurred in 97 the production of interest or dividend income described in this subdivision. The reduction in the previous sentence 98 99 shall only apply to the extent that such expenses including 100 amortizable bond premiums are deducted in determining the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income or included in the 101 102 taxpayer's Missouri itemized deduction. The reduction shall 103 only be made if the expenses total at least five hundred 104 dollars;
- 105 The portion of any gain, from the sale or other (2) disposition of property having a higher adjusted basis to 106 the taxpayer for Missouri income tax purposes than for 107 108 federal income tax purposes on December 31, 1972, that does 109 not exceed such difference in basis. If a gain is 110 considered a long-term capital gain for federal income tax 111 purposes, the modification shall be limited to one-half of such portion of the gain; 112
  - (3) The amount necessary to prevent the taxation pursuant to this chapter of any annuity or other amount of income or gain which was properly included in income or gain and was taxed pursuant to the laws of Missouri for a taxable year prior to January 1, 1973, to the taxpayer, or to a decedent by reason of whose death the taxpayer acquired the right to receive the income or gain, or to a trust or estate from which the taxpayer received the income or gain;
- 121 (4) Accumulation distributions received by a taxpayer 122 as a beneficiary of a trust to the extent that the same are 123 included in federal adjusted gross income;
- 124 (5) The amount of any state income tax refund for a
  125 prior year which was included in the federal adjusted gross
  126 income;

- 127 (6) The portion of capital gain specified in section 128 135.357 that would otherwise be included in federal adjusted 129 gross income;
- 130 (7) The amount that would have been deducted in the
  131 computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26 U.S.C.
- 132 Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on
- 133 January 1, 2002, to the extent that amount relates to
- property purchased on or after July 1, 2002, but before July
- 135 1, 2003, and to the extent that amount exceeds the amount
- actually deducted pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the
- 137 Internal Revenue Code as amended by the Job Creation and
- 138 Worker Assistance Act of 2002;
- 139 (8) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 140 2005, the amount of any income received for military service
- 141 while the taxpayer serves in a combat zone which is included
- in federal adjusted gross income and not otherwise excluded
- 143 therefrom. As used in this section, "combat zone" means any
- 144 area which the President of the United States by Executive
- 145 Order designates as an area in which Armed Forces of the
- 146 United States are or have engaged in combat. Service is
- 147 performed in a combat zone only if performed on or after the
- 148 date designated by the President by Executive Order as the
- 149 date of the commencing of combat activities in such zone,
- and on or before the date designated by the President by
- 151 Executive Order as the date of the termination of combatant
- 152 activities in such zone;
- 153 (9) For all tax years ending on or after July 1, 2002,
- 154 with respect to qualified property that is sold or otherwise
- 155 disposed of during a taxable year by a taxpayer and for
- 156 which an additional modification was made under subdivision
- 157 (3) of subsection 2 of this section, the amount by which
- 158 additional modification made under subdivision (3) of

- 159 subsection 2 of this section on qualified property has not
- 160 been recovered through the additional subtractions provided
- in subdivision (7) of this subsection;
- 162 (10) For all tax years beginning on or after January
- 163 1, 2014, the amount of any income received as payment from
- any program which provides compensation to agricultural
- 165 producers who have suffered a loss as the result of a
- 166 disaster or emergency, including the:
- 167 (a) Livestock Forage Disaster Program;
- 168 (b) Livestock Indemnity Program;
- 169 (c) Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and
- 170 Farm-Raised Fish;
- 171 (d) Emergency Conservation Program;
- 172 (e) Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program;
- 173 (f) Pasture, Rangeland, Forage Pilot Insurance Program;
- 174 (g) Annual Forage Pilot Program;
- 175 (h) Livestock Risk Protection Insurance Plan;
- 176 (i) Livestock Gross Margin Insurance Plan;
- 177 (11) For all tax years beginning on or after January
- 178 1, 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in the current
- 179 taxable year, but not deducted as a result of the limitation
- 180 imposed under 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the
- 181 purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is
- 182 considered paid or accrued only in the first taxable year
- 183 the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C.
- 184 Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C.
- 185 Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist; [and]
- 186 (12) One hundred percent of any retirement benefits
- 187 received by any taxpayer as a result of the taxpayer's
- 188 service in the Armed Forces of the United States, including
- 189 reserve components and the National Guard of this state, as

- defined in 32 U.S.C. Sections 101(3) and 109, and any other military force organized under the laws of this state; and
- 192 (13) For taxpayers authorized to do business pursuant 193 to article XIV of the Missouri Constitution, the amount 194 equal to any expenditure otherwise allowable as a federal 195 income tax deduction, but that is disallowed pursuant to 26 196 U.S.C. Section 280E, as in effect on January 1, 2022,
- 197 because cannabis is a controlled substance under federal law.
- 198 4. There shall be added to or subtracted from the 199 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the taxpayer's 200 share of the Missouri fiduciary adjustment provided in 201 section 143.351.
- 5. There shall be added to or subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the modifications provided in section 143.411.
- In addition to the modifications to a taxpayer's 205 206 federal adjusted gross income in this section, to calculate Missouri adjusted gross income there shall be subtracted 207 208 from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income any gain recognized pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 1033 of the 209 210 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, arising from compulsory or involuntary conversion of property as a result 211 212 of condemnation or the imminence thereof.
- 7. (1) As used in this subsection, "qualified health insurance premium" means the amount paid during the tax year by such taxpayer for any insurance policy primarily providing health care coverage for the taxpayer, the taxpayer's spouse, or the taxpayer's dependents.
- 218 (2) In addition to the subtractions in subsection 3 of 219 this section, one hundred percent of the amount of qualified 220 health insurance premiums shall be subtracted from the 221 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income to the extent the

- 222 amount paid for such premiums is included in federal taxable
- 223 income. The taxpayer shall provide the department of
- revenue with proof of the amount of qualified health
- insurance premiums paid.
- 8. (1) Beginning January 1, 2014, in addition to the
- 227 subtractions provided in this section, one hundred percent
- 228 of the cost incurred by a taxpayer for a home energy audit
- 229 conducted by an entity certified by the department of
- 230 natural resources under section 640.153 or the
- 231 implementation of any energy efficiency recommendations made
- in such an audit shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's
- 233 federal adjusted gross income to the extent the amount paid
- 234 for any such activity is included in federal taxable income.
- The taxpayer shall provide the department of revenue with a
- 236 summary of any recommendations made in a qualified home
- 237 energy audit, the name and certification number of the
- 238 qualified home energy auditor who conducted the audit, and
- 239 proof of the amount paid for any activities under this
- 240 subsection for which a deduction is claimed. The taxpayer
- 241 shall also provide a copy of the summary of any
- 242 recommendations made in a qualified home energy audit to the
- 243 department of natural resources.
- 244 (2) At no time shall a deduction claimed under this
- 245 subsection by an individual taxpayer or taxpayers filing
- 246 combined returns exceed one thousand dollars per year for
- 247 individual taxpayers or cumulatively exceed two thousand
- 248 dollars per year for taxpayers filing combined returns.
- 249 (3) Any deduction claimed under this subsection shall
- 250 be claimed for the tax year in which the qualified home
- 251 energy audit was conducted or in which the implementation of
- 252 the energy efficiency recommendations occurred. If
- 253 implementation of the energy efficiency recommendations

- 254 occurred during more than one year, the deduction may be
- 255 claimed in more than one year, subject to the limitations
- 256 provided under subdivision (2) of this subsection.
- 257 (4) A deduction shall not be claimed for any otherwise
- 258 eligible activity under this subsection if such activity
- 259 qualified for and received any rebate or other incentive
- 260 through a state-sponsored energy program or through an
- 261 electric corporation, gas corporation, electric cooperative,
- or municipally owned utility.
- 263 9. The provisions of subsection 8 of this section
- shall expire on December 31, 2020.
  - 143.436. 1. This section shall be known and may be
  - 2 cited as the "SALT Parity Act".
  - 3 2. For the purposes of this section, the following
  - 4 terms shall mean:
  - 5 (1) "Affected business entity", any partnership or S
  - 6 corporation that elects to be subject to tax pursuant to
  - 7 subsection 10 of this section;
  - 8 (2) "Direct member", a member that holds an interest
  - 9 directly in an affected business entity;
  - 10 (3) "Indirect member", a member that itself holds an
  - 11 interest, through a direct or indirect member that is a
- 12 partnership or an S corporation, in an affected business
- 13 entity;
- 14 (4) "Member":
- 15 (a) A shareholder of an S corporation;
- (b) A partner in a general partnership, a limited
- 17 partnership, or a limited liability partnership; or
- (c) A member of a limited liability company that is
- 19 treated as a partnership or S corporation for federal income
- 20 tax purposes;

- 21 (5) "Partnership", the same meaning as provided in 26
- U.S.C. Section 7701(a)(2). The term "partnership" shall
- 23 include a limited liability company that is treated as a
- 24 partnership for federal income tax purposes;
- 25 (6) "S corporation", a corporation or limited
- 26 liability company that is treated as an S corporation for
- 27 federal income tax purposes;
- 28 (7) "Tax year", the tax year of a partnership or S
- 29 corporation for federal income tax purposes.
- 30 3. (1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
- 31 contrary, a tax is hereby imposed on each affected business
- 32 entity that is a partnership and that is doing business in
- 33 this state. Such affected business entity shall, at the
- 34 time that the affected business entity's return is due, pay
- 35 a tax in an amount equal to the sum of the separately and
- 36 nonseparately computed items, as described in 26 U.S.C.
- 37 Section 702(a), of the affected business entity, to the
- 38 extent derived from or connected with sources within this
- 39 state, as determined pursuant to section 143.455, decreased
- 40 by the deduction allowed under 26 U.S.C. Section 199A
- 41 computed as if such deduction was allowed to be taken by the
- 42 affected business entity for federal tax purposes, and
- 43 increased or decreased by any modification made pursuant to
- 44 section 143.471 that relates to an item of the affected
- 45 business entity's income, gain, loss, or deduction, to the
- 46 extent derived from or connected with sources within this
- 47 state, as determined pursuant to section 143.455, with such
- 48 sum multiplied by the highest rate of tax used to determine
- 49 a Missouri income tax liability for an individual pursuant
- to section 143.011. An affected entity paying the tax
- 51 pursuant to this subsection shall include with the payment

- of such taxes each report provided to a member pursuant to subsection 7 of this section.
- (2) If the amount calculated pursuant to subdivision
  (1) of this section results in a net loss, such net loss may
  be carried forward to succeeding tax years for which the
  affected business entity elects to be subject to tax
  pursuant to subsection 11 of this section until fully used.
- 59 (1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the 60 contrary, a tax is hereby imposed on each affected business 61 entity that is an S corporation and that is doing business in this state. Such affected business entity shall, at the 62 time that the affected business entity's return is due, pay 63 a tax in an amount equal to the sum of the separately and 64 nonseparately computed items, as described in 26 U.S.C. 65 Section 1366, of the affected business entity, to the extent 66 67 derived from or connected with sources within this state, as 68 determined pursuant to section 143.455, decreased by the deduction allowed under 26 U.S.C. Section 199A computed as 69 if such deduction was allowed to be taken by the affected 70 business entity for federal tax purposes, and increased or 71 72 decreased by any modification made pursuant to section 73 143.471 that relates to an item of the affected business 74 entity's income, gain, loss, or deduction, to the extent 75 derived from or connected with sources within this state, as 76 determined pursuant to section 143.455, with such sum multiplied by the highest rate of tax used to determine a 77 Missouri income tax liability for an individual pursuant to 78 section 143.011. An affected entity paying the tax pursuant 79 to this subsection shall include with the payment of such 80 81 taxes each report provided to a member pursuant to 82 subsection 7 of this section.

- (2) If the amount calculated pursuant to subdivision
  (1) of this section results in a net loss, such net loss may
  be carried forward to succeeding tax years for which the
  affected business entity elects to be subject to tax
  pursuant to subsection 11 of this section until fully used.
  - 5. If an affected business entity is a direct or indirect member of another affected business entity, the member affected business entity shall, when calculating its net income or loss pursuant to subsections 3 or 4 of this section, subtract its distributive share of income or add its distributive share of loss from the affected business entity in which it is a direct or indirect member to the extent that the income or loss was derived from or connected with sources within this state, as determined pursuant to section 143.455.
  - 6. A nonresident individual who is a member shall not be required to file an income tax return pursuant to this chapter for a tax year if, for such tax year, the only source of income derived from or connected with sources within the state for such member, or the member and the member's spouse if a joint federal income tax return is or shall be filed, is from one or more affected business entities and such affected business entity or entities file and pay the tax due under this section.
  - 7. Each partnership and S corporation shall report to each of its members, for each tax year, such member's direct pro rata share of the tax imposed pursuant to this section on such partnership or S corporation if it is an affected business entity and its indirect pro rata share of the tax imposed on any affected business entity in which such affected business entity is a direct or indirect member.

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- 114 8. (1) Each member that is subject to the tax imposed 115 pursuant to section 143.011 shall be entitled to a credit 116 against the tax imposed pursuant to section 143.011. Such 117 credit shall be in an amount equal to such member's direct 118 and indirect pro rata share of the tax paid pursuant to this 119 section by any affected business entity of which such member 120 is directly or indirectly a member.
  - (2) If the amount of the credit authorized by this subsection exceeds such member's tax liability for the tax imposed pursuant to section 143.011, the excess amount shall not be refunded but may be carried forward to each succeeding tax year until such credit is fully taken.
  - 9. (1) Each member that is subject to the tax imposed pursuant to section 143.011 as a resident or part-year resident of this state shall be entitled to a credit against the tax imposed pursuant to section 143.011 for such member's direct and indirect pro rata share of taxes paid to another state of the United States or to the District of Columbia, on income of any partnership or S corporation of which such person is a member that is derived therefrom, provided the taxes paid to another state of the United States or to the District of Columbia results from a tax that the director of revenue determines is substantially similar to the tax imposed pursuant to this section. such credit shall be calculated in a manner to be prescribed by the director of revenue, provided such calculation is consistent with the provisions of this section, and further provided that the limitations provided in subsection 2 of section 143.081 shall apply to the credit authorized by this subsection.
  - (2) If the amount of the credit authorized by this subsection exceeds such member's tax liability for the tax

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- imposed pursuant to section 143.011, the excess amount shall not be refunded and shall not be carried forward.
- 148 Each corporation that is subject to the tax imposed pursuant to section 143.071 and that is a member 149 150 shall be entitled to a credit against the tax imposed 151 pursuant to section 143.071. Such credit shall be in an 152 amount equal to such corporation's direct and indirect pro 153 rata share of the tax paid pursuant to this section by any 154 affected business entity of which such corporation is 155 directly or indirectly a member. Such credit shall be 156 applied after all other credits.
- 157 (2) If the amount of the credit authorized by this
  158 subsection exceeds such corporation's tax liability for the
  159 tax imposed pursuant to section 143.071, the excess amount
  160 shall not be refunded but may be carried forward to each
  161 succeeding tax year until such credit is fully taken.
  - 11. A partnership or an S corporation may elect to become an affected business entity that is required to pay the tax pursuant to this section in any tax year. A separate election shall be made for each taxable year. Such election shall be made on such form and in such manner as the director of revenue may prescribe by rule. An election made pursuant to this subsection shall be signed by:
- 169 (1) Each member of the electing entity who is a member 170 at the time the election is filed; or
- 171 (2) Any officer, manager, or member of the electing 172 entity who is authorized to make the election and who 173 attests to having such authorization under penalty of 174 perjury.
- 175 12. The provisions of sections 143.425 and 143.601
  176 shall apply to any modifications made to an affected
  177 business entity's federal return, and such affected business

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- entity shall pay any resulting underpayment of tax to the extent not already paid pursuant to section 143.425.
- 180 With respect to an action required or 181 permitted to be taken by an affected business entity pursuant to this section, a proceeding under section 143.631 182 183 for reconsideration by the director of revenue, an appeal to the administrative hearing commission, or a review by the 184 185 judiciary with respect to such action, the affected business 186 entity shall designate an affected business entity 187 representative for the tax year, and such affected business 188 entity representative shall have the sole authority to act on behalf of the affected business entity, and the affected 189 190 business entity's members shall be bound by those actions.
  - (2) The department of revenue may establish reasonable qualifications and procedures for designating a person to be the affected business entity representative.
- 194 (3) The affected business entity representative shall
  195 be considered an authorized representative of the affected
  196 business entity and its members under section 32.057 for the
  197 purposes of compliance with this section, or participating
  198 in a proceeding described in subdivision (1) of this
  199 subsection.
- 200 14. The provisions of this section shall only apply to 201 tax years ending on or after December 31, 2022.
- 202 The department of revenue may promulgate rules to 203 implement the provisions of this section. Any rule or 204 portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 205 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in 206 this section shall become effective only if it complies with 207 and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, 208 if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 209 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with

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- the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after
- 347.020. 1. The name of each limited liability company as set forth in its articles of organization:

August 28, 2022, shall be invalid and void.

- 3 (1) Shall contain the words "limited company" or
  4 "limited liability company" or the abbreviation "LC", "LLC",
  5 "L.C." or "L.L.C." and shall be the name under which the
  6 limited liability company transacts business in this state
- 8 under which it transacts business as provided under chapter

unless the limited liability company registers another name

- 9 417 or conspicuously discloses its name as set forth in its 10 articles of organization;
- 11 (2) May not contain the word "corporation",
- "incorporated", "limited partnership", "limited liability
- 13 partnership", "limited liability limited partnership", or
- 14 "Ltd." or any abbreviation of one of such words or any word
- or phrase which indicates or implies that it is organized
- 16 for any purpose not stated in its articles of organization
- or that it is a governmental agency; and
- 18 (3) Must be distinguishable upon the records of the
- 19 secretary from the name of any corporation, limited
- 20 liability company, limited partnership, limited liability
- 21 partnership, or limited liability limited partnership which
- 22 is licensed, organized, reserved, or registered under the
- 23 laws of this state as a domestic or foreign entity, unless:
- 24 (a) Such other holder of a reserved or registered name
- 25 consents to such use in writing and files appropriate
- documentation to the secretary to change its name to a name

- 27 that is distinguishable upon the records of the secretary
- 28 from the name of the applying limited liability company; or
- 29 (b) A certified copy of a final decree of a court of
- 30 competent jurisdiction establishing the prior right of the
- 31 applicant to the use of such name in this state is filed
- 32 with the secretary.
- 33 2. The name of a limited liability company that has
- 34 been dissolved or cancelled shall not be available for use
- 35 by others for a period of one year from the effective date
- 36 of the dissolution or cancellation.
  - 347.044. 1. Each limited liability company organized
- 2 under this chapter and each foreign limited liability
- 3 company registered in this state shall file an information
- 4 statement with the secretary of state.
- 5 2. The information statement shall include:
- 6 (1) The name of the limited liability company or
- 7 foreign limited liability company;
- 8 (2) The company charter number assigned by the
- 9 secretary of state;
- 10 (3) The address of the principal place of business;
- 11 (4) The address, including street and number, if any,
- 12 of the registered office and the name of the registered
- 13 agent at such office; and
- 14 (5) If a foreign limited liability company, the state
- or other jurisdiction under whose law the company is formed.
- 16 3. The information statement shall be current as of
- 17 the date the statement is filed with the secretary of state.
- 18 4. The limited liability company or foreign limited
- 19 liability company shall file an information statement every
- 20 five years, and the information statement shall be due on
- 21 the fifteenth day of the month in which the anniversary of
- 22 the date the limited liability company or foreign limited

- 23 liability company organized or registered in Missouri
- 24 occurs. For limited liability companies and foreign limited
- 25 liability companies that organized or registered in an odd-
- numbered year before January 1, 2022, the first information
- 27 statement shall be due in 2025. For limited liability
- 28 companies and foreign limited liability companies that
- 29 organized or registered in an even-numbered year before
- 30 January 1, 2023, the first information statement shall be
- 31 due in 2026.
- 5. The information statement shall be signed by an
- 33 authorized person.
- 34 6. If the information statement does not contain the
- 35 information required under this section, the secretary of
- 36 state shall promptly notify the limited liability company or
- 37 foreign limited liability company and return the information
- 38 statement for completion. The entity shall return the
- 39 completed information statement to the secretary within
- 40 sixty days of the issuance of the notice.
- 7. Ninety days before the statement is due, the
- 42 secretary of state shall send notice to each limited
- 43 liability company or foreign limited liability company that
- 44 the information statement is due. The notice shall be
- 45 directed to the limited liability company's registered
- 46 office as stated in the company's most recent filing with
- 47 the secretary of state.
  - 347.143. 1. A limited liability company may be
- 2 dissolved involuntarily by a decree of the circuit court for
- 3 the county in which the registered office of the limited
- 4 liability company is situated in an action filed by the
- 5 attorney general when it is established that the limited
- 6 liability company:

- 7 (1)Has procured its articles of organization through 8 fraud;
- 9 (2)Has exceeded or abused the authority conferred upon it by law; 10
- Has carried on, conducted, or transacted its 11 business in a fraudulent or illegal manner; or 12
- 13 By the abuse of its powers contrary to the public 14 policy of the state, has become liable to be dissolved.
- 15 2. On application by or for a member, the circuit 16 court for the county in which the registered office of the limited liability company is located may decree dissolution 17 of a limited liability company [whenever] if the court 18 determines:
- It is not reasonably practicable to carry on the 20 21 business in conformity with the operating agreement;
- 22 (2) Dissolution is reasonably necessary for the 23 protection of the rights or interests of the complaining 24 members;
- The business of the limited liability company has 25 been abandoned; 26
- 27 The management of the limited liability company is deadlocked or subject to internal dissension; or 28
- Those in control of the limited liability company 29 30 have been found guilty of, or have knowingly countenanced, persistent and pervasive fraud, mismanagement, or abuse of 31 32 authority.
  - 1. The secretary shall charge and collect:
- For filing the original articles of organization, 2
- 3 a fee of [one hundred] ninety-five dollars;
- For filing the original articles of organization 4
- 5 online, in an electronic format prescribed by the secretary
- of state, a fee of [forty-five] twenty-five dollars; 6

- 7 (3) Applications for registration of foreign limited
- 8 liability companies and issuance of a certificate of
- 9 registration to transact business in this state, a fee of
- 10 one hundred dollars;
- 11 (4) Amendments to and restatements of articles of
- 12 limited liability companies to application for registration
- of a foreign limited liability company or any other filing
- 14 otherwise provided for, a fee of twenty dollars or, if filed
- online in an electronic format prescribed by the secretary,
- 16 a fee of ten dollars;
- 17 (5) Articles of termination of limited liability
- 18 companies or cancellation of registration of foreign limited
- 19 liability companies, a fee of twenty dollars or, if filed
- 20 online in an electronic format prescribed by the secretary,
- 21 a fee of ten dollars;
- 22 (6) For filing notice of merger or consolidation, a
- 23 fee of twenty dollars;
- 24 (7) For filing a notice of winding up, a fee of twenty
- 25 dollars or, if filed online in an electronic format
- 26 prescribed by the secretary, a fee of ten dollars;
- 27 (8) For issuing a certificate of good standing, a fee
- 28 of five dollars;
- 29 (9) For a notice of the abandonment of merger or
- 30 consolidation, a fee of twenty dollars;
- 31 (10) For furnishing a copy of any document or
- 32 instrument, a fee of fifty cents per page;
- 33 (11) For accepting an application for reservation of a
- 34 name, or for filing a notice of the transfer or cancellation
- of any name reservation, a fee of twenty dollars;
- 36 (12) For filing a statement of change of address of
- 37 registered office or registered agent, or both, a fee of
- 38 five dollars;

- 39 (13) For any service of notice, demand, or process
- 40 upon the secretary as resident agent of a limited liability
- 41 company, a fee of twenty dollars, which amount may be
- 42 recovered as taxable costs by the party instituting such
- 43 suit, action, or proceeding causing such service to be made
- 44 if such party prevails therein;
- 45 (14) For filing an amended certificate of registration
- 46 a fee of twenty dollars or, if filed online in an electronic
- 47 format prescribed by the secretary, a fee of ten dollars;
- 48 [and]
- 49 (15) For filing a statement of correction a fee of
- 50 five dollars;
- 51 (16) For filing an information statement for a
- 52 domestic or foreign limited liability company, a fee of
- 53 fifteen dollars or, if filing online in an electronic format
- 54 prescribed by the secretary, a fee of five dollars;
- 55 (17) For filing a withdrawal of an erroneously or
- 56 accidentally filed notice of winding up or articles of
- 57 termination, a fee of ninety-five dollars;
- 58 (18) For a filing relating to a limited liability
- 59 series, an additional fee of ten dollars for each series
- 60 effected or, if filing online in an electronic format
- 61 prescribed by the secretary, a fee of five dollars for each
- 62 series effected; and
- 63 (19) For filing an application for reinstatement, a
- 64 fee of ninety-five dollars or, if filed online in an
- 65 electronic format prescribed by the secretary, a fee of
- 66 forty-five dollars.
- 67 2. Fees mandated in subdivisions (1) and (2) of
- 68 subsection 1 of this section and for application for
- 69 reservation of a name in subdivision (11) of subsection 1 of
- 70 this section shall be waived if an organizer who is listed

- 71 as a member in the operating agreement of the limited
- 72 liability company is a member of the Missouri National Guard
- 73 or any other active duty military, resides in the state of
- 74 Missouri, and provides proof of such service to the
- 75 secretary of state.
  - 347.183. In addition to the other powers of the
- 2 secretary established in sections 347.010 to 347.187, the
- 3 secretary shall, as is reasonably necessary to enable the
- 4 secretary to administer sections 347.010 to 347.187
- 5 efficiently and to perform the secretary's duties, have the
- 6 following powers including, but not limited to:
- 7 (1) The power to examine the books and records of any
- 8 limited liability company to which sections 347.010 to
- 9 347.187 apply, and it shall be the duty of any manager,
- 10 member or agent of such limited liability company having
- 11 possession or control of such books and records to produce
- 12 such books and records for examination on demand of the
- 13 secretary or [his] the secretary's designated employee;
- 14 except that no person shall be subject to any criminal
- 15 prosecution on account of any matter or thing which may be
- 16 disclosed by examination of any limited liability company
- 17 books and records, which they may produce or exhibit for
- 18 examination; or on account of any other matter or thing
- 19 concerning which they may make any voluntary and truthful
- 20 statement in writing to the secretary or [his] the
- 21 secretary's designated employee. All facts obtained in the
- 22 examination of the books and records of any limited
- 23 liability company, or through the voluntary sworn statement
- 24 of any manager, member, agent or employee of any limited
- 25 liability company, shall be treated as confidential, except
- 26 insofar as official duty may require the disclosure of same,
- 27 or when such facts are material to any issue in any legal

proceeding in which the secretary or [his] the secretary's 28 29 designated employee may be a party or called as witness, 30 and, if the secretary or [his] the secretary's designated employee shall, except as provided in this subdivision, 31 32 disclose any information relative to the private accounts, affairs, and transactions of any such limited liability 33 company, he or she shall be quilty of a class C misdemeanor. 34 If any manager, member or registered agent in possession or 35 control of such books and records of any such limited 36 37 liability company shall refuse a demand of the secretary or 38 [his] the secretary's designated employee, to exhibit the books and records of such limited liability company for 39 examination, such person shall be guilty of a class B 40 misdemeanor: 41 The power to cancel or disapprove any articles of 42 organization or other filing required under sections 347.010 43 44 to 347.187, if the limited liability company fails to comply with the provisions of sections 347.010 to 347.187 by 45 46 failing to file required documents under sections 347.010 to 347.187, by failing to maintain a registered agent, by 47 failing to pay the required filing fees, by using fraud or 48 deception in effecting any filing, by filing a required 49 document containing a false statement, or by violating any 50 51 section or sections of the criminal laws of Missouri, the 52 federal government or any other state of the United States. 53 Thirty days before such cancellation shall take effect, the 54 secretary shall notify the limited liability company with written notice, either personally or by certified mail, 55 deposited in the United States mail in a sealed envelope 56 57 addressed to such limited liability company's last registered agent in office, or to one of the limited 58

liability company's members or managers. Written notice of

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- 60 the secretary's proposed cancellation to the limited 61 liability company, domestic or foreign, shall specify the 62 reasons for such action. The limited liability company may appeal this notice of proposed cancellation to the circuit 63 court of the county in which the registered office of such 64 limited liability company is or is proposed to be situated 65 by filing with the clerk of such court a petition setting 66 67 forth a copy of the articles of organization or other relevant documents and a copy of the proposed written 68 69 cancellation thereof by the secretary, such petition to be filed within thirty days after notice of such cancellation 70 shall have been given, and the matter shall be tried by the 71 court, and the court shall either sustain the action of the 72 73 secretary or direct [him] the secretary to take such action 74 as the court may deem proper. An appeal from the circuit 75 court in such a case shall be allowed as in civil action. 76 The limited liability company may provide information to the secretary that would allow the secretary to withdraw the 77 notice of proposed cancellation. This information may 78 consist of, but need not be limited to, corrected statements 79 and documents, new filings, affidavits and certified copies 80 of other filed documents; 81 82
- 82 (3) The power to rescind cancellation provided for in 83 subdivision (2) of this section upon compliance with either 84 of the following:
  - (a) The affected limited liability company provides the necessary documents and affidavits indicating the limited liability company has corrected the conditions causing the proposed cancellation or the cancellation; or
    - (b) The limited liability company provides the correct statements or documentation that the limited liability

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- ompany is not in violation of any section of the criminal code; [and]
- 93 (4) The power to charge late filing fees for any 94 filing fee required under sections 347.010 to 347.187 and 95 the power to impose civil penalties as provided in section 96 347.053. Late filing fees shall be assessed at a rate of ten 97 dollars for each thirty-day period of delinquency;
  - (5) (a) The power to administratively cancel [an]:
- a. Articles of organization if the limited liability
  company's period of duration stated in the articles of
  organization expires or if the limited liability company
  fails to timely file its information statement; or
  - b. The registration of a foreign limited liability company if the foreign limited liability company fails to timely file its information statement.
- Not less than thirty days before such 106 107 administrative cancellation shall take effect, the secretary 108 shall notify the domestic or foreign limited liability 109 company with written notice, either personally or by mail. If mailed, the notice shall be deemed delivered five days 110 after it is deposited in the United States mail in a sealed 111 112 envelope addressed to such limited liability company's last registered agent and office or to one of the limited 113 114 liability company's managers or members.
  - (c) If the limited liability company does not timely file an articles of amendment in accordance with section 347.041 to extend the duration of the limited liability company, which may be any number of years or perpetual, or demonstrate to the reasonable satisfaction of the secretary that the period of duration determined by the secretary is incorrect, within sixty days after service of the notice is perfected by posting with the United States Postal Service,

- 123 then the secretary shall cancel the articles of organization
- 124 by signing an administrative cancellation that recites the
- 125 grounds for cancellation and its effective date. The
- 126 secretary shall file the original of the administrative
- 127 cancellation and serve a copy on the limited liability
- 128 company as provided in section 347.051.
- 129 (d) A limited liability company whose articles of
- organization has been administratively cancelled continues
- 131 its existence but may not carry on any business except that
- 132 necessary to wind up and liquidate its business and affairs
- under section 347.147 and notify claimants under section
- **134** 347.141.
- 135 (e) The administrative cancellation of an articles of
- 136 organization does not terminate the authority of its
- 137 registered agent.
- 138 (f) If a limited liability company does not timely
- 139 file an information statement in accordance with section
- 140 347.044 within sixty days after service of the notice is
- 141 perfected by posting with the United States Postal Service
- or fails to demonstrate to the reasonable satisfaction of
- 143 the secretary that the information statement was timely
- 144 filed, the secretary shall cancel the articles of
- 145 organization by signing an administrative cancellation that
- 146 states the grounds for cancellation and the effective date
- 147 of the cancellation. The secretary shall file the original
- 148 administrative cancellation and serve a copy on the limited
- 149 liability company as provided under section 347.051.
- 150 (q) If a foreign limited liability company does not
- 151 timely file an information statement in accordance with
- section 347.044 within sixty days after service of the
- 153 notice is perfected by posting with the United States Postal
- 154 Service or fails to demonstrate to the reasonable

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satisfaction of the secretary that the information statement 155 was timely filed, the secretary shall cancel the 156 registration of the foreign limited liability company by 157 signing an administrative cancellation that states the 158 159 grounds for cancellation and the effective date of the 160 cancellation. The secretary shall file the original administrative cancellation and serve a copy on the foreign 161 162 limited liability company as provided in section 347.051. A 163 foreign limited liability company whose registration has 164 been administratively cancelled may continue its existence but shall not conduct any business in this state except to 165 wind up and liquidate its business and affairs in this state; 166

- (6) (a) The power to rescind an administrative cancellation and reinstate the articles of organization.
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in the operating agreement, a limited liability company whose articles of organization has been administratively cancelled under subdivision (2) or (5) of this section may file an articles of amendment in accordance with section 347.041 to extend the duration of the limited liability company, which may be any number of years or perpetual.
  - (c) A limited liability company whose articles of organization has been administratively cancelled under subdivision (5) of this section may apply to the secretary for reinstatement. The [applicant] application shall:
- a. Recite the name of the limited liability company and the effective date of its administrative cancellation;
- b. State that the grounds for cancellation either did not exist or have been eliminated, as applicable, and be accompanied by documentation satisfactory to the secretary evidencing the same;

- 186 c. State that the limited liability company's name 187 satisfies the requirements of section 347.020;
- d. Be accompanied by a reinstatement fee in the amount [of one hundred dollars] specified in subdivision (19) of subsection 1 of section 347.179, or such greater amount as required by state regulation, plus any delinquent fees, penalties, and other charges as determined by the secretary to then be due.
- 194 If the secretary determines that the application 195 contains the information and is accompanied by the fees 196 required in paragraph (c) of this subdivision and that the 197 information and fees are correct, the secretary shall rescind the cancellation and prepare a certificate of 198 reinstatement that recites his or her determination and the 199 200 effective date of reinstatement, file the original articles 201 of organization, and serve a copy on the limited liability 202 company as provided in section 347.051.
- (e) When the reinstatement is effective, it shall relate back to and take effect as of the effective date of the administrative cancellation of the articles of organization and the limited liability company may continue carrying on its business as if the administrative cancellation had never occurred.
- 209 (f) In the event the name of the limited liability 210 company was reissued by the secretary to another entity prior to the time application for reinstatement was filed, 211 the limited liability company applying for reinstatement may 212 elect to reinstate using a new name that complies with the 213 requirements of section 347.020 and that has been approved 214 215 by appropriate action of the limited liability company for 216 changing the name thereof.

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- 217 (g) If the secretary denies a limited liability
  218 company's application for reinstatement following
  219 administrative cancellation of the articles of organization,
  220 he or she shall serve the limited liability company as
  221 provided in section 347.051 with a written notice that
- 223 (h) The limited liability company may appeal a denial 224 of reinstatement as provided for in subdivision (2) of this 225 section.

explains the reason or reasons for denial.

- 226 [(7)] (i) This subdivision [(6) of this section] shall
  227 apply to any limited liability company whose articles of
  228 organization was cancelled because such limited liability
  229 company's period of duration stated in the articles of
  230 organization expired on or after August 28, 2003;
  - (7) The power to rescind an administrative cancellation and reinstate the registration of a foreign limited liability company. The following procedures apply:
  - (a) A foreign limited liability company whose registration was administratively cancelled under subdivision (2) or (5) of this section may apply to the secretary for reinstatement. The application shall:
- 238 a. State the name of the foreign limited liability 239 company and the date of the administrative cancellation;
- 240 b. State that the grounds for cancellation either did 241 not exist or have been eliminated, with supporting 242 documentation satisfactory to the secretary;
- c. State that the foreign limited liability company's name satisfies the requirements of section 347.020; and
- d. Include a reinstatement fee in the amount specified in subdivision (19) of subsection 1 of section 347.179, or a higher amount if required by state regulation, and any

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- delinquent fees, penalties, or other charges as the secretary determines are due;
- 250 (b) If the secretary determines that the application
  251 satisfies the requirements under paragraph (a) of this
  252 subdivision, the secretary shall rescind the cancellation
  253 and prepare a certificate of reinstatement that includes the
  254 effective date of reinstatement and deliver a copy to the
  255 limited liability company as provided under section 347.051;
  - (c) If reinstatement is granted, the administrative cancellation shall be retroactively voided, and the foreign limited liability company may conduct its business as if the administrative cancellation never occurred;
  - (d) If the name of the foreign limited liability company was issued to another entity before the application for reinstatement was filed, the foreign limited liability company applying for reinstatement may elect to reinstate using a new name that complies with the requirements under section 347.020 and is approved by appropriate action of the foreign limited liability company for changing its name;
    - (e) If the secretary denies a foreign limited liability company's application for reinstatement, the secretary shall serve the limited liability company with a written notice as provided under section 347.051 that explains the reason for denial; and
- 272 (f) The foreign limited liability company may appeal a 273 denial of reinstatement by using the procedure under 274 subdivision (2) of this section; and
  - (8) The power to reinstate a limited liability company that erroneously or accidentally filed a notice of winding up or notice of termination. The following procedures apply:
- 278 (a) A limited liability company whose articles of 279 organization were terminated due to an erroneously or

- 280 accidentally filed notice of winding up or notice of
- 281 termination may apply to the secretary for reinstatement by
- 282 filing a withdrawal of notice of winding up or withdrawal of
- 283 notice of termination. The application shall:
- a. State the name of the limited liability company and
- 285 the filing date of the erroneous or accidental notice;
- b. State the grounds for erroneously or accidentally
- 287 filing the notice, with supporting documentation
- 288 satisfactory to the secretary;
- c. State that the limited liability company's name
- 290 satisfies the requirements under section 347.020; and
- d. Include a reinstatement fee in the amount specified
- in subdivision (19) of subsection 1 of section 347.179, or a
- 293 higher amount if required by state regulation, and any
- 294 delinquent fees, penalties, or other charges as the
- 295 secretary determines are due;
- 296 (b) If the secretary determines that the application
- 297 satisfies the requirements under paragraph (a) of this
- 298 subdivision, the secretary shall rescind the notice of
- 299 winding up or notice of termination and prepare a
- 300 certificate of reinstatement that includes the effective
- 301 date of reinstatement and deliver a copy to the limited
- 302 liability company as provided under section 347.051;
- 303 (c) If reinstatement is granted, the termination of
- 304 the articles of organization shall be retroactively voided,
- 305 and the limited liability company may conduct its business
- 306 as if the notice of winding up or notice of termination
- 307 never occurred;
- 308 (d) If the name of the limited liability company was
- 309 issued to another entity before the application for
- 310 reinstatement was filed, the limited liability company
- 311 applying for the reinstatement may elect to reinstate using

- 312 a new name that complies with the requirements under section
- 313 347.020 and is approved by appropriate action of the limited
- 314 liability company for changing its name;
- 315 (e) If the secretary of state denies a limited
- 316 liability company's application for reinstatement, the
- 317 secretary shall serve the limited liability company with a
- 318 written notice as provided under section 347.051 that
- 319 explains the reason for denial; and
- 320 (f) The limited liability company may appeal a denial
- of reinstatement by using the procedure under subdivision
- 322 (2) of this section.
  - 347.186. 1. An operating agreement may establish or
  - 2 provide for the establishment of a designated series of
  - 3 members, managers, or limited liability company interests
  - 4 having separate rights, powers, or duties with respect to
  - 5 specified property or obligations of the limited liability
  - 6 company or profits and losses associated with specified
  - 7 property or obligations. To the extent provided in the
  - 8 operating agreement, any such series may have a separate
  - 9 business purpose or investment objective.
- 10 2. (1) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to
- 11 the contrary, the debts, liabilities, and obligations
- 12 incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect
- 13 to a particular series shall be enforceable against the
- 14 assets of such series only, and not against the assets of
- 15 the limited liability company generally or any other series
- 16 thereof. Such particular series shall be deemed to have
- 17 possession, custody, and control only of the books, records,
- 18 information, and documentation related to such series and
- 19 not of the books, records, information, and documentation
- 20 related to the limited liability company as a whole or any
- 21 other series thereof if all of the following apply:

- 22 (a) The operating agreement creates one or more series;
- 23 (b) Separate and distinct records are maintained for
- or on behalf of any such series;
- 25 (c) The assets associated with any such series,
- 26 whether held directly or indirectly, including through a
- 27 nominee or otherwise, are accounted for separately from the
- other assets of the limited liability company or of any
- 29 other series;
- 30 (d) The operating agreement provides for the
- 31 limitations on liabilities of a series described in this
- 32 subdivision;
- 33 (e) Notice of the limitation on liabilities of a
- 34 series described in this subdivision is included in the
- 35 limited liability company's articles of organization; and
- 36 (f) The limited liability company has filed articles
- 37 of organization that separately identify each series which
- 38 is to have limited liability under this section.
- 39 (2) With respect to a particular series, unless
- 40 otherwise provided in the operating agreement, none of the
- 41 debts, liabilities, obligations, and expenses incurred,
- 42 contracted for or otherwise existing with respect to a
- 43 limited liability company generally, or any other series
- 44 thereof, shall be enforceable against the assets of such
- 45 series, subject to the provisions of subdivision (1) of this
- 46 subsection.
- 47 (3) Compliance with paragraphs (e) and (f) of
- 48 subdivision (1) of this subsection shall constitute notice
- 49 of such limitation of liability of a series.
- 50 (4) A series with limited liability shall be treated
- 51 as a separate entity to the extent set forth in the articles
- 52 of organization. Each series with limited liability may, in
- 53 its own name, contract, hold title to assets, grant security

- interests, sue and be sued, and otherwise conduct business 54 and exercise the powers of a limited liability company under 55 56 this chapter. The limited liability company and any of its series may elect to consolidate its operations as a single 57 taxpayer to the extent permitted under applicable law, elect 58 59 to work cooperatively, elect to contract jointly, or elect 60 to be treated as a single business for the purposes of 61 qualification or authorization to do business in this or any 62 other state. Such elections shall not affect the limitation 63 of liability set forth in this section except to the extent that the series have specifically accepted joint liability 64 by contract. 65
- 66 Except in the case of a foreign limited liability company that has adopted a name that is not the name under 67 which it is registered in its jurisdiction of organization, 68 69 as permitted under sections 347.153 and 347.157, the name of 70 the series with limited liability is required to contain the entire name of the limited liability company and be 71 distinguishable from the names of the other series set forth 72 in the articles of organization. In the case of a foreign 73 limited liability company that has adopted a name that is 74 not the name under which it is registered in its 75 jurisdiction of organization, as permitted under sections 76 77 347.153 and 347.157, the name of the series with limited 78 liability must contain the entire name under which the 79 foreign limited liability company has been admitted to transact business in this state. 80
- 4. (1) (a) Upon filing of articles of organization 82 setting forth the name of each series with limited 83 liability, in compliance with section 347.037 or amendments 84 under section 347.041, the series' existence shall begin.

- 85 (b) Each copy of the articles of organization stamped
  86 "Filed" and marked with the filing date shall be conclusive
  87 evidence that all required conditions have been met and that
  88 the series has been or shall be legally organized and formed
  89 under this section and is notice for all purposes of all
  90 other facts required to be set forth therein.
- The name of a series with limited liability under 91 92 this section may be changed by filing articles of amendment 93 with the secretary of state pursuant to section 347.041, 94 identifying the series whose name is being changed and the new name of such series. If not the same as the limited 95 liability company, the names of the members of a member-96 97 managed series or of the managers of a manager-managed 98 series may be changed by an amendment to the articles of 99 organization with the secretary of state.
- 100 (d) A series with limited liability under this section 101 may be dissolved by filing with the secretary of state articles of amendment pursuant to section 347.041 102 103 identifying the series being dissolved or by the dissolution of the limited liability company as provided in section 104 105 347.045. Except to the extent otherwise provided in the operating agreement, a series may be dissolved and its 106 107 affairs wound up without causing the dissolution of the limited liability company. The dissolution of a series 108 109 established in accordance with subsection 2 of this section shall not affect the limitation on liabilities of such 110 series provided by subsection 2 of this section. A series 111 is terminated and its affairs shall be wound up upon the 112 dissolution of the limited liability company under section 113 347.045. 114
- (e) Articles of organization, amendment, or
  termination described under this subdivision may be executed

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- by the limited liability company or any manager, person, or entity designated in the operating agreement for the limited liability company.
  - (f) Notwithstanding paragraph (d) of this subdivision, the maximum number of designated series that may be effected by any one filing shall be limited to fifty.
  - (2) If different from the limited liability company, the articles of organization shall list the names of the members for each series if the series is member-managed or the names of the managers if the series is manager-managed.
- 127 (3) A series of a limited liability company shall be 128 deemed to be in good standing as long as the limited 129 liability company is in good standing.
- 130 (4) The registered agent and registered office for the 131 limited liability company appointed under section 347.033 132 shall serve as the agent and office for service of process 133 for each series in this state.
  - 5. (1) An operating agreement may provide for classes or groups of members or managers associated with a series having such relative rights, powers, and duties as an operating agreement may provide and may make provision for the future creation of additional classes or groups of members or managers associated with the series having such relative rights, powers, and duties as may from time to time be established, including rights, powers, and duties senior and subordinate to or different from existing classes and groups of members or managers associated with the series.
  - (2) A series may be managed either by the member or members associated with the series or by the manager or managers chosen by the members of such series, as provided in the operating agreement. Unless otherwise provided in an

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operating agreement, the management of a series shall be vested in the members associated with such series.

- 150 (3) An operating agreement may grant to all or certain 151 identified members or managers, or to a specified class or 152 group of the members or managers associated with a series, 153 the right to vote separately or with all or any class or 154 group of the members or managers associated with the series, 155 on any matter. An operating agreement may provide that any 156 member or class or group of members associated with a series 157 shall have no voting rights or ability to otherwise 158 participate in the management or governance of such series, 159 but any such member or class or group of members are owners of the series. 160
- 161 (4) Except as modified in this section, the provisions
  162 of this chapter which are generally applicable to limited
  163 liability companies and their managers, members, and
  164 transferees shall be applicable to each particular series
  165 with respect to the operation of such series.
  - (5) Except as otherwise provided in an operating agreement, any event specified in this chapter or in an operating agreement that causes a manager to cease to be a manager with respect to a series shall not, in itself, cause such manager to cease to be a manager of the limited liability company or with respect to any other series thereof.
- 173 (6) Except as otherwise provided in an operating
  174 agreement, any event specified in this chapter or in an
  175 operating agreement that causes a member to cease to be
  176 associated with a series shall not, in itself, cause such
  177 member to cease to be associated with any other series,
  178 terminate the continued membership of a member in the
  179 limited liability company, or cause the termination of the

- series, regardless of whether such member was the last remaining member associated with such series.
- 182 (7) An operating agreement may impose restrictions,
- 183 duties, and obligations on members of the limited liability
- 184 company or any series thereof as a matter of internal
- 185 governance, including, without limitation, those with regard
- 186 to:
- 187 (a) Choice of law, forum selection, or consent to
- 188 personal jurisdiction;
- 189 (b) Capital contributions;
- 190 (c) Restrictions on, or terms and conditions of, the
- 191 transfer of membership interests;
- 192 (d) Restrictive covenants, including noncompetition,
- 193 nonsolicitation, and confidentiality provisions;
- 194 (e) Fiduciary duties; and
- 195 (f) Restrictions, duties, or obligations to or for the
- 196 benefit of the limited liability company, other series
- 197 thereof, or their affiliates.
- 198 6. (1) If a limited liability company with the
- 199 ability to establish series does not register to do business
- 200 in a foreign jurisdiction for itself and its series, a
- 201 series of a limited liability company may itself register to
- 202 do business as a limited liability company in the foreign
- 203 jurisdiction in accordance with the laws of the foreign
- 204 jurisdiction.
- 205 (2) If a foreign limited liability company, as
- 206 permitted in the jurisdiction of its organization, has
- 207 established a series having separate rights, powers, or
- 208 duties and has limited the liabilities of such series so
- 209 that the debts, liabilities, and obligations incurred,
- 210 contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect to a
- 211 particular series are enforceable against the assets of such

212 series only, and not against the assets of the limited 213 liability company generally or any other series thereof, or 214 so that the debts, liabilities, obligations, and expenses incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect 215 to the limited liability company generally or any other 216 217 series thereof are not enforceable against the assets of such series, then the limited liability company, on behalf 218 219 of itself or any of its series, or any of its series on its 220 own behalf may register to do business in this state in 221 accordance with this chapter. The limitation of liability 222 shall also be stated on the application for registration. As required under section 347.153, the registration 223 application filed shall identify each series being 224 225 registered to do business in the state by the limited 226 liability company. Unless otherwise provided in the 227 operating agreement, the debts, liabilities, and obligations 228 incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect to a particular series of such a foreign limited liability 229 company shall be enforceable against the assets of such 230 series only and not against the assets of the foreign 231 232 limited liability company generally or any other series 233 thereof, and none of the debts, liabilities, obligations, 234 and expenses incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing 235 with respect to such a foreign limited liability company generally or any other series thereof shall be enforceable 236 against the assets of such series. 237 7. Nothing in sections 347.039, 347.153, or 347.186 238 shall be construed to alter existing Missouri statute or 239 common law providing any cause of action for fraudulent 240 241 conveyance, including but not limited to chapter 428, or any 242 relief available under existing law that permits a challenge to limited liability. 243

- 358.460. 1. The exclusive right to the use of a name of a registered limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited liability partnership may be reserved by:
- 4 (1) Any person intending to become a registered 5 limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited 6 liability partnership under this chapter and to adopt that 7 name; and
- 8 (2) Any registered limited liability partnership or
   9 foreign registered limited liability partnership which
   10 proposes to change its name.
- The reservation of a specified name shall be made 11 by filing with the secretary of state an application, 12 13 executed by the applicant, specifying the name to be reserved and the name and address of the applicant. If the 14 secretary of state finds that the name is available for use 15 by a registered limited liability partnership or foreign 16 registered limited liability partnership, the secretary of 17 state shall reserve the name for the exclusive use of the 18 19 applicant for a period of sixty days. A name reservation shall not exceed a period of one hundred eighty days from 20 the date of the first name reservation application. Upon 21 22 the one hundred eighty-first day the name shall cease reserve status and shall not be placed back in such status. 23 24 The right to the exclusive use of a reserved name may be transferred to any other person by filing in the office of 25 26 the secretary of state a notice of the transfer, executed by 27 the applicant for whom the name was reserved, specifying the name to be transferred and the name and address of the 28 transferee. The reservation of a specified name may be 29 cancelled by filing with the secretary of state a notice of 30 cancellation, executed by the applicant or transferee, 31

- specifying the name reservation to be cancelled and the name and address of the applicant or transferee.
- 3. A fee in the amount of [twenty-five] twenty dollars
- 35 shall be paid to the secretary of state upon receipt for
- 36 filing of an application for reservation of name, an
- 37 application for renewal of reservation or a notice of
- 38 transfer or cancellation pursuant to this section. All
- 39 moneys from the payment of this fee shall be deposited into
- 40 the general revenue fund.
  - 358.470. 1. Each registered limited liability
- 2 partnership and each foreign registered limited liability
- 3 partnership shall have and maintain in the state of Missouri:
- 4 (1) A registered office, which may, but need not be, a
- 5 place of its business in the state of Missouri; and
- 6 (2) A registered agent for service of process on the
- 7 registered limited liability partnership or foreign
- 8 registered limited liability partnership, which agent may be
- 9 either an individual resident of the state of Missouri whose
- 10 business office is identical with the registered limited
- 11 liability partnership's or foreign registered limited
- 12 liability partnership's registered office, or a domestic
- 13 corporation, or a foreign corporation authorized to do
- 14 business in the state of Missouri, having a business office
- 15 identical with such registered office or the registered
- 16 limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited
- 17 liability partnership itself.
- 18 2. A registered agent may change the address of the
- 19 registered office of the registered limited liability
- 20 partnerships or foreign registered limited liability
- 21 partnerships for which the agent is the registered agent to
- 22 another address in the state of Missouri by paying a fee in
- the amount of [ten] five dollars[, and a further fee in the

amount of two dollars] for each registered limited liability 24 25 partnership or foreign registered limited liability 26 partnership affected thereby, to the secretary of state and filing with the secretary of state a certificate, executed 27 by such registered agent, setting forth the names of all the 28 29 registered limited liability partnerships or foreign registered limited liability partnerships represented by 30 31 such registered agent, and the address at which such registered agent has maintained the registered office for 32 33 each of such registered limited liability partnerships or foreign registered limited liability partnerships, and 34 further certifying to the new address to which such 35 36 registered office will be changed on a given day, and at which new address such registered agent will thereafter 37 maintain the registered office for each of the registered 38 39 limited liability partnerships or foreign registered limited 40 liability partnerships recited in the certificate. Upon the filing of such certificate, the secretary of state shall 41 42 furnish to the registered agent a certified copy of the same under the secretary of state's hand and seal of office, and 43 thereafter, or until further change of address, as 44 authorized by law, the registered office in the state of 45 Missouri of each of the registered limited liability 46 47 partnerships or foreign registered limited liability partnerships recited in the certificate shall be located at 48 49 the new address of the registered agent thereof as given in 50 the certificate. In the event of a change of name of any person acting as a registered agent of a registered limited 51 liability partnership or foreign registered limited 52 liability partnership, such registered agent shall file with 53 the secretary of state a certificate, executed by such 54

registered agent, setting forth the new name of such

- 56 registered agent, the name of such registered agent before
- 57 it was changed, the names of all the registered limited
- 58 liability partnerships or foreign registered limited
- 59 liability partnerships represented by such registered agent,
- and the address at which such registered agent has
- 61 maintained the registered office for each of such registered
- 62 limited liability partnerships or foreign registered limited
- 63 liability partnerships, and shall pay a fee in the amount of
- [twenty-five] five dollars[, and a further fee in the amount
- of two dollars] for each registered limited liability
- 66 partnership or foreign registered limited liability
- 67 partnership affected thereby, to the secretary of state.
- 68 Upon the filing of such certificate, the secretary of state
- 69 shall furnish to the registered agent a certified copy of
- 70 the same under the secretary of state's hand and seal of
- 71 office. Filing a certificate under this section shall be
- 72 deemed to be an amendment of the application, renewal
- 73 application or notice filed pursuant to subsection 19 of
- 74 section 358.440, as the case may be, of each registered
- 75 limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited
- 76 liability partnership affected thereby, and each such
- 77 registered limited liability partnership or foreign
- 78 registered limited liability partnership shall not be
- 79 required to take any further action with respect thereto to
- 80 amend its application, renewal application or notice filed,
- 81 as the case may be, pursuant to section 358.440. Any
- 82 registered agent filing a certificate under this section
- 83 shall promptly, upon such filing, deliver a copy of any such
- 84 certificate to each registered limited liability partnership
- 85 or foreign registered limited liability partnership affected
- 86 thereby.

The registered agent of one or more registered 87 88 limited liability partnerships or foreign registered limited liability partnerships may resign and appoint a successor 89 registered agent by paying a fee in the amount of [fifty] 90 five dollars[, and a further fee in the amount of two 91 92 dollars] for each registered limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited liability partnership affected 93 94 thereby, to the secretary of state and filing a certificate 95 with the secretary of state, stating that it resigns and the 96 name and address of the successor registered agent. 97 shall be attached to such certificate a statement executed by each affected registered limited liability partnership or 98 foreign registered limited liability partnership ratifying 99 100 and approving such change of registered agent. Upon such 101 filing, the successor registered agent shall become the 102 registered agent of such registered limited liability 103 partnerships or foreign registered limited liability partnerships as have ratified and approved such substitution 104 and the successor registered agent's address, as stated in 105 such certificate, shall become the address of each such 106 107 registered limited liability partnership's or foreign registered limited liability partnership's registered office 108 109 in the state of Missouri. The secretary of state shall 110 furnish to the successor registered agent a certified copy 111 of the certificate of resignation. Filing of such certificate of resignation shall be deemed to be an 112 amendment of the application, renewal application or notice 113 filed pursuant to subsection 19 of section 358.440, as the 114 case may be, of each registered limited liability 115 116 partnership or foreign registered limited liability partnership affected thereby, and each such registered 117 limited liability partnership or foreign registered limited 118

- 119 liability partnership shall not be required to take any
- 120 further action with respect thereto, to amend its
- 121 application, renewal application or notice filed pursuant to
- subsection 19 of section 358.440, as the case may be,
- 123 pursuant to section 358.440.
- 124 4. The registered agent of a registered limited
- 125 liability partnership or foreign registered limited
- 126 liability partnership may resign without appointing a
- 127 successor registered agent by paying a fee in the amount of
- 128 [ten] five dollars to the secretary of state and filing a
- 129 certificate with the secretary of state stating that it
- 130 resigns as registered agent for the registered limited
- 131 liability partnership or foreign registered limited
- 132 liability partnership identified in the certificate, but
- 133 such resignation shall not become effective until one
- 134 hundred twenty days after the certificate is filed. There
- shall be attached to such certificate an affidavit of such
- 136 registered agent, if an individual, or the president, a vice
- 137 president or the secretary thereof if a corporation, that at
- 138 least thirty days prior to and on or about the date of the
- 139 filing of the certificate, notices were sent by certified or
- 140 registered mail to the registered limited liability
- 141 partnership or foreign registered limited liability
- 142 partnership for which such registered agent is resigning as
- 143 registered agent, at the principal office thereof within or
- 144 outside the state of Missouri, if known to such registered
- 145 agent or, if not, to the last known address of the attorney
- 146 or other individual at whose request such registered agent
- 147 was appointed for such registered limited liability
- 148 partnership or foreign registered limited liability
- 149 partnership, of the resignation of such registered agent.
- 150 After receipt of the notice of the resignation of its

- 151 registered agent, the registered limited liability
- 152 partnership or foreign registered limited liability
- 153 partnership for which such registered agent was acting shall
- 154 obtain and designate a new registered agent, to take the
- 155 place of the registered agent so resigning. If such
- 156 registered limited liability partnership or foreign
- 157 registered limited liability partnership fails to obtain and
- 158 designate a new registered agent prior to the expiration of
- 159 the period of one hundred twenty days after the filing by
- 160 the registered agent of the certificate of resignation, the
- 161 application, renewal application or notice filed pursuant to
- subsection 19 of section 358.440 of such registered limited
- 163 liability partnership or foreign registered limited
- 164 liability partnership shall be deemed to be cancelled.
  - 362.034. 1. Any entity that operates as a facility
  - 2 licensed or certified under Article XIV, Section 1 of the
  - 3 Constitution of Missouri may request in writing that a state
  - 4 or local licensing authority or agency, including but not
  - 5 limited to the department of health and senior services or
  - 6 department of revenue, share the entity's application,
  - 7 license, or other regulatory and financial information with
  - 8 a banking institution. A state or local licensing authority
  - 9 or agency may also share such information with the banking
- 10 institution's state and federal supervisory agencies.
- 11 2. In order to ensure the state or local licensing
- 12 authority or agency is properly maintaining the
- 13 confidentiality of individualized data, information, or
- 14 records, an entity shall include in the written request a
- 15 waiver giving authorization for the transfer of the
- 16 individualized data, information, or records and waiving any
- 17 confidentiality or privilege that applies to that
- 18 individualized data, information, or records.

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3. This section shall only apply to the disclosure of information by a state or local licensing authority or agency reasonably necessary to facilitate the provision of financial services by a banking institution to the entity

making a request pursuant to this section.

- 4. The recipient of any information pursuant to this section shall treat such information as confidential and use it only for the purposes described in this section.
- 5. Nothing in this section shall be construed to
  authorize the disclosure of confidential or privileged
  information, nor waive an entity's rights to assert
  confidentiality or privilege, except as reasonably necessary
  to facilitate the provision of financial services for the
  entity making the request.
- 6. An entity that has provided a waiver pursuant to this section may withdraw the waiver with thirty days' notice in writing.
- 7. Nothing in this section shall be construed to modify the requirements of chapter 610.
- 8. For purposes of this section, the following terms mean:
- 40 (1) "Banking institution", the same meaning as in 41 Article IV, Section 15 of the Missouri Constitution;
- 42 (2) "Entity", the same meaning as in Article XIV, 43 Section 1 of the Missouri Constitution.

requirements authorized under section 407.462.

407.475. 1. Except when specifically required or
authorized by federal law, no state agency or state official
shall impose any additional annual filing or reporting
requirements on an organization regulated or specifically
exempted from regulation under sections 407.450 to 407.478
that are more stringent, restrictive, or expansive than the

- 8 2. This section shall not apply to state grants or
- 9 contracts, nor investigations under section 407.472 and
- shall not restrict enforcement actions against specific
- 11 charitable organizations. This section shall not apply to
- 12 labor organizations, as that term is defined in section
- 13 **105.500**.
- 14 3. This section shall not apply when an organization
- 15 regulated or specifically exempted from regulation under
- sections 407.450 to 407.475 is providing any report or
- 17 disclosure required by state law to be filed with the
- 18 secretary of state.
  - 431.201. As used in section 431.202, unless the
- 2 context otherwise requires, the following terms mean:
- 3 (1) "Business entity", any natural person, business,
- 4 corporation, limited liability company, series limited
- 5 liability company, partnership, sole or other
- 6 proprietorship, professional practice, or any other business
- 7 organization or commercial enterprise, whether for profit or
- 8 not for profit, including, without limitation, any successor
- 9 in interest to an entity who conducts business or who,
- 10 directly or indirectly, owns any equity interest, ownership,
- 11 or profit participation in the entity;
- 12 (2) "Customers with whom the employee dealt", each
- 13 customer or prospective customer:
- 14 (a) Who was serviced, directly or indirectly, by an
- 15 employee of a business entity;
- (b) Whose business or other dealings with a business
- 17 entity were supervised, coordinated, or otherwise worked on,
- 18 directly or indirectly, by an employee;
- (c) Who was solicited, produced, induced, persuaded,
- 20 encouraged, or otherwise dealt with, directly or indirectly,
- 21 by an employee;

- 22 (d) About whom an employee, directly or indirectly,
- obtained, had knowledge of, had access to, or is in
- 24 possession of confidential business or proprietary
- 25 information or trade secrets in the course of or as a result
- of the employee's relationship with the business entity;
- 27 (e) Who has purchased or otherwise obtained products
- 28 or services from a business entity and the sale or provision
- of which resulted in compensation, commissions, earnings, or
- 30 profits to or for the employee within two years prior to the
- 31 end of the employee's employment or business relationship
- 32 with the business entity; or
- 33 (f) With whom an employee had contact, directly or
- indirectly, of sufficient quality, frequency, and duration
- during the employee's employment or other business
- 36 relationship with the business entity such that the employee
- 37 had influence over the customer;
- 38 **(3)** "Employee":
- 39 (a) A natural person currently or formerly employed or
- 40 retained by a business entity in any capacity, or who has
- 41 performed work for a business entity, including, but not
- 42 limited to, a member of a board of directors, an officer, a
- 43 supervisor, an independent contractor, or a vendor;
- 44 (b) A natural person who, by reason of having been
- 45 employed by or having a business relationship with a
- 46 business entity:
- 47 a. Obtained specialized skills, training, learning, or
- 48 abilities; or
- 49 b. Obtained, had knowledge of, had access to, or is in
- 50 possession of confidential or proprietary business
- information or trade secrets of the business entity,
- 52 including, but not limited to, customer contact information

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- or information of or belonging to customers of the business entity; or
- (c) A current or former owner or seller of all or any 55 part of the assets of a business entity or of any interest 56 in a business entity, including, but not limited to, all or 57 58 any part of the shares of a corporation, a partnership interest, a membership or membership interest in a limited 59 60 liability company or a series limited liability company, or 61 an equity interest, ownership, profit participation, or 62 other interest of any type in any business entity;
  - (d) The term "employee" set forth in this subdivision shall be applicable only with respect to section 431.202 and shall have no application in any other context. The term "employee" is not intended, and shall not be relied upon, to create, change, or affect the employment status of any natural person or the meaning of the terms "employee", "employment", or "employer" that may be applicable in any other context or pursuant to any other provision of law.
- 431.202. 1. A reasonable covenant in writing
  promising not to solicit, recruit, hire, induce, persuade,
  encourage, or otherwise interfere with, directly or
  indirectly, the employment or other business relationship of
  one or more employees of a business entity shall be
  enforceable and not a restraint of trade pursuant to
  subsection 1 of section 416.031 if:
- 8 (1) Between two or more [corporations or other]
  9 business entities seeking to preserve workforce stability
  10 (which shall be deemed to be among the protectable interests
  11 of each [corporation or] such business entity) during, and
  12 for a reasonable period following, negotiations between such
  13 [corporations or] business entities for the acquisition of

- 14 all or a part of one or more of such [corporations or]
- 15 business entities;
- 16 (2) Between two or more [corporations or] business
- 17 entities engaged in a joint venture or other legally
- 18 permissible business arrangement where such covenant seeks
- 19 to protect against possible misuse of confidential business
- 20 or proprietary information or trade [secret business
- 21 information] secrets shared or to be shared between or among
- 22 such [corporations or] entities;
- 23 (3) Between [an employer] a business entity and one or
- 24 more employees of such business entity seeking on the part
- of the [employer] business entity to protect:
- 26 (a) Confidential business or proprietary information
- or trade [secret business information] secrets; or
- 28 (b) Customer or supplier relationships, goodwill or
- 29 loyalty, which shall be deemed to be among the protectable
- 30 interests of the [employer] business entity; or
- 31 (4) Between [an employer] a business entity and one or
- 32 more employees of such business entity, notwithstanding the
- 33 absence of the protectable interests described in
- 34 subdivision (3) of this subsection, so long as such covenant
- 35 does not continue for more than [one year] two years
- 36 following the employee's employment or business relationship
- 37 with the business entity; provided, however, that this
- 38 subdivision shall not apply to covenants signed by employees
- 39 who provide only secretarial or clerical services and who
- 40 own no shares, partnership interest, membership or
- 41 membership interest in a limited liability company or series
- 42 limited liability company, or equity interest, ownership,
- 43 profit participation, or other interest of any type in the
- 44 business entity.

- 2. Whether a covenant covered by subsection 1 of this section is reasonable shall be determined based upon the facts and circumstances pertaining to such covenant, but a covenant covered exclusively by subdivision (3) or (4) of subsection 1 of this section shall be conclusively presumed to be reasonable if its postemployment or postbusiness duration is no more than [one year] two years.
  - 3. A reasonable covenant in writing promising not to solicit, induce, persuade, encourage, service, accept business from, or otherwise interfere with, directly or indirectly, a business entity's customers, including, without limitation, any reduction, termination, or transfer of any customer's business, in whole or in part, for purposes of providing any product or any service that is competitive with those provided by the business entity, shall be enforceable, and not a restraint of trade pursuant to subsection 1 of section 416.031, if the covenant is limited to customers with whom the employee dealt during the employee's employment or other business relationship with the business entity, and if:
  - (1) The covenant is between a business entity and one or more current or former employees of the business entity and is not associated with the sale or ownership of all or any part of:
    - (a) The assets of a business entity; or
- 70 (b) Any interest in a business entity, including, but
  71 not limited to, all or any part of the shares of a
  72 corporation, a partnership interest, a membership or
  73 membership interest in a limited liability company or series
  74 limited liability company, or an equity interest, ownership,
  75 profit participation, or other interest of any type in any
  76 business entity;

- 77 so long as the covenant does not continue for more than two
- 78 years following the end of the employee's employment or
- 79 business relationship with the business entity.
- 80 Notwithstanding the foregoing, this subdivision shall not
- 81 apply to covenants with current or former distributors,
- 82 dealers, franchisees, lessees of real or personal property,
- 83 or licensees of a trademark, trade dress, or service mark;
- 84 (2) The covenant is between a business entity and a
- 85 current or former distributor, dealer, franchisee, lessee of
- 86 real or personal property, or licensee of a trademark, trade
- 87 dress, or service mark, and is not associated with the sale
- 88 or ownership of all or any part of any of the items provided
- 89 in paragraphs (a) or (b) of subdivision (1) of this
- 90 subsection, so long as such covenant does not continue for
- 91 more than three years following the end of the business
- 92 relationship; or
- 93 (3) The covenant is between a business entity and the
- 94 owner or seller of all or any part of any of the items
- 95 provided in paragraphs (a) or (b) of subdivision (1) of this
- 96 subsection, so long as the covenant does not continue for
- 97 more than the longer of five years in duration or the period
- 98 of time during which payments are being made to the owner or
- 99 seller as a result of any sale measured from the date of
- 100 termination, closing, or disposition of such items.
- 101 (a) A breach or threatened breach of a covenant
- 102 described in this subdivision shall create a conclusive
- 103 presumption of irreparable harm in the absence of an
- 104 issuance of injunctive relief in connection with the
- 105 enforcement of the covenant, without the necessity of
- 106 establishing by prima facie evidence any actual or
- 107 threatened damages or harm. Nothing in this paragraph shall
- 108 be construed to change any other applicable evidentiary

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- standard or other standards necessary for obtaining temporary, preliminary, or permanent injunctive relief relating to the enforcement of covenants.
- 112 A provision in writing by which an employee promises to provide prior notice to a business entity of the 113 114 employee's intent to terminate, sell, or otherwise dispose of all or any part of any of the items covered by this 115 subdivision shall be conclusively presumed to be 116 117 enforceable, and not a restraint of trade pursuant to subsection 1 of section 416.031, if the specified notice 118 119 period is no longer than thirty days in duration and the 120 business entity agrees in writing to pay the employee at the employee's regular rate of pay and to provide the employee 121 122 with the employee's regular benefits during the applicable 123 notice period even if the business entity does not require 124 the employee to provide services during the notice period.
  - 4. Whether a covenant covered by subsection 3 of this section is reasonable shall be determined based upon the facts and circumstances pertaining to the covenant, but a covenant covered by subdivisions (1) to (3) of subsection 3 of this section shall be conclusively presumed to be reasonable if its postemployment, posttermination, postbusiness relationship, postsale, or postdisposition duration is consistent with the applicable duration set forth in subdivisions (1) to (3) of subsection 3 of this section.
- 5. No express reference to geographic area shall be required for a covenant described in this section to be enforceable.
- 138 6. If a covenant is overbroad, overlong, or otherwise 139 not reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate business 140 interests of the person seeking enforcement of the covenant,

- a court shall modify the covenant, enforce the covenant as modified, and grant only the relief reasonably necessary to protect such interests.
- 7. Nothing in subdivision (3) or (4) of subsection 1
  or subdivisions (1) to (3) of subsection 3 of this section
  is intended to create, or to affect the validity or
  enforceability of, [employer-employee] covenants not to
  compete, other types of covenants, or nondisclosure or
  confidentiality agreements, except as expressly provided in
  this section.
- [4.] 8. Nothing in this section shall preclude a 151 covenant described in subsection 1 of this section from 152 being enforceable in circumstances other than those 153 154 described in subdivisions (1) to (4) of subsection 1 of this 155 section, or a covenant described in subsection 3 of this 156 section from being enforceable in circumstances other than 157 those described in subdivisions (1) to (3) of subsection 3 of this section, where such covenant is reasonably necessary 158 to protect a party's legally permissible business interests. 159
  - [5.] 9. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this section, nothing [is] in this section shall be construed to limit an employee's ability to seek or accept employment with another employer immediately upon, or at any time subsequent to, termination of employment, whether said termination was voluntary or nonvoluntary.
- 166 [6.] 10. This section shall have retrospective as well as prospective effect.
  - 620.1039. 1. As used in this section, the [term]
  - 2 following terms shall mean:

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3 (1) "Additional qualified research expenses", the 4 difference between qualified research expenses, as certified 5 by the director of economic development, incurred in a tax

- 6 year subtracted by the average of the taxpayer's qualified
- 7 research expenses incurred in the three immediately
- 8 preceding tax years;
- 9 (2) "Minority business enterprise", a business that is:
- 10 (a) A sole proprietorship owned and controlled by a
- 11 minority;
- 12 (b) A partnership or joint venture owned and
- 13 controlled by minorities in which at least fifty-one percent
- 14 of the ownership interest is held by minorities and the
- 15 management and daily business operations of which are
- 16 controlled by one or more of the minorities who own it; or
- 17 (c) A corporation or other entity whose management and
- daily business operations are controlled by one or more
- 19 minorities who own it and that is at least fifty-one percent
- 20 owned by one or more minorities or, if stock is issued, at
- least fifty-one percent of the stock is owned by one or more
- 22 minorities;
- 23 (3) "Missouri qualified research and development
- 24 equipment", tangible personal property that has not
- 25 previously been used in this state for any purpose and is
- 26 acquired by the purchaser for the purpose of research and
- 27 development activities devoted to experimental or laboratory
- 28 research and development for new products, new uses of
- 29 existing products, or improving or testing existing products;
- 30 (4) "Qualified research expenses", for expenses within
- 31 this state, the same meaning as prescribed in 26 U.S.C. 41;
- 32 (5) "Small business", a corporation, partnership, sole
- 33 proprietorship or other business entity, including its
- 34 affiliates, that:
- 35 (a) Is independently owned and operated; and
- 36 (b) Employs fifty or fewer full-time employees;

- 37 (6) "Taxpayer" [means], an individual, a partnership,
  38 or any charitable organization which is exempt from federal
  39 income tax and whose Missouri unrelated business taxable
  40 income, if any, would be subject to the state income tax
  41 imposed under chapter 143, or a corporation as described in
  42 section 143.441 or 143.471, or section 148.370[, and the
  43 term "qualified research expenses" has the same meaning as
- 45 (7) "Women's business enterprise", a business that is:
- 46 (a) A sole proprietorship owned and controlled by a
  47 woman;

prescribed in 26 U.S.C. 41];

- (b) A partnership or joint venture owned and controlled by women in which at least fifty-one percent of the ownership interest is held by women and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the women who own it; or
- (c) A corporation or other entity whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women who own it and that is at least fifty-one percent owned by women or, if stock is issued, at least fifty-one percent of the stock is owned by one or more women.
- 2. (1) For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2001, and ending before January 1, 2005, the director of the department of economic development may authorize a taxpayer to receive a tax credit against the tax otherwise due pursuant to chapter 143, or chapter 148, other than the taxes withheld pursuant to sections 143.191 to 143.265, in an amount up to six and one-half percent of the excess of the taxpayer's qualified research expenses, as certified by the director of the department of economic development, within this state during the taxable year over the average of the taxpayer's qualified research expenses within this

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- state over the immediately preceding three taxable years;
  except that, no tax credit shall be allowed on that portion
  of the taxpayer's qualified research expenses incurred
  within this state during the taxable year in which the
  credit is being claimed, to the extent such expenses exceed
  two hundred percent of the taxpayer's average qualified
- 75 research expenses incurred during the immediately preceding
  76 three taxable years.
- 77 (2) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
  78 2023, the director of economic development may authorize a
  79 taxpayer to receive a tax credit against the tax otherwise
  80 due under chapters 143 and 148, other than the taxes
  81 withheld under sections 143.191 to 143.265 in an amount
  82 equal to the greater of:
- 83 (a) Fifteen percent of the taxpayer's additional 84 qualified research expenses; or
- (b) If such qualified research expenses relate to research conducted in conjunction with a public or private college or university located in this state, twenty percent of the taxpayer's additional qualified research expenses.
  - However, in no case shall a tax credit be allowed for any portion of qualified research expenses that exceed two hundred percent of the taxpayer's average qualified research expenses incurred during the three immediately preceding tax years.
- 94 3. The director of economic development shall
  95 prescribe the manner in which the tax credit may be applied
  96 for. The tax credit authorized by this section may be
  97 claimed by the taxpayer to offset the tax liability imposed
  98 by chapter 143 or chapter 148 that becomes due in the tax
  99 year during which such qualified research expenses were

100 incurred. For tax years ending before January 1, 2005, 101 where the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability, the difference between the credit and the tax liability may 102 103 only be carried forward for the next five succeeding taxable 104 years or until the full credit has been claimed, whichever 105 first occurs. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2023, where the amount of the credit exceeds the 106 107 tax liability, the difference between the credit and the tax liability may only be carried forward for the next twelve 108 109 succeeding tax years or until the full credit has been 110 claimed, whichever occurs first. The application for tax credits authorized by the director pursuant to subsection 2 111 of this section shall be made no later than the end of the 112 113 taxpayer's tax period immediately following the tax period 114 for which the credits are being claimed. 115 4. (1) Certificates of tax credit issued pursuant to 116 this section may be transferred, sold or assigned by filing a notarized endorsement thereof with the department which 117 names the transferee and the amount of tax credit 118 transferred. The director of economic development may allow 119 120 a taxpayer to transfer, sell or assign up to forty percent of the amount of the certificates of tax credit issued to 121 and not claimed by such taxpayer pursuant to this section 122 123 during any tax year commencing on or after January 1, 1996, 124 and ending not later than December 31, 1999. Such taxpayer shall file, by December 31, 2001, an application with the 125 126 department which names the transferee, the amount of tax credit desired to be transferred, and a certification that 127 the funds received by the applicant as a result of the 128 129 transfer, sale or assignment of the tax credit shall be 130 expended within three years at the state university for the

sole purpose of conducting research activities agreed upon

- by the department, the taxpayer and the state university.
- 133 Failure to expend such funds in the manner prescribed
- 134 pursuant to this section shall cause the applicant to be
- subject to the provisions of section 620.017.
- 136 (2) Up to one hundred percent of tax credits provided
- under this program may be transferred, sold, or assigned by
- 138 filing a notarized endorsement thereof with the department
- 139 that names the transferee, the amount of tax credit
- 140 transferred, and the value received for the credit, as well
- 141 as any other information reasonably requested by the
- 142 department. For a taxpayer with flow-through tax treatment
- 143 to its members, partners, or shareholders, the tax credit
- shall be allowed to members, partners, or shareholders in
- 145 proportion to their share of ownership on the last day of
- 146 the taxpayer's tax period.
- 147 5. [No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the
- authority of this section shall become effective unless it
- has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter
- 150 536. All rulemaking authority delegated prior to June 27,
- 151 1997, is of no force and effect and repealed; however,
- nothing in this section shall be interpreted to repeal or
- affect the validity of any rule filed or adopted prior to
- June 27, 1997, if such rule complied with the provisions of
- chapter 536. The provisions of this section and chapter 536
- are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the
- general assembly pursuant to chapter 536, including the
- ability to review, to delay the effective date, or to
- disapprove and annul a rule or portion of a rule, are
- subsequently held unconstitutional, then the purported grant
- of rulemaking authority and any rule so proposed and
- 162 contained in the order of rulemaking shall be invalid and
- 163 void.] Purchases of Missouri qualified research and

- development equipment are hereby specifically exempted from
- all state and local sales and use tax including, but not
- 166 limited to, sales and use tax authorized or imposed under
- section 32.085 and chapter 144.
- 168 6. The department may adopt such rules, statements of
- 169 policy, procedures, forms, and guidelines as may be
- 170 necessary to carry out the provisions of this section. Any
- 171 rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in
- section 536.010, that is created under the authority
- 173 delegated in this section shall become effective only if it
- 174 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of
- chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This
- section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the
- 177 powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter
- 178 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove
- 179 and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional,
- 180 then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed
- or adopted after August 28, 2022, shall be invalid and void.
- 7. (1) For tax years ending before January 1, 2005,
- 183 the aggregate of all tax credits authorized pursuant to this
- 184 section shall not exceed nine million seven hundred thousand
- 185 dollars in any year.
- 186 (2) (a) For all tax years beginning on or after
- 187 January 1, 2023, the aggregate of all tax credits authorized
- under this section shall not exceed ten million dollars in
- 189 any year.
- 190 (b) Five million dollars of such ten million dollars
- 191 shall be reserved for minority business enterprises, women's
- 192 business enterprises, and small businesses. Any reserved
- 193 amount not issued or awarded to a minority business
- 194 enterprise, women's business enterprise, or small business
- 195 by November first of the tax year may be issued to any

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- 196 taxpayer otherwise eligible for a tax credit under this
  197 section.
- 198 (c) No single taxpayer shall be issued or awarded more
  199 than three hundred thousand dollars in tax credits under
  200 this section in any year.
  - (d) In the event that total eligible claims for credits received in a calendar year exceed the annual cap, each eligible claimant shall be issued credits based upon a pro-rata basis, given that all new businesses, defined as a business less than five years old, are issued full tax credits first.
- [7. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 208 2005, no tax credits shall be approved, awarded, or issued to any person or entity claiming any tax credit under this section.]
  - 8. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:
- 212 (1) The provisions of the program authorized under 213 this section shall automatically sunset December thirty-214 first, six years after the effective date of this section;
  - (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset December thirty-first, twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section; and
- 219 (3) This section shall terminate on December thirty-220 first of the calendar year immediately following the 221 calendar year in which the program authorized under this 222 section is sunset.

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