1 State of Arkansas A Bill **ACT 669 OF 1993** 2 **79th General Assembly** SENATE BILL 600 3 Regular Session, 1993 **By: Senator Yates** 5 6 For An Act To Be Entitled 7 "AN ACT TO CONFORM THE AMOUNT OF GROSS RECEIPTS, GROSS g PROCEEDS, OR SALES PRICE SUBJECT TO MUNICIPAL OR COUNTY 9 SALES OR USE TAX IN A SINGLE TRANSACTION; AND FOR OTHER 10 PURPOSES." 11 12 Subtitle 13 "TO CONFORM THE AMOUNT SUBJECT TO MUNICIPAL OR COUNTY 14 15 SALES OR USE TAX IN A SINGLE TRANSACTION." 17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 1 8 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 14-164-334(a) is amended to read as follows: 19 "(a) Any sales and use tax levied pursuant to this subchapter shall be 20 21 levied and collected only on the first two thousand five hundred dollars 22 (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from a single 23 transaction." 24 2.5 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 26-74-213(a) is amended to read as follows: "(a) A county shall provide in its ordinance authorized by this 26 27 subchapter a rebate from the county for taxes collected pursuant to this 28 subchapter in excess of the tax on the first two thousand five hundred dollars 29 (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from a single 30 transaction." 31 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code 26-74-220 is amended to read as follows: 32 "§26-74-220. Maximum tax limitation. 33 (a) Any county general sales or use tax levied pursuant to this 34 35 subchapter shall be levied and collected only on the first two thousand five 36 hundred dollars (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from

- 1 a single transaction, and vendors shall be responsible for collecting and
- 2 remitting the taxonly on the first two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500)
- 3 of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from a single transaction.
- 4 Vendors collecting, reporting, and remitting the county sales or use taxes
- 5 shall show county sales taxes as a separate entry on the tax report form filed
- 6 with the director.
- 7 (b) The term single transaction, as used in this section and §§
- 8 26-75-207 26-75-212, shall be defined by ordinance of the county levying the
- 9 tax. In the case of any taxpayer not subject to the levy of a use tax on
- 10 tangible personal property brought into the State of Arkansas for storage
- 11 until such property is subsequently initially used in the State of Arkansas, a
- 12 county use tax shall be computed on each purchase of such property by the
- 13 taxpayer as if all such property was subject upon purchase to the county use
- 14 tax only on the first two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) of gross
- 15 receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from a single transaction. The taxes
- 16 so computed shall be aggregated on a monthly basis, and the aggregate monthly
- 17 amount shall be divided by the sum of the total purchases of such property on
- 18 which the taxes are computed, and the quotient shall be multiplied by the
- 19 amount of the taxpayer's property subsequently initially used and subject to
- 20 levy of a use tax within the county during the month for which the monthly
- 21 aggregate tax figure was computed, and the product shall be the amount of
- 22 county use tax liability for the taxpayer for the month computed."

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- 24 SECTION 4. Arkansas Code 26-75-222 is amended to read as follows:
- "§26-75-222. Maximum tax limitation.
- 26 (a) Any municipal general sales or use tax levied pursuant to this
- 27 subchapter shall be levied and collected only on the first two thousand five
- 28 hundred dollars (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from
- 29 each single transaction, and vendors shall be responsible for collecting and
- 30 remitting the tax only on the first two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500)
- 31 of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from each single transaction.
- 32 Vendors collecting, reporting, and remitting the municipal sales or use taxes
- 33 shall show municipal sales taxes as a separate entry on the tax report form
- 34 filed with the director.
- 35 (b) The term _single transaction_ as used in this section and §§

1 26-75-207 - 26-75-212 shall be defined by ordinance of the municipality 2 levying the tax. In the case of any taxpayer not subject to the levy of a use 3 tax on tangible personal property brought into the State of Arkansas for 4 storage until such property is subsequently initially used in the State of 5 Arkansas, a municipal use tax shall be computed on each purchase of such 6 property by the taxpayer as if all such property was subject upon purchase to 7 the municipal use tax only on the first two thousand five hundred dollars 8 (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from each single 9 transaction. The taxes so computed shall be aggregated on a monthly basis, the 10 aggregate monthly amount shall be divided by the sum of the total purchases of 11 such property on which the taxes are computed, and the quotient shall be 12 multiplied by the amount of the taxpayer's property subsequently initially 13 used and subject to levy of a use tax within the municipality during the month 14 for which the monthly aggregate tax figure was computed, and the product shall 15 be the amount of municipal use tax liability for the taxpayer for the month 16 computed." 17 SECTION 5. Arkansas Code 26-75-312(b) is amended to read as follows: 18 "(b) A city shall provide in its ordinance authorized by this 19 20 subchapter for a rebate from the city for taxes collected pursuant to this 21 subchapter in excess of the tax on the first two thousand five hundred dollars 22 (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or sales price from a single 23 transaction." 2.4 25 SECTION 6. Any municipal or county sales or use tax levied pursuant to 26 the laws of this state shall be levied and collected only on the first two 27 thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) of gross receipts, gross proceeds or 28 sales price from a single transaction. This provision shall apply to all 29 municipal and county sales and use taxes heretofore or hereafter adopted and 30 shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any other limitations imposed by 31 law. 32 33 SECTION 7. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature

34 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code 35 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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         SECTION 8. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
 3 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
4 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
 5 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
 6 act are declared to be severable.
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         SECTION 9. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
9 hereby repealed.
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