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Shovers, Marc Tech Zone Credit Bill

#### Marc,

I just talked to Anne in Scott Suder's office, and she told me that you were working on drafting a new tech zone credit bill to replace Assembly Bill 299. As Sheila is the Senate author of the bill, we would also like a Senate version of the bill drafted for us as soon as the Assembly version is done. From what I understand, the Assembly version is due for a hearing on Thursday, pending some last minute changes.

Thanks.

Christian Schneider Committee Clerk, Senate Committee on Higher Education and Tourism Staff, Joint Committee on Finance Office of State Senator Sheila Harsdorf (608)266-7745 christian.schneider@legis.state.wi.us

# ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT, TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 299

1	AN ACT to renumber and amend $560.96(1)$ ; to amend $71.07(3g)(a)$ 2., $71.07$
2 .	(3g) (a) 3., 71.28 (3g) (a) 2., 71.28 (3g) (a) 3., 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. and 71.47 (3g) (a)
3	$3.; \text{ and } \textit{to create } 71.07 \ (3g) \ (e), \ 71.07 \ (3g) \ (f), \ 71.28 \ (3g) \ (e), \ 71.28 \ (3g) \ (f), \ 71.47 \ (g)$
4	(3g) (e), 71.47 (3g) (f), 560.96 (1) (a), 560.96 (1) (b) and 560.96 (5) (j) of the
5	statutes; relating to: changing the method of calculating the technology zones
6	tax credit.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

**Section 1.** 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

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71.07 (3g) (a) 2. The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed under s.
71.02 that the business paid in the taxable year Ten percent of the amount of capital investments that are made by the business in the technology zone in the year to which the claim relates.

1	<b>Section 2.</b> 71.07 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:
2	71.07 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52,
3	77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Five percent of the
4	amount that is spent on wages for full-time jobs that are created in the year to which
5	the claim relates in the technology zone. "Full-time job" has the meaning given in
6	s. 560.96 (1) (a).
7	SECTION 3. 71.07 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
8	71.07 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the
9	calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation
10	of any other credit under this chapter.
11	2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for
12	which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in
13	the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified
14	under s. 560.96 (3).
15	<b>Section 4.</b> 71.07 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
16	71.07 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the
17	claimant includes with the claimant's return:
18	1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's
19	business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department
20	of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).
21	2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price
22	of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment
23	fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
24	<b>SECTION 5.</b> 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (3g) (a) 2. The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed under s.
71.23 that the business paid in the taxable year Ten percent of the amount of capital
investments that are made by the business in the technology zone in the year to
which the claim relates.
Section 6. 71.28 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:
71.28 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52,
77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Five percent of the
amount that is spent on wages for full-time jobs that are created in the year to which
the claim relates in the technology zone. "Full-time job" has the meaning given in
<u>s. 560.96 (1) (a)</u> .
Section 7. 71.28 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
71.28 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the
calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation
of any other credit under this chapter.
2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for
which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in
the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified
under s. 560.96 (3).
SECTION 8. 71.28 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
71.28 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the
claimant includes with the claimant's return:
1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's
business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department
of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).

1	2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price
2	of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment
3	fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
4	<b>Section 9.</b> 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:
5	71.47 (3g) (a) 2. The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed under s.
6	71.43 that the business paid in the taxable year Ten percent of the amount of capital
7	investments that are made by the business in the technology zone in the year to
8	which the claim relates.
9	<b>Section 10.</b> 71.47 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:
10	71.47 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52,
11	77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Five percent of the
12	amount that is spent on wages for full-time jobs that are created in the year to which
13	the claim relates in the technology zone. "Full-time job" has the meaning given in
14	s. 560.96 (1) (a).
15	Section 11. 71.47 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
16	71.47 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the
17	calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation
18	of any other credit under this chapter.
19	2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for
20	which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in
21	the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified
22	under s. 560.96 (3).
23	<b>Section 12.</b> 71.47 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
24	71.47 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the
25	claimant includes with the claimant's return:

1	1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's
2	business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department
3	of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).
4	2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price
5	of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment
6	fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
7	<b>SECTION 13.</b> 560.96 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 560.96 (1) (intro.) and
8	amended to read:
9	560.96 (1) (intro.) In this section, "tax credit" means a credit under s. 71.07
10	(2di), (2dm), (2dx), or (3g), 71.28 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g), or 71.47 (1di), (1dm),
11	<del>(1dx), or (3g).</del> :
12	<b>Section 14.</b> 560.96 (1) (a) of the statutes is created to read:
13	560.96 (1) (a) "Full-time job" means a regular, nonseasonal full-time position
14	in which an individual, as a condition of employment, is required to work at least
15	2,080 hours per year, subject to sub. (5) (j), including paid leave and holidays, and for
16	which the individual receives pay that is equal to at least 200% of the federal
17	minimum wage and receives benefits that are not required by federal or state law.
18	"Full-time job" does not include initial training before an employment position
19	begins.
20	SECTION 15. 560.96 (1) (b) of the statutes is created to read:
21	560.96 (1) (b) "Tax credit" means a credit under s. 71.07 (2di), (2dm), (2dx), or
22	(3g), 71.28 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g), or 71.47 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g).
23	<b>Section 16.</b> 560.96 (5) (j) of the statutes is created to read:
24	560.96 (5) (j) The number of hours an individual is required to work for his or
25	her employment to be considered a full-time job. The department may reduce the

1	number of hours specified in sub. (1) (a) to be considered a full-time job based on the
2	normal work week of a certified business.
3	SECTION 17. Initial applicability.
4	(1) This act first applies to taxable years beginning on January 1, 2002.
5	(END)



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**2003 BILL** 



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AN ACT to renumber and amend 71.07 (3g) (a) 2., 71.28 (3g) (a) 2., 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. and 560.96 (1); to amend 71.07 (3g) (a) 3., 71.28 (3g) (a) 3., 71.47 (3g) (a) 3. and 560.96 (3) (b) 1.; and to create 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. a., 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. b., 71.07 (3g) (e), 71.07 (3g) (f), 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. a., 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. b., 71.28 (3g) (e), 71.28 (3g) (f), 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. a., 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. b., 71.47 (3g) (f), 560.96 (1) (a), 560.96 (1) (b) and 560.96 (5) (j) of the statutes; relating to: the method of calculating technology zone tax credits and the certification of businesses under the technology zone program.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a business that is located in a technology zone and certified by the Department of Commerce (Commerce) to receive tax credits may claim the credits in an amount, as adjusted by Commerce, that is equal to the sum of the property taxes, income and franchise taxes, and sales and use taxes that the business paid in the taxable year. One factor Commerce must consider in determining whether to certify a business is the number of new jobs the business is likely to create. Under current law, generally, partnerships, limited liability companies, and tax—option corporations do not pay income or franchise taxes, but, instead, pass their tax liability on to their partners, members, and shareholders who report the income received from such entities.

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Under this bill, the credit may be claimed in an amount, as adjusted by Commerce, that is equal to the sum of the real and personal property taxes that the business paid in the taxable year, an amount equal to 10 percent of the amount of capital investments that are made by the business in the technology zone, and an amount equal to 15 percent of the amount that is spent for the first 12 months of wages for each full—time job that is created in a technology zone after certification. Capital investments mean the purchase price of depreciable, tangible personal property and the amount that is expended to acquire, construct, rehabilitate, remodel, or repair real property in a technology zone.

The bill requires that capital investments, for which a credit is claimed, must be used in the technology zone during the period that the business is certified by Commerce. The bill also requires that the claimant must submit verification to the Department of Revenue that Commerce has certified the claimant's business, and that Commerce has verified the price and the location of the investments for which a credit is claimed. In addition, this bill specifies that, in determining whether to certify a business, Commerce must consider the number of full–time jobs the business is likely to create. The bill defines "full–time job," with certain exceptions, to mean a regular, nonseasonal full–time position in which an individual, as a condition of employment, is required to work at least 2,080 hours per year, including paid leave and holidays, and for which the individual is paid at least 200 percent of the federal minimum wage and receives benefits that are not required by federal or state law.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

# The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is renumbered 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. (intro.)
and amended to read:

71.07 (3g) (a) 2. (intro.) The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed under s. 71.02 that the business paid in the taxable year. Ten percent of the following amounts of capital investments that are made by the business in the technology zone in the year to which the claim relates:

SECTION 2. 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. a. of the statutes is created to read:

71.07 (3g) (a) 2. a. The purchase price of depreciable, tangible personal property.

1	SECTION 3. 71.07 (3g) (a) 2. b. of the statutes is created to read:
2	71.07 (3g) (a) 2. b. The amount expended to acquire, construct, rehabilitate,
3	remodel, or repair real property in a technology zone.
4	SECTION 4. 71.07 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:
5	71.07 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52,
6	77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Fifteen percent of the
7	amount that is spent for the first 12 months of wages for each full-time job that is
8	created in a technology zone after certification. "Full-time job" has the meaning
9	given in s. 560.96 (1) (a).
10	Section 5. 71.07 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
11	71.07 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the
12	calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation
13	of any other credit under this chapter.
14	2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for
15	which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in
16	the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified
17	under s. 560.96 (3).
18	SECTION 6. 71.07 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
19	71.07 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the
20	claimant includes with the claimant's return:
21	1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's
22	business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department
23	of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).

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- 2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
- SECTION 7. 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is renumbered 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. (intro.) and amended to read:
- 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. (intro.) The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed under s. 71.23 that the business paid in the taxable year. Ten percent of the following amounts of capital investments that are made by the business in the technology zone in the year to which the claim relates:
- 10 Section 8. 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. a. of the statutes is created to read:
- 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. a. The purchase price of depreciable, tangible personal property.
- 13 Section 9. 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. b. of the statutes is created to read:
- 71.28 (3g) (a) 2. b. The amount expended to acquire, construct, rehabilitate, remodel, or repair real property in a technology zone.
  - SECTION 10. 71.28 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:
  - 71.28 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52, 77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Fifteen percent of the amount that is spent for the first 12 months of wages for each full-time job that is created in a technology zone after certification. "Full-time job" has the meaning given in s. 560.96 (1) (a).
  - SECTION 11. 71.28 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
  - 71.28 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation of any other credit under this chapter.

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1	2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for
2	which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in
3	the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified
4	under s. 560.96 (3).
5	SECTION 12. 71.28 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
6	71.28 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the
7	claimant includes with the claimant's return:
8	1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's
9	business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department
10	of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).
11	2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price
12	of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment
13	fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
14	<b>SECTION 13.</b> 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is renumbered 71.47 (3g) (a) 2.
15	(intro.) and amended to read:
16	71.47 (3g) (a) 2. (intro.) The amount of income and franchise taxes imposed
17	under s. 71.43 that the business paid in the taxable year. Ten percent of the following
18	amounts of capital investments that are made by the business in the technology zone
19	in the year to which the claim relates:
20	SECTION 14. 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. a. of the statutes is created to read:
21	71.47 (3g) (a) 2. a. The purchase price of depreciable, tangible personal
22	property.
23	SECTION 15. 71.47 (3g) (a) 2. b. of the statutes is created to read:
24	71.47 (3g) (a) 2. b. The amount expended to acquire, construct, rehabilitate,
25	remodel, or repair real property in a technology zone.

**SECTION 16.** 71.47 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (3g) (a) 3. The amount of sales and use taxes imposed under ss. 77.52, 77.53, and 77.71 that the business paid in the taxable year Fifteen percent of the amount that is spent for the first 12 months of wages for each full-time job that is created in a technology zone after certification. "Full-time job" has the meaning given in s. 560.96 (1) (a).

**SECTION 17.** 71.47 (3g) (e) of the statutes is created to read:

- 71.47 (3g) (e) 1. No amount described under par. (a) 2. may be used in the calculation of a credit under this subsection if that amount is used in the calculation of any other credit under this chapter.
- 2. The investments that relate to the amount described under par. (a) 2. for which a claimant makes a claim under this subsection must be retained for use in the technology zone for the period during which the claimant's business is certified under s. 560.96 (3).

SECTION 18. 71.47 (3g) (f) of the statutes is created to read:

- 71.47 (3g) (f) No credit may be allowed under this subsection unless the claimant includes with the claimant's return:
- 1. A copy of a verification from the department of commerce that the claimant's business is certified under s. 560.96 (3) and that the business and the department of commerce have entered into an agreement under s. 560.96 (3) (d).
- 2. A statement from the department of commerce verifying the purchase price of the investment described under par. (a) 2. and verifying that the investment fulfills the requirement under par. (e) 2.
- SECTION 19. 560.96 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 560.96 (1) (intro.) and amended to read:

1	560.96 (1) (intro.) In this section, "tax credit" means a credit under s. 71.07
2	(2di), (2dm), (2dx), or (3g), 71.28 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g), or 71.47 (1di), (1dm),
3	<del>(1dx), or (3g).</del> :
4	SECTION 20. 560.96 (1) (a) of the statutes is created to read:
5	560.96 (1) (a) "Full-time job" means a regular, nonseasonal full-time position
6	in which an individual, as a condition of employment, is required to work at least
7	2,080 hours per year, subject to sub. (5) (j), including paid leave and holidays, and for
8	which the individual receives pay that is equal to at least 200% of the federal
9	minimum wage and receives benefits that are not required by federal or state law.
10	"Full-time job" does not include initial training before an employment position
11	begins.
12	SECTION 21. 560.96 (1) (b) of the statutes is created to read:
13	560.96 (1) (b) "Tax credit" means a credit under s. 71.07 (2di), (2dm), (2dx), or
14	(3g), 71.28 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g), or 71.47 (1di), (1dm), (1dx), or (3g).
15	SECTION 22. 560.96 (3) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
16	560.96 (3) (b) 1. How many new full-time jobs the business is likely to create.
17	SECTION 23. 560.96 (5) (j) of the statutes is created to read:
18	560.96 (5) (j) The number of hours an individual is required to work for his or
19	her employment to be considered a full-time job. The department may reduce the
20	number of hours specified in sub. (1) (a) to be considered a full-time job based on the
21	normal work week of a certified business to 1,820 hours.
22	SECTION 24. Initial applicability.
23	(1) This act first applies to taxable years beginning on January 1, 2002.

#### Emery, Lynn

From:

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Draft review: LRB 03-3136/1 Topic: Changes to technology zones tax credit

It has been requested by <Woebke, Matt> that the following draft be jacketed for the SENATE:

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