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Please draft a bill the same as 2003-04 AB 756 except for the following changes:

1. The provisions on corporate income taxation of related entitities should be deleted.

2. Add the provisions of Assembly Amendment 5 to 2003 AB 413, requiring combined reporting for corporate income tax purposes.

3. Make the clarifications suggested in the January 27, 2004 technical memorandum to you from Dennis Collier regarding the tax on luxury boxes and administration of the tax exemption for computers that applies to businesses with less than \$5,000,000 in gross receipts.

Please let me know if you need copies of the technical memorandum or amendment referenced above, or feel free to contact Rep. Black for further information. Thank you.

Bill Graf

Research Assistant

State Representative

Spencer Black

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MEMORANDUM

January 27, 2004

TO:

Joseph Kreye

Legislative Reference Bureau

FROM:

Dennis Collier

Department of Revenue

SUBJECT:

Technical Memorandum on AB 756 Imposing Sales Tax on Leases of Luxury Boxes, Sky

Boxes and Club Seats at Sports Facilities

We have the following concerns about the sales tax portion of the bill:

- 1. The bill limits the imposition of the tax to leases. However, the boxes or seats are not necessarily leased. Language that imposes the tax on the furnishing of luxury boxes, sky boxes, and club seats for dues, fees or other considerations would clarify which transactions are taxable under the bill.
- 2. The bill does not specify the type of sports facility to which the sales tax applies. The term "sports facility" is defined in s. 167.32 (1) (f); reference to this definition would clarify the sports facilities to which the sales tax would apply.
- 3. The terms "luxury box", "sky box" and "club seat" are industry terms. Defining the terms may avoid confusion regarding the taxability of the items.
- 4. The date of sales entered into that are subject to the tax should be specified. It is recommended that the tax be imposed on sales entered into on or after the effective date of the act, so that sales subject to the tax are clearly identified.

We are also concerned about the exemption for computers that would only apply to businesses with less than \$5,000,000 in gross receipts. It may prove impossible to administer the provision. Local assessors will need information on business revenues. The bill states that the Department of Revenue (DOR) shall determine business revenues for purposes of the exemption. If DOR uses income tax records to determine this, revenues for calendar 2004 revenues would not be available until tax forms are fully processed, which would be late in 2005. In order to administer the exemption, we suggest that the language specify that the revenue determination be based upon revenue from the second prior year; thus, for 2005, revenue for 2003 would be used to determine eligibility for the exemption. There is also a question concerning the legality of DOR releasing revenue data to local assessors. Such a release could be a violation of taxpayer confidentiality. In addition, the provisions may violate the uniformity in taxation clause of the Wisconsin Constitution since it would base a tax exemption on the gross income of a property owner.

Finally, the state constitution permits net lottery funds to be distributed as a credit without regard to the uniformity in taxation clause. Thus, the credit can be paid to homeowners only. This provision does not

extend to general fund (GPR) money. The \$469,305,000 of school levies credits that get shifted to the proposed homeowner's credit is GPR funding. As a result, the distribution of these funds through a property tax credit may be subject to the uniformity in taxation clause of the state constitution.

If you have questions regarding the sales tax portion of this technical memorandum, please contact Blair Kruger at 266-1310 or bkruger@dor.state.wi.us. If you have questions regarding the other portions of this technical memorandum, please contact Daniel Huegel at 266-5705 or dhuegel@dor.state.wi.us.

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January 21, 2004 - Introduced by Representatives Black, Turner, Pocan, BERCEAU, SINICKI, POPE-ROBERTS, PLOUFF, ZEPNICK, J. LEHMAN and MILLER, cosponsored by Senators CARPENTER and CHVALA. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

AN ACT *to repeal* 20.566 (2) (am), 20.835 (3) (b), 79.10 (1) (b), 79.10 (1) (e), 79.10 (4), 79.10 (7m) (a), 79.10 (9) (b), 79.10 (9) (c) 2. and 79.14; to renumber and amend 71.26 (2) (a) and 79.10 (9) (c) 1.; to amend 20.566 (2) (r), 20.835 (3) (q), 20.835 (3) (s), 70.11 (39), 71.07 (9) (b) 5., 74.09 (3) (b) 3., 79.10 (1m) (b), 79.10 (2), 79.10 (5), 79.10 (6m) (a), 79.10 (7m) (b) (title), 79.10 (7m) (b) 1., 79.10 (9) (bm), 79.10 (10) (title), 79.10 (10) (a), 79.10 (10) (bm) 1., 79.10 (10) (bm) 2., 79.10 (11) (title), 79.10 (11) (b), 79.10 (11) (c), 79.11 (3) (b) and 565.02 (7); and to create 20.835 (3) (bm), 71.01 (5p), 71.01 (9b), 71.05 (6) (a) 21., 71.22 (3m), 71.22 (9b), 71.26 (2) (a) 6., 71.34 (1) (j), 71.42 (1p), 71.42 (4m), 71.45 (2) (a) 16., 71.738 (3m), 71.80 (23) and 77.52 (2) (a) 13. of the statutes; relating to: creating a homeowner's property tax credit, eliminating the school levy property tax credit and the lottery and gaming property tax credit, including payments to related entities to compute income tax and franchise tax liability increasing the amount of the school property income tax credit, imposing the sales tax on the

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lease of luxury boxes at sports facilities, claiming the property tax exemption for computers, and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Property tax credits

Under current law, a property owner in this state may claim a school levy property tax credit from the state based on the fair market value of the property and the property taxes levied by school districts located in the municipality in which the the property is located. The amount of the credit is paid from the general fund.

Under current law, a person who owns property in this state that the person uses as a principal dwelling may claim the lottery and gaming property tax credit as a credit against the property taxes imposed on his or her principal dwelling. The amount of the credit is based on the fair market value of the person's principal dwelling and is paid from the lottery fund.

This bill eliminates the school levy property tax credit and the lottery and gaming property tax credit and creates a homeowner's property tax credit. Under the bill, a person who owns property in this state that the person uses as a principal dwelling may claim the homeowner's credit as a credit against the property taxes imposed on his or her principal dwelling. The amount of the credit is based on the fair market value of the person's principal dwelling, up to a fair market value of \$60,000. The credit is paid from both the general fund, in an amount equal to the amount paid for the school levy property tax credit, and from the lottery fund.

School property tax income tax credit

Under current law, a person may claim an income tax credit based on the amount of property taxes or rent paid on the person's principal dwelling. The amount of the credit is equal to 12 percent of the first \$2,500 of property taxes or rent paid on the person's principal dwelling, or, for married persons filing separately, 12 percent of the first \$1,250 of property taxes or rent paid on the person's principal dwelling. Under the bill, with regard to rent paid on a person's principal dwelling, the amount of the credit is equal to 16 percent of the first \$2,500 of rent paid on the person's principal dwelling, or, for married persons filing separately, 16 percent of the first \$1,250 of rent paid on the person's principal dwelling.

Related entities Combined reporting OF

For purposes of calculating a taxpayer's state income tax or franchise tax liability, this bill requires a taxpayer to add the following amounts to the taxpayer's federal taxable income: any amount that the taxpayer deducted or excluded under the Internal Revenue Code for management and service fees, interest expenses and costs, intangible expenses and costs, and any other expenses and costs directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred to, or in connection directly or indirectly with one or more direct or indirect transactions with, one or more related entities.

The bill also authorizes the Department of Revenue (DOR) to allow the tax consequences of a transaction, as asserted by a taxpayer, even if DOR initially

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disallows the consequences by asserting the sham transaction doctrine or a related doctrine, if a taxpayer meets certain conditions. The conditions include the taxpayer's ability to demonstrate that the transaction had a valid, good faith, business purpose other than tax avoidance; that the business purpose is commensurate with the transaction's tax benefit; and that the transaction had economic substance apart from the taxpayer's asserted tax benefit.

Also under the bill, a taxpayer is not required to add to the taxpayer's federal taxable income certain expenses or costs as specified in the bill if a number of conditions apply. The conditions include the following:

1. The transaction to which the expenses and costs apply did not have as its principal purpose tax avoidance.

2. The related entity to whom the taxpayer paid the expenses or costs paid, accrued, or incurred such amounts to a person who is not a related entity.

3. The related entity was subject to tax on its net income, and a measure of the tax included the expenses or costs received from the taxpayer.

Computers

Under current law, computers and certain computer-related equipment are exempt from the property tax imposed on the real and personal property of a business. Under the bill, no property owner may claim the property tax exemption for computers and computer-related equipment unless the property owner is a business that has less than \$5,000,000 in gross receipts, as determined by DOR, in Ithe year in which the property owner claims the exemption.

Luxury boxes

Under the bill, the lease of luxury boxes, sky boxes, and club seats at a sports facility is subject to a sales tax at the rate of 5 percent of the gross receipts from the lease of such boxes and seats.

This bill will be referred to the Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions for a detailed analysis, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

For further information see the state and local 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. 20.566 (2) (am) of the statutes is repealed.

Section 2. 20.566 (2) (r) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.566 **(2)** (r) Lottery and gaming Homeowner's tax credit administration.

From the lottery fund, the amounts in the schedule for the administration of the

lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit.

Section 3. 20.835 (3) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

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1	SECTION 4.	20.835 (3)	(bm)	of the	statutes	is created	to read:
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20.835 (3) (bm) Homeowner's tax credit; general fund. A sum sufficient to make the payments under s. 79.10 (5) and (6m) (c), not to exceed \$469,305,000.

Section 5. 20.835 (3) (q) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.835 **(3)** (q) Lottery and gaming Homeowner's tax credit. From the lottery fund, a sum sufficient to make the payments under s. 79.10 (5) and (6m) (c), not including the amount paid under s. 20.835 (3) (bm).

Section 6. 20.835 (3) (s) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.835 (3) (s) Lottery and gaming Homeowner's tax credit; late applications. From the lottery fund, a sum sufficient to make payments for the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit under s. 79.10 (10) (bm) and (bn).

Section 7. 70.11 (39) of the statutes is amended to read:

70.11 **(39)** Computers. If the owner of the property fulfills the requirements under s. 70.35 and if the property owner is a business that has less than \$5,000,000 in gross receipts, as determined by the department of revenue, in the year in which the owner claims an exemption under this subsection, mainframe computers, minicomputers, personal computers, networked personal computers, servers, terminals, monitors, disk drives, electronic peripheral equipment, tape drives, printers, basic operational programs, systems software, and prewritten software. The exemption under this subsection does not apply to custom software, fax machines, copiers, equipment with embedded computerized components or telephone systems, including equipment that is used to provide telecommunications services, as defined in s. 76.80 (3). For the purposes of s. 79.095, the exemption under this subsection does not apply to property that is otherwise exempt under this chapter.

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Section 8. 71.01 (5p) of the statutes is created to read:

71.01 (5p) "Intangible expenses and costs" includes expenses, losses, and costs for, related to, or directly or indirectly in connection with the direct or indirect acquisition of, use of, maintenance or management of, ownership of, sale of, exchange of, or any other direct or indirect disposition of intangible property to the extent that such expenses, losses, and costs are allowed as deductions or costs to determine federal taxable income under the Internal Revenue Code. For purposes of this subsection, "expenses, losses, and costs" include losses related to or incurred directly or indirectly in connection with factoring transactions and discounting transactions; royalty, patent, technical, and copyright fees; licensing fees; and other similar expenses and costs.

Section 9. 71.01 (9b) of the statutes is created to read:

71.01 **(9b)** "Related entity" means any person related to a taxpayer as provided under section 267, 318, or 1563 of the Internal Revenue Code during all or a portion of the taxpayer's taxable year.

Section 10. 71.05 (6) (a) 21. of the statutes is created to read:

71.05 **(6)** (a) 21. Any amount deducted or excluded under the Internal Revenue Code for management and service fees, interest expenses and costs, intangible expenses and costs, and any other expenses and costs directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred to, or in connection directly or indirectly with one or more direct or indirect transactions with, one or more related entities.

SECTION 11. 71.07 (9) (b) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 **(9)** (b) 5. For taxable years beginning after December 31, 1999, subject to the limitations under this subsection a claimant may claim as a credit against, but not to exceed the amount of, taxes under s. 71.02, $\frac{12\%}{12}$ percent of the first \$2,500

of property taxes or 16 percent of the first \$2,500 of rent constituting property taxes,
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first \$1,250 of property taxes or 16 percent of the first \$1,250 of rent constituting
property taxes of a married person filing separately.

SECTION 12. 71.22 (3m) of the statutes is created to read:

71.22 (3m) "Intangible expenses and costs" includes expenses, losses, and costs for, related to, or directly or indirectly in connection with the direct or indirect acquisition of, use of, maintenance or management of, ownership of, sale of, exchange of, or any other direct or indirect disposition of intangible property to the extent that such expenses, losses, and costs are allowed as deductions or costs to determine federal taxable income under the Internal Revenue Code. For purposes of this subsection, "expenses, losses, and costs" include losses related to or incurred directly or indirectly in connection with factoring transactions and discounting transactions; royalty, patent, technical, and copyright fees; licensing fees; and other similar expenses and costs.

Section 13. 71.22 (9b) of the statutes is created to read:

71.22 **(9b)** "Related entity" means any person related to a taxpayer as provided under section 267, 318, or 1563 of the Internal Revenue Code during all or a portion of the taxpayer's taxable year.

SECTION 14. 71.26 (2) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 71.26 (2) (a) (intro.) and amended to read:

71.26 **(2)** (a) *Corporations in general.* (intro.) The "net income" of a corporation means the gross income as computed under the Internal Revenue Code as modified under sub. (3) minus and modified as follows:

1. Minus the amount of recapture under s. 71.28 (1di) plus.

1	2. Plus the amount of credit computed under s. 71.28 (1), (3), (4), and (5) plus
2	3. Plus the amount of the credit computed under s. 71.28 (1dd), (1de), (1di)
3	(1dj), (1dL), (1dm), (1ds), (1dx), and (3g) and not passed through by a partnership
4	limited liability company, or tax-option corporation that has added that amount to
5	the partnership's, limited liability company's, or tax-option corporation's income
6	under s. 71.21 (4) or 71.34 (1) (g) plus.
7	4. Plus the amount of losses from the sale or other disposition of assets the gair
8	from which would be wholly exempt income, as defined in sub. (3) (L), if the assets
9	were sold or otherwise disposed of at a gain and minus deductions, as computed
10	under the Internal Revenue Code as modified under sub. (3), plus.
11	5. Plus or minus, as appropriate, an amount equal to the difference between
12	the federal basis and Wisconsin basis of any asset sold, exchanged, abandoned, or
13	otherwise disposed of in a taxable transaction during the taxable year, except as
14	provided in par. (b) and s. 71.45 (2) and (5).
15	SECTION 15. 71.26 (2) (a) 6. of the statutes is created to read:
16	71.26 (2) (a) 6. Plus any amount deducted or excluded under the Internal
17	Revenue Code for management and service fees, interest expenses and costs,
18	intangible expenses and costs, and any other expenses and costs directly or indirectly
19	paid, accrued, or incurred to, or in connection directly or indirectly with one or more
20	direct or indirect transactions with, one or more related entities.
21	SECTION 16. 71.34 (1) (j) of the statutes is created to read:
22	71.34 (1) (j) An addition shall be made for any amount deducted or excluded
23	under the Internal Revenue Code for management and service fees, interest
24	expenses and costs, intangible expenses and costs, and any other expenses and costs
25	directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred to, or in connection directly or

indirectly with one or more direct or indirect transactions with, one or more related entities.

Section 17. 71.42 (1p) of the statutes is created to read:

71.42 (1p) "Intangible expenses and costs" includes expenses, losses, and costs for, related to, or directly or indirectly in connection with the direct or indirect acquisition of, use of, maintenance or management of, ownership of, sale of, exchange of, or any other direct or indirect disposition of intangible property to the extent that such expenses, losses, and costs are allowed as deductions or costs to determine federal taxable income under the Internal Revenue Code. For purposes of this subsection, "expenses, losses, and costs" include losses related to or incurred directly or indirectly in connection with factoring transactions and discounting transactions; royalty, patent, technical, and copyright fees; licensing fees; and other similar expenses and costs.

SECTION 18. 71.42 (4m) of the statutes is created to read:

71.42 **(4m)** "Related entity" means any person related to a taxpayer as provided under section 267, 318, or 1563 of the Internal Revenue Code during all or a portion of the taxpayer's taxable year.

SECTION 19. 71.45 (2) (a) 16. of the statutes is created to read:

71.45 **(2)** (a) 16. By adding to federal taxable income any amount deducted or excluded under the Internal Revenue Code for management and service fees, interest expenses and costs, intangible expenses and costs, and any other expenses and costs directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred to, or in connection directly or indirectly with one or more direct or indirect transactions with, one or more related entities.

SECTION 20. 71.738 (3m) of the statutes is created to read:

71.738 **(3m)** "Related entity" means any person related to a taxpayer as provided under section 267, 318, or 1563 of the Internal Revenue Code during all or a portion of the taxpayer's taxable year.

Section 21. 71.80 (23) of the statutes is created to read:

71.80 (23) Transactions. (a) Subject to par. (b), if the department asserts the sham transaction doctrine, or any other related tax doctrine, to disallow the tax consequences, as asserted by the taxpayer, of a transaction, the department may allow the tax consequences, as asserted by the taxpayer, of the transaction, if the taxpayer demonstrates by clear and convincing evidence that the transaction had a valid, good faith, business purpose other than tax avoidance and had economic substance apart from any tax benefit asserted by the taxpayer.

- (b) For all instances in which the department disallows the tax consequences, as asserted by the taxpayer, of a transaction, the department may allow the tax consequences, as asserted by the taxpayer, of the transaction, if the taxpayer demonstrates by clear and convincing evidence that the transaction's nontaxable business purpose, as asserted by the taxpayer, is commensurate with the transaction's tax benefit, as asserted by the taxpayer.
- (c) The adjustments under ss. 71.05 (6) (a) 21., 71.26 (2) (a) 6., 71.34 (1) (j), and 71.45 (2) (a) 16. shall not apply to any expenses or costs if all of the following apply to the expenses or costs:
- 1. The transaction to which the expenses or costs are related did not have tax avoidance as its principal purpose.
- 2. The related entity to whom the taxpayer paid interest expenses or costs, intangible expenses, or management or service fees during the taxable year directly or indirectly paid, accrued, or incurred such amounts to a person who is not a related

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entity. For purposes of this subdivision, "interest" means interest on a debt for which
the taxpayer is the guarantor, if the interest rate is the market rate in effect at the
time of the debt's origination, but excludes interest that is paid in connection with
any debt that is incurred to acquire the taxpayer's assets or stock under section 368
of the Internal Revenue Code.

3. The related entity was subject to tax on its net income in this state, or any state, U.S. possession, or foreign country; a measure of the tax paid included the interest income, intangible income, or management or service fees received from the taxpayer; and the tax rate applied to the interest income, intangible income, or management or service fees was not less than 3 percentage points below the tax rate that would have applied under s. 71.27. For purposes of this subdivision, "any state, U.S. possession, or foreign country" does not include any state, U.S. possession, or foreign country under the laws of which the taxpayer files or could have elected to file with the related entity, or the related entity files or could have elected to file with another entity, a combined income tax report or return, a consolidated income tax report or return, or any other report or return that is due because of the imposition of a tax that is measured on or by income, if the report of return results in eliminating the tax effects of transactions directly or indirectly between either the taxpayer and the related entity or between the related entity and another entity.

SECTION 22. 74.09 (3) (b) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

74.09 (3) (b) 3. The tax levied on the property by the school district where the property is located minus the credit under s. 79.10 (4) allocable to the property, for the previous year and the current year, and the percentage change in that net tax between those years.

Section 23. 77.52 (2) (a) 13. of the statutes is created to read:

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1)	77.52 (2) (a) 13. The lease of luxury boxes, sky boxes, and club seats at a sports
2	facility, if the sale of admissions to sporting events at the facility is subject to the tax
3	imposed under this section. as defined in \$0/67032(1)(f) for dues of the consideration
4	SECTION 24. 79.10 (1) (b) of the statutes is repealed.
5	SECTION 25. 79.10 (1) (e) of the statutes is repealed.
6	SECTION 26. 79.10 (1m) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
7	79.10 (1m) (b) Counties and municipalities shall submit to the department of
8	revenue all data related to the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit and
9	requested by the department of revenue.
10	SECTION 27. 79.10 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
11	79.10 (2) Notice to municipalities. On or before December 1 of the year
12	preceding the distribution under sub. (7m) $\frac{1}{2}$, the department of revenue shall
13	notify the clerk of each town, village, and city of the estimated fair market value, as
14	determined under sub. (11), to be used to calculate the lottery and gaming
15	homeowner's tax credit under sub. (5) and of the amount to be distributed to it under
16	sub. (7m) (a) on the following 4th Monday in July. The anticipated receipt of such
17	distribution shall not be taken into consideration in determining the tax rate of the
18	municipality but shall be applied as tax credits.
19	SECTION 28. 79.10 (4) of the statutes is repealed.
20	SECTION 29. 79.10 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:
21	79.10 (5) Lottery and Gaming Homeowner's tax credit. Each municipality
22	shall receive, from the appropriation appropriations under s. 20.835 (3) $\underline{\text{(bm)}}$ and (q),
23	an amount determined by multiplying the school tax rate by the estimated fair
24	market value, not exceeding the value as determined under sub. (11), but not to
25	exceed $\$60,000$, of every principal dwelling that is located in the municipality and

1	for which a claim for the credit under sub. (9) (bm) is made by the owner of the
2	principal dwelling.
3	SECTION 30. 79.10 (6m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	79.10 (6m) (a) Except as provided in pars. (b) and (c), if the department of
5	administration or the department of revenue determines by October 1 of the year of
6	any distribution under subs. (4) and sub. (5) that there was an overpayment or
7	underpayment made in that year's distribution by the department of administration
8	to municipalities, as determined under subs. (4) and sub. (5), because of an error by
9	the department of administration, the department of revenue or any municipality,
10	the overpayment or underpayment shall be corrected as provided in this paragraph.
11	Any overpayment shall be corrected by reducing the subsequent year's distribution,
12	as determined under subs. (4) and sub. (5), by an amount equal to the amount of the
13	overpayment. Any underpayment shall be corrected by increasing the subsequent
14	year's distribution, as determined under subs. (4) and sub. (5), by an amount equal
15	to the amount of the underpayment. Corrections shall be made in the distributions
16	to all municipalities affected by the error. Corrections shall be without interest.
17	Section 31. 79.10 (7m) (a) of the statutes is repealed.
18	SECTION 32. 79.10 (7m) (b) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:
19	79.10 (7m) (b) (title) Lottery and gaming Homeowner's tax credit.
20	SECTION 33. 79.10 (7m) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
21	79.10 (7m) (b) 1. The amount determined under sub. (5) with respect to claims
22	filed for which the town, village, or city has furnished notice under sub. (1m) by
23	March 1 shall be distributed from the appropriation appropriations under s. 20.835
24	(3) (bm) and (q) by the department of administration on the 4th Monday in March.

SECTION 34. 79.10 (9) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

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1	SECTION 35. 79.10 (9) (bm) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	79.10 (9) (bm) <i>Lottery and gaming <u>Homeowner's tax</u> credit.</i> Except as provided
3	in ss. 79.175 and 79.18, a lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit shall be
4	allocated to every principal dwelling for which a credit is claimed under sub. (10) in
5	an amount determined by multiplying the estimated fair market value of the
6	principal dwelling, not exceeding the value as determined under sub. (11), but not
7	to exceed \$60,000, by the school tax rate.
8	SECTION 36. 79.10 (9) (c) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 79.10 (9) (c) and
9	amended to read:
10	79.10 (9) (c) The lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit under par. (bm)
11	shall reduce the property taxes otherwise payable on property that is eligible for that
12	credit and if the property owner completes the information required under sub. (10)
13	(a) or (b).
14	SECTION 37. 79.10 (9) (c) 2. of the statutes is repealed.
15	SECTION 38. 79.10 (10) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:
16	79.10 (10) (title) Claiming the Lottery and Gaming Homeowner's tax credit.
17 ATT	SECTION 39 79 10 (10) (2) of the statutes as affected by 2003 Misconsin Act 33.
18	is amended to read:
19	79.10 (10) (a) Beginning with property taxes levied in 1999 2004, the owner of
20	a principal dwelling may claim the credit under sub. (9) (bm) by applying for the
21	credit on a form prescribed by the department of revenue. A claimant shall attest
22	that, as of the certification date, the claimant is an owner of property and that such
23	property is used by the owner in the manner specified under sub. (1) (dm). The
24	certification date is January 1 of the year in which the property taxes are levied. The
25	claimant shall file the application for the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit

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with the treasurer of the county in which the property is located or, if the property is located in a city that collects taxes under s. 74.87, with the treasurer of the city in which the property is located. Subject to review by the department of revenue, a treasurer who receives a completed application shall direct that the property described in the application be identified on the next tax roll as property for which the owner is entitled to receive a lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit. A claim that is made under this paragraph is valid for as long as the property is eligible for the credit under sub. (9) (bm).

SECTION 40. 79.10 (10) (bm) 1. of the statutes, as affected by 2003 Wisconsin

Act 334 is amended to read:

79.10 (10) (bm) 1. A person who is eligible for a credit under sub. (9) (bm) but whose property tax bill does not reflect the credit may claim the credit by applying to the treasurer of the taxation district in which the property is located for the credit under par. (a) by January 31 following the issuance of the person's property tax bill. The treasurer shall compute the amount of the credit; subtract the amount of the credit from the person's property tax bill; notify the person of the reduced amount of the property taxes due; issue a refund to the person if the person has paid the property taxes in full; and enter the person's property on the next tax roll as property that qualifies for a lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit. Claims made under this subdivision are valid for as long as the property is eligible for the credit under sub. (9) (bm).

SECTION 41. 79.10 (10) (bm) 2. of the statutes, as affected by 2003 Wisconsin-Act 33, is amended to read:

79.10 **(10)** (bm) 2. A person who may apply for a credit under subd. 1. but who does not timely apply for the credit under subd. 1. may apply to the department of

revenue no later than October 1 following the issuance of the person's property tax bill. Subject to review by the department, the department shall compute the amount of the credit; issue a check to the person in the amount of the credit; and notify the treasurer of the county in which the person's property is located or the treasurer of the taxation district in which the person's property is located, if the taxation district collects taxes under s. 74.87. The treasurer shall enter the person's property on the next tax roll as property that qualifies for a lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit. Claims made under this subdivision are valid for as long as the property is eligible for the credit under sub. (9) (bm).

Section 42. 79.10 (11) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

79.10 (11) (title) Lottery and Gaming Homeowner's Tax credit estimated fair market value.

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SECTION 43. 79.10 (11) (b) of the statutes, as affected by 2003 Wisconsin Act 33;

is amended to read:

determine the total funds available for distribution under the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit in the following year and shall inform the joint committee on finance of that total. Total funds available for distribution shall be \$469.305,000 from s. 20.835 (3) (bm) plus all moneys projected to be transferred to the lottery fund under ss. 20.455 (2) (g) and 20.505 (8) (am), (g) and (jm) and all existing and projected lottery proceeds and interest for the fiscal year of the distribution, less the amount estimated to be expended under ss. 20.455 (2) (r), 20.566 (2) (r), and 20.835 (2) (q) and less the required reserve under s. 20.003 (5). The joint committee on finance may revise the total amount to be distributed if it does so at a meeting that takes place before November 1. If the joint committee on finance does not schedule a meeting

to take place before November 1, the total determined by the department of
administration shall be the total amount estimated to be distributed under the
lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit in the following year.

Section 44. 79.10 (11) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

79.10 **(11)** (c) Before November 1, the department of administration shall inform the department of revenue of the total amount available for distribution under the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit in the following year. Before December 1, the department of revenue shall calculate, to the nearest \$100, the estimated fair market value necessary to distribute the total amount available for distribution under the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit in the following year.

SECTION 45. 79.11 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

79.11 **(3)** (b) Notwithstanding ss. 74.11 (2) (b) and 74.12 (2) (b), the lottery and gaming homeowner's tax credit shall be deducted in its entirety from the first installment. This paragraph does not apply to the payment of taxes in installments under s. 74.87.

SECTION 46. 79.14 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 47. 565.02 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

565.02 (7) Not later than March 1 of each year, the department shall submit to the joint committee on finance a report that includes an estimate for that fiscal year and for the subsequent fiscal year of the gross revenues from the sale of lottery tickets and lottery shares, the total amount paid as prizes and the prize payout ratio for each type of lottery game offered, and an evaluation of the effect of prize payout ratios of lottery games on lottery sales, lottery operating costs and on maximizing the revenue available for the lottery and gaming property homeowner's tax credit. If,

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within 14 working days after the date on which the committee receives the report, the cochairpersons of the committee notify the department that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the department's proposed prize payouts, the department may proceed with its plans for the prize payouts for the subsequent fiscal year only upon approval of the plans by the committee. If the cochairpersons of the committee do not notify the department within 14 working days after the date on which the committee receives the report that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the department's proposed prize payouts, the department's plans for the prize payouts for the subsequent fiscal year are considered approved by the committee.

SECTION 48. Nonstatutory provisions.

(1) Homeowner's tax credit. An application for the lottery and gaming credit under section 79.10 (10) of the statutes, 2001 stats., shall be considered to be an application for the homeowner's tax credit under section 79.10 (10) of the statutes, as affected by this act, and any valid claim for the lottery and gaming credit under section 79.10 (10) of the statutes, 2001 stats., shall be considered to be a valid claim for the homeowner's tax credit under section 79.10 (10) of the statutes, as affected by this act.

SECTION 49. Initial applicability.

(1) Homeowners tax credit. The treatment of sections 20.566 (2) (am) and (r), 20.835 (3) (b), (bm), (q), and (s), 74.09 (3) (b) 3., 79.10 (1) (b) and (e), (1m) (b), (2), (4), (5), (6m) (a), (7m) (a) and (b) (title) and 1., (9) (b), (bm), and (c) 1. and 2., (10) (title) and (a), (bm) 1. and 2., and (11) (title), (b), and (c), 79.11 (3) (b), 79.14, and 565.02 (7) of the statutes first applies to property taxes levied in 2004.

(2) Computers. The treatment of sections 70.11 (39) of the statutes first applies to the property tax assessments as of January 1, 2004. (3) SCHOOL PROPERTY INCOME TAX CREDIT. The treatment of section 71.07 (9) (b) 45. of the statutes first applies to taxable years beginning on January 1, 2004 5 (4) RELATED ENTITIES. The treatment of sections 71.01 (5p) and (9b), 71.05 (6) (a) 21/, 71.22 (3m) and (9b), 71.26 (2) (a) (intro.) and 6., 71.34 (1) (j) 71.42 (1p) and 6 (4m), 71.45 (2) (a) 16., 71.738 (3m), and 71.80 (23) of the statutes first applies to 7 taxable/years beginning on January 1, 2004. 8 Section 50, Effective date. 9 LUXURY BOXES. The treatment of sections 77.52 (2) (a) 13. of the statutes 10 takes effect on the first day of the 2nd month beginning after publication. 11 Controplies to transactions entered into on the effective Late of this subsection 12 (END) Please change from EPP date (NSBAT 18:

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Section #. 41.41 (10) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

41.41 (10) (c) 1. Except as provided in par. (d), on or before each January 31, the department shall pay to the treasurer of each taxation district specified in par. (b), with respect to all land in the Kickapoo valley reserve and all land acquired by the board on or before January 1 of the preceding year, an amount determined by multiplying the estimated value of the land equated to the average level of assessment in the taxation district by the aggregate gross general property tax rate, exclusive of the rate that applies under s. 70.58 and without respect to the school levy tax credit under s. 79.10, that would apply to the land in that taxation district for that year if it were taxable.

History: 1993 a. 349; 1995 a. 27 ss. 279, 9116 (5); Stats. 1995 s. 41.41; 1995 a. 201, 216, 225; 1997 a. 194; 1999 a. 9; 2001 a. 103.

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