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AN ACT

To repeal sections 135.327, 135.630, 135.647, 135.1150, and 137.1018, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof six new sections relating to tax credits for certain contributions.

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

Section A. Section 135.327, 135.630, 135.647, 135.1150, and 137.1018, RSMo, are
2 repealed and six new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 135.327, 135.630,
3 135.647, 135.1150, 135.1180, and 137.1018, to read as follows:

135.327. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

2 (1) "CASA", an entity which receives funding from the court-appointed special advocate
3 fund established under section 476.777, including an association based in this state, affiliated
4 with a national association, organized to provide support to entities receiving funding from the
5 court-appointed special advocate fund;

6 (2) "Child advocacy centers", the regional child assessment centers listed in subsection
7 2 of section 210.001;

8 (3) "Contribution", **the** amount of **a** donation to **a** qualified agency;

9 (4) "Crisis care center", entities contracted with this state which provide temporary care
10 for children whose age ranges from birth through seventeen years of age whose parents or
11 guardian are experiencing an unexpected and unstable or serious condition that requires
12 immediate action resulting in short-term care, usually three to five continuous, uninterrupted
13 days, for children who may be at risk for child abuse, neglect, or in an emergency situation;

14 (5) "Department", the department of revenue;

15 (6) "Director", the director of the department of revenue;

16 (7) "Qualified agency", CASA, child advocacy centers, or a crisis care center;

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

17 (8) "Tax liability", the tax due under chapter 143 other than taxes withheld under
18 sections 143.191 to 143.265.

19 2. Any person residing in this state who legally adopts a special needs child on or after
20 January 1, 1988, and before January 1, 2000, shall be eligible to receive a tax credit of up to ten
21 thousand dollars for nonrecurring adoption expenses for each child adopted that may be applied
22 to taxes due under chapter 143. Any business entity providing funds to an employee to enable
23 that employee to legally adopt a special needs child shall be eligible to receive a tax credit of up
24 to ten thousand dollars for nonrecurring adoption expenses for each child adopted that may be
25 applied to taxes due under such business entity's state tax liability, except that only one ten
26 thousand dollar credit is available for each special needs child that is adopted.

27 3. Any person residing in this state who proceeds in good faith with the adoption of a
28 special needs child on or after January 1, 2000, shall be eligible to receive a tax credit of up to
29 ten thousand dollars for nonrecurring adoption expenses for each child that may be applied to
30 taxes due under chapter 143; provided, however, that beginning on or after July 1, 2004, two
31 million dollars of the tax credits allowed shall be allocated for the adoption of special needs
32 children who are residents or wards of residents of this state at the time the adoption is initiated.
33 Any business entity providing funds to an employee to enable that employee to proceed in good
34 faith with the adoption of a special needs child shall be eligible to receive a tax credit of up to
35 ten thousand dollars for nonrecurring adoption expenses for each child that may be applied to
36 taxes due under such business entity's state tax liability, except that only one ten thousand dollar
37 credit is available for each special needs child that is adopted.

38 4. Individuals and business entities may claim a tax credit for their total nonrecurring
39 adoption expenses in each year that the expenses are incurred. A claim for fifty percent of the
40 credit shall be allowed when the child is placed in the home. A claim for the remaining fifty
41 percent shall be allowed when the adoption is final. The total of these tax credits shall not
42 exceed the maximum limit of ten thousand dollars per child. The cumulative amount of tax
43 credits which may be claimed by taxpayers claiming the credit for nonrecurring adoption
44 expenses in any one fiscal year prior to July 1, 2004, shall not exceed two million dollars. The
45 cumulative amount of tax credits that may be claimed by taxpayers claiming the credit for
46 nonrecurring adoption expenses shall not be more than four million dollars but may be increased
47 by appropriation in any fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2004; provided, however, that
48 by December thirty-first following each July, if less than two million dollars in credits have been
49 issued for adoption of special needs children who are not residents or wards of residents of this
50 state at the time the adoption is initiated, the remaining amount of the cap shall be available for
51 the adoption of special needs children who are residents or wards of residents of this state at the
52 time the adoption is initiated. For all fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2006, applications
53 to claim the adoption tax credit for special needs children who are residents or wards of residents

54 of this state at the time the adoption is initiated shall be filed between July first and April
55 fifteenth of each fiscal year. For all fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2006, applications
56 to claim the adoption tax credit for special needs children who are not residents or wards of
57 residents of this state at the time the adoption is initiated shall be filed between July first and
58 December thirty-first of each fiscal year.

59 5. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any individual or business entity
60 may assign, transfer or sell tax credits allowed in this section. Any sale of tax credits claimed
61 pursuant to this section shall be at a discount rate of seventy-five percent or greater of the amount
62 sold.

63 6. The director of revenue shall establish a procedure by which, for each fiscal year, the
64 cumulative amount of tax credits authorized in this section is equally apportioned among all
65 taxpayers within the two categories specified in subsection 3 of this section claiming the credit
66 in that fiscal year. To the maximum extent possible, the director of revenue shall establish the
67 procedure described in this subsection in such a manner as to ensure that taxpayers within each
68 category can claim all the tax credits possible up to the cumulative amount of tax credits
69 available for the fiscal year.

70 7. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2006, a tax credit may be claimed
71 in an amount equal to up to fifty percent of a verified contribution to a qualified agency and shall
72 be named the children in crisis tax credit. The minimum amount of any tax credit issued shall
73 not be less than fifty dollars and shall be applied to taxes due under chapter 143, excluding
74 sections 143.191 to 143.265. A contribution verification shall be issued to the taxpayer by the
75 agency receiving the contribution. Such contribution verification shall include the taxpayer's
76 name, Social Security number, amount of tax credit, amount of contribution, the name and
77 address of the agency receiving the credit, and the date the contribution was made. The tax credit
78 provided under this subsection shall be initially filed for the year in which the verified
79 contribution is made.

80 8. The cumulative amount of the tax credits redeemed shall not exceed the unclaimed
81 portion of the resident adoption category allocation as described in this section. The director of
82 revenue shall determine the unclaimed portion available. The amount available shall be equally
83 divided among the three qualified agencies: CASA, child advocacy centers, or crisis care centers
84 to be used towards tax credits issued. In the event tax credits claimed under one agency do not
85 total the allocated amount for that agency, the unused portion for that agency will be made
86 available to the remaining agencies equally. In the event the total amount of tax credits claimed
87 for any one agency exceeds the amount available for that agency, the amount redeemed shall and
88 will be apportioned equally to all eligible taxpayers claiming the credit under that agency. After
89 all children in crisis tax credits have been claimed, any remaining unclaimed portion of the
90 reserved allocation for adoptions of special needs children who are residents or wards of

91 residents of this state shall then be made available for adoption tax credit claims of special needs
92 children who are not residents or wards of residents of this state at the time the adoption is
93 initiated.

94 9. Prior to December thirty-first of each year, [the entities listed under the definition of]
95 **each** qualified agency shall apply to the department of social services in order to verify their
96 qualified agency status. Upon a determination that the agency is eligible to be a qualified
97 agency, the department of social services shall provide a letter of eligibility to such agency. No
98 later than February first of each year, the department of social services shall provide a list of
99 qualified agencies to the department of revenue. All tax credit applications to claim the children
100 in crisis tax credit shall be filed between July first and April fifteenth of each fiscal year. A
101 taxpayer shall apply for the children in crisis tax credit by attaching a copy of the contribution
102 verification provided by a qualified agency to such taxpayer's income tax return.

103 10. The tax credits provided under this section shall be subject to the provisions of
104 section 135.333.

105 11. (1) In the event a credit denial, due to lack of available funds, causes a balance-due
106 notice to be generated by the department of revenue, or any other redeeming agency, the taxpayer
107 will not be held liable for any penalty or interest, provided the balance is paid, or approved
108 payment arrangements have been made, within sixty days from the notice of denial.

109 (2) In the event the balance is not paid within sixty days from the notice of denial, the
110 remaining balance shall be due and payable under the provisions of chapter 143.

111 12. The director shall calculate the level of appropriation necessary to issue all tax credits
112 for nonresident special needs adoptions applied for under this section and provide such
113 calculation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president pro tempore of the senate,
114 and the director of the division of budget and planning in the office of administration by January
115 thirty-first of each year.

116 13. The department may promulgate such rules or regulations as are necessary to
117 administer the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined
118 in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become
119 effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if
120 applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the
121 powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
122 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
123 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2006, shall be invalid
124 and void.

125 14. [Pursuant to section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:]

126 (1) [The provisions of the new program authorized under subsections 7 to 12 of this
127 section shall automatically sunset six years after August 28, 2006, unless reauthorized by an act
128 of the general assembly; and

129 (2) If such program is reauthorized,] The program authorized under [this section shall
130 automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section]
131 **subsections 7 to 12 of this section shall expire on August 28, 2018; and**

132 [(3)] **(2) Subsections 7 to 12 of this section shall terminate on September [first of the**
133 **calendar year immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under**
134 **this section is sunset] 1, 2019.**

135.630. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

2 (1) "Contribution", a donation of cash, stock, bonds, or other marketable securities, or
3 real property;

4 (2) "Director", the director of the department of social services;

5 (3) "Pregnancy resource center", a nonresidential facility located in this state:

6 (a) Established and operating primarily to provide assistance to women with crisis
7 pregnancies or unplanned pregnancies by offering pregnancy testing, counseling, emotional and
8 material support, and other similar services to encourage and assist such women in carrying their
9 pregnancies to term; and

10 (b) Where childbirths are not performed; and

11 (c) Which does not perform, induce, or refer for abortions and which does not hold itself
12 out as performing, inducing, or referring for abortions; and

13 (d) Which provides direct client services at the facility, as opposed to merely providing
14 counseling or referral services by telephone; and

15 (e) Which provides its services at no cost to its clients; and

16 (f) When providing medical services, such medical services must be performed in
17 accordance with Missouri statute; and

18 (g) Which is exempt from income taxation pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of
19 1986, as amended;

20 (4) "State tax liability", in the case of a business taxpayer, any liability incurred by such
21 taxpayer pursuant to the provisions of chapters 143, 147, 148, and 153, excluding sections
22 143.191 to 143.265 and related provisions, and in the case of an individual taxpayer, any liability
23 incurred by such taxpayer pursuant to the provisions of chapter 143, excluding sections 143.191
24 to 143.265 and related provisions;

25 (5) "Taxpayer", a person, firm, a partner in a firm, corporation, or a shareholder in an S
26 corporation doing business in the state of Missouri and subject to the state income tax imposed
27 by the provisions of chapter 143, or a corporation subject to the annual corporation franchise tax
28 imposed by the provisions of chapter 147, or an insurance company paying an annual tax on its

29 gross premium receipts in this state, or other financial institution paying taxes to the state of
30 Missouri or any political subdivision of this state pursuant to the provisions of chapter 148, or
31 an express company which pays an annual tax on its gross receipts in this state pursuant to
32 chapter 153, or an individual subject to the state income tax imposed by the provisions of chapter
33 143, or any charitable organization which is exempt from federal income tax and whose Missouri
34 unrelated business taxable income, if any, would be subject to the state income tax imposed
35 under chapter 143.

36 2. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2007, a taxpayer shall be allowed to
37 claim a tax credit against the taxpayer's state tax liability in an amount equal to fifty percent of
38 the amount such taxpayer contributed to a pregnancy resource center.

39 3. The amount of the tax credit claimed shall not exceed the amount of the taxpayer's
40 state tax liability for the taxable year for which the credit is claimed, and such taxpayer shall not
41 be allowed to claim a tax credit in excess of fifty thousand dollars per taxable year. However,
42 any tax credit that cannot be claimed in the taxable year the contribution was made may be
43 carried over to the next four succeeding taxable years until the full credit has been claimed.

44 4. Except for any excess credit which is carried over pursuant to subsection 3 of this
45 section, a taxpayer shall not be allowed to claim a tax credit unless the total amount of such
46 taxpayer's contribution or contributions to a pregnancy resource center or centers in such
47 taxpayer's taxable year has a value of at least one hundred dollars.

48 5. The director shall determine, at least annually, which facilities in this state may be
49 classified as pregnancy resource centers. The director may require of a facility seeking to be
50 classified as a pregnancy resource center whatever information which is reasonably necessary
51 to make such a determination. The director shall classify a facility as a pregnancy resource
52 center if such facility meets the definition set forth in subsection 1 of this section.

53 6. The director shall establish a procedure by which a taxpayer can determine if a facility
54 has been classified as a pregnancy resource center. Pregnancy resource centers shall be permitted
55 to decline a contribution from a taxpayer. The cumulative amount of tax credits which may be
56 claimed by all the taxpayers contributing to pregnancy resource centers in any one fiscal year
57 shall not exceed two million dollars. Tax credits shall be issued in the order contributions are
58 received.

59 7. The director shall establish a procedure by which, from the beginning of the fiscal year
60 until some point in time later in the fiscal year to be determined by the director, the cumulative
61 amount of tax credits are equally apportioned among all facilities classified as pregnancy
62 resource centers. If a pregnancy resource center fails to use all, or some percentage to be
63 determined by the director, of its apportioned tax credits during this predetermined period of
64 time, the director may reapportion these unused tax credits to those pregnancy resource centers
65 that have used all, or some percentage to be determined by the director, of their apportioned tax

66 credits during this predetermined period of time. The director may establish more than one
67 period of time and reapportion more than once during each fiscal year. To the maximum extent
68 possible, the director shall establish the procedure described in this subsection in such a manner
69 as to ensure that taxpayers can claim all the tax credits possible up to the cumulative amount of
70 tax credits available for the fiscal year.

71 8. Each pregnancy resource center shall provide information to the director concerning
72 the identity of each taxpayer making a contribution to the pregnancy resource center who is
73 claiming a tax credit pursuant to this section and the amount of the contribution. The director
74 shall provide the information to the director of revenue. The director shall be subject to the
75 confidentiality and penalty provisions of section 32.057 relating to the disclosure of tax
76 information.

77 9. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, any tax credits granted under this
78 section may be assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise conveyed without consent or approval.
79 Such taxpayer, hereinafter the assignor for purposes of this section, may sell, assign, exchange,
80 or otherwise transfer earned tax credits:

81 (1) For no less than seventy-five percent of the par value of such credits; and

82 (2) In an amount not to exceed one hundred percent of annual earned credits.

83 10. Pursuant to section 23.253[, RSMo,] of the Missouri sunset act:

84 (1) [Any new program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset six years
85 after August 28, 2006, unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly; and

86 (2) If such program is reauthorized,] The program authorized under this section shall
87 [automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section]
88 **expire on August 28, 2023**; and

89 [(3)] (2) This section shall terminate on September [first of the calendar year
90 immediately following the calendar year in which a program authorized under this section is
91 sunset] **1, 2024**.

135.647. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

2 (1) "Local food pantry", any food pantry that is:

3 (a) Exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986,
4 as amended; and

5 (b) Distributing emergency food supplies to Missouri low-income people who would
6 otherwise not have access to food supplies in the area in which the taxpayer claiming the tax
7 credit under this section resides;

8 (2) "Taxpayer", an individual, a firm, a partner in a firm, corporation, or a shareholder
9 in an S corporation doing business in this state and subject to the state income tax imposed by
10 chapter 143, excluding withholding tax imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265.

11 2. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2007, any taxpayer who donates cash
12 or food, unless such food is donated after the food's expiration date, to any local food pantry shall
13 be allowed a credit against the tax otherwise due under chapter 143, excluding withholding tax
14 imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265, in an amount equal to fifty percent of the value of the
15 donations made to the extent such amounts that have been subtracted from federal adjusted gross
16 income or federal taxable income are added back in the determination of Missouri adjusted gross
17 income or Missouri taxable income before the credit can be claimed. Each taxpayer claiming
18 a tax credit under this section shall file an affidavit with the income tax return verifying the
19 amount of their contributions. The amount of the tax credit claimed shall not exceed the amount
20 of the taxpayer's state tax liability for the tax year that the credit is claimed, and shall not exceed
21 two thousand five hundred dollars per taxpayer claiming the credit. Any amount of credit that
22 the taxpayer is prohibited by this section from claiming in a tax year shall not be refundable, but
23 may be carried forward to any of the taxpayer's three subsequent taxable years. No tax credit
24 granted under this section shall be transferred, sold, or assigned. No taxpayer shall be eligible
25 to receive a credit pursuant to this section if such taxpayer employs persons who are not
26 authorized to work in the United States under federal law.

27 3. The cumulative amount of tax credits under this section which may be allocated to all
28 taxpayers contributing to a local food pantry in any one fiscal year shall not exceed [two] **one**
29 million dollars. The director of revenue shall establish a procedure by which the cumulative
30 amount of tax credits is apportioned among all taxpayers claiming the credit by April fifteenth
31 of the fiscal year in which the tax credit is claimed. To the maximum extent possible, the
32 director of revenue shall establish the procedure described in this subsection in such a manner
33 as to ensure that taxpayers can claim all the tax credits possible up to the cumulative amount of
34 tax credits available for the fiscal year.

35 4. Any local food pantry may accept or reject any donation of food made under this
36 section for any reason. For purposes of this section, any donations of food accepted by a local
37 food pantry shall be valued at fair market value, or at wholesale value if the taxpayer making the
38 donation of food is a retail grocery store, food broker, wholesaler, or restaurant.

39 5. The department of revenue shall promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this
40 section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created
41 under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and
42 is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section
43 and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly
44 pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule
45 are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule
46 proposed or adopted after August 28, 2007, shall be invalid and void.

47 6. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:

48 (1) [The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall automatically
49 sunset four years after August 28, 2007, unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly;
50 and

51 (2) If such program is reauthorized,] The program authorized under this section shall
52 [automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section]
53 **expire on August 28, 2015;** and

54 [(3)] (2) This section shall terminate on September [first of the calendar year
55 immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is
56 sunset] **1, 2016.**

135.1150. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Residential
2 Treatment Agency Tax Credit Act".

3 2. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

4 (1) "Certificate", a tax credit certificate issued under this section;

5 (2) "Department", the Missouri department of social services;

6 (3) "Eligible donation", donations received from a taxpayer by an agency that are used
7 solely to provide direct care services to children who are residents of this state. Eligible
8 donations may include cash, publicly traded stocks and bonds, and real estate that will be valued
9 and documented according to rules promulgated by the department of social services. For
10 purposes of this section, "direct care services" include but are not limited to increasing the
11 quality of care and service for children through improved employee compensation and training;

12 (4) "Qualified residential treatment agency" or "agency", a residential care facility that
13 is licensed under section 210.484, accredited by the Council on Accreditation (COA), the Joint
14 Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO), or the Commission on
15 Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF), and is under contract with the Missouri
16 department of social services to provide treatment services for children who are residents or
17 wards of residents of this state, and that receives eligible donations. Any agency that operates
18 more than one facility or at more than one location shall be eligible for the tax credit under this
19 section only for any eligible donation made to facilities or locations of the agency which are
20 licensed and accredited;

21 (5) "Taxpayer", any of the following individuals or entities who make an eligible
22 donation to an agency:

23 (a) A person, firm, partner in a firm, corporation, or a shareholder in an S corporation
24 doing business in the state of Missouri and subject to the state income tax imposed in chapter
25 143;

26 (b) A corporation subject to the annual corporation franchise tax imposed in chapter 147;

27 (c) An insurance company paying an annual tax on its gross premium receipts in this
28 state;

29 (d) Any other financial institution paying taxes to the state of Missouri or any political
30 subdivision of this state under chapter 148;

31 (e) An individual subject to the state income tax imposed in chapter 143;

32 (f) Any charitable organization which is exempt from federal income tax and whose
33 Missouri unrelated business taxable income, if any, would be subject to the state income tax
34 imposed under chapter 143.

35 3. For all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2007, any taxpayer shall be
36 allowed a credit against the taxes otherwise due under chapter 147, 148, or 143, excluding
37 withholding tax imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265, in an amount equal to fifty percent of
38 the amount of an eligible donation, subject to the restrictions in this section. The amount of the
39 tax credit claimed shall not exceed the amount of the taxpayer's state income tax liability in the
40 tax year for which the credit is claimed. Any amount of credit that the taxpayer is prohibited by
41 this section from claiming in a tax year shall not be refundable, but may be carried forward to
42 any of the taxpayer's four subsequent taxable years.

43 4. To claim the credit authorized in this section, an agency may submit to the department
44 an application for the tax credit authorized by this section on behalf of taxpayers. The
45 department shall verify that the agency has submitted the following items accurately and
46 completely:

47 (1) A valid application in the form and format required by the department;

48 (2) A statement attesting to the eligible donation received, which shall include the name
49 and taxpayer identification number of the individual making the eligible donation, the amount
50 of the eligible donation, and the date the eligible donation was received by the agency; and

51 (3) Payment from the agency equal to the value of the tax credit for which application
52 is made. If the agency applying for the tax credit meets all criteria required by this subsection,
53 the department shall issue a certificate in the appropriate amount.

54 5. An agency may apply for tax credits in an aggregate amount that does not exceed
55 [forty percent of] the payments made by the department to the agency in the preceding twelve
56 months.

57 6. Tax credits issued under this section may be assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise
58 conveyed, and the new owner of the tax credit shall have the same rights in the credit as the
59 taxpayer. Whenever a certificate is assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise conveyed, a
60 notarized endorsement shall be filed with the department specifying the name and address of the
61 new owner of the tax credit or the value of the credit.

62 7. The department shall promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this section.
63 Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the
64 authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject
65 to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and

66 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant
67 to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are
68 subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed
69 or adopted after August 28, 2006, shall be invalid and void.

70 8. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:

71 (1) [The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall automatically
72 sunset six years after August 28, 2006, unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly; and

73 (2) If such program is reauthorized,] The program authorized under this section shall
74 [automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section]
75 **expire on August 28, 2017;** and

76 [(3)] (2) This section shall terminate on September [first of the calendar year
77 immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is
78 sunset] **1, 2018.**

**135.1180. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Developmental
2 Disability Care Provider Tax Credit Program".**

3 **2. As used in this section, the following terms mean:**

4 (1) "Certificate", a tax credit certificate issued under this section;

5 (2) "Department", the Missouri department of social services;

6 (3) "Eligible donation", donations received, by a provider, from a taxpayer that are
7 used solely to provide direct care services to persons with developmental disabilities who
8 are residents of this state. Eligible donations may include cash, publicly traded stocks and
9 bonds, and real estate that will be valued and documented according to rules promulgated
10 by the department of social services. For purposes of this section, "direct care services"
11 include, but are not limited to, increasing the quality of care and service for persons with
12 developmental disabilities through improved employee compensation and training;

13 (4) "Qualified developmental disability care provider" or "provider", a care
14 provider that provides assistance to persons with developmental disabilities, and is under
15 contract with the Missouri department of social services or department of mental health
16 to provide treatment services for such persons, and that receives eligible donations. Any
17 provider that operates more than one facility or at more than one location shall be eligible
18 for the tax credit under this section only for any eligible donation made to facilities or
19 locations of the provider which are licensed and accredited;

20 (5) "Taxpayer", any of the following individuals or entities who make an eligible
21 donation to a provider:

22 (a) A person, firm, partner in a firm, corporation, or a shareholder in an S
23 corporation doing business in the state of Missouri and subject to the state income tax
24 imposed in chapter 143;

25 **(b) A corporation subject to the annual corporation franchise tax imposed in**
26 **chapter 147;**

27 **(c) An insurance company paying an annual tax on its gross premium receipts in**
28 **this state;**

29 **(d) Any other financial institution paying taxes to the state of Missouri or any**
30 **political subdivision of this state under chapter 148;**

31 **(e) An individual subject to the state income tax imposed in chapter 143;**

32 **(f) Any charitable organization which is exempt from federal income tax and whose**
33 **Missouri unrelated business taxable income, if any, would be subject to the state income**
34 **tax imposed under chapter 143.**

35 **3. For all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2011, any taxpayer shall**
36 **be allowed a credit against the taxes otherwise due under chapter 143, 147, or 148**
37 **excluding withholding tax imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265 in an amount equal to**
38 **fifty percent of the amount of an eligible donation, subject to the restrictions in this section.**
39 **The amount of the tax credit claimed shall not exceed the amount of the taxpayer's state**
40 **income tax liability in the tax year for which the credit is claimed. Any amount of credit**
41 **that the taxpayer is prohibited by this section from claiming in a tax year shall not be**
42 **refundable, but may be carried forward to any of the taxpayer's four subsequent taxable**
43 **years.**

44 **4. To claim the credit authorized in this section, a provider may submit to the**
45 **department an application for the tax credit authorized by this section on behalf of**
46 **taxpayers. The department shall verify that the provider has submitted the following items**
47 **accurately and completely:**

48 **(1) A valid application in the form and format required by the department;**

49 **(2) A statement attesting to the eligible donation received, which shall include the**
50 **name and taxpayer identification number of the individual making the eligible donation,**
51 **the amount of the eligible donation, and the date the eligible donation was received by the**
52 **provider; and**

53 **(3) Payment from the provider equal to the value of the tax credit for which**
54 **application is made.**

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56 **If the provider applying for the tax credit meets all criteria required by this subsection, the**
57 **department shall issue a certificate in the appropriate amount.**

58 **5. Tax credits issued under this section may be assigned, transferred, sold, or**
59 **otherwise conveyed, and the new owner of the tax credit shall have the same rights in the**
60 **credit as the taxpayer. Whenever a certificate is assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise**

61 conveyed, a notarized endorsement shall be filed with the department specifying the name
62 and address of the new owner of the tax credit or the value of the credit.

63 **6. The department shall promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this**
64 **section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is**
65 **created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it**
66 **complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536, and, if applicable,**
67 **section 536.028. This section and chapter 536, are nonseverable and if any of the powers**
68 **vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536, to review, to delay the effective**
69 **date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the**
70 **grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2011,**
71 **shall be invalid and void.**

72 **7. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:**

73 **(1) The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall**
74 **automatically sunset six years after August 28, 2011, unless reauthorized by an act of the**
75 **general assembly; and**

76 **(2) If such program is reauthorized, the program authorized under this section**
77 **shall automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this**
78 **section; and**

79 **(3) This section shall terminate on September first of the calendar year immediately**
80 **following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is sunset.**

137.1018. 1. The commission shall ascertain the statewide average rate of property taxes
2 levied the preceding year, based upon the total assessed valuation of the railroad and street
3 railway companies and the total property taxes levied upon the railroad and street railway
4 companies. It shall determine total property taxes levied from reports prescribed by the
5 commission from the railroad and street railway companies. Total taxes levied shall not include
6 revenues from the surtax on subclass three real property.

7 2. The commission shall report its determination of average property tax rate for the
8 preceding year, together with the taxable distributable assessed valuation of each freight line
9 company for the current year to the director no later than October first of each year.

10 3. Taxes on property of such freight line companies shall be collected at the state level
11 by the director on behalf of the counties and other local public taxing entities and shall be
12 distributed in accordance with sections 137.1021 and 137.1024. The director shall tax such
13 property based upon the distributable assessed valuation attributable to Missouri of each freight
14 line company, using the average tax rate for the preceding year of the railroad and street railway
15 companies certified by the commission. Such tax shall be due and payable on or before
16 December thirty-first of the year levied and, if it becomes delinquent, shall be subject to a penalty
17 equal to that specified in section 140.100.

18 4. (1) As used in this subsection, the following terms mean:

19 (a) "Eligible expenses", expenses incurred in this state to manufacture, maintain, or
20 improve a freight line company's qualified rolling stock;

21 (b) "Qualified rolling stock", any freight, stock, refrigerator, or other railcars subject to
22 the tax levied under this section.

23 (2) For all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2009, a freight line company
24 shall, subject to appropriation, be allowed a credit against the tax levied under this section for
25 the applicable tax year. The tax credit amount shall be equal to the amount of eligible expenses
26 incurred during the calendar year immediately preceding the tax year for which the credit under
27 this section is claimed. The amount of the tax credit issued shall not exceed the freight line
28 company's liability for the tax levied under this section for the tax year for which the credit is
29 claimed.

30 (3) A freight line company may apply for the credit by submitting to the commission an
31 application in the form prescribed by the state tax commission.

32 (4) Subject to appropriation, the state shall reimburse, on an annual basis, any political
33 subdivision of this state for any decrease in revenue due to the provisions of this subsection.

34 5. Pursuant to section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:

35 (1) [The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall automatically
36 sunset six years after August 28, 2008, unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly; and

37 (2) If such program is reauthorized,] The program authorized under this section shall
38 [automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section]
39 **expire on August 28, 2020;** and

40 [(3)] (2) This section shall terminate on September [first of the calendar year
41 immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is
42 sunset] **1, 2021.**