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A BILL

To amend sections 175.12, 5703.21, 5713.03,	1
5715.01, 5725.98, 5726.98, 5729.98, and 5747.9	8 2
and to enact sections 175.16, 5713.031, 5725.3	6, 3
5726.58, 5729.19, and 5747.85 of the Revised	4
Code to authorize a nonrefundable tax credit f	or 5
the construction or rehabilitation of certain	6
federally subsidized rental housing and to	7
authorize a uniform method for the tax valuation	on 8
of most such housing.	9

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 175.12, 5703.21, 5713.03,	10
5715.01, 5725.98, 5726.98, 5729.98, and 5747.98 be amended and	11
sections 175.16, 5713.031, 5725.36, 5726.58, 5729.19, and	12
5747.85 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:	13
Sec. 175.12. (A) This chapter, being necessary for the	14
welfare of the state and its inhabitants, shall be liberally	15

welfare of the state and its inhabitants, shall be liberally 15 construed to effect its purposes and the purposes of Section 14, 16 of Article VIII and Section 16, Article VIII, Ohio Constitution. 17



section 149.43 of the Revised Code: 19 (1) Financial statements and data submitted for any 20 purpose to the Ohio housing finance agency or the controlling 21 board by any person in connection with applying for, receiving, 22 or accounting for financial assistance the agency provides; 23 (2) Information that identifies any individual who 24 25 benefits directly or indirectly from financial assistance the 26 agency provides; (3) Information provided to the tax commissioner under 27 section 175.16 of the Revised Code or information provided under 28 divisions (I)(1) to (3) of section 175.16 of the Revised Code. 29 (C) (1) The agencies of this state shall cooperate fully 30 with the Ohio housing finance agency and shall provide 31 information the Ohio housing finance agency determines is 32 necessary or helpful for its operation. 33 (2) The Ohio housing finance agency may arrange with and 34 enter into contracts with other entities to perform functions 35 this chapter authorizes the agency to perform and compensate 36 those entities for performing those functions. 37 38 (3) The agency may enter into contracts with state entities as described in this chapter. 39 (D) Any state agency that provides supplies, equipment, or 40 services directly related to the mission of the Ohio housing 41 finance agency as described in section 175.02 of the Revised 42 Code may enter into an agreement with the Ohio housing finance 43 agency to furnish those supplies, equipment, or services 44 pursuant to terms both agencies agree upon for remuneration to 45 46 the state agency.

(B) The following are not public records subject to

(E) The Ohio housing finance agency is exempt from the	47
requirements of Chapters 123. and 125. and sections 127.16 and	48
5147.07 of the Revised Code.	49
Sec. 175.16. (A) As used in this section:	50
(1) "Federal credit" means the tax credit authorized under	51
section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code.	52
(2) "Credit period," "qualified low-income building," and	53
"qualified basis" have the same meanings as in section 42 of the	54
Internal Revenue Code.	55
(3) "Qualified project" means a qualified low-income	56
building that is located in Ohio, is placed in service on or	57
after January 1, 2023, and for which the director reserves a tax	58
credit under division (B) of this section before January 1,	59
<u>2029.</u>	60
(4) "Pass-through entity" has the same meaning as in	61
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an entity. 75 (9) "Person" has the same meaning as in section 5701.01 of 76 the Revised Code. 77 (10) "Eligibility certificate" means a certificate issued 78 by the director to each owner of a qualified project under 79 division (D) of this section stating the amount of credit that 80 may be claimed for each year of the credit period. 81 82 (11) "Qualified allocation plan" means the plan developed by the Ohio housing finance agency, as required under section 83 175.06 of the Revised Code, for evaluating and selecting 84 projects for the federal credit pursuant to the mandates and 85 requirements within section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code. 86 (12) "Internal Revenue Code" has the same meaning as in 87 section 5747.01 of the Revised Code. 88 (13) "Pass-through certification" means a writing 89 submitted with a project owner's applicable return or report 90 pursuant to division (F) (2) of this section. 91 (14) "Designated reporter" means the project owner or one 92 of the project owner's equity owners designated pursuant to 93 division (I)(1) of this section. 94 95 (15) "Director" means the executive director of the Ohio housing finance agency. 96 (B) Except as otherwise provided by this division, the 97 director, upon allocating a federal credit and issuing a binding 98 reservation or letter of eligibility, pursuant to the Ohio 99 housing finance agency's qualified allocation plan, for a 100

qualified low-income building that is located in this state and101placed in service on or after January 1, 2023, may reserve a tax102

<u>credit under this section for the project owners so long as</u>	103
doing so will not result in exceeding the annual credit cap	104
prescribed by division (C) of this section. The director shall	105
not reserve a tax credit under this section after January 1,	106
<u>2029.</u>	107
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The director shall send written notice of the reservation	108
to each project owner. The notice shall state the aggregate	109
credit amount reserved for all years of the qualified project's	110
credit period and stipulate that receipt of the credit is	111
contingent upon issuance of an eligibility certificate.	112
The agency shall determine the credit amount reserved for	113
each qualified project. The reserved credit amount shall not	114
exceed the amount necessary, when combined with the federal	115
credit, to ensure the financial feasibility of the qualified	116
project.	117
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(D) Immediately after approving the final cost	133
certification for a qualified project for which a tax credit	134
under this section is reserved, or upon otherwise determining	135
the qualified basis of the qualified project and the date it was	136
placed into service as required by section 42(m) of the Internal	137
Revenue Code, the director shall compute the annual credit	138
amount and issue an eligibility certificate to each project	139
owner. The director shall send copies of all eligibility	140
certificates issued each calendar year to the tax commissioner	141
and the superintendent of insurance.	142
The annual credit amount shall equal the lesser of the	143
following:	144
(1) The amount of the federal credit that would be awarded	145
to the owners of the qualified project for the first year of the	146
credit period if not for the adjustment required under section	147
42(f)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code;	148
(2) One-tenth of the reserved credit amount stated in the	149
notice issued under division (B) of this section.	150
(E) Each eligibility certificate shall state the annual	151
credit amount, the years that comprise the credit period, the	152
name, address, and taxpayer identification number of each	153
project owner, the date the certificate is issued, a unique	154
identifying number, and any additional information prescribed by	155
a rule adopted under division (H) of this section. A project	156
owner, if the project owner is a pass-through entity shall	157
provide a copy of the eligibility certificate to each equity	158
owner that has been allocated a credit under division (F)(2) of	159
this section.	160
(F)(1) For each year of a qualified project's credit	161

period, the project owner or an equity owner may claim a 162
nonrefundable credit against the tax imposed by section 5725.18, 163
5726.02, 5729.03, 5729.06, or 5747.02 of the Revised Code equal 164
to all or a portion of the annual credit amount stated on the 165
eligibility certificate. The credit shall be claimed in the 166
manner prescribed by section 5725.36, 5726.58, 5729.19, or 167
5747.85 of the Revised Code, as applicable. 168

(2) If a project owner is a pass-through entity, the 169 annual credit amount for any year of a qualified project's 170 credit period may be allocated by the project owner among one or 171 more equity owners, and any such equity owner that is itself a 172 pass-through entity may reallocate its portion of a credit to 173 its own equity owners, as described in division (F)(5) of this 174 section, and may be applied by those equity owners against more 175 than one tax over more than one calendar year, tax year, taxable 176 year, or tax period, but the total credits claimed in connection 177 with that year of the qualified project's credit period by all 178 project owners and equity owners against all taxes over all 179 calendar years, tax years, taxable years, and tax periods, shall 180 not exceed the annual credit amount stated on the eligibility 181 certificate. 182

A project owner or equity owner that is a pass-through183entity that allocates a credit to its equity owners under this184division shall list, in a writing submitted with the project185owner's or equity owner's applicable return or report, the186amount of the credit reflected on the eligibility certificate187that is allocated to each equity owner.188

(3) A project owner or equity owner may claim the credit	189
authorized by division (F)(1) of this section for a calendar	190
year, tax year, taxable year, or tax period that ends after the	191

date the qualified project is placed into service but for which	192
the project owner or equity owner files its original tax return	193
or report claiming the credit before the director issues the	194
project owner an eligibility certificate under division (D) of	195
this section. If a credit is claimed before an eligibility	196
certificate is issued, the project owner or equity owner	197
claiming the credit may claim an amount that is not more than	198
one-tenth of the reserved credit amount. After the eligibility	199
certificate is issued, if the annual credit amount is different	200
than one-tenth of the reserved credit amount, the project owner	201
or equity owner that claimed a tax credit under division (F)(3)	202
of this section shall reconcile that difference through filing	203
an amended tax return or report under Chapter 5725., 5726.,	204
5729., or 5747. of the Revised Code, as applicable.	205
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(4) A project owner or equity owner that claims or	
<u>allocates a tax credit under division (F)(1) or (2) of this</u>	207
section shall submit a copy of the eligibility certificate with	208
the project owner's or equity owner's tax return or report. A	209
project owner or equity owner that claims or allocates a credit	210
under division (F)(3) of this section shall submit a copy of the	211
notice stating the reserved credit amount, issued under division	212
(B) of this section with the project owner's or equity owner's	213
tax return or report. Upon request of the tax commissioner or	214
the superintendent of insurance, any project owner or equity	215
owner claiming a tax credit under this section shall provide the	216
commissioner or superintendent other documentation that may be	217
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necessary to verify that the project owner or equity owner is	218
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necessary to verify that the project owner or equity owner is entitled to the credit.	219
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owners, and any such equity owner that is itself a pass-through

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entity may reallocate its portion of a credit to its own equity	223
owners, under division (F)(2) of this section in any manner	224
agreed to by such persons regardless of whether such equity	225
owners are eligible for an allocation of the federal credit,	226
whether the allocation of the credit under the terms of the	227
agreement has substantial economic effect within the meaning of	228
section 704(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, and whether any	229
such person is deemed a partner of the project owner or equity	230
owner for federal income tax purposes as long as the equity	231
owner acquired its ownership interest prior to claiming the	232
credit. The allocation shall be allowed without regard to any	233
provision of the Internal Revenue Code, or regulation	234
promulgated pursuant to it, that may be interpreted as contrary	235
to the allocation, including, without limitation, the treatment	236
of the allocation as a disguised sale.	237
<u>(6) An equity owner may assign all or any part of its</u>	238
interest in a qualified project, including its interest in the	239
tax credits authorized by this section, to one or more other	240
equity owners, in whole or in part, one or more times, and each	241
assignee shall be able to claim the credit so long as its	242
interest is acquired prior to the filing of its tax return or	243
report or amended tax return or report claiming the credit and	244
the equity owner's ownership interest is identified in the	245
report required by division (I) of this section. Each equity	246
owner to whom the right to claim a tax credit authorized by this	247
section is assigned shall provide the designated reporter with	248
evidence of that transfer so the designated reporter may	240
identify the transferee in the report required by division (I)	250
of this section.	251
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(G) If any portion of the federal credit allocated to a	252
qualified project is recaptured under section 42(j) of the	253

Internal Revenue Code or is otherwise disallowed, the director 254 shall recapture a proportionate amount of the tax credit claimed 255 pursuant to this section in connection with the same qualified 256 project. 257 If the director determines to recapture such a tax credit, 258 the director shall certify the name of each project owner and 259 the amount to be recaptured to the tax commissioner and to the 260 superintendent of insurance. The commissioner or superintendent 261 shall determine the taxpayer or taxpayers that claimed the 262 credit, the tax against which the credit was claimed, and the 263 amount to be recaptured and make an assessment against the 264 taxpayer or taxpayers under Chapter 5725., 5726., 5729., or 265 5747. of the Revised Code, as applicable, for the amount of the 266 tax credit to be recaptured. The time limitations on assessments 267 under those chapters do not bar an assessment made under this 268 division. Nothing in this section shall prohibit an assessment 269 that otherwise may be timely made by law. 270 (H) The director, in consultation with the tax 271 commissioner and the superintendent of insurance, shall adopt 272 any rules necessary to implement this section in accordance with 273 Chapter 119. of the Revised Code. Notwithstanding any provision 274 of section 121.95 of the Revised Code to the contrary, a 275 regulatory restriction contained in a rule adopted under 276 division (H) of this section is not subject to sections 121.95 277 to 121.953 of the Revised Code. 278 (I) (1) Each project owner shall designate itself or one of 279 its equity owners as designated reporter. The designation shall 280 be made to the tax commissioner and superintendent of insurance 281 at the time and in the manner prescribed by the commissioner and 2.82 superintendent. 283

(2) For each calendar year, a designated reporter shall	284
provide the tax commissioner and the superintendent of	285
insurance, at the time and in the form prescribed by the tax	286
commissioner in consultation with the superintendent of	287
insurance, a summary report of all pass-through certifications	288
issued, and assignment notifications received pursuant to	289
division (F)(6) of this section, in connection with a qualified	290
project. The report shall contain all of the following:	291
(a) The name, address, and taxpayer identification number	292
of each equity owner that has been allocated a portion of the	293
annual credit awarded by the eligibility certificate for that	294
year;	295
(b) The amount of the annual credit allocated to each such	296
equity owner for such year and the tax against which the credit	297
will be claimed;	298
(c) The total of the amounts listed for each equity owner	299
under division (I)(1)(b) of this section;	300
(d) The annual credit amount.	301
(3) A designated reporter shall notify the tax	302
commissioner and the superintendent of insurance of any changes	303
to the information reported in division (I)(2) of this section	304
in the time and manner prescribed by the commissioner and	305
superintendent.	306
(4) No credit allocated under this section may be claimed	307
by an equity owner for a year unless that equity owner and the	308
amount of the credit allocated to that owner appear on the	309
report required by division (I)(1) of this section for that	310
year.	311
(J) The Ohio housing finance agency shall disclose to the	312

tax commissioner and the superintendent of insurance any 313 information in the possession of the agency that is necessary to 314 ensure compliance with the laws of this state governing taxation 315 and to verify information reported to the agency, commissioner, 316 or superintendent pursuant to this section. If not provided upon 317 the agency's initiative, the tax commissioner may request such 318 information and the agency shall respond with the requested 319 information. 320

Sec. 5703.21. (A) Except as provided in divisions (B) and (C) of this section, no agent of the department of taxation, except in the agent's report to the department or when called on to testify in any court or proceeding, shall divulge any information acquired by the agent as to the transactions, property, or business of any person while acting or claiming to act under orders of the department. Whoever violates this provision shall thereafter be disqualified from acting as an officer or employee or in any other capacity under appointment or employment of the department.

(B) (1) For purposes of an audit pursuant to section 117.15 331 of the Revised Code, or an audit of the department pursuant to 332 Chapter 117. of the Revised Code, or an audit, pursuant to that 333 chapter, the objective of which is to express an opinion on a 334 financial report or statement prepared or issued pursuant to 335 division (A)(7) or (9) of section 126.21 of the Revised Code, 336 the officers and employees of the auditor of state charged with 337 conducting the audit shall have access to and the right to 338 examine any state tax returns and state tax return information 339 in the possession of the department to the extent that the 340 access and examination are necessary for purposes of the audit. 341 Any information acquired as the result of that access and 342 examination shall not be divulged for any purpose other than as 343

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required for the audit or unless the officers and employees are 344 required to testify in a court or proceeding under compulsion of 345 legal process. Whoever violates this provision shall thereafter 346 be disqualified from acting as an officer or employee or in any 347 other capacity under appointment or employment of the auditor of 348 state. 349

(2) For purposes of an internal audit pursuant to section 350 126.45 of the Revised Code, the officers and employees of the 351 office of internal audit in the office of budget and management 352 charged with directing the internal audit shall have access to 353 and the right to examine any state tax returns and state tax 354 return information in the possession of the department to the 355 extent that the access and examination are necessary for 356 purposes of the internal audit. Any information acquired as the 357 result of that access and examination shall not be divulged for 358 any purpose other than as required for the internal audit or 359 unless the officers and employees are required to testify in a 360 court or proceeding under compulsion of legal process. Whoever 361 violates this provision shall thereafter be disqualified from 362 acting as an officer or employee or in any other capacity under 363 appointment or employment of the office of internal audit. 364

(3) As provided by section 6103(d)(2) of the Internal
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Revenue Code, any federal tax returns or federal tax information
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that the department has acquired from the internal revenue
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service, through federal and state statutory authority, may be
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disclosed to the auditor of state or the office of internal
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audit solely for purposes of an audit of the department.

(4) For purposes of Chapter 3739. of the Revised Code, an
agent of the department of taxation may share information with
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the division of state fire marshal that the agent finds during
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the course of an investigation.

(C) Division (A) of this section does not prohibit any of 375the following: 376

(1) Divulging information contained in applications, 377
complaints, and related documents filed with the department 378
under section 5715.27 of the Revised Code or in applications 379
filed with the department under section 5715.39 of the Revised 380
Code; 381

(2) Providing information to the office of child support
within the department of job and family services pursuant to
section 3125.43 of the Revised Code;
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(3) Disclosing to the motor vehicle repair board any
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information in the possession of the department that is
applicant to verify the existence of an
applicant's valid vendor's license and current state tax
identification number under section 4775.07 of the Revised Code;
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(4) Providing information to the administrator of workers'
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 compensation pursuant to sections 4123.271 and 4123.591 of the
 Revised Code;
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(5) Providing to the attorney general information the
department obtains under division (J) of section 1346.01 of the
Revised Code;

(6) Permitting properly authorized officers, employees, or
agents of a municipal corporation from inspecting reports or
information pursuant to section 718.84 of the Revised Code or
rules adopted under section 5745.16 of the Revised Code;

(7) Providing information regarding the name, account400number, or business address of a holder of a vendor's license401

issued pursuant to section 5739.17 of the Revised Code, a holder
of a direct payment permit issued pursuant to section 5739.031
of the Revised Code, or a seller having a use tax account
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maintained pursuant to section 5741.17 of the Revised Code, or
information regarding the active or inactive status of a
vendor's license, direct payment permit, or seller's use tax
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account;

(8) Releasing invoices or invoice information furnished
under section 4301.433 of the Revised Code pursuant to that
section;

(9) Providing to a county auditor notices or documents
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concerning or affecting the taxable value of property in the
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county auditor's county. Unless authorized by law to disclose
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documents so provided, the county auditor shall not disclose
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such documents;

(10) Providing to a county auditor sales or use tax return or audit information under section 333.06 of the Revised Code;

(11) Subject to section 4301.441 of the Revised Code,
disclosing to the appropriate state agency information in the
possession of the department of taxation that is necessary to
verify a permit holder's gallonage or noncompliance with taxes
levied under Chapter 4301. or 4305. of the Revised Code;

(12) Disclosing to the department of natural resources
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information in the possession of the department of taxation that
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is necessary for the department of taxation to verify the
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taxpayer's compliance with section 5749.02 of the Revised Code
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or to allow the department of natural resources to enforce
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Chapter 1509. of the Revised Code;
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(13) Disclosing to the department of job and family 430

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services, industrial commission, and bureau of workers' 431 compensation information in the possession of the department of 432 taxation solely for the purpose of identifying employers that 433 misclassify employees as independent contractors or that fail to 434 properly report and pay employer tax liabilities. The department 435 of taxation shall disclose only such information that is 436 necessary to verify employer compliance with law administered by 437 those agencies. 438

(14) Disclosing to the Ohio casino control commission
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information in the possession of the department of taxation that
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is necessary to verify a casino operator's or sports gaming
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proprietor's compliance with section 5747.063, 5753.02, or
5753.021 of the Revised Code and sections related thereto;
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(15) Disclosing to the state lottery commission 444 information in the possession of the department of taxation that 445 is necessary to verify a lottery sales agent's compliance with 446 section 5747.064 of the Revised Code. 447

(16) Disclosing to the department of development 448 information in the possession of the department of taxation that 449 is necessary to ensure compliance with the laws of this state 450 governing taxation and to verify information reported to the 451 department of development for the purpose of evaluating 452 potential tax credits, tax deductions, grants, or loans. Such 453 information shall not include information received from the 454 internal revenue service the disclosure of which is prohibited 455 by section 6103 of the Internal Revenue Code. No officer, 456 employee, or agent of the department of development shall 457 disclose any information provided to the department of 458 development by the department of taxation under division (C)(16) 459 of this section except when disclosure of the information is 460

necessary for, and made solely for the purpose of facilitating, 461 the evaluation of potential tax credits, tax deductions, grants, 462 or loans. 463

(17) Disclosing to the department of insurance information 464 in the possession of the department of taxation that is 465 necessary to ensure a taxpayer's compliance with the 466 requirements with any tax credit administered by the department 467 of development and claimed by the taxpayer against any tax 468 administered by the superintendent of insurance. No officer, 469 employee, or agent of the department of insurance shall disclose 470 any information provided to the department of insurance by the 471 department of taxation under division (C)(17) of this section. 472

(18) Disclosing to the division of liquor control 473 information in the possession of the department of taxation that 474 is necessary for the division and department to comply with the 475 requirements of sections 4303.26 and 4303.271 of the Revised 476 Code. 477

(19) Disclosing to the department of education, upon that 478 department's request, information in the possession of the 479 department of taxation that is necessary only to verify whether 480 the family income of a student applying for or receiving a 481 scholarship under the educational choice scholarship pilot 482 program is equal to, less than, or greater than the income 483 thresholds prescribed by section 3310.032 of the Revised Code. 484 The department of education shall provide sufficient information 485 about the student and the student's family to enable the 486 department of taxation to make the verification. 487

(20) Disclosing to the Ohio rail development commission
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information in the possession of the department of taxation that
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is necessary to ensure compliance with the laws of this state
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governing taxation and to verify information reported to the 491 commission for the purpose of evaluating potential grants or 492 loans. Such information shall not include information received 493 from the internal revenue service the disclosure of which is 494 prohibited by section 6103 of the Internal Revenue Code. No 495 member, officer, employee, or agent of the Ohio rail development 496 497 commission shall disclose any information provided to the commission by the department of taxation under division (C)(20) 498 of this section except when disclosure of the information is 499 necessary for, and made solely for the purpose of facilitating, 500 the evaluation of potential grants or loans. 501

(21) Disclosing to the state racing commission information 502 in the possession of the department of taxation that is 503 necessary for verification of compliance with and for 504 enforcement and administration of the taxes levied by Chapter 505 3769. of the Revised Code. Such information shall include 506 information that is necessary for the state racing commission to 507 verify compliance with Chapter 3769. of the Revised Code for the 508 509 purposes of issuance, denial, suspension, or revocation of a permit pursuant to section 3769.03 or 3769.06 of the Revised 510 Code and related sections. Unless disclosure is otherwise 511 authorized by law, information provided to the state racing 512 commission under this section remains confidential and is not 513 subject to public disclosure pursuant to section 3769.041 of the 514 Revised Code. 515

(22) Disclosing to the state fire marshal information in
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the possession of the department of taxation that is necessary
for the state fire marshal to verify the compliance of a
licensed manufacturer of fireworks or a licensed wholesaler of
fireworks with section 3743.22 of the Revised Code. No officer,
employee, or agent of the state fire marshal shall disclose any
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information provided to the state fire marshal by the department 522 of taxation under division (C) (22) of this section. 523 (23) Disclosing to the department of job and family 524 services information in the possession of the department of 525 taxation for either of the following purposes: 526 (a) Making a determination under section 4141.28 of the 527 Revised Code; 528 (b) Verifying an individual's eligibility for a federal 529 program described in section 4141.163 of the Revised Code. 530 Such information shall not include information received 531 from the internal revenue service the disclosure of which is 532 prohibited by section 6103 of the Internal Revenue Code. 533 (24) Disclosing to the Ohio housing finance agency 534 information in the possession of the department of taxation that 535 is necessary to ensure compliance with the laws of this state 536 governing taxation and to verify information reported to the 537 Ohio housing finance agency relating to any tax credit 538 administered by the Ohio housing finance agency. 539 Such information shall not include information received 540 from the internal revenue service the disclosure of which is 541 prohibited by section 6103 of the Internal Revenue Code. 542 No officer, employee, or agent of the Ohio housing finance 543 agency shall disclose any information provided to the Ohio 544 housing finance agency by the department of taxation under 545 division (C) (24) of this section. 546 Sec. 5713.03. (A) The county auditor, from the best 547 sources of information available, shall determine, as nearly as 548 practicable, the true value of the fee simple estate, as if 549

unencumbered but subject to any effects from the exercise of 550 police powers or from other governmental actions, of each 551 separate tract, lot, or parcel of real property and of 552 buildings, structures, and improvements located thereon and the 553 current agricultural use value of land valued for tax purposes 554 in accordance with section 5713.31 of the Revised Code, in every 555 district, according to the rules prescribed by this chapter and 556 section 5715.01 of the Revised Code, and in accordance with the 557 uniform rules and methods of valuing and assessing real property 558 as adopted, prescribed, and promulgated by the tax commissioner. 559 The auditor shall determine the taxable value of all real 560 property by reducing its true or current agricultural use value 561 by the percentage ordered by the commissioner. In determining 562 the true value of any tract, lot, or parcel of real estate under 563 this section, if such tract, lot, or parcel has been the subject 564 of an arm's length sale between a willing seller and a willing 565 buyer within a reasonable length of time, either before or after 566 the tax lien date, the auditor may consider the sale price of 567 such tract, lot, or parcel to be the true value for taxation 568 purposes. However, the sale price in an arm's length transaction 569 570 between a willing seller and a willing buyer shall not be considered the true value of the property sold if subsequent to 571 the sale: 572

(1) (A)The tract, lot, or parcel of real estate loses573value due to some casualty;574

(2) (B) An improvement is added to the property.

Nothing in this section or section 5713.01 of the Revised576Code and no rule adopted under section 5715.01 of the Revised577Code shall require the county auditor to change the true value578in money of any property in any year except a year in which the579

tax commissioner is required to determine under section 5715.24580of the Revised Code whether the property has been assessed as581required by law.582

(B) Pursuant to division (A) of this section, the county583auditor may determine the true value of real property that is584part of a qualified low-income housing tax credit project585through use of one or more of the market-data approach, the586income approach, or the cost approach.587

As used in division (B) of this section, "low-income588housing tax credit project" means a qualified low-income housing589project during its compliance period, as those terms are defined590by section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code.591

(C) The county auditor shall adopt and use a real property 592 record approved by the commissioner for each tract, lot, or 593 parcel of real property, setting forth the true and taxable 594 value of land and, in the case of land valued in accordance with 595 section 5713.31 of the Revised Code, its current agricultural 596 use value, the number of acres of arable land, permanent pasture 597 land, woodland, and wasteland in each tract, lot, or parcel. The 598 auditor shall record pertinent information and the true and 599 taxable value of each building, structure, or improvement to 600 land, which value shall be included as a separate part of the 601 total value of each tract, lot, or parcel of real property. 602

Sec. 5713.031. (A) As used in this section, "federally603subsidized residential rental property" means property to which604one or more of the following apply:605

(1) It is part of a qualified low-income housing project,606through its compliance and extended use period, as those terms607are defined in section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, or any608

other period during which it is similarly restricted under	609
section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code.	610
(2) It receives assistance pursuant to section 202 of the	611
"Housing Act of 1959," 12 U.S.C. 1701g, and remains restricted	612
pursuant to that section.	613
(3) Property that receives assistance pursuant to Section	614
811 of the "Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act,"	615
42 U.S.C. 8013, and remains restricted pursuant to that section;	616
(4) Property that receives project-based assistance	617
pursuant to section 8 of the "United States Housing Act of	618
1937," 42 U.S.C. 1437f, and remains restricted pursuant to that	619
section;	620
(5) Property that receives assistance pursuant to section	621
515 of the "Housing Act of 1949," 42 U.S.C. 1485, and remains	622
restricted pursuant to that section;	623
(6) Property that receives assistance pursuant to section	624
538 of the "Housing Act of 1949," 42 U.S.C. 1490p-2, and remains	625
restricted pursuant to that section;	626
(7) Property that receives assistance pursuant to section	627
521 of the "Housing Act of 1949," 42 U.S.C. 1490a, and remains	628
restricted pursuant to that section;	629
(B) An owner of federally subsidized residential rental	630
property shall file with the county auditor of the county in	631
which the property is located the following information from the	632
preceding calendar year or up to three preceding calendar years,	633
as applicable:	634
(1) The operating income of the property which shall	635
include gross potential rent, any forgiveness of or allowance	636

received for losses due to vacancy or unpaid rent, and any 637 income derived from other recurring sources; 638 (2) The operating expenses of the property including all 639 non-capitalized expenses related to staffing, utilities, 640 repairs, supplies, telecommunication, management fees, audits, 641 legal and contract services, and any other expense a prospective 642 buyer might consider in purchasing the property. Real property 643 taxes, depreciation, and amortization expenses and replacement 644 of shor<u>t-term capitalized assets shall be excluded from</u> 645 operating expenses. 646 (3) The annual amount of contribution to replacement 647 reserve funds or accounts related to the property. 648 (C) (1) The information required under division (B) of this 649 section shall be filed by the owner (a) before the property is 650 placed in service, using pro forma figures, (b) one year after 651 the property reaches ninety per cent occupancy, and (c) each 652 following year to which section 5715.24 of the Revised Code 653 applies in the county, on or before the first day of April. Each 654 such filing in a reappraisal or update year shall report the 655 information required under division (B) of this section for the 656 preceding three calendar years or for the period of time the 657 property has been in operation, if less than three years. 658 (2) Information filed under this section after a property 659 has been placed in service shall have first been audited by an 660 independent public accountant or auditor or a certified public 661 accountant prior to filing. If such an audit is not completed by 662 the first day of April, the owner of the property shall file 663 updated records within thirty days after the completion of such 664 an audit. 665

(3) If a property owner fails to timely submit the	666
information required under division (B) of this section, the	667
county auditor is not required to value the property in	668
accordance with division (A)(4) of section 5715.01 of the	669
Revised Code for any applicable tax year to which that division	670
would have applied and shall otherwise proceed under section	671
5713.01 of the Revised Code to value the property in compliance	672
with Ohio Constitution, Article XII, Section 2 for that tax	673
year.	674
(D) The county auditor shall use the information submitted	675
under this section to determine the valuation of the property	676
pursuant to rules adopted under division (A)(4) of section	677
5715.01 of the Revised Code.	678
(E) Any information submitted under this section is not a	679
public record for purposes of section 149.43 of the Revised Code	680
and shall not be disclosed except as necessary to administer	681
this section and section 5715.01 of the Revised Code.	682
Sec. 5715.01. (A) The tax commissioner shall direct and	683
supervise the assessment for taxation of all real property. The	684
commissioner shall adopt, prescribe, and promulgate rules for	685
the determination of true value and taxable value of real	686
property by uniform rule for such values and for the	687
determination of the current agricultural use value of land	688
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being used, its obsolete character, if any, the income capacity 696 of the property, if any, and any other factor that tends to 697 prove its true value shall be used. In determining the true 698 value of minerals or rights to minerals for the purpose of real 699 property taxation, the tax commissioner shall not include in the 700 value of the minerals or rights to minerals the value of any 701 tangible personal property used in the recovery of those 702 minerals. 703

(2) The uniform rules shall prescribe the method for 704 determining the current agricultural use value of land devoted 705 exclusively to agricultural use, which method shall reflect 706 standard and modern appraisal techniques that take into 707 consideration the productivity of the soil under normal 708 management practices, typical cropping and land use patterns, 709 the average price patterns of the crops and products produced 710 and the typical production costs to determine the net income 711 potential to be capitalized, and other pertinent factors. 712

In determining the agricultural land capitalization rate 713 to be applied to the net income potential from agricultural use, 714 the commissioner shall use standard and modern appraisal 715 techniques. In calculating the capitalization rate for any year, 716 the commissioner shall comply with both of the following 717 requirements: 718

(a) The commissioner shall use an equity yield rate equal
to the greater of (i) the average of the total rates of return
on farm equity for the twenty-five most recent years for which
those rates have been calculated and published by the United
States department of agriculture economic research service or
another published source or (ii) the loan interest rate the
commissioner uses for that year to calculate the capitalization

rate;	726
(b) The commissioner shall assume that the holding period	727
for agricultural land is twenty-five years for the purpose of	728
computing buildup of equity or appreciation with respect to that	729
land.	730
The commissioner shall add to the overall capitalization	731
rate a tax additur. The sum of the overall capitalization rate	732
and the tax additur shall represent as nearly as possible the	733
rate of return a prudent investor would expect from an average	734
or typical farm in this state considering only agricultural	735
factors.	736
The commissioner shall annually determine and announce the	737
overall capitalization rate, tax additur, agricultural land	738
capitalization rate, and the individual components used in	739
computing such amounts in a determination, finding, computation,	740
or order of the commissioner published simultaneously with the	741
commissioner's annual publication of the per-acre agricultural	742
use values for each soil type.	743
(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter	744
and Chapter 5713. of the Revised Code, the current agricultural	745
use value of land devoted exclusively to agricultural use shall	746
equal the following amounts for the years specified:	747
(a) In counties that undergo a reappraisal or triennial	748
update in 2017, the current agricultural use value of the land	749
for each of the 2017, 2018, and 2019 tax years shall equal the	750
sum of the following amounts:	751

(i) The current agricultural use value of the land for
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that tax year, as determined under this section and section
5713.31 of the Revised Code, and rules adopted pursuant those
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sections, without regard to the adjustment under division (A)(3) 755 (a) (ii) of this section; 756 (ii) One-half of the amount, if any, by which the value of 757 the land for the 2016 tax year, as determined under this 758 section, section 5713.31 of the Revised Code, and the rules 759 adopted pursuant those sections and issued by the tax 760 commissioner for counties undergoing a reappraisal or triennial 761 update in the 2016 tax year, exceeds the value determined under 762 division (A)(3)(a)(i) of this section. 763 (b) In counties that undergo a reappraisal or triennial 764 update in 2018, the current agricultural use value of the land 765 for each of the 2018, 2019, and 2020 tax years shall equal the 766 sum of the following amounts: 767 (i) The current agricultural use value of the land for 768 that tax year, as determined under this section and section 769 5713.31 of the Revised Code, and rules adopted pursuant those 770 sections, without regard to the adjustment under division (A)(3) 771 (b) (ii) of this section; 772 (ii) One-half of the amount, if any, by which the value of 773 the land for the 2017 tax year, as determined under this 774 section, section 5713.31 of the Revised Code, and the rules 775 776 adopted pursuant those sections and issued by the tax

commissioner for counties undergoing a reappraisal or triennial777update in the 2017 tax year, exceeds the value determined under778division (A)(3)(b)(i) of this section.779

(c) In counties that undergo a reappraisal or triennial 780 update in 2019, the current agricultural use value of the land 781 for each of the 2019, 2020, and 2021 tax years shall equal the 782 sum of the following amounts: 783

(i) The current agricultural use value of the land for
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that tax year, as determined under this section and section
5713.31 of the Revised Code, and rules adopted pursuant those
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sections, without regard to the adjustment under division (A) (3)
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(c) (ii) of this section;
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(ii) One-half of the amount, if any, by which the value of
the land for the 2018 tax year, as determined under this
section, section 5713.31 of the Revised Code, and the rules
adopted pursuant those sections and issued by the tax
commissioner for counties undergoing a reappraisal or triennial
update in the 2018 tax year, exceeds the value determined under
(i) (a) (c) (i) of this section.

(4) The uniform rules shall prescribe the method for determining the value of federally subsidized residential rental property through the use of a formula that uses the following factors:

800 (a) Up to three years of operating income of the property, which includes gross potential rent, and any income derived from 801 other recurring sources as reported by the property owner to the 802 county auditor under section 5713.031 of the Revised Code. 803 Operating income shall include an allowance for vacancy losses, 804 which shall be presumed to be four per cent of gross potential 805 rent, and unpaid rent losses, which shall be presumed to be 806 three per cent of gross potential rent. These presumptive 807 amounts may be exceeded with evidence demonstrating the actual 808 income of the property. 809

(b) Operating expenses of the property, which shall be810presumed to be fifty per cent of operating income plus utility811expenses as reported by the property owner to the county auditor812under section 5713.031 of the Revised Code. Operating expenses813

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shall also include replacement reserve fund or account	814
contributions which shall be presumed to be five per cent of	815
gross potential rent. These presumptive amounts may be exceeded	816
with evidence demonstrating the actual expenses of the property.	817
Real property taxes, depreciation, and amortization expenses and	818
replacement of short-term capitalized assets shall be excluded	819
from operating expenses.	820

(c) A market-appropriate, uniform capitalization rate plus821a tax additur accounting for the real property tax rate of the822property's location. For federally subsidized residential rental823property described in division (A) (1) of section 5713.031 of the824Revised Code, one percentage point shall be subtracted from the825uniform capitalization rate.826

The uniform rules shall also prescribe a minimum total 827 value for federally subsidized residential rental property, 828 including the property's land and improvements, of five thousand 829 dollars multiplied by the number of dwelling units comprising 830 the property or one hundred fifty per cent of the property's 831 unimproved land value, whichever is greater. The formula and 832 other rules adopted by the commissioner pursuant to this 8.3.3 division shall comply with Ohio Constitution, Article XII, 834 Section 2. 835

As used in division (A)(4) of this section, "federally subsidized residential rental property" has the same meaning as in section 5713.031 of the Revised Code and "dwelling unit" has the same meaning as in section 5321.01 of the Revised Code.

(B) The taxable value shall be that per cent of true value
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in money, or current agricultural use value in the case of land
valued in accordance with section 5713.31 of the Revised Code,
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the commissioner by rule establishes, but it shall not exceed
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thirty-five per cent. The uniform rules shall also prescribe 844 methods of making the appraisals set forth in section 5713.03 of 845 the Revised Code. The taxable value of each tract, lot, or 846 parcel of real property and improvements thereon, determined in 847 accordance with the uniform rules and methods prescribed 848 thereby, shall be the taxable value of the tract, lot, or parcel 849 for all purposes of sections 5713.01 to 5713.26, 5715.01 to 850 5715.51, and 5717.01 to 5717.06 of the Revised Code. County 851 852 auditors shall, under the direction and supervision of the commissioner, be the chief assessing officers of their 853 respective counties, and shall list and value the real property 854 within their respective counties for taxation in accordance with 855 this section and sections 5713.03 and 5713.31 of the Revised 856 Code and with such rules of the commissioner. There shall also 857 be a board in each county, known as the county board of 858 revision, which shall hear complaints and revise assessments of 859 real property for taxation. 860

(C) The commissioner shall neither adopt nor enforce any 861 rule that requires true value for any tax year to be any value 862 other than the true value in money on the tax lien date of such 863 tax year or that requires taxable value to be obtained in any 864 way other than by reducing the true value, or in the case of 865 land valued in accordance with section 5713.31 of the Revised 866 Code, its current agricultural use value, by a specified, 867 uniform percentage. 868

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(B) There is allowed a nonrefundable tax credit against871the tax imposed by section 5725.18 of the Revised Code for a872domestic insurance company that is allocated a credit issued by873

the executive director of the Ohio housing finance agency under	874
section 175.16 of the Revised Code. The credit equals the amount	875
allocated to such company for the calendar year and reported by	876
the designated reporter on the form prescribed by division (I)	877
of section 175.16 of the Revised Code.	878
The credit authorized in this section shall be claimed in	879
the order required under section 5725.98 of the Revised Code. If	880
the amount of a credit exceeds the tax otherwise due under	881
section 5725.18 of the Revised Code after deducting all other	882
credits preceding the credit in the order prescribed in section	883
5725.98 of the Revised Code, the excess may be carried forward	884
for not more than five ensuing calendar years. The amount of the	885
excess credit claimed in any such year shall be deducted from	886
the balance carried forward to the next calendar year.	887
No credit shall be claimed under this section to the	888
extent the credit was claimed under section 5726.58, 5729.19, or	889
5747.85 of the Revised Code.	890
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Sec. 5725.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	891
calculating the amount of tax imposed by section 5725.18 of the	892
Revised Code that is due under this chapter, a taxpayer shall	893
claim any credits and offsets against tax liability to which it	894
is entitled in the following order:	895
The credit for an insurance company or insurance company	896
group under section 5729.031 of the Revised Code;	897
The credit for eligible employee training costs under	898
section 5725.31 of the Revised Code;	899
section 3723.31 of the Revised Code,	099
The credit for purchasers of qualified low-income	900
community investments under section 5725.33 of the Revised Code;	901
The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B)	902

of section 122.171 of the Revised Code;	903
The nonrefundable credit for investments in rural business	904
growth funds under section 122.152 of the Revised Code;	905
The nonrefundable Ohio low-income housing tax credit under	906
section 5725.36 of the Revised Code;	907
The nonrefundable credit for contributing capital to a	908
transformational mixed use development project under section	909
5725.35 of the Revised Code;	910
The offset of assessments by the Ohio life and health	911
insurance guaranty association permitted by section 3956.20 of	912
the Revised Code;	913
The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	914
building under section 5725.34 of the Revised Code;	915
The refundable credit for Ohio job retention under former	916
division (B)(2) or (3) of section 122.171 of the Revised Code as	917
those divisions existed before September 29, 2015, the effective	918
date of the amendment of this section by H.B. 64 of the 131st	919
general assembly;	920
The refundable credit for Ohio job creation under section	921
5725.32 of the Revised Code;	922
The refundable credit under section 5725.19 of the Revised	923
Code for losses on loans made under the Ohio venture capital	924
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code.	925
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits	926
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a	927
taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any	928
other credit that precedes it in the order required under this	929
section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried	930

forward if authorized under the section creating that credit.931Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer932to claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a933taxable year.934

Sec.	5726	5.58. (A)	Terms	use	d in	this	section	have	the	same	935
<u>meanings</u> a	is in	section	175.16	of	the	Revise	ed Code.				936

937 (B) A taxpayer may claim a nonrefundable tax credit against the tax imposed under section 5736.02 of the Revised 938 Code for each person included in the annual report of the 939 taxpayer that is allocated a credit issued by the executive 940 director of the Ohio housing finance agency under section 175.16 941 of the Revised Code. The credit equals the amount allocated to 942 such person for the taxable year and reported by the designated 943 reporter on the form prescribed by division (I) of section 944 175.16 of the Revised Code. 945

The credit authorized in this section shall be claimed in 946 the order required under section 5726.98 of the Revised Code. If 947 the amount of a credit exceeds the tax otherwise due under 948 section 5726.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all other 949 credits preceding the credit in the order prescribed in section 950 5726.98 of the Revised Code, the excess may be carried forward 951 for not more than five ensuing tax years. The amount of the 952 excess credit claimed in any such year shall be deducted from 953 the balance carried forward to the next tax year. 954

No credit shall be claimed under this section to the955extent the credit was claimed under section 5725.36, 5729.19, or9565747.85 of the Revised Code.957

Sec. 5726.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for958calculating the amount of tax due under section 5726.02 of the959

Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits to which the	960
taxpayer is entitled under this chapter in the following order:	961
The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B)	962
of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code;	963
The nonrefundable credit for purchases of qualified low-	964
income community investments under section 5726.54 of the	965
Revised Code;	966
The nonrefundable credit for qualified research expenses	967
under section 5726.56 of the Revised Code;	968
The nonrefundable credit for qualifying dealer in	969
intangibles taxes under section 5726.57 of the Revised Code;	970
The nonrefundable Ohio low-income housing tax credit under	971
section 5726.58 of the Revised Code;	972
The refundable credit for rehabilitating an historic	973
building under section 5726.52 of the Revised Code;	974
The refundable job retention or job creation credit under	975
division (A) of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code;	976
The refundable credit under section 5726.53 of the Revised	977
Code for losses on loans made under the Ohio venture capital	978
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	979
The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical	980
production credit under section 5726.55 of the Revised Code.	981
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits	982
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a	983
taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any	984
other credit that precedes it in the order required under this	985
section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried	986

forward if authorized under the section creating that credit.987Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer988to claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a989taxable year.990

<u>Sec. 5729.19</u>	. (A) Terms	used in this section ha	ve the same 991
<u>meanings as in sec</u>	tion 175.1	of the Revised Code.	992

993 (B) There is allowed a nonrefundable tax credit against the tax imposed by section 5729.03 or 5729.06 of the Revised 994 <u>Code for a foreign insurance company that is allocated a credit</u> 995 issued by the executive director of the Ohio housing finance 996 agency under section 175.16 of the Revised Code. The credit 997 equals the amount allocated to such company for the calendar 998 year and reported by the designated reporter on the form 999 prescribed by division (I) of section 175.16 of the Revised 1000 Code. 1001

The credit authorized in this section shall be claimed in 1002 the order required under section 5729.98 of the Revised Code. If 1003 the amount of a credit exceeds the tax otherwise due under 1004 section 5729.03 or 5729.06 of the Revised Code after deducting 1005 all other credits preceding the credit in the order prescribed 1006 in section 5725.98 of the Revised Code, the excess may be 1007 carried forward for not more than five ensuing calendar years. 1008 The amount of the excess credit claimed in any such year shall 1009 be deducted from the balance carried forward to the next 1010 calendar year. 1011

No credit shall be claimed under this section to the1012extent the credit was claimed under section 5725.36, 5726.58, or10135747.85 of the Revised Code.1014

<u>A foreign insurance company shall not be required to pay</u>

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any additional tax levied under section 5729.06 of the Revised 1016 Code as a result of claiming the tax credit authorized by this 1017 section. 1018 Sec. 5729.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for 1019 calculating the amount of tax due under this chapter, a taxpayer 1020 shall claim any credits and offsets against tax liability to 1021 which it is entitled in the following order: 1022 The credit for an insurance company or insurance company 1023 group under section 5729.031 of the Revised Code; 1024 The credit for eligible employee training costs under 1025 section 5729.07 of the Revised Code; 1026 The credit for purchases of qualified low-income community 1027 investments under section 5729.16 of the Revised Code; 1028 The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B) 1029 of section 122.171 of the Revised Code; 1030 The nonrefundable credit for investments in rural business 1031 growth funds under section 122.152 of the Revised Code; 1032 The nonrefundable Ohio low-income housing tax credit under 1033 section 5729.19 of the Revised Code; 1034 The nonrefundable credit for contributing capital to a 1035 transformational mixed use development project under section 1036 5729.18 of the Revised Code; 1037 The offset of assessments by the Ohio life and health 1038 insurance quaranty association against tax liability permitted 1039 by section 3956.20 of the Revised Code; 1040 The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic 1041 building under section 5729.17 of the Revised Code; 1042

The refundable credit for Ohio job retention under former 1043 division (B)(2) or (3) of section 122.171 of the Revised Code as 1044 those divisions existed before September 29, 2015, the effective 1045 date of the amendment of this section by H.B. 64 of the 131st 1046 general assembly; 1047

The refundable credit for Ohio job creation under section 5729.032 of the Revised Code;

The refundable credit under section 5729.08 of the Revised1050Code for losses on loans made under the Ohio venture capital1051program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code.1052

(B) For any credit except the refundable credits 1053 enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a 1054 taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any 1055 other credit that precedes it in the order required under this 1056 section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried 1057 forward if authorized under the section creating that credit. 1058 Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer 1059 to claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a 1060 1061 taxable year.

Sec. 5747.85. (A) Terms used in this section have the same 1062 meanings as in section 175.16 of the Revised Code. 1063

(B) There is hereby allowed a nonrefundable credit against 1064 a taxpayer's aggregate tax liability under section 5747.02 of 1065 the Revised Code for a taxpayer that is allocated a credit 1066 issued by the executive director of the Ohio housing finance 1067 agency under section 175.16 of the Revised Code. The credit 1068 equals the amount allocated to such taxpayer for the taxable 1069 year that begins in the calendar year for which the designated 1070 reporter files the form prescribed by division (I) of section 1071

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175.16 of the Revised Code.	1072
The credit shall be claimed in the order required under	1073
section 5747.98 of the Revised Code. If the credit exceeds the	1074
taxpayer's aggregate tax due under section 5747.02 of the	1075
Revised Code for that taxable year after allowing for credits	1076
that precede the credit under this section in that order, such	1077
excess shall be allowed as a credit in each of the ensuing five	1078
taxable years, but the amount of any excess credit allowed in	1079
any such taxable year shall be deducted from the balance carried	1080
forward to the ensuing taxable year.	1081
No credit shall be claimed under this section to the	1082
extent the credit was claimed under section 5725.36, 5726.58, or	1083
5729.19 of the Revised Code.	1084
Sec. 5747.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	1085
calculating a taxpayer's aggregate tax liability under section	1086
5747.02 of the Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits	1087
to which the taxpayer is entitled in the following order:	1088
Either the retirement income credit under division (B) of	1089
section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum retirement	1090
income credits under divisions (C), (D), and (E) of that	1091
section;	1092
Either the senior citizen credit under division (F) of	1093
section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum	1094
distribution credit under division (G) of that section;	1095
The dependent care credit under section 5747.054 of the	1096
Revised Code;	1097
The credit for displaced workers who pay for job training	1098
under section 5747.27 of the Revised Code;	1099

The campaign contribution credit under section 5747.29 of	1100
the Revised Code;	1101
The twenty-dollar personal exemption credit under section	1102
5747.022 of the Revised Code;	1103
The joint filing credit under division (G) of section	1104
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	1105
The earned income credit under section 5747.71 of the	1106
Revised Code;	1107
The nonrefundable credit for education expenses under	1108
section 5747.72 of the Revised Code;	1109
The nonrefundable credit for donations to scholarship	1110
granting organizations under section 5747.73 of the Revised	1111
Code;	1112
The nonrefundable credit for tuition paid to a	1113
nonchartered nonpublic school under section 5747.75 of the	1114
Revised Code;	1115
The nonrefundable vocational job credit under section	1116
5747.057 of the Revised Code;	1117
The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B)	1118
of section 5747.058 of the Revised Code;	1119
The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of the	1120
Revised Code;	1121
The credit for beginning farmers who participate in a	1122
financial management program under division (B) of section	1123
5747.77 of the Revised Code;	1124
The credit for commercial vehicle operator training	1125
expenses under section 5747.82 of the Revised Code;	1126

The credit for selling or renting agricultural assets to 1127 beginning farmers under division (A) of section 5747.77 of the 1128 Revised Code; 1129 The credit for purchases of qualifying grape production 1130 property under section 5747.28 of the Revised Code; 1131 The small business investment credit under section 5747.81 1132 of the Revised Code; 1133 The nonrefundable lead abatement credit under section 1134 5747.26 of the Revised Code; 1135 1136 The opportunity zone investment credit under section 122.84 of the Revised Code; 1137 The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of the 1138 Revised Code; 1139 The research and development credit under section 5747.331 1140 of the Revised Code; 1141 The credit for rehabilitating a historic building under 1142 section 5747.76 of the Revised Code; 1143 The nonresident credit under division (A) of section 1144 5747.05 of the Revised Code; 1145 The credit for a resident's out-of-state income under 1146 division (B) of section 5747.05 of the Revised Code; 1147 The nonrefundable Ohio low-income housing tax credit under 1148 section 5747.85 of the Revised Code; 1149 The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical 1150 production credit under section 5747.66 of the Revised Code; 1151 The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention 1152 credit under division (A) of section 5747.058 of the Revised 1153

Code;	1154
The refundable credit for taxes paid by a qualifying	1155
entity granted under section 5747.059 of the Revised Code;	1156
The refundable credits for taxes paid by a qualifying	1157
pass-through entity granted under division (I) of section	1158
5747.08 of the Revised Code;	1159
The refundable credit under section 5747.80 of the Revised	1160
Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture capital	1161
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	1162
The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	1163
building under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	1164
The refundable credit under section 5747.39 of the Revised	1165
Code for taxes levied under section 5747.38 of the Revised Code	1166
paid by an electing pass-through entity.	1167
(B) For any credit, except the refundable credits	1168
enumerated in this section and the credit granted under division	1169
(H) of section 5747.08 of the Revised Code, the amount of the	1170
credit for a taxable year shall not exceed the taxpayer's	1171
aggregate amount of tax due under section 5747.02 of the Revised	1172
Code, after allowing for any other credit that precedes it in	1173
the order required under this section. Any excess amount of a	1174
particular credit may be carried forward if authorized under the	1175
section creating that credit. Nothing in this chapter shall be	1176
construed to allow a taxpayer to claim, directly or indirectly,	1177
a credit more than once for a taxable year.	1178
Section 2. That existing sections 175.12, 5703.21,	1179
5713.03, 5715.01, 5725.98, 5726.98, 5729.98, and 5747.98 of the	1180

Section 3. The General Assembly, applying the principle 1182 stated in division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that 1183 amendments are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of 1184 simultaneous operation, finds that the following sections, 1185 presented in this act as composites of the sections as amended 1186 by the acts indicated, are the resulting versions of the 1187 sections in effect prior to the effective date of the sections 1188 as presented in this act: 1189 Section 5725.98 of the Revised Code as amended by both 1190 H.B. 197 and S.B. 39 of the 133rd General Assembly. 1191 Section 5729.98 of the Revised Code as amended by both 1192 H.B. 197 and S.B. 39 of the 133rd General Assembly. 1193 Section 5747.98 of the Revised Code as amended by both 1194 H.B. 45 and H.B. 66 of the 134th General Assembly. 1195