#### As Introduced

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S. B. No. 4

#### **Senator Schuring**

#### A BILL

То	amend sections 122.85, 5726.55, 5726.98,	1
	5733.59, 5747.66, 5747.98, 5751.54, and 5751.98	2
	and to enact sections 122.852, 5726.58, 5747.67,	3
	and 5751.55 of the Revised Code to modify the	4
	film and theater tax credit and to authorize a	5
	tax credit for capital improvement projects	6
	relating to the film and theater industries.	7

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

<b>Section 1.</b> That sections 122.85, 5726.55, 5726.98,	8
5733.59, 5747.66, 5747.98, 5751.54, and 5751.98 be amended and	9
sections 122.852, 5726.58, 5747.67, and 5751.55 of the Revised	10
Code be enacted to read as follows:	11
Sec. 122.85. (A) As used in this section and in sections	12
5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, and 5751.54 of the Revised Code:	13
(1) "Tax credit-eligible production" means a motion	14
picture or broadway theatrical production certified by the	15
director of development under division (B) of this section as	16
qualifying the production company for a tax credit under section	17
5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code.	18
(2) "Certificate owner" means a production company to	19

which a tax credit certificate is issued or a person to which	20
all or part of a tax credit is transferred under division (F) of	21
this section.	22
(3) "Production company" means an individual, corporation,	23
partnership, limited liability company, or other form of	24
business association that is a registered with the secretary of	25
state and business that is producing a motion picture or	26
broadway theatrical production.	27
(4) "Eligible expenditures" means expenditures made after	28
June 30, 2009, for goods or services purchased and consumed in	29
this state by a production company directly for the production	30
of a tax credit-eligible production, for postproduction	31
activities, or in the case of a tax credit-eligible production	32
that is a broadway theatrical production, for advertising and	33
promotion of the production.	34
"Eligible expenditures" include expenditures for cast and	35
crew wages, <a href="mailto:travel">travel</a> , accommodations, costs of set construction	36
and operations, editing and related services, photography, sound	37
synchronization, lighting, wardrobe, makeup and accessories,	38
film processing, transfer, sound mixing, special and visual	39
effects, music, location fees, and the purchase or rental of	40
facilities and equipment.	41
"Eligible expenditures" do not include qualified	42
expenditures for which a production company receives a tax	43
credit under section 122.852 of the Revised Code.	44
The following table indicates whether certain goods and	45
services qualify as eligible expenditures when acquired by a	46
production company for the purposes described in this division.	47
The purchase or rental of a good or service not listed in the	48

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table may still qualify as an eligible expenditure if such

purchase or rental meets the requirements of this division.

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A <u>DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURES</u>

B Story and rights
Yes, if acquired from a registered business

C <u>WRITING EXPENDITURES</u>

D Writers Yes, if the writer is an

individual who is a resident, as

defined by section 5747.01 of the

Revised Code, and the production

company submits with the report

required by division (D) of this

section an affidavit by which

that individual attests that the

writing services for which the

writer was compensated by the

production company in connection

with the tax credit-eligible

production were performed in this

<u>state</u>

E Story editors Yes

F Research Yes, if acquired from a registered business

G	<u>Secretaries</u>	<u>Yes</u>
Н	Script printing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
I	PRODUCER AND STAFF EXPENDITURES	
J	Executive producers	<u>Yes</u>
K	Line producers	<u>Yes</u>
L	Associate producers	<u>Yes</u>
М	Other producers	<u>Yes</u>
N	<u>Secretaries</u>	<u>Yes</u>
0	<u>Assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
Р	<u>Purchases and supplies</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
Q	<u>Entertainment</u>	<u>No</u>
R	DIRECTOR AND STAFF EXPENDITURES	
S	<u>Directors</u>	<u>Yes</u>
T	<u>Dialogue coaches</u>	<u>Yes</u>
U	<u>Secretaries</u>	<u>Yes</u>
V	<u>Choreographers</u>	<u>Yes</u>

<u>Yes</u>

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<u>Assistants</u>

X	Vehicle per diem or allowance	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
Y	<u>Purchases and supplies</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
Z	Director assistant computers	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
AA	Director office rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
AB	Entertainment per diem or allowance	<u>No</u>
AC	TALENT EXPENDITURES	
AD	Principal cast	<u>Yes</u>
AE	<u>Supporting cast</u>	<u>Yes</u>
AF	Day players	<u>Yes</u>
AG	Residuals	<u>No</u>
АН	Weekly players	<u>Yes</u>
AI	Stunt coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
AJ	<u>Stunts</u>	<u>Yes</u>
AK	Looping and expenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
AL	<u>Casting directors</u>	<u>Yes</u>

AM	<u>Casting assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
AN	<u>Casting office expenses</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
AO	TRAVEL AND LIVING EXPENDITURES	
AP	Producer travel	<u>Yes</u>
AQ	Producer's assistants travel	<u>Yes</u>
AR	Director travel	<u>Yes</u>
AS	Director's assistants travel	<u>Yes</u>
AT	Talent travel	<u>Yes</u>
AU	Talent travel per diem	<u>No</u>
AV	PRODUCTION STAFF EXPENDITURES	
AW	<u>Production managers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
AX	<u>Production supervisors</u>	<u>Yes</u>
AY	First assistant directors	<u>Yes</u>
AZ	Second assistant directors and trainees	<u>Yes</u>
BA	Script supervisors	<u>Yes</u>
BB	Location managers	<u>Yes</u>
ВС	Assistant location managers and	<u>Yes</u>

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BD	Technology advisors	<u>Yes</u>
BE	Production coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
BF	Assistant production coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
BG	Production secretaries	<u>Yes</u>
ВН	Production accountants	<u>Yes</u>
BI	Assistant accountants	<u>Yes</u>
ВЈ	Payroll services	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
BK	Construction estimators	<u>Yes</u>
BL	<u>Production assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
BM	Script timing	<u>Yes</u>
BN	Production office coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
во	Production office assistants	<u>Yes</u>
BP	CAMERA EXPENDITURES	
ВQ	Directors of photography	<u>Yes</u>
BR	<u>Operators</u>	<u>Yes</u>
BS	Assistant camera operators	<u>Yes</u>
вт	Steadicam operators	<u>Yes</u>

BU	Still photographers	<u>Yes</u>
BV	Loaders	<u>Yes</u>
BW	<u>Purchases and supplies</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
BX	<u>Camera rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
BY	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
BZ	ART DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES	
CA	<u>Production designers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
СВ	Art directors and assistants	<u>Yes</u>
CC	<u>Set designers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
CD	<u>Illustrators</u>	<u>Yes</u>
CE	Storyboard artists	<u>Yes</u>
CF	<u>Production assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
CG	Blueprinting	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
СН	Stock units or backings	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
CI	<u>Purchases and supplies</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

CJ	Processing	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
CK	Research materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
CL	<u>Rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
СМ	Equipment	Yes, if acquired from a
	<u> </u>	registered business
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CN	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
CO	SET CONSTRUCTION EXPENDITURES	
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CP	Construction coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
СО	Construction forepersons	Yes
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CR	Stage set construction labor	<u>Yes</u>
CS	Stage set construction materials	Yes, if acquired from a
	purchase and rental	registered business
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CT	Location set construction materials	
	purchase and rental	registered business
CU	Stage set striking labor	<u>Yes</u>
CO	Stage Set Stilking labor	165
CV	Stage set striking materials	Yes, if acquired from a
	purchase and rental	registered business
CW	Location set construction labor	<u>Yes</u>

CX	<u>Set restoration</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
CY	Fold and hold sets	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
CZ	<u>Greens purchase</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
DA	Backings purchase and	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
DB	rental Trash removal	Yes, if acquired from a
DC	Scissor lifts and	registered business Yes, if acquired from a
	<u>forklifts</u>	<u>registered business</u>
DD	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
DE	<u>Construction expendables</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
DF	SPECIAL EFFECTS  EXPENDITURES	
DG	Special effects coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
DH	Special effects assistants	<u>Yes</u>
DI	Rig and strike	<u>Yes</u>

DJ	Manufacturing labor	<u>Yes</u>
DK	Manufacturing materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
DL	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
DM	Equipment rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
		registered business
DN	SET OPERATIONS  EXPENDITURES	
DO	Key grips	<u>Yes</u>
DP	All grips	<u>Yes</u>
DQ	<u>Craft service persons</u>	<u>Yes</u>
DR	Company greens persons	<u>Yes</u>
DS	Standby carpenters	<u>Yes</u>
DT	<u>Standby painters</u>	<u>Yes</u>
DU	Set watch and	<u>Yes</u>
	<u>firefighters</u>	
DV	First aid and expenses	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
DW	Medics	<u>Yes</u>
DX	Other crafts	Yes, if acquired from a

		registered business
DY	<pre>Heating and air conditioning</pre>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
DZ	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EA	<u>Grip expendables</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EB	Lumber	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EC	<u>Craft service purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ED	<u>Rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EE	Grip package	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EF	Truck package	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EG	Additional equipment	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ЕН	Helicopter rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ΕI	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>

EJ	ELECTRICAL EXPENDITURES	
EK	Chief lighting technicians	<u>Yes</u>
EL	Lighting assistants and technicians	<u>Yes</u>
EM	Rig and strike	<u>Yes</u>
EN	Generator operators	<u>Yes</u>
EO	<u>Generator assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
EP	Special equipment operators	<u>Yes</u>
EQ	Electric hookup	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ER	Current	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ES	Expendables, gels, and other purchases	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ET	Globes and carbons	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
EU	<u>Rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

EW	Stage package	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
EX	<u>Rigging package</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
	nigging puchage	registered business
EY	Additional equipment	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
ΕZ	Specialty lighting	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
FA	Generator rentals	Yes, if acquired from a
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FB	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
FC	SET DRESSING EXPENDITURES	
FD	<u>Set decorators</u>	Ye <u>s</u>
FE	Lead persons and buyers	<u>Yes</u>
FF	<u>Kit rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
EC.	Sat dragging labor	Voc
FG	<u>Set dressing labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
FH	Drapery and carpet	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
FI	Loss, damage, and	Yes, if acquired from a
	cleaning	registered business
FJ	Manufacturing and	Voc if against form
ΓU	Manufacturing and	Yes, if acquired from a

	<u>materials</u>	<u>registered business</u>
FK	Set dress purchases and materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FL	<u>Fixtures</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FM	<u>Rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FN	<u>All set rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FO	Box rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FP	Research	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FQ	Film processing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FR	Expendables	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
FS	ACTION PROPS EXPENDITURES	
FT	Prop masters	<u>Yes</u>
FU	Assistant prop masters and labor	<u>Yes</u>
FV	<u>Kit rental</u>	Yes, if acquired from a

		registered business
FW	Manufacturing, materials,	Yes, if acquired from a
	and labor	registered business
FX	<u>Purchases and rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
FY	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
FZ	Film processing	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
GA	Research	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
GB	<u>Expendables</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
GC	PICTURE VEHICLES AND	
	ANIMALS EXPENDITURES	
GD	Picture vehicle	Yes, if acquired from a
	manufacturing	registered business
GE	Mechanics	<u>Yes</u>
GF	<u>Animals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
GG	Wranglers and handlers	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
GH	Feeding and stabling	Yes, if acquired from a

#### registered business

		registered business
GI	SPECIAL PHOTOGRAPHY EXPENDITURES	
GJ	Process operating	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GK	Blue screen	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GL	Matte shots contact	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GM	Matte crew expenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GN	Animation	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GO	Miniature contact	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GP	Miniature expenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GQ	Computer graphics	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GR	Equipment rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
GS	EXTRA TALENT EXPENDITURES	

GT	<u>Stand-ins</u>	<u>Yes</u>
GU	<u>Casting commission</u>	<u>Yes</u>
GV	Studio extras	<u>Yes</u>
GW	Location extras	<u>Yes</u>
GX	Non-union extras	<u>Yes</u>
GY	Sideline musicians	<u>Yes</u>
GZ	<u>Fittings</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НА	<u>Wardrobe</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НВ	Atmosphere cars	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НС	Casting fees and fringes	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HD	<u>Instant cameras</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HE	Telephone and office  expenditures	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HF	WARDROBE EXPENDITURES	
HG	<u>Costume designers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
НН	Designer staff	<u>Yes</u>

HI	Wardrobe labor	<u>Yes</u>
НJ	Costumers and assistants	<u>Yes</u>
HK	Cleaning and dyeing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HL	<u>Kit rental</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НМ	Alterations and repairs	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HN	Allowance for use of personal wardrobe	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НО	<u>Purchases and rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НР	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
НQ	Research	Yes, if acquired from a
HR	<u>Expendables</u>	registered business  Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HS	Washing machine and dryer	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
НТ	Shop set-up	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
HU	<u>Instant camera</u>	Yes, if acquired from a

		registered business
HV	MAKEUP AND HAIRDRESSING EXPENDITURES	
HW	Makeup artists	<u>Yes</u>
НХ	<u>Key makeup</u>	<u>Yes</u>
НҮ	Additional makeup artists	<u>Yes</u>
ΗZ	Additional hairstylists	<u>Yes</u>
IA	Makeup and hairdressing supplies	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IB	Chair rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IC	Wigs purchase or rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ID	<u>Appliances</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ΙE	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
IF	SOUND PRODUCTION  EXPENDITURES	
IG	<u>Mixers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
ΙH	Boom operators	<u>Yes</u>
II	Additional sound labor	<u>Yes</u>

IJ	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IK	Rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IL	Sound package	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IM	Additional equipment	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IN	<u>Two-way radios</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IO	<u>Beepers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IP	Box rentals	<u>Yes</u>
IQ	LOCATION EXPENDITURES	
IR	Site fees and rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
IS	Police, firefighters, and watch persons	<u>Yes</u>
IT	<u>Set security</u>	<u>Yes</u>
IU	Scouting	<u>Yes</u>
IV	<u>Travel fares</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

IW	Airfare rates	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
IX	<u>Hotels</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
IY	Per diem	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
ΙZ	<u>Meals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JA	Extra catering	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JB	Off production	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JC	<u>Catering assistants</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JD	Entertainment and	Yes, if acquired from a
	gratuities	registered business
JE	Film shipping	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JF	Shipping negative	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JG	Baggage and equipment	Yes, if acquired from a
	shipping	registered business
JH	<u>Mileage</u>	<u>No</u>

JI	Parking	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JJ	<u>Location restoration</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JK	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JL	Office supplies and	Yes, if acquired from a
	equipment	registered business
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JM	<u>Rentals</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JN	Office space in this	Yes, if acquired from a
	state	registered business
JO	<u>Utilities</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JP	Cleaning	Yes, if acquired from a
-		registered business
JQ	Art department offices	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JR	Set decoration and props	Yes, if acquired from a
	warehouses	registered business
JS	Construction mills	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
JT	<u>Postage</u>	Yes, if acquired from a

		<u>registered business</u>
JU	Phone system installation	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
JV	Phone charges	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
JW	Mobile phone charges	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
JX	Office equipment rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
JY	Information technology services	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
JZ	VIDEOTAPE EXPENDITURES	
KA	Supervision	<u>Yes</u>
KB	Technical directors	<u>Yes</u>
KC	<u>Video operators</u>	<u>Yes</u>
KD	<u>Video recordists</u>	<u>Yes</u>
KE	Additional labor	<u>Yes</u>
KF	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
KG	Supplies	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

KH	Rentals Newscars	Yes, if acquired from a
1111	<u></u>	registered business
ΚI	<u>Video assist package</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
KJ	<u>Video transfers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
KK	Video editing	Yes, if acquired from a
1111	video Gaiting	registered business
KL	<u>Video contact</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
KM	TRANSPORTATION EXPENDITURES	
KN	Transportation coordinators	<u>Yes</u>
KO	<u>Captains</u>	<u>Yes</u>
KP	Studio drivers	<u>Yes</u>
KQ	Location drivers	<u>Yes</u>
KR	<u>Maintenance</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
KS	Repairs	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
KT	<u>Car washes</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
	<u> </u>	registered business
KU	<u>Pickup services</u>	Yes, if acquired from a

		registered business
KV	<u>Taxis</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
KW	<u>Car pickups</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
KX	Motor fuel	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
KY	Oil	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
KZ	Tolls and road permits	Yes, only for travel in this state
LA	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LB	Honey wagon supplies	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LC	Studio vehicles	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LD	Location vehicles	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LE	<u>Cranes</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LF	<u>Insert vehicles</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

LG	Camera vehicles	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
LH	FILM AND LAB EXPENDITURES	
LI	Raw stock	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LJ	<u>Camera stabilizer mounts</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LK	Negative development	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LL	Positive printing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LM	Sound tape	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LN	Sound transfers	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LO	<u>Video cassette dailies</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LP	Film transfers	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LQ	<u>Instant cameras</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LR	FACILITY EXPENDITURES	

LS	Studio telephone installation	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LT	Studio phone charges	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LU	Post phone charges	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LV	<u>Messengers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LW	Outside facilities	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LX	Stage use or licensing agreements	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LY	Stage security	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
LZ	Prep or strike	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MA	Shoot	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MB	<u>Power</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MC	Back lot rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MD	Dressing room rental	Yes, if acquired from a

		registered business
ME	Parking space rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MF	Prep parking	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MG	Shoot parking	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
МН	Other studio facilities	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MI	Studio personnel charges	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MJ	<u>Dumpsters</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MK	Cleaning	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ML	<u>Information technology services</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MM	SECOND UNIT EXPENDITURES	
MN	Second unit director labor	<u>Yes</u>
МО	Second unit director materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
MP	<u>Cast talent labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>

MO	Cast talent materials	Yes, if acquired from a
~		registered business
MR	Production staff labor	<u>Yes</u>
MS	Production staff materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
МТ	<u>Camera labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
MU	<u>Camera materials</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
MV	Art department labor	<u>Yes</u>
MW	Art department materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
MX	Construction labor	<u>Yes</u>
MY	Construction materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
MZ	Special effects labor	<u>Yes</u>
NA	Special effects materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
NB	<u>Set operations labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
NC	<u>Set operations materials</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
ND	Electrical labor	<u>Yes</u>

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NE	Electrical materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
		registered business
NF	<u>Set dressing labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
NG	<u>Set dressing materials</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
NG	Set dressing materials	registered business
		<u> </u>
NH	Props labor	<u>Yes</u>
NI	Props materials	Yes, if acquired from a
	<u></u>	registered business
NJ	Picture vehicles and animals labor	<u>Yes</u>
NK	Picture vehicles and animals	Yes, if acquired from a
	<u>materials</u>	registered business
NL	Extras labor	<u>Yes</u>
NM	Extras materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
NN	<u>Wardrobe labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
NO	Wardrobe materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
ND	Mahawa and hain laban	V
NP	Makeup and hair labor	<u>Yes</u>
NQ	Makeup and hair materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
NR	Sound labor	Vas
141/	Dound Tabor	<u>Yes</u>

NS	Sound materials	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
NT	Location labor	<u>Yes</u>
NU	Location materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
NV	<u>Video tape labor</u>	<u>Yes</u>
NW	<u>Video tape materials</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
NX	Transportation labor	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
NY	Transportation materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
NZ	Raw stock development labor	<u>Yes</u>
OA	Raw stock development materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
OB	Postproduction labor	<u>Yes</u>
OC	Postproduction materials	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
OD	SPECIAL UNIT EXPENDITURES	
OE	<u>Talent</u>	<u>Yes</u>
OF	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Yes</u>

### OG Labor <u>Yes</u> OH <u>Transportation</u> Yes, if acquired from a registered business OI <u>Contracts</u> Yes, if acquired from a registered business OJ Locations Yes, if acquired from a registered business OK Raw stock development Yes, if acquired from a registered business OL <u>Purchases</u> Yes, if acquired from a registered business OM <u>Rentals</u> Yes, if acquired from a registered business ON Miscellaneous expenses Yes, if acquired from a registered business 00 POSTPRODUCTION EDITING AND PROJECTION EXPENDITURES OP <u>Film editors</u> <u>Yes</u> OQ <u>Assistant film editors</u> <u>Yes</u> OR <u>Conforming</u> <u>Yes</u> OS Postproduction supervisors Yes OT Projectionists Yes

OU	Coding and miscellaneous editorial	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
OV	Sound effects editing	<u>Yes</u>
OW	Automated dialogue replacement editing	<u>Yes</u>
OX	<u>Production assistants</u>	<u>Yes</u>
OY	Negative cutting	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
ΟZ	Music editors	<u>Yes</u>
PA	Postage and shipments	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
PB	Local messengers	<u>Yes</u>
PC	Living expenses paid by employer	<u>Yes</u>
PD	<u>Continuity expenses</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
PE	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
PF	<u>Expendables</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
PG	Rentals	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
PH	Editorial room rentals	Yes, if acquired from a

## registered business PI Editor equipment Yes, if acquired from a registered business PJ Bins, sync, and racks Yes, if acquired from a registered business PK Non-linear editing systems Yes, if acquired from a registered business Equipment delivery and pickup PLYes, if acquired from a registered business PM Sound editors rooms Yes, if acquired from a registered business PN <u>Music editors rooms</u> Yes, if acquired from a registered business PO Other equipment Yes, if acquired from a registered business PΡ POSTPRODUCTION MUSIC EXPENDITURES Yes, if acquired from a PO Clearances registered business PR <u>Writers</u> Yes, if the writer is an individual who is a resident, as defined by section 5747.01 of the Revised Code, and the production company submits with the report

required by division (D) of this

section an affidavit by which
that individual attests that the
writing services for which the
writer was compensated by the
production company in connection
with the tax credit-eligible
production were performed in this
state

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		production were performed in this
		<u>state</u>
PS	Composers	<u>Yes</u>
PΤ	Supervisors	<u>Yes</u>
DII	Tunnon go ng	Voc
PU	<u>Arrangers</u>	<u>Yes</u>
PV	<u>Copyists</u>	Yes_
		<del></del>
PW	Pre-score musicians	<u>Yes</u>
PX	<u>Underscore musicians</u>	<u>Yes</u>
ΡY	Star vocalists	You
ΓI	Star VOCATISES	<u>Yes</u>
PΖ	<u>Vocalists</u>	<u>Yes</u>
QA	Music editing	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
QΒ	Living expenses paid by employer	<u>Yes</u>
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QC	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
$\Omega$	Cassattas	Vas if acquired from a

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		registered business
QE	Rental and cartage	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QF	POSTPRODUCTION SOUND EXPENDITURES	
QG	<u>Dubbing stages</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QH	Temporary dubbing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QI	Preliminary dubbing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QJ	Final dubbing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QK	Post preview sessions	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QL	Foreign music and effects	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QM	Digital theater systems	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QN	Overtime and weekend pay	<u>Yes</u>
QO	Automated dialogue replacement stages	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QP	Foley effects recording	Yes, if acquired from a

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		registered business
QQ	<u>Walkers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QR	<u>Video transfers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QS	<u>Tape transfers</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QT	Dubbing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QU	Living expenses paid by employer	<u>Yes</u>
QV	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QW	Equipment rental	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QX	Spectral recording cards	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QY	Digital theater system fees	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
QZ	<u>Licensing fees</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RA	Spectral recording licenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

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RB	Digital theater system licenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RC	Digital audio encoding system licenses	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RD	POSTPRODUCTION FILM AND STOCK SHOTS EXPENDITURES	_
RE	Film leader	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RF	Stock shot purchases	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RG	Stock shot labor	<u>Yes</u>
RH	Stock shot film and processing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RI	Reprints	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RJ	Lab special handling	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RK	<u>Video cassettes and tape</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RL	Reversal dupes	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RM	Tape purchases	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

RN	Optical sound track	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RO	Reference prints	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RP	<u>Protection dupes</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RQ	<u>Composite prints</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RR	<u>Laboratory overtime</u>	<u>Yes</u>
RS	Negative splicing	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RT	Answer prints	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RU	Check prints	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RV	<u>Interpositives</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RW	<u>Protection master</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RX	Master positive	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
RY	POSTPRODUCTION VISUAL EFFECTS  EXPENDITURES	

RZ	<u>Visual effects supervisors</u>	<u>Yes</u>
SA	<u>Miniatures</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
SB	Wire removal	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
SC	<u>Mattes</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
SD	<u>Purchases</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
SE	<u>Miscellaneous expenses</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
SF	POSTPRODUCTION TITLE, OPTICAL, AND INSERT EXPENDITURES	
SF SG		Yes, if acquired from a registered business
	INSERT EXPENDITURES	
SG	INSERT EXPENDITURES  Main and end titles	registered business
SG	INSERT EXPENDITURES  Main and end titles  Title designers	registered business  Yes  Yes, if acquired from a

SL	Optical development	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
SM	INSURANCE EXPENDITURES	
SN	<u>Cast insurance</u>	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
SO	Negative insurance	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
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SP	Extra expenses	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
SQ	Marine and aircraft insurance	Yes, if acquired from a
		registered business
SR	Bonding	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
SS	UNIT PUBLICITY EXPENDITURES	
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ST	Unit publicists	<u>Yes</u>
SU	Publicity contracts	Yes, if acquired from a
		<u>registered business</u>
SV	Outside photographers	<u>Yes</u>
SW	Stills film and processing for	Yes, if acquired from a
	shoot	registered business
037	CENEDAL EVERNETHUSES	
SX	GENERAL EXPENDITURES	
SY	Motion Picture Association of	<u>No</u>

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SZ	Work order transfers	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TA	<u>Legal fees</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TB	Bank and exchange costs	<u>No</u>
TC	<u>Professional fees</u>	<u>No</u>
TD	Accounting and audit expenditures	Yes, if paid to an independent certified public accountant certified, or an accounting firm registered under Chapter 4701. of the Revised Code
TE	Studio entertainment	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TF	Bank interest	<u>No</u>
TG	<u>Preview expenses</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TH	<u>Previews</u>	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TI	Office purchases	Yes, if acquired from a registered business
TJ	Computers and software	Yes, if acquired from a registered business

# TK Office space rental Yes, if acquired from a registered business TL Post office Yes, if acquired from a registered business TM Office equipment rental Yes, if acquired from a registered business TNInformation technology services Yes, if acquired from a registered business TO Post office equipment Yes, if acquired from a registered business Compliance with state and federal Yes, if acquired from a ΤP workplace safety regulations registered business TO FRINGE EXPENDITURES TR Studio fringes Yes TS Health and welfare Yes TTPension <u>Yes</u> TU Local hire fringes <u>Yes</u> TV Accrued holiday and vacation <u>Yes</u> TWEmployee portion of payments <u>Yes</u> required by Federal Insurance Contribution Act, 26 U.S.C. 21 TX Workers' compensation payments Yes

TY	<u>Union dues</u>	<u>Yes</u>
ΤZ	Meal penalties	<u>Yes</u>
UA	Retroactive pay	<u>No</u>
UB	Employer taxes	<u>No</u>
UC	State and federal unemployment insurance	<u>Yes</u>

(5) "Motion picture" means entertainment content created 52 in whole or in part within this state for distribution or 53 exhibition to the general public, including, but not limited to, 54 feature-length films; documentaries; long-form, specials, 55 miniseries, series, and interstitial television programming; 56 interactive web sites; sound recordings; videos; music videos; 57 interactive television; interactive games; video games; 58 commercials; any format of digital media; and any trailer, 59 pilot, video teaser, or demo created primarily to stimulate the 60 sale, marketing, promotion, or exploitation of future investment 61 in either a product or a motion picture by any means and media 62 in any digital media format, film, or videotape, provided the 63 motion picture qualifies as a motion picture. "Motion picture" 64 does not include any television program created primarily as 65 news, weather, or financial market reports, a production 66 featuring current events or sporting events, an awards show or 67 other gala event, a production whose sole purpose is 68 fundraising, a long-form production that primarily markets a 69 product or service or in-house corporate advertising or other 70 similar productions, a production for purposes of political 71 advocacy, or any production for which records are required to be 72 maintained under 18 U.S.C. 2257 with respect to sexually 73

explicit content.	74
(6) "Broadway theatrical production" means a prebroadway	75
production, long run production, or tour launch that is	76
directed, managed, and performed by a professional cast and crew	77
and that is directly associated with New York city's broadway	78
theater district.	79
(7) "Prebroadway production" means a live stage production	80
that is scheduled for presentation in New York city's broadway	81
theater district after the original or adaptive version is	82
performed in a qualified production facility.	83
(8) "Long run production" means a live stage production	84
that is scheduled to be performed at a qualified production	85
facility for more than five or more weeks, with an average of at	86
least six performances per week.	87
(9) "Tour launch" means a live stage production for which	88
the activities comprising the technical period are conducted at	89
a qualified production facility before a tour of the original or	90
adaptive version of the production begins.	91
(10) "Qualified production facility" means a facility	92
located in this state that is used in the development or	93
presentation to the public of theater productions.	94
(11) "Registered business" means an individual,	95
corporation, pass-through entity, as defined in section 5733.04	96
of the Revised Code, or other form of business association that	97
has filed articles of incorporation or any other documents or	98
applications with the secretary of state as established in	99
section 111.16, 1329.01, 1701.04, or elsewhere in the Revised	100
Code as a condition precedent to engaging in business in this	101
state.	102

$\frac{B}{B}$ (B) (1) For the purpose of encouraging and developing	103
strong film and theater industries in this state, the director	104
of development may certify a motion picture or broadway	105
theatrical production produced in whole or in part in this state	106
by a production company as a tax credit-eligible production. In	107
the case of a television series, the director may certify the	108
production of each episode of the series as a separate tax	109
credit-eligible production. A production company shall apply for	110
certification of a motion picture or broadway theatrical	111
production as a tax credit-eligible production on a form and in	112
the manner prescribed by the director. Each application shall	113
include the following information:	114
$\frac{(1)-(a)}{(a)}$ The name and telephone number of the production	115
company;	116
(2) (b) The name and telephone number of the company's	117
contact person;	118
$\frac{(3)}{(c)}$ A list of the first preproduction date through the	119
last production and postproduction dates in Ohio and, in the	120
case of a broadway theatrical production, a list of each	121
scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;	122
$\frac{(4)-(d)}{(d)}$ The Ohio production office or qualified production	123
facility address and telephone number;	124
ractife, address and telephone number,	121
(5) (e) The total production budget;	125
$\frac{(6)-(f)}{(f)}$ The total budgeted eligible expenditures and the	126
percentage that amount is of the total production budget of the	127
motion picture or broadway theatrical production;	128
(7) (c) To the core of a motion sinture the total	100
(7) (g) In the case of a motion picture, the total	129
percentage of the production being shot in Ohio;	130

(8)—(h) The level of employment of cast and crew who	131
reside in Ohio;	132
(9)—(i) A synopsis of the script;	133
(10) (j) In the case of a motion picture, the shooting	134
script;	135
(11) (k) A creative elements list that includes the names	136
of the principal cast and crew and the producer and director;	137
(12) _(1) _Documentation of financial ability to undertake	138
and complete the motion picture or broadway theatrical	139
production, including documentation that shows that the company	140
has secured funding, other than the estimated value of the tax	141
<pre>credit, equal to at least fifty per cent of the total production</pre>	142
budget;	143
(13) (m) Estimated value of the tax credit based upon	144
total budgeted eligible expenditures;	145
total budgeted eligible expenditures,	140
(14) (n) Estimated amount of short-term expenditures or	146
long-term investments in this state to be generated by the	147
<pre>production that would not otherwise occur;</pre>	148
(o) Estimated amount of state and local taxes to be	149
generated in this state from the production;	150
(15) (p) Estimated economic impact of the production in	151
this state as a whole and in any community in this state in	152
which the budgeted eligible expenditures have been or will be	153
<pre>incurred;</pre>	154
(16) (q) Any other information considered necessary by the	155
director.	156
(2) The director of development shall not certify a motion	157

picture or broadway theatrical production as a tax credit-	158
	159
eligible production unless the director determines that the	
production is likely to have a positive economic impact in this	160
state as a whole or in any community in this state in which the	161
production company's budgeted eligible expenditures have been or	162
will be incurred, demonstrated either through short-term	163
expenditures or long-term investments that would not have	164
otherwise occurred or by generating an increase in state and	165
<pre>local tax collections.</pre>	166
(3) Within ninety days after certification of a motion	167
picture or broadway theatrical production as a tax credit-	168
eligible production, and any time thereafter upon the request of	169
the director, the production company shall present to the	170
director sufficient evidence of reviewable progress. If the	171
production company fails to present sufficient evidence, the	172
director may rescind the certification. If the production of a	173
motion picture or broadway theatrical production does not begin	174
within ninety days after the date it is certified as a tax	175
credit-eligible production, the director shall rescind the	176
certification unless the director finds that the production	177
company shows good cause for the delay, meaning that the	178
production was delayed due to unforeseeable circumstances beyond	179
the production company's control or due to action or inaction by	180
a government agency. Upon rescission, the director shall notify	181
the applicant production company that the certification has been	182
rescinded. Nothing in this section prohibits an applicant a	183
production company whose tax credit-eligible production	184
certification has been rescinded from submitting a subsequent	185
application for certification of the same motion picture or	186
broadway theatrical production. For the purpose of division (B)	187
(3) of this section, production of a broadway theatrical	188

production begins on the date the production is first performed	189
in a qualified production facility identified in the	190
application.	191
(C)(1) A production company whose Upon completion of a	192
motion picture or broadway theatrical production has been that	193
is certified as a tax credit-eligible production, the production	194
<pre>company may apply to the director of development on or after</pre>	195
July 1, 2009, for a refundable credit against the tax imposed by	196
section 5726.02, 5733.06, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised	197
Code. The director in consultation with the tax commissioner	198
shall prescribe the form and manner of the application and the	199
information or documentation required to be submitted with the	200
application.	201
(2) The condition of the late of the determined on fallows.	200
(2) The credit is amount shall be determined as follows:	202
(a) If the total budgeted eligible expenditures stated in	203
the application submitted under division (B) of this section or	204
the actual eligible expenditures as finally determined under	205
division (D) of this section, whichever is least, is less than	206
or equal to three hundred thousand dollars, no credit is	207
allowed;	208
(b) If the total budgeted eligible expenditures stated in	209
the application submitted under division (B) of this section or	210
the actual eligible expenditures as finally determined under	211
division (D) of this section, whichever is least, is greater	212
than three hundred thousand dollars, the credit equals thirty	213
per cent of the least of such budgeted or actual eligible	214
expenditure amounts.	215
(2) Except as provided in division (C)(4) of this section,	216
(2) Except as provided in division (c) (4) or this section,	215

(3) If the director of development approves a production	218
company's application for a credit, the director shall issue a	219
tax credit certificate to the company. The director in	220
consultation with the tax commissioner shall prescribe the form	221
and manner of issuing certificates. The director shall assign a	222
unique identifying number to each tax credit certificate and	223
shall record the certificate in a register devised and	224
maintained by the director for that purpose. The certificate	225
shall state the amount of the eligible expenditures on which the	226
credit is based and the amount of the credit. Upon the issuance	227
of a certificate, the director shall certify to the tax	228
commissioner the name of the production company to which the	229
certificate was issued, the amount of eligible expenditures	230
shown on the certificate, the amount of the credit, and any	231
other information required by the rules adopted to administer	232
this section.	233
$\frac{(3)}{(4)}$ The amount of eligible expenditures for which a tax	234
credit may be claimed is subject to inspection and examination	235
by the tax commissioner or employees of the commissioner under	236
section 5703.19 of the Revised Code and any other applicable	237
law. Once the eligible expenditures are finally determined under	238
section 5703.19 of the Revised Code and division (D) of this	239
section, the credit amount is not subject to adjustment unless	240
the director determines an error was committed in the	241
computation of the credit amount.	242
(4) (5) The director of development shall accept, review,	243
and approve tax credit applications on a continuing basis. No	244
tax credit certificate may be issued before the completion of	245
the tax credit-eligible production. Not more than forty million	246
dollars of tax credit may be allowed per fiscal year provided	247

that, for any fiscal year in which the amount of tax credits-

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allowed under this section is less than that maximum annual	249
amount, the amount not allowed for that fiscal year shall be-	250
added to the maximum annual amount that may be allowed for the	251
<del>following fiscal year.</del>	252
(5) The director chall review and approve applications for	253
(5) The director shall review and approve applications for	254
tax credits in two rounds each fiscal year. The first round of	
credits shall be awarded not later than the last day of July of	255
the fiscal year, and the second round of credits shall be	256
awarded not later than the last day of the ensuing January. The	257
amount of credits awarded in the first round of applications	258
each fiscal year shall not exceed twenty million dollars plus	259
any credit allotment that was not awarded in the preceding	260
fiscal year and carried over under division (C)(4) of this-	261
section. For each round, the director shall rank applications on	262
the basis of the extent of positive economic impact each tax-	263
credit eligible production is likely to have in this state and	264
the effect on developing a permanent workforce in motion picture	265
or theatrical production industries in the state. For the	266
purpose of such ranking, the director shall give priority to-	267
tax-credit eligible productions that are television series or-	268
miniseries due to the long term commitment typically associated	269
with such productions. The economic impact ranking shall be	270
based on the production company's total expenditures in this-	271
state directly associated with the tax credit eligible	272
production. The effect on developing a permanent workforce in	273
the motion picture or theatrical production industries shall be	274
evaluated first by the number of new jobs created and second by	275
amount of payroll added with respect to employees in this state.	276
The director shall approve productions in the order of	277
their ranking, from those with the greatest positive economic	278
impact and workforce development effect to those with the least	279
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positive economic impact and workforce development effect.	280
(D) (1) A production company whose motion picture or	281
broadway theatrical production has been certified as a tax	282
credit-eligible production shall engage, at the company's	283
expense, an independent certified public accountant to examine	284
the company's production, postproduction, and, in the case of a	285
broadway theatrical production, advertising and promotion	286
expenditures, to identify the expenditures that qualify as	287
eligible expenditures. The	288
(2) The certified public accountant shall issue a report	289
to the company and to the director of development <del>certifying</del>	290
that includes all of the following:	291
(a) The amount of the company's actual eligible	292
expenditures and any other information;	293
(b) Completed copies of all accounting and auditing forms	294
required by the director in connection with the tax credit-	295
eligible production;	296
(c) Certification that, to the extent required by division	297
(A) (4) of this section, all persons to which the production	298
company paid amounts reported as eligible expenditures are	299
registered businesses;	300
(d) An itemized review of all contract and expense items	301
of ten thousand dollars or more that are reported as eligible	302
<pre>expenditures;</pre>	303
(e) An itemized review of at least one-half of the	304
contract and expense items of less than ten thousand dollars	305
that are reported as eligible expenditures, both in terms of the	306
total number of such contracts and items and the total amount of	307
eligible expenditures reported for such contracts and items:	308

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(f) Certification that all eligible expenditures were	309
incurred on or after the date that the motion picture or	310
broadway theatrical production was certified as a tax credit-	311
eligible production and on or before the date the production was	312
<pre>complete;</pre>	313
(g) Certification that all goods and services reported as	314
eligible expenditures were purchased and consumed in this state.	315
<del>Upon</del>	316
(3) Upon receiving and examining the report, the director	317
may disallow any expenditure the director determines is not an	318
eligible expenditure. If the director disallows an expenditure,	319
the director shall issue a written notice to the production	320
company stating that the expenditure is disallowed and the	321
reason for the disallowance. Upon examination of the report and	322
disallowance of any expenditures, the director shall determine	323
finally the lesser of the total budgeted eligible expenditures	324
stated in the application submitted under division (B) of this	325
section or the actual eligible expenditures for the purpose of	326
computing the amount of the credit.	327
(E) No credit shall be allowed under section 5726.55,	328
5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code unless the	329
director has reviewed the report and made the determination	330
prescribed by division (D) of this section.	331
(F) A certificate owner may transfer all or part of a tax	332
credit authorized by this section to any other person. To	333
effectuate the transfer, the transferor must notify the tax	334
commissioner, in writing, that the transferor is transferring	335
the right to claim all or part of the credit. The transferor	336
shall identify in that notification the certificate number, the	337
name and tax identification number of the transferee, the amount	338

of credit sold or transferred to the transferee, and, if	339
applicable, the amount of credit retained by the transferor. The	340
transferee may claim the amount of credit received under this	341
division pursuant to and in the manner required under section	342
5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code.	343
Any person to which a credit has been transferred under	344
this division may transfer the right to claim all or part of the	345
transferred credit amount to any other person, in the same	346
manner prescribed by this division for the initial transfer,	347
including that any such transfer be reported by the transferor	348
to the tax commissioner as described in this division.	349
(G) This state reserves the right to refuse the use of	350
this state's name in the credits of any tax credit-eligible	351
motion picture production or program of any broadway theatrical	352
production.	353
$\frac{(G)(1)-(H)(1)}{(H)(1)}$ The director of development in consultation	354
with the tax commissioner shall adopt rules for the	355
administration of this section, including rules setting forth	356
and governing the criteria for determining whether a motion	357
picture or broadway theatrical production is a tax credit-	358
eligible production; activities that constitute the production	359
or postproduction of a motion picture or broadway theatrical	360
production; reporting sufficient evidence of reviewable	361
progress; expenditures that qualify as eligible expenditures; $rac{a-}{}$	362
schedule and deadlines for applications to be submitted and	363
reviewed; a competitive process for approving credits based on-	364
likely economic impact in this state and development of a	365
permanent workforce in motion picture or theatrical production-	366
industries in this state; consideration of geographic	367
distribution of credits; and implementation of the program	368

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described in division $\frac{\text{(H)}}{\text{(I)}}$ of this section. The rules shall	369
be adopted under Chapter 119. of the Revised Code.	370
(2) To cover the administrative costs of the program, the	371
director shall require each applicant to pay an application fee	372
equal to the lesser of ten thousand dollars or one per cent of	373
the estimated value of the tax credit as stated in the	374
application. The fees collected shall be credited to the tax	375
incentives operating fund created in section 122.174 of the	376
Revised Code. All grants, gifts, fees, and contributions made to	377
the director for marketing and promotion of the motion picture	378
industry within this state shall also be credited to the fund.	379
(H) (3) The director of development shall create forms for	380
the applications described in divisions (B) and (C) of this	381
section and publish those forms on the web site of the	382
department of development. The director shall create and publish	383
separate forms for motion pictures and for broadway theatrical	384
productions.	385
(I) The director of development shall establish a program	386
for the training of Ohio residents who are or wish to be	387
employed in the film or multimedia industry. Under the program,	388
the director shall:	389
(1) Certify individuals as film and multimedia trainees.	390
In order to receive such a certification, an individual must be	391
an Ohio resident, have participated in relevant on-the-job	392
training or have completed a relevant training course approved	393
by the director, and have met any other requirements established	394
by the director.	395
(2) Accept applications from production companies that	396
intend to hire and provide on-the-job training to one or more	397

certified film and multimedia trainees who will be employed in	398
the company's tax credit-eligible production-;	399
(3) Upon completion of a tax-credit eligible production,	400
and upon the receipt of any salary information and other	401
documentation required by the director, authorize a	402
reimbursement payment to each production company whose	403
application was approved under division $\frac{(H)(2)-(I)(2)}{(I)(2)}$ of this	404
section. The payment shall equal fifty per cent of the salaries	405
paid to film and multimedia trainees employed in the production.	406
Sec. 122.852. (A) As used in this section:	407
(1) "Capital improvement project" means a project that	408
consists of acquiring, constructing, rehabilitating, repairing,	409
redeveloping, expanding, or improving facilities located, or	410
equipment used in this state for production and postproduction	411
of motion pictures or broadway theatrical productions.	412
(2) "Qualified expenditures" means expenditures incurred	413
by a production company after June 30, 2023, for goods and	414
services purchased and consumed directly for a capital	415
<pre>improvement project. "Qualified expenditures" include accounting</pre>	416
or auditing expenditures incurred in connection with the report	417
required by division (F) of this section if paid to an	418
independent certified public accountant certified, or an	419
accounting firm registered under Chapter 4701. of the Revised	420
Code. "Qualified expenditures" do not include eligible	421
expenditures for which a production company received a tax	422
credit under section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	423
(3) "Certificate owner" means a production company to	424
which a tax credit certificate is issued under division (H) of	425
this section or a person to which all or part of a tax credit is	426

transferred under division (I) of this section.	427
(4) "Production company," "eligible expenditures," "motion	428
picture," and "broadway theatrical production" have the same	429
meanings as in section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	430
(B) For the purpose of encouraging and developing strong	431
film and theater industries in this state, the director of	432
development may award a refundable credit against the tax	433
imposed by section 5726.02, 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised	434
Code to a production company that completes a capital	435
improvement project expected to have a positive economic impact	436
in this state as a whole, or in any community in this state in	437
which the facilities or equipment involved in the project are or	438
will be located. A production company may apply to the director	439
for a credit on a form and in the manner prescribed by rules	440
adopted under division (J) of this section. An application may	441
be submitted before, during, or after completion of the capital	442
improvement project and shall include all of the following	443
<pre>information:</pre>	444
(1) The name, address, telephone number, and taxpayer	445
identification number of the production company;	446
(2) A detailed description of the capital improvement	447
project including the location of the facilities or equipment	448
involved in the project and an explanation of how those	449
facilities or equipment are intended to be used in the	450
production or postproduction of motion pictures or broadway	451
theatrical productions in this state;	452
(3) (a) If the capital improvement project is complete at	453
the time the application is submitted, a schedule documenting	454
the progression of the project from its commencement to its	455

<pre>completion;</pre>	456
(b) If the capital improvement project is not complete at	457
the time the application is submitted, a schedule for the	458
progression, completion, and, if applicable, commencement of the	459
<pre>project.</pre>	460
(4) An estimate of the amount of the project's qualified	461
expenditures that have been or will be incurred by the	462
production company and, if the project is not complete at the	463
time the application is submitted, documentation of the	464
company's financial ability to complete the project, including	465
documentation that shows the company has secured funding, other	466
than the tax credit authorized by this section, equal to at	467
<pre>least fifty per cent of the total cost of the project;</pre>	468
(5) The estimated credit amount, which shall equal the	469
<u>lesser of five million dollars or twenty-five per cent of the</u>	470
<pre>production company's estimated qualified expenditures;</pre>	471
(6) The estimated economic impact of the capital	472
improvement project in this state as a whole, and in any	473
community in this state in which the facilities or equipment	474
involved in the project are or will be located;	475
(7) Any other information considered necessary by the	476
director.	477
(C) The director shall review, evaluate, and approve	478
applications in one round per fiscal year. For each round, the	479
director shall rank applications on the basis of the capital	480
improvement project's likely positive economic impact and effect	481
on developing a permanent workforce in motion picture or	482
theatrical production industries in the state as a whole, and in	483
any community in this state in which the facilities or equipment	484

involved in the project are or will be located. The effect on	485
developing a permanent workforce in the motion picture or	486
theatrical production industries shall be evaluated first by the	487
number of new jobs created and second by amount of payroll added	488
with respect to employees in this state. The director shall	489
approve applications in the order of their ranking, from those	490
with the greatest positive economic impact and workforce	491
development effect to those with the least positive economic	492
impact and workforce development effect. The director shall not	493
approve an application or issue a tax credit certificate for a	494
capital improvement project that is not likely to have a	495
positive economic impact or workforce development impact in	496
either the state as a whole, or any community in this state in	497
which the facilities or equipment involved in the project are or	498
will be located.	499
(D) The director shall not approve more than one hundred	500
million dollars in estimated tax credits per fiscal year	501
provided that, for any fiscal year in which the amount of	502
estimated credits approved under this section is less than the	503
maximum annual amount, the amount not approved for that fiscal	504
year shall be added to the maximum annual amount that may be	505
approved for the following fiscal year.	506
If the director rescinds approval of a capital improvement	507
project under division (E)(2) of this section, the estimated	508
credit amount attributed to that project shall be added back to	509
the maximum annual credit amount for that fiscal year. If the	510
actual credit amount computed under division (I) of this section	511
is less than the estimated credit amount approved by the	512
director, the difference shall be added back to the maximum	513
annual credit amount for that fiscal year.	514

(E) (1) Within ninety days after the director of	515
development approves a capital improvement project that was not	516
complete at the time of the production company's application,	517
the production company shall submit sufficient evidence of	518
reviewable progress to the director. The director may request	519
additional updates from the production company regarding the	520
progression of the project as often as the director considers	521
necessary until the project is complete or approval of the	522
project is rescinded. The production company shall respond to	523
each such request within thirty days.	524
(2) The director may rescind approval of a capital	525
improvement project if the production company fails to timely	526
submit evidence of reviewable progress or respond to the	527
director's request for a project update, as required by division	528
(E) (1) of this section, or if the director determines that the	529
progression of the project is significantly behind the schedule	530
submitted in the tax credit application. The director shall	531
rescind approval of a project that does not begin within ninety	532
days after the date the application is approved unless the	533
production company shows good cause for the delay, meaning that	534
the project was delayed due to unforeseeable circumstances	535
beyond the production company's control or due to action or	536
inaction by a government agency.	537
(3) The director shall notify the production company upon	538
rescinding approval of a capital improvement project. Nothing in	539
this section prohibits the production company from reapplying	540
for approval of the same capital improvement project.	541
(F)(1) A production company whose capital improvement	542
project is approved by the director of development shall engage,	543
at the company's expense, an independent certified public	544

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accountant to examine the company's qualified expenditures.	545
Within ninety days after the director approves the project or	546
within ninety days after a project approved by the director is	547
complete, whichever is later, the certified public accountant	548
shall issue a report to the company and to the director that	549
includes all of the following:	550
(a) The amount of the company's actual qualified	551
<pre>expenditures;</pre>	552
(b) Completed copies of all accounting and auditing forms	553
required by the director in connection with the capital	554
<pre>improvement project;</pre>	555
(c) An itemized review of all contract and expense items	556
of ten thousand dollars or more that are reported as qualified	557
<pre>expenditures;</pre>	558
(d) An itemized review of at least one-half of the	559
contract and expense items of less than ten thousand dollars	560
that are reported as qualified expenditures, both in terms of	561
the total number of such contracts and items and the total	562
amount of qualified expenditures reported for such contracts and	563
<pre>items;</pre>	564
(e) Certification that all goods and services reported as	565
qualified expenditures were purchased and consumed in this	566
state.	567
(2) Upon receiving and examining the report, the director	568
may disallow any expenditure the director determines is not a	569
qualified expenditure. If the director disallows an expenditure,	570
the director shall issue a written notice to the production	571
company stating that the expenditure is disallowed and the	572
reason for the disallowance. Upon examination of the report and	573

disallowance of any expenditures, the director shall determine	574
the production company's actual qualified expenditures for the	575
purpose of computing the amount of the credit.	576
(3) Qualified expenditures reported by the production	577
company are subject to inspection and examination by the tax	578
commissioner or employees of the commissioner under section	579
5703.19 of the Revised Code and any other applicable law. Once	580
the qualified expenditures are finally determined under section	581
5703.19 of the Revised Code and division (F)(2) of this section,	582
the credit amount is not subject to adjustment unless the	583
director determines an error was committed in the computation of	584
the credit amount.	585
(G) After reviewing the report and making the	586
determination prescribed by division (F) of this section, the	587
director of development shall issue a tax credit certificate to	588
the production company. The director, in consultation with the	589
tax commissioner, shall prescribe the form and manner of issuing	590
certificates. The director shall assign a unique identifying	591
number to each tax credit certificate and shall record the	592
certificate in a register devised and maintained by the director	593
for that purpose. The certificate shall state the amount of the	594
credit and the amount of the qualified expenditures upon which	595
the credit is based. Upon issuance of a certificate, the	596
director shall certify to the tax commissioner the name of the	597
production company to which the certificate was issued, the	598
amount of qualified expenditures shown on the certificate, the	599
amount of the credit, and any other information required by the	600
rules adopted to administer this section.	601
(H) The credit amount stated on the tax credit certificate	602
shall equal the lesser of the following:	603

(1) Twenty-five per cent of the production company's	604
actual qualified expenditures, as determined by the director of	605
development under division (F) of this section;	606
(2) The estimated credit amount specified in the	607
production company's tax credit application under division (B)	608
(5) of this section;	609
(3) Five million dollars.	610
(I) A certificate owner may transfer all or part of a tax	611
credit authorized by this section to any other person. To	612
effectuate the transfer, the transferor must notify the tax	613
commissioner, in writing, that the transferor is transferring	614
the right to claim all or part of the credit. The transferor	615
shall identify in that notification the certificate number, the	616
name and tax identification number of the transferee, the amount	617
of credit sold or transferred to the transferee, and, if	618
applicable, the amount of credit retained by the transferor. The	619
transferee may claim the amount of credit received under this	620
division pursuant to and in the manner required under section	621
5726.58, 5747.67, or 5751.55 of the Revised Code.	622
Any person to which a credit has been transferred under	623
this division may transfer the right to claim all or part of the	624
transferred credit amount to any other person, in the same	625
manner prescribed by this division for the initial transfer,	626
including that any such transfer be reported by the transferor	627
to the tax commissioner as described in this division.	628
(J) The director of development, in consultation with the	629
tax commissioner, shall adopt rules in accordance with Chapter	630
119. of the Revised Code for the administration of this section,	631
including rules setting forth and governing the criteria for	632

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reporting sufficient evidence of reviewable progress;	633
expenditures that are qualified expenditures; a schedule and	634
deadlines for applications to be submitted and reviewed; a	635
competitive process for approving credits based on likely	636
economic impact and development of a permanent workforce in	637
motion picture or theatrical production industries; and	638
consideration of geographic distribution of credits.	639
To cover the administrative costs of the program, the	640
director shall require each applicant to pay an application fee	641
equal to the lesser of ten thousand dollars or one per cent of	642
the estimated value of the tax credit as stated in the	643
application. The fees collected shall be credited to the tax	644
incentives operating fund created in section 122.174 of the	645
Revised Code.	646
Notwithstanding any provision of section 121.95 of the	647
Revised Code to the contrary, a regulatory restriction contained	648
in a rule adopted under this division is not subject to sections	649
121.95 to 121.953 of the Revised Code.	650
Sec. 5726.55. (A) Any term used in this section has the	651
same meaning as in section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	652
(B) A taxpayer may claim a refundable credit against the	653
tax imposed under this chapter for each person included in the	654
annual report of the taxpayer that is a certificate owner of a	655
tax credit certificate issued under section 122.85 of the	656
Revised Code. The credit shall be claimed for the taxable year	657
in which the certificate is issued by the director of	658
development—services. The credit amount equals the amount stated	659
in the certificate or the portion of that amount owned by the	660
certificate owner. The credit shall be claimed in the order	661
required under section 5726.98 of the Revised Code. If the	662

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credit amount exceeds the tax otherwise due under section	663
5726.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all other credits	664
preceding the credit in the order prescribed in section 5726.98	665
of the Revised Code, the excess shall be refunded to the	666
taxpayer.	667
(C) Nothing in this section shall allow a taxpayer to	668
claim more than one credit per tax credit-eligible production.	669
Sec. 5726.58. (A) Any term used in this section has the	670
same meaning as in section 122.852 of the Revised Code.	671
(B) A taxpayer may claim a refundable credit against the	672
tax imposed under this chapter for each person included in the	673
annual report of the taxpayer that is a certificate owner of a	674
tax credit certificate issued under section 122.852 of the	675
Revised Code. The credit shall be claimed for the taxable year	676
in which the certificate is issued by the director of	677
development. The credit amount equals the amount stated on the	678
certificate or the portion of that amount owned by the	679
certificate owner. The credit shall be claimed in the order	680
required under section 5726.98 of the Revised Code. If the	681
credit amount exceeds the tax otherwise due under section	682
5726.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all other credits	683
preceding the credit in the order prescribed in section 5726.98	684
of the Revised Code, the excess shall be refunded to the	685
taxpayer.	686
(C) Nothing in this section allows a taxpayer to claim	687
more than one credit per capital improvement project.	688
Sec. 5726.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	689
calculating the amount of tax due under section 5726.02 of the	690
Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits to which the	691

taxpayer is entitled under this chapter in the following order:	692
The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B)	693
of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code;	694
The nonrefundable credit for purchases of qualified low-	695
income community investments under section 5726.54 of the	696
Revised Code;	697
The nonrefundable credit for qualified research expenses	698
under section 5726.56 of the Revised Code;	699
The nonrefundable credit for qualifying dealer in	700
intangibles taxes under section 5726.57 of the Revised Code;	701
The refundable credit for rehabilitating an historic	702
building under section 5726.52 of the Revised Code;	703
The refundable job retention or job creation credit under	704
division (A) of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code;	705
The refundable credit under section 5726.53 of the Revised	706
Code for losses on loans made under the Ohio venture capital	707
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	708
The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical	709
production credit under section 5726.55 of the Revised Code;	710
The refundable credit for film and theater capital	711
improvement projects under section 5726.58 of the Revised Code.	712
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits	713
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a	714
taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any	715
other credit that precedes it in the order required under this	716
section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried	717
forward if authorized under the section creating that credit.	718

Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer	719
to claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a	720
taxable year.	721
Sec. 5733.59. (A) Any term used in this section has the	722
same meaning as in section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	723
(B) There is allowed a credit against the tax imposed by	724
section 5733.06 of the Revised Code for any corporation that is	725
the certificate owner of a tax credit certificate issued under	726
section 122.85 of the Revised Code. The credit shall be claimed	727
for the taxable year in which the certificate is issued by the	728
director of development. The credit amount equals the amount	729
stated in the certificate or the portion of that amount owned by	730
the certificate owner. The credit shall be claimed in the order	731
required under section 5733.98 of the Revised Code. If the	732
credit amount exceeds the tax otherwise due under section	733
5733.06 of the Revised Code after deducting all other credits in	734
that order, the excess shall be refunded.	735
(C) If, pursuant to division (G) of section 5733.01 of the	736
Revised Code, the corporation is not required to pay tax under	737
this chapter, the corporation may file an annual report under	738
section 5733.02 of the Revised Code and claim the credit	739
authorized by this section. Nothing in this section allows a	740
corporation to claim more than one credit per tax credit-	741
eligible production.	742
Sec. 5747.66. (A) Any term used in this section has the	743
same meaning as in section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	744
(B) There is allowed a credit against a taxpayer's	745
aggregate tax liability under section 5747.02 of the Revised	746

Code for any individual who, on the last day of the individual's

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taxable year, is the certificate owner of a tax credit	748
certificate issued under section 122.85 of the Revised Code. The	749
credit shall be claimed for the taxable year that includes the	750
date the certificate was issued by the director of development.	751
The credit amount equals the amount stated in the certificate or	752
the portion of that amount owned by the certificate owner. The	753
credit shall be claimed in the order required under section	754
5747.98 of the Revised Code. If the credit amount exceeds the	755
aggregate amount of tax otherwise due under section 5747.02 of	756
the Revised Code after deducting all other credits in that	757
order, the excess shall be refunded.	758
Nothing in this section limits or disallows pass-through	759
treatment of the credit.	760
Nothing in this section allows a person to claim more than	761
one credit per tax credit-eligible production.	762
Sec. 5747.67. (A) Any term used in this section has the	763
same meaning as in section 122.852 of the Revised Code.	764
(B) There is allowed a credit against a taxpayer's	765
aggregate tax liability under section 5747.02 of the Revised	766
Code for any individual who, on the last day of the individual's	767
taxable year, is the certificate owner of a tax credit	768
certificate issued under section 122.852 of the Revised Code.	769
The credit shall be claimed for the taxpayer's taxable year that	770
includes the date the certificate was issued by the director of	771
development. The credit amount equals the amount stated in the	772
certificate or the portion of that amount owned by the	773
certificate owner. The credit shall be claimed in the order	774
required under section 5747.98 of the Revised Code. If the	775
credit amount exceeds the aggregate amount of tax otherwise due	776
under section 5747.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all	777

other credits in that order, the excess shall be refunded.	778
(C) Nothing in this section limits or disallows pass-	779
through treatment of the credit. Nothing in this section allows	780
a person to claim more than one credit per capital improvement	781
<pre>project.</pre>	782
Sec. 5747.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	783
calculating a taxpayer's aggregate tax liability under section	784
5747.02 of the Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits	785
to which the taxpayer is entitled in the following order:	786
Either the retirement income credit under division (B) of	787
section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum retirement	788
income credits under divisions (C), (D), and (E) of that	789
section;	790
Either the senior citizen credit under division (F) of	791
section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum	792
distribution credit under division (G) of that section;	793
The dependent care credit under section 5747.054 of the	794
Revised Code;	795
The credit for displaced workers who pay for job training	796
under section 5747.27 of the Revised Code;	797
The campaign contribution credit under section 5747.29 of	798
the Revised Code;	799
The twenty-dollar personal exemption credit under section	800
5747.022 of the Revised Code;	801
The joint filing credit under division (G) of section	802
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	803
The earned income credit under section 5747 71 of the	804

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Revised Code;	805
The nonrefundable credit for education expenses under	806
section 5747.72 of the Revised Code;	807
The nonrefundable credit for donations to scholarship	808
granting organizations under section 5747.73 of the Revised	809
Code;	810
The nonrefundable credit for tuition paid to a	811
nonchartered nonpublic school under section 5747.75 of the	812
Revised Code;	813
The nonrefundable vocational job credit under section	814
5747.057 of the Revised Code;	815
The credit for adoption of a minor child under section	816
5747.37 of the Revised Code;	817
The nonrefundable job retention credit under division (B)	818
of section 5747.058 of the Revised Code;	819
The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of the	820
Revised Code;	821
The credit for beginning farmers who participate in a	822
financial management program under division (B) of section	823
5747.77 of the Revised Code;	824
The credit for selling or renting agricultural assets to	825
beginning farmers under division (A) of section 5747.77 of the	826
Revised Code;	827
The credit for purchases of qualifying grape production	828
property under section 5747.28 of the Revised Code;	829
The small business investment credit under section 5747.81	830
of the Revised Code;	831

The nonrefundable lead abatement credit under section	832
5747.26 of the Revised Code;	833
The opportunity zone investment credit under section	834
122.84 of the Revised Code;	835
The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of the	836
Revised Code;	837
The research and development credit under section 5747.331	838
of the Revised Code;	839
The credit for rehabilitating a historic building under	840
section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	841
The nonresident credit under division (A) of section	842
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	843
The credit for a resident's out-of-state income under	844
division (B) of section 5747.05 of the Revised Code;	845
The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical	846
production credit under section 5747.66 of the Revised Code;	847
The refundable credit for film and theater capital	848
improvement projects under section 5747.67 of the Revised Code;	849
The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	850
credit under division (A) of section 5747.058 of the Revised	851
Code;	852
The refundable credit for taxes paid by a qualifying	853
entity granted under section 5747.059 of the Revised Code;	854
The refundable credits for taxes paid by a qualifying	855
pass-through entity granted under division (I) of section	856
5747.08 of the Revised Code;	857
The refundable credit under section 5747.80 of the Revised	858

Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture capital	859
program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised Code;	860
The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	861
building under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	862
The refundable credit under section 5747.39 of the Revised	863
Code for taxes levied under section 5747.38 of the Revised Code	864
paid by an electing pass-through entity.	865
(B) For any credit, except the refundable credits	866
enumerated in this section and the credit granted under division	867
(H) of section 5747.08 of the Revised Code, the amount of the	868
credit for a taxable year shall not exceed the taxpayer's	869
aggregate amount of tax due under section 5747.02 of the Revised	870
Code, after allowing for any other credit that precedes it in	871
the order required under this section. Any excess amount of a	872
particular credit may be carried forward if authorized under the	873
section creating that credit. Nothing in this chapter shall be	874
construed to allow a taxpayer to claim, directly or indirectly,	875
a credit more than once for a taxable year.	876
Sec. 5751.54. (A) Any term used in this section has the	877
same meaning as in section 122.85 of the Revised Code.	878
(B) There is allowed a refundable credit against the tax	879
imposed by section 5751.02 of the Revised Code for any person	880
that is the certificate owner of a tax credit certificate issued	881
under section 122.85 of the Revised Code. The credit shall be	882
claimed for the tax period in which the certificate is issued by	883
the director of development—services. The credit amount equals	884
the amount stated in the certificate or the portion of that	885
amount owned by the certificate owner. The credit shall be	886
claimed in the order required under section 5751.98 of the	887

Revised Code. If the credit amount exceeds the tax otherwise due	888
under section 5751.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all	889
other credits in that order, the excess shall be refunded.	890
(C) Nothing in this section allows a person to claim more	891
than one credit per tax credit-eligible production.	892
Sec. 5751.55. (A) Any term used in this section has the	893
same meaning as in section 122.852 of the Revised Code.	894
(B) There is allowed a refundable credit against the tax	895
imposed by section 5751.02 of the Revised Code for any person	896
that is the certificate owner of a tax credit certificate issued	897
under section 122.852 of the Revised Code. The credit shall be	898
claimed for the tax period in which the certificate is issued by	899
the director of development. The credit amount equals the amount	900
stated in the certificate or the portion of that amount owned by	901
the certificate owner. The credit shall be claimed in the order	902
required under section 5751.98 of the Revised Code. If the	903
credit amount exceeds the tax otherwise due under section	904
5751.02 of the Revised Code after deducting all other credits in	905
that order, the excess shall be refunded.	906
(C) Nothing in this section allows a person to claim more	907
than one credit per capital improvement project.	908
Sec. 5751.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for	909
calculating the amount of tax due under this chapter, a taxpayer	910
shall claim any credits to which it is entitled in the following	911
order:	912
The nonrefundable jobs retention credit under division (B)	913
of section 5751.50 of the Revised Code;	914
The nonrefundable credit for qualified research expenses	915
under division (B) of section 5751.51 of the Revised Code;	916

The nonrefundable credit for a borrower's qualified	917
research and development loan payments under division (B) of	918
section 5751.52 of the Revised Code;	919
The nonrefundable credit for calendar years 2010 to 2029	920
for unused net operating losses under division (B) of section	921
5751.53 of the Revised Code;	921
3/31.33 Of the Revised Code;	922
The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical	923
production credit under section 5751.54 of the Revised Code;	924
The refundable credit for film and theater capital	925
improvement projects under section 5751.55 of the Revised Code;	926
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The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	927
credit under division (A) of section 5751.50 of the Revised	928
Code;	929
The refundable credit for calendar year 2030 for unused	930
net operating losses under division (C) of section 5751.53 of	931
the Revised Code.	932
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits	933
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax	934
period shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any other	935
credit that precedes it in the order required under this	936
section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried	937
forward if authorized under the section creating the credit.	938
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Section 2. That existing sections 122.85, 5726.55,	939
5726.98, 5733.59, 5747.66, 5747.98, 5751.54, and 5751.98 of the	940
Revised Code are hereby repealed.	941
Section 3. Section 5747.98 of the Revised Code is	942
presented in this act as a composite of the section as amended	943
by H.B. 95, S.B. 166, and S.B. 246, all of the 134th General	944

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Assembly. The General Assembly, applying the principle stated in	945
division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that amendments	946
are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of simultaneous	947
operation, finds that the composite is the resulting version of	948

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the section in effect prior to the effective date of the section

as presented in this act.