State Income Tax Amendments

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4 General Description:

This bill modifies provisions of the income tax code.

Highlighted Provisions:

- 7 This bill:
- 8 repeals obsolete language;
- 10 information with the Department of Workforce Services to determine eligibility for public
- 11 assistance;
- requires a payment settlement entity, such as a marketplace facilitator, to file certain
- 13 federal forms with the State Tax Commission;
- Larifies what is a commercial unit for purposes of claiming a commercial energy system
- 15 tax credit;
- 16 updates the circumstances under which an individual is exempt from individual income
- 17 tax;
- reates a deduction for individuals who have to repay social security that is subject to
- 19 income tax:
- provides for the repeal of the enterprise zone tax credit, which, by statute, automatically
- 21 expired;
- provides the circumstances for the automatic removal of refundable individual income
- 23 tax credits from the income tax return; and
- 24 ► makes technical changes.

25 Money Appropriated in this Bill:

- None None
- 27 Other Special Clauses:
- This bill provides a special effective date.
- 29 This bill provides retrospective operation.
- **30 Utah Code Sections Affected:**
- 31 AMENDS:
- 32 **31A-32a-103** (Effective 05/07/25), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2008, Chapter 389

33	35A-3-105 (Effective 05/07/25), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2015, Chapter 221
34	59-1-403 (Effective 05/07/25), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapters 25, 35
35	59-7-614 (Effective 01/01/26) (Retrospective 01/01/25), as last amended by Laws of
36	Utah 2024, Chapter 53
37	59-7-614.10 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25), as last amended by Laws of
38	Utah 2021, Chapter 282
39	59-10-104.1 (Effective 01/01/26), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2008, Chapter 389
40	59-10-114 (Effective 01/01/26), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 470
41	59-10-510 (Effective 01/01/26), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2009, Chapter 212
42	59-10-1037 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25), as last amended by Laws of
43	Utah 2021, Chapter 282
44	59-10-1042 (Effective 01/01/26), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 459
45	631-2-259 (Effective 05/07/25), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Third Special
46	Session, Chapter 5
47	63I-2-263 (Effective 05/07/25), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Third Special
48	Session, Chapter 5
49	ENACTS:
50	59-1-1801 (Effective 01/01/26) , Utah Code Annotated 1953
51	59-1-1802 (Effective 01/01/26) , Utah Code Annotated 1953
52	59-10-1102.2 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25), Utah Code Annotated
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54	Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
55	Section 1. Section 31A-32a-103 is amended to read:
56	31A-32a-103 (Effective 05/07/25). Establishing medical care savings accounts.
57	(1) [For a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 1995:]
58	(a) [an-] An employer, except as otherwise provided by contract or a collective
59	bargaining agreement, may offer a medical care savings account program to the
60	employer's employees[; or] <u>.</u>
61	(b) [a-] A resident individual may establish a medical care savings account program for
62	the individual or for the individual's dependents.
63	(2)(a) A contribution into an account made by an employer on behalf of an employee,
64	or made by an individual account holder, may not exceed the greater of:

(i) \$2,000 in any taxable year; or

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66 (ii) an amount of money equal to the sum of all eligible medical expenses paid by the 67 employee or account holder for that taxable year on behalf of the employee, account holder, or the employee's or account holder's spouse or dependents. 68 69 (b) For purposes of Subsection (2)(a)(ii), eligible medical expenses are limited to 70 expenses in the taxable year that an insurance carrier has applied to the employee's or 71 account holder's deductible. 72 (3) An employer that offers a medical care savings account program shall, before making 73 any contributions: 74 (a) inform all employees in writing of the fact that these contributions may not be 75 deductible under the federal tax laws; and 76 (b) obtain from the employee a written election to participate in the medical care savings 77 account program. 78 [(4) Except as provided in Sections 31A-32a-105 and 59-10-114, principal contributed to 79 and interest earned on a medical care savings account and money reimbursed to an 80 employee or account holder for eligible medical expenses are exempt from taxation.] $\left[\frac{5}{4}\right]$ (4)(a) An employer may select a single account administrator for all of the 81 82 employer's employee's medical care savings accounts. 83 (b) If a single account administrator is not selected, an employer may contribute directly 84 to the account holder's individual medical care savings account. 85 Section 2. Section **35A-3-105** is amended to read: 86 35A-3-105 (Effective 05/07/25). Determination of eligibility and responsibility --87 **Information from State Tax Commission.** 88 (1) [The] Except as prohibited by federal law, the department may have access to relevant 89 information contained in the income tax returns of an applicant, a recipient, or a person 90 who has a duty to support an applicant or recipient, in determining: 91 (a) eligibility for public assistance; 92 (b) payment responsibilities for institutional care; or 93 (c) any other administrative purpose consistent with this chapter. 94 (2) The information requested by the department shall be: 95 (a) provided by the State Tax Commission, to the extent authorized by federal law, on 96 forms [furnished] provided by the department; and 97 (b) treated by the department as a private record under Title 63G, Chapter 2, 98 Government Records Access and Management Act. 99 Section 3. Section **59-1-403** is amended to read:

100	59-1-403 (Effective 05/07/25). Confidentiality Exceptions Penalty
101	Application to property tax.
102	(1) As used in this section:
103	(a) "Distributed tax, fee, or charge" means a tax, fee, or charge:
104	(i) the commission administers under:
105	(A) this title, other than a tax under Chapter 12, Part 2, Local Sales and Use Tax
106	Act;
107	(B) Title 10, Chapter 1, Part 3, Municipal Energy Sales and Use Tax Act;
108	(C) Title 10, Chapter 1, Part 4, Municipal Telecommunications License Tax Act;
109	(D) Section 19-6-805;
110	(E) Section 63H-1-205; or
111	(F) Title 69, Chapter 2, Part 4, Prepaid Wireless Telecommunications Service
112	Charges; and
113	(ii) with respect to which the commission distributes the revenue collected from the
114	tax, fee, or charge to a qualifying jurisdiction.
115	(b) "Qualifying jurisdiction" means:
116	(i) a county, city, or town;
117	(ii) the military installation development authority created in Section 63H-1-201; or
118	(iii) the Utah Inland Port Authority created in Section 11-58-201.
119	(2)(a) Any of the following may not divulge or make known in any manner any
120	information gained by that person from any return filed with the commission:
121	(i) a tax commissioner;
122	(ii) an agent, clerk, or other officer or employee of the commission; or
123	(iii) a representative, agent, clerk, or other officer or employee of any county, city, or
124	town.
125	(b) An official charged with the custody of a return filed with the commission is not
126	required to produce the return or evidence of anything contained in the return in any
127	action or proceeding in any court, except:
128	(i) in accordance with judicial order;
129	(ii) on behalf of the commission in any action or proceeding under:
130	(A) this title; or
131	(B) other law under which persons are required to file returns with the
132	commission;
133	(iii) on behalf of the commission in any action or proceeding to which the

134	commission is a party; or
135	(iv) on behalf of any party to any action or proceeding under this title if the report or
136	facts shown by the return are directly involved in the action or proceeding.
137	(c) Notwithstanding Subsection (2)(b), a court may require the production of, and may
138	admit in evidence, any portion of a return or of the facts shown by the return, as are
139	specifically pertinent to the action or proceeding.
140	(3) This section does not prohibit:
141	(a) a person or that person's duly authorized representative from receiving a copy of any
142	return or report filed in connection with that person's own tax;
143	(b) the publication of statistics as long as the statistics are classified to prevent the
144	identification of particular reports or returns; and
145	(c) the inspection by the attorney general or other legal representative of the state of the
146	report or return of any taxpayer:
147	(i) who brings action to set aside or review a tax based on the report or return;
148	(ii) against whom an action or proceeding is contemplated or has been instituted
149	under this title; or
150	(iii) against whom the state has an unsatisfied money judgment.
151	(4)(a) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) and for purposes of administration, the
152	commission may by rule, made in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah
153	Administrative Rulemaking Act, provide for a reciprocal exchange of information
154	with:
155	(i) the United States Internal Revenue Service; or
156	(ii) the revenue service of any other state.
157	(b) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) and for all taxes except individual income tax and
158	corporate franchise tax, the commission may by rule, made in accordance with Title
159	63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, share information gathered
160	from returns and other written statements with the federal government, any other
161	state, any of the political subdivisions of another state, or any political subdivision of
162	this state, except as limited by Sections 59-12-209 and 59-12-210, if the political
163	subdivision, other state, or the federal government grant substantially similar
164	privileges to this state.
165	(c) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) and for all taxes except individual income tax and
166	corporate franchise tax, the commission may by rule, in accordance with Title 63G,
167	Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, provide for the issuance of

168 information concerning the identity and other information of taxpayers who have 169 failed to file tax returns or to pay any tax due. (d) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide to the director of the 170 171 Division of Environmental Response and Remediation, as defined in Section 172 19-6-402, as requested by the director of the Division of Environmental Response 173 and Remediation, any records, returns, or other information filed with the 174 commission under Chapter 13, Motor and Special Fuel Tax Act, or Section 175 19-6-410.5 regarding the environmental assurance program participation fee. 176 (e) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), at the request of any person the commission shall 177 provide that person sales and purchase volume data reported to the commission on a 178 report, return, or other information filed with the commission under: 179 (i) Chapter 13, Part 2, Motor Fuel; or 180 (ii) Chapter 13, Part 4, Aviation Fuel. (f) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), upon request from a tobacco product manufacturer, 181 as defined in Section 59-22-202, the commission shall report to the manufacturer: 182 183 (i) the quantity of cigarettes, as defined in Section 59-22-202, produced by the 184 manufacturer and reported to the commission for the previous calendar year under Section 59-14-407; and 185 (ii) the quantity of cigarettes, as defined in Section 59-22-202, produced by the 186 187 manufacturer for which a tax refund was granted during the previous calendar 188 year under Section 59-14-401 and reported to the commission under Subsection 189 59-14-401(1)(a)(v). 190 (g) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall notify manufacturers, 191 distributors, wholesalers, and retail dealers of a tobacco product manufacturer that is 192 prohibited from selling cigarettes to consumers within the state under Subsection 193 59-14-210(2). 194 (h) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may: 195 (i) provide to the Division of Consumer Protection within the Department of 196 Commerce and the attorney general data: 197 (A) reported to the commission under Section 59-14-212; or 198 (B) related to a violation under Section 59-14-211; and 199 (ii) upon request, provide to any person data reported to the commission under Subsections 59-14-212(1)(a) through (c) and Subsection 59-14-212(1)(g). 200 201 (i) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall, at the request of a committee

202 of the Legislature, the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst, or the Governor's 203 Office of Planning and Budget, provide to the committee or office the total amount of [204 revenues revenue collected by the commission under Chapter 24, Radioactive Waste 205 Facility Tax Act, for the time period specified by the committee or office. 206 (i) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall make the directory required by 207 Section 59-14-603 available for public inspection. 208 (k) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may share information with federal, 209 state, or local agencies as provided in Subsection 59-14-606(3). 210 (1)(i) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide the Office of 211 Recovery Services within the Department of Health and Human Services any 212 relevant information obtained from a return filed under Chapter 10, Individual 213 Income Tax Act, regarding a taxpayer who has become obligated to the Office of 214 Recovery Services. 215 (ii) The information described in Subsection (4)(1)(i) may be provided by the Office 216 of Recovery Services to any other state's child support collection agency involved 217 in enforcing that support obligation. 218 (m)(i) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), upon request from the state court 219 administrator, the commission shall provide to the state court administrator, the 220 name, address, telephone number, county of residence, and social security number 221 on resident returns filed under Chapter 10, Individual Income Tax Act. 222 (ii) The state court administrator may use the information described in Subsection 223 (4)(m)(i) only as a source list for the master jury list described in Section 224 78B-1-106. 225 (n)(i) As used in this Subsection (4)(n): 226 (A) "GOEO" means the Governor's Office of Economic Opportunity created in 227 Section 63N-1a-301. 228 (B) "Income tax information" means information gained by the commission that is 229 required to be attached to or included in a return filed with the commission 230 under Chapter 7, Corporate Franchise and Income Taxes, or Chapter 10, 231 Individual Income Tax Act. 232 (C) "Other tax information" means information gained by the commission that is 233 required to be attached to or included in a return filed with the commission 234 except for a return filed under Chapter 7, Corporate Franchise and Income 235 Taxes, or Chapter 10, Individual Income Tax Act.

236	(D) "Tax information" means income tax information or other tax information.
237	(ii)(A) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) and except as provided in Subsection
238	(4)(n)(ii)(B) or (C), the commission shall at the request of GOEO provide to
239	GOEO all income tax information.
240	(B) For purposes of a request for income tax information made under Subsection
241	(4)(n)(ii)(A), GOEO may not request and the commission may not provide
242	toGOEO a person's address, name, social security number, or taxpayer
243	identification number.
244	(C) In providing income tax information to GOEO, the commission shall in all
245	instances protect the privacy of a person as required by Subsection (4)(n)(ii)(B)
246	(iii)(A) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) and except as provided in Subsection
247	(4)(n)(iii)(B), the commission shall at the request of GOEO provide to GOEO
248	other tax information.
249	(B) Before providing other tax information to GOEO, the commission shall redact
250	or remove any name, address, social security number, or taxpayer identification
251	number.
252	(iv) GOEO may provide tax information received from the commission in accordance
253	with this Subsection (4)(n) only:
254	(A) as a fiscal estimate, fiscal note information, or statistical information; and
255	(B) if the tax information is classified to prevent the identification of a particular
256	return.
257	(v)(A) A person may not request tax information from GOEO under Title 63G,
258	Chapter 2, Government Records Access and Management Act, or this section,
259	if GOEO received the tax information from the commission in accordance with
260	this Subsection (4)(n).
261	(B) GOEO may not provide to a person that requests tax information in
262	accordance with Subsection (4)(n)(v)(A) any tax information other than the tax
263	information GOEO provides in accordance with Subsection (4)(n)(iv).
264	(o) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide to the governing board
265	of the agreement or a taxing official of another state, the District of Columbia, the
266	United States, or a territory of the United States:
267	(i) the following relating to an agreement sales and use tax:
268	(A) information contained in a return filed with the commission;
269	(B) information contained in a report filed with the commission;

270	(C) a schedule related to Subsection (4)(o)(i)(A) or (B); or
271	(D) a document filed with the commission; or
272	(ii) a report of an audit or investigation made with respect to an agreement sales and
273	use tax.
274	(p) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide information
275	concerning a taxpayer's state income tax return or state income tax withholding
276	information to the Driver License Division if the Driver License Division:
277	(i) requests the information; and
278	(ii) provides the commission with a signed release form from the taxpayer allowing
279	the Driver License Division access to the information.
280	(q) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide to the Utah
281	Communications Authority, or a division of the Utah Communications Authority, the
282	information requested by the authority under Sections 63H-7a-302, 63H-7a-402, and
283	63H-7a-502.
284	(r) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide to the Utah
285	Educational Savings Plan information related to a resident or nonresident individual's
286	contribution to a Utah Educational Savings Plan account as designated on the
287	resident or nonresident's individual income tax return as provided under Section
288	59-10-1313.
289	(s) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), for the purpose of verifying eligibility under
290	Sections 26B-3-106 and 26B-3-903, the commission shall provide an eligibility
291	worker with the Department of Health and Human Services or its designee with the
292	adjusted gross income of an individual if:
293	(i) an eligibility worker with the Department of Health and Human Services or its
294	designee requests the information from the commission; and
295	(ii) the eligibility worker has complied with the identity verification and consent
296	provisions of Sections 26B-3-106 and 26B-3-903.
297	(t) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide to a county, as
298	determined by the commission, information declared on an individual income tax
299	return in accordance with Section 59-10-103.1 that relates to eligibility to claim a
300	residential exemption authorized under Section 59-2-103.
301	(u) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide a report regarding any
302	access line provider that is over 90 days delinquent in payment to the commission of
303	amounts the access line provider owes under Title 69, Chapter 2, Part 4, Prepaid

304	Wireless Telecommunications Service Charges, to the board of the Utah
305	Communications Authority created in Section 63H-7a-201.
306	(v) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide the Department of
307	Environmental Quality a report on the amount of tax paid by a radioactive waste
308	facility for the previous calendar year under Section 59-24-103.5.
309	(w) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may, upon request, provide to the
310	Department of Workforce Services any information received under Chapter 10, Part
311	4, Withholding of Tax, that is relevant to the duties of the Department of Workforce
312	Services.
313	(x) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide the Public Service
314	Commission or the Division of Public Utilities information related to a seller that
315	collects and remits to the commission a charge described in Subsection 69-2-405(2),
316	including the seller's identity and the number of charges described in Subsection
317	69-2-405(2) that the seller collects.
318	(y)(i) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide to each
319	qualifying jurisdiction the collection data necessary to verify the revenue collected
320	by the commission for a distributed tax, fee, or charge collected within the
321	qualifying jurisdiction.
322	(ii) In addition to the information provided under Subsection (4)(y)(i), the
323	commission shall provide a qualifying jurisdiction with copies of returns and other
324	information relating to a distributed tax, fee, or charge collected within the
325	qualifying jurisdiction.
326	(iii)(A) To obtain the information described in Subsection (4)(y)(ii), the chief
327	executive officer or the chief executive officer's designee of the qualifying
328	jurisdiction shall submit a written request to the commission that states the
329	specific information sought and how the qualifying jurisdiction intends to use
330	the information.
331	(B) The information described in Subsection $(4)(y)(ii)$ is available only in official
332	matters of the qualifying jurisdiction.
333	(iv) Information that a qualifying jurisdiction receives in response to a request under
334	this subsection is:
335	(A) classified as a private record under Title 63G, Chapter 2, Government Records
336	Access and Management Act; and
337	(B) subject to the confidentiality requirements of this section.

(z) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide the Alcoholic 338 Beverage Services Commission, upon request, with taxpayer status information 339 340 related to state tax obligations necessary to comply with the requirements described 341 in Section 32B-1-203. 342 (aa) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall inform the Department of 343 Workforce Services, as soon as practicable, whether an individual claimed and is 344 entitled to claim a federal earned income tax credit for the year requested by the 345 Department of Workforce Services if: 346 (i) the Department of Workforce Services requests this information; and 347 (ii) the commission has received the information release described in Section 348 35A-9-604. 349 (bb)(i) As used in this Subsection (4)(bb), "unclaimed property administrator" means 350 the administrator or the administrator's agent, as those terms are defined in Section 351 67-4a-102. 352 (ii)(A) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), upon request from the unclaimed 353 property administrator and to the extent allowed under federal law, the 354 commission shall provide the unclaimed property administrator the name, 355 address, telephone number, county of residence, and social security number or 356 federal employer identification number on any return filed under Chapter 7, 357 Corporate Franchise and Income Taxes, or Chapter 10, Individual Income Tax 358 Act. 359 (B) The unclaimed property administrator may use the information described in 360 Subsection (4)(bb)(ii)(A) only for the purpose of returning unclaimed property 361 to the property's owner in accordance with Title 67, Chapter 4a, Revised 362 Uniform Unclaimed Property Act. 363 (iii) The unclaimed property administrator is subject to the confidentiality provisions 364 of this section with respect to any information the unclaimed property 365 administrator receives under this Subsection (4)(bb). 366 (cc) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may, upon request, disclose a 367 taxpayer's state individual income tax information to a program manager of the Utah 368 Fits All Scholarship Program under Section 53F-6-402 if: 369 (i) the taxpayer consents in writing to the disclosure; 370 (ii) the taxpayer's written consent includes the taxpayer's name, social security 371 number, and any other information the commission requests that is necessary to

372	verify the identity of the taxpayer; and
373	(iii) the program manager provides the taxpayer's written consent to the commission.
374	(dd) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide to the Division of
375	Finance within the Department of Government Operations any information necessary
376	to facilitate a payment from the commission to a taxpayer, including:
377	(i) the name of the taxpayer entitled to the payment or any other person legally
378	authorized to receive the payment;
379	(ii) the taxpayer identification number of the taxpayer entitled to the payment;
380	(iii) the payment identification number and amount of the payment;
381	(iv) the tax year to which the payment applies and date on which the payment is due;
382	(v) a mailing address to which the payment may be directed; and
383	(vi) information regarding an account at a depository institution to which the
384	payment may be directed, including the name of the depository institution, the
385	type of account, the account number, and the routing number for the account.
386	(ee) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide the total amount of [
387	revenues] revenue collected by the commission under Subsection 59-5-202(5):
388	(i) at the request of a committee of the Legislature, the Office of the Legislative
389	Fiscal Analyst, or the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget, to the committee
390	or office for the time period specified by the committee or office; and
391	(ii) to the Division of Finance for purposes of the Division of Finance administering
392	Subsection 59-5-202(5).
393	(ff) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission may provide the Department of
394	Agriculture and Food with information from a return filed in accordance with
395	Chapter 31, Cannabinoid Licensing and Tax Act.
396	(gg) Notwithstanding Subsection (2), the commission shall provide the Department of
397	Workforce Services with the information described in Section 35A-3-105.
398	(5)(a) Each report and return shall be preserved for at least three years.
399	(b) After the three-year period provided in Subsection (5)(a) the commission may
400	destroy a report or return.
401	(6)(a) Any individual who violates this section is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
102	(b) If the individual described in Subsection (6)(a) is an officer or employee of the state,
103	the individual shall be dismissed from office and be disqualified from holding public
104	office in this state for a period of five years thereafter.
105	(c) Notwithstanding Subsection (6)(a) or (b) GOFO, when requesting information in

406	accordance with Subsection (4)(n)(iii), or an individual who requests information in
407	accordance with Subsection (4)(n)(v):
408	(i) is not guilty of a class A misdemeanor; and
409	(ii) is not subject to:
410	(A) dismissal from office in accordance with Subsection (6)(b); or
411	(B) disqualification from holding public office in accordance with Subsection
412	(6)(b).
413	(d) Notwithstanding Subsection (6)(a) or (b), for a disclosure of information to the
414	Office of the Legislative Auditor General in accordance with Title 36, Chapter 12,
415	Legislative Organization, an individual described in Subsection (2):
416	(i) is not guilty of a class A misdemeanor; and
417	(ii) is not subject to:
418	(A) dismissal from office in accordance with Subsection (6)(b); or
419	(B) disqualification from holding public office in accordance with Subsection
420	(6)(b).
421	(7) Except as provided in Section 59-1-404, this part does not apply to the property tax.
422	Section 4. Section 59-1-1801 is enacted to read:
423	Part 18. Reportable Transactions by Persons Other than Taxpayers
424	59-1-1801 (Effective 01/01/26). Definitions.
425	(1) As used in this part, "payment settlement entity" means the same as that term is defined
426	in 26 U.S.C. Sec. 6050W.
427	Section 5. Section 59-1-1802 is enacted to read:
428	59-1-1802 (Effective 01/01/26). Reporting by payment settlement entity.
429	A payment settlement entity that is required to file a return in accordance with 26
430	U.S.C. Sec. 6050W shall file a return containing the same information with the
431	commission:
432	(1) electronically; and
433	(2) in a format approved by the commission.
434	Section 6. Section 59-7-614 is amended to read:
435	59-7-614 (Effective 01/01/26) (Retrospective 01/01/25). Clean energy systems
436	tax credits Definitions Certification Rulemaking authority.
437	(1) As used in this section:
438	$[\frac{(a)}{(2)(a)}]$ (2)(i) "Active solar system" means a system of equipment that is

439	capable of:
440	(A) collecting and converting incident solar radiation into thermal, mechanical, or
441	electrical energy; and
442	(B) transferring a form of energy described in Subsection (1)(a)(i)(A) by a
443	separate apparatus to storage or to the point of use.
444	(ii) "Active solar system" includes water heating, space heating or cooling, and
445	electrical or mechanical energy generation.
446	[(b)]{(c)(b)} (c) "Biomass system" means a system of apparatus and equipment for use
447	in:
448	[(i)]{(e)(i)} (e) converting material into biomass energy, as defined in Section 59-12-102
449	and
450	(ii) transporting the biomass energy by separate apparatus to the point of use or
451	storage.
452	(c) "Clean energy source" means the same as that term is defined in Section 54-17-601.
453	(d) "Commercial energy system" means a system that is:
454	(i)(A) an active solar system;
455	(B) a biomass system;
456	(C) a direct use geothermal system;
457	(D) a geothermal electricity system;
458	$[\underbrace{(f)(E)}]$ (\underline{f}) a geothermal heat pump system;
459	(F) a hydroenergy system;
460	(G) a passive solar system; or
461	(H) a wind system;
462	(ii) located in the state; and
463	(iii) used:
464	(A) to supply energy to a commercial unit; or
465	(B) as a commercial enterprise.
466	(e) "Commercial enterprise" means an entity, the purpose of which is to produce:
467	(i) electrical, mechanical, or thermal energy for sale from a commercial energy
468	system; or
469	(ii) hydrogen for sale from a hydrogen production system.
470	(f)(i) "Commercial unit" means a building or structure, other than a residence, that an
471	entity uses to transact business.
472	(ii) Notwithstanding Subsection (1)(f)(i):

473	(A) with respect to an active solar system used for agricultural water pumping or a
474	wind system, each individual energy generating device is considered to be a
475	commercial unit; or
476	(B) if an energy system is the building or structure that an entity uses to transact
477	business, a commercial unit is the complete energy system itself.
478	(g) "Direct use geothermal system" means a system of apparatus and equipment that
479	enables the direct use of geothermal energy to meet energy needs, including heating a
480	building, an industrial process, and aquaculture.
481	(h) "Geothermal electricity" means energy that is:
482	(i) contained in heat that continuously flows outward from the earth; and
483	(ii) used as a sole source of energy to produce electricity.
484	(i) "Geothermal energy" means energy generated by heat that is contained in the earth.
485	(j) "Geothermal heat pump system" means a system of apparatus and equipment that:
486	(i) enables the use of thermal properties contained in the earth at temperatures well
487	below 100 degrees Fahrenheit; and
488	(ii) helps meet heating and cooling needs of a structure.
489	(k) "Hydroenergy system" means a system of apparatus and equipment that is capable of:
490	(i) intercepting and converting kinetic water energy into electrical or mechanical
491	energy; and
492	(ii) transferring this form of energy by separate apparatus to the point of use or
493	storage.
494	(l) "Hydrogen production system" means a system of apparatus and equipment, located
495	in this state, that uses:
496	(i) electricity from a clean energy source to create hydrogen gas from water,
497	regardless of whether the clean energy source is at a separate facility or the same
498	facility as the system of apparatus and equipment; or
499	(ii) uses renewable natural gas to produce hydrogen gas.
500	(m) "Office" means the Office of Energy Development created in Section 79-6-401.
501	(n)(i) "Passive solar system" means a direct thermal system that utilizes the structure
502	of a building and the structure's operable components to provide for collection,
503	storage, and distribution of heating or cooling during the appropriate times of the
504	year by utilizing the climate resources available at the site.
505	(ii) "Passive solar system" includes those portions and components of a building that
506	are expressly designed and required for the collection, storage, and distribution of

507	solar energy.
508	(o) "Photovoltaic system" means an active solar system that generates electricity from
509	sunlight.
510	(p)(i) "Principal recovery portion" means the portion of a lease payment that
511	constitutes the cost a person incurs in acquiring a commercial energy system.
512	(ii) "Principal recovery portion" does not include:
513	(A) an interest charge; or
514	(B) a maintenance expense.
515	(q) "Residential energy system" means the following used to supply energy to or for a
516	residential unit:
517	(i) an active solar system;
518	(ii) a biomass system;
519	(iii) a direct use geothermal system;
520	(iv) a geothermal heat pump system;
521	(v) a hydroenergy system;
522	(vi) a passive solar system; or
523	(vii) a wind system.
524	(r)(i) "Residential unit" means a house, condominium, apartment, or similar dwelling
525	unit that:
526	(A) is located in the state; and
527	(B) serves as a dwelling for a person, group of persons, or a family.
528	(ii) "Residential unit" does not include property subject to a fee under:
529	(A) Section 59-2-405;
530	(B) Section 59-2-405.1;
531	(C) Section 59-2-405.2;
532	(D) Section 59-2-405.3; or
533	(E) Section 72-10-110.5.
534	(s) "Wind system" means a system of apparatus and equipment that is capable of:
535	(i) intercepting and converting wind energy into mechanical or electrical energy; and
536	(ii) transferring these forms of energy by a separate apparatus to the point of use,
537	sale, or storage.
538	(2) A taxpayer may claim an energy system tax credit as provided in this section against a
539	tax due under this chapter for a taxable year.
540	(3)(a) Subject to the other provisions of this Subsection (3), a taxpayer may claim a

541	nonrefundable tax credit under this Subsection (3) with respect to a residential unit
542	the taxpayer owns or uses if:
543	(i) the taxpayer:
544	(A) purchases and completes a residential energy system to supply all or part of
545	the energy required for the residential unit; or
546	(B) participates in the financing of a residential energy system to supply all or part
547	of the energy required for the residential unit; and
548	(ii) the taxpayer obtains a written certification from the office in accordance with
549	Subsection (8).
550	(b)(i) Subject to Subsections (3)(b)(ii) through (iv) and, as applicable, Subsection
551	(3)(c) or (d), the tax credit is equal to 25% of the reasonable costs of each
552	residential energy system installed with respect to each residential unit the
553	taxpayer owns or uses.
554	(ii) A tax credit under this Subsection (3) may include installation costs.
555	(iii) A taxpayer may claim a tax credit under this Subsection (3) for the taxable year
556	in which the residential energy system is completed and placed in service.
557	(iv) If the amount of a tax credit under this Subsection (3) exceeds a taxpayer's tax
558	liability under this chapter for a taxable year, the taxpayer may carry forward the
559	amount of the tax credit exceeding the liability for a period that does not exceed
560	the next four taxable years.
561	(c) The total amount of tax credit a taxpayer may claim under this Subsection (3) for a
562	residential energy system, other than a photovoltaic system, may not exceed \$2,000
563	per residential unit.
564	(d) The total amount of tax credit a taxpayer may claim under this Subsection (3) for a
565	photovoltaic system may not exceed:
566	(i) for a system installed on or after January 1, 2018, but on or before December 31,
567	2020, \$1,600;
568	(ii) for a system installed on or after January 1, 2021, but on or before December 31,
569	2021, \$1,200;
570	(iii) for a system installed on or after January 1, 2022, but on or before December 31,
571	2022, \$800;
572	(iv) for a system installed on or after January 1, 2023, but on or before December 31,
573	2023, \$400; and
574	(v) for a system installed on or after January 1, 2024, \$0.

575	(e) If a taxpayer sells a residential unit to another person before the taxpayer claims the
576	tax credit under this Subsection (3):
577	(i) the taxpayer may assign the tax credit to the other person; and
578	(ii)(A) if the other person files a return under this chapter, the other person may
579	claim the tax credit under this section as if the other person had met the
580	requirements of this section to claim the tax credit; or
581	(B) if the other person files a return under Chapter 10, Individual Income Tax Act
582	the other person may claim the tax credit under Section 59-10-1014 as if the
583	other person had met the requirements of Section 59-10-1014 to claim the tax
584	credit.
585	(4)(a) Subject to the other provisions of this Subsection (4), a taxpayer may claim a
586	refundable tax credit under this Subsection (4) with respect to a commercial energy
587	system if:
588	(i) the commercial energy system does not use:
589	(A) wind, geothermal electricity, solar, or biomass equipment capable of
590	producing a total of 660 or more kilowatts of electricity; or
591	(B) solar equipment capable of producing 2,000 or more kilowatts of electricity;
592	(ii) the taxpayer purchases or participates in the financing of the commercial energy
593	system;
594	(iii)(A) the commercial energy system supplies all or part of the energy required
595	by commercial units owned or used by the taxpayer; or
596	(B) the taxpayer sells all or part of the energy produced by the commercial energy
597	system as a commercial enterprise;
598	(iv) the taxpayer has not claimed and will not claim a tax credit under Subsection (7)
599	for hydrogen production using electricity for which the taxpayer claims a tax
600	credit under this Subsection (4); and
601	(v) the taxpayer obtains a written certification from the office in accordance with
602	Subsection (8).
603	(b)(i) Subject to Subsections (4)(b)(ii) through (iv), the tax credit is equal to 10% of
604	the reasonable costs of the commercial energy system.
605	(ii) A tax credit under this Subsection (4) may include installation costs.
606	(iii) A taxpayer is eligible to claim a tax credit under this Subsection (4) for the
607	taxable year in which the commercial energy system is completed and placed in
608	service.

509	(iv) The total amount of tax credit a taxpayer may claim under this Subsection (4)
610	may not exceed \$50,000 per commercial unit.
611	(c)(i) Subject to Subsections (4)(c)(ii) and (iii), a taxpayer that is a lessee of a
512	commercial energy system installed on a commercial unit may claim a tax credit
613	under this Subsection (4) if the taxpayer confirms that the lessor irrevocably elects
614	not to claim the tax credit.
615	(ii) A taxpayer described in Subsection (4)(c)(i) may claim as a tax credit under this
616	Subsection (4) only the principal recovery portion of the lease payments.
517	(iii) A taxpayer described in Subsection (4)(c)(i) may claim a tax credit under this
618	Subsection (4) for a period that does not exceed seven taxable years after the day
519	on which the lease begins, as stated in the lease agreement.
520	(5)(a) Subject to the other provisions of this Subsection (5), a taxpayer may claim a
521	refundable tax credit under this Subsection (5) with respect to a commercial energy
522	system if:
523	(i) the commercial energy system uses wind, geothermal electricity, or biomass
524	equipment capable of producing a total of 660 or more kilowatts of electricity;
525	(ii)(A) the commercial energy system supplies all or part of the energy required
626	by commercial units owned or used by the taxpayer; or
527	(B) the taxpayer sells all or part of the energy produced by the commercial energy
528	system as a commercial enterprise;
529	(iii) the taxpayer has not claimed and will not claim a tax credit under Subsection (7)
630	for hydrogen production using electricity for which the taxpayer claims a tax
631	credit under this Subsection (5); and
532	(iv) the taxpayer obtains a written certification from the office in accordance with
633	Subsection (8).
534	(b)(i) Subject to Subsection (5)(b)(ii), a tax credit under this Subsection (5) is equal
535	to the product of:
636	(A) 0.35 cents; and
537	(B) the kilowatt hours of electricity produced and used or sold during the taxable
538	year.
539	(ii) A taxpayer is eligible to claim a tax credit under this Subsection (5) for
540	production occurring during a period of 48 months beginning with the month in
541	which the commercial energy system is placed in commercial service.
542	(c) A taxpayer that is a lessee of a commercial energy system installed on a commercial

643	unit may claim a tax credit under this Subsection (5) if the taxpayer confirms that the
644	lessor irrevocably elects not to claim the tax credit.
645	(6)(a) Subject to the other provisions of this Subsection (6), a taxpayer may claim a
646	refundable tax credit as provided in this Subsection (6) if:
647	(i) the taxpayer owns a commercial energy system that uses solar equipment capable
648	of producing a total of 660 or more kilowatts of electricity;
649	(ii)(A) the commercial energy system supplies all or part of the energy required
650	by commercial units owned or used by the taxpayer; or
651	(B) the taxpayer sells all or part of the energy produced by the commercial energy
652	system as a commercial enterprise;
653	(iii) the taxpayer does not claim a tax credit under Subsection (4) and has not claimed
654	and will not claim a tax credit under Subsection (7) for hydrogen production using
655	electricity for which a taxpayer claims a tax credit under this Subsection (6); and
656	(iv) the taxpayer obtains a written certification from the office in accordance with
657	Subsection (8).
658	(b)(i) Subject to Subsection (6)(b)(ii), a tax credit under this Subsection (6) is equal
659	to the product of:
660	(A) 0.35 cents; and
661	(B) the kilowatt hours of electricity produced and used or sold during the taxable
662	year.
663	(ii) A taxpayer is eligible to claim a tax credit under this Subsection (6) for
664	production occurring during a period of 48 months beginning with the month in
665	which the commercial energy system is placed in commercial service.
666	(c) A taxpayer that is a lessee of a commercial energy system installed on a commercial
667	unit may claim a tax credit under this Subsection (6) if the taxpayer confirms that the
668	lessor irrevocably elects not to claim the tax credit.
669	(7)(a) A taxpayer may claim a refundable tax credit as provided in this Subsection (7) if:
670	(i) the taxpayer owns a hydrogen production system;
671	(ii) the hydrogen production system is completed and placed in service on or after
672	January 1, 2022;
673	(iii) the taxpayer sells as a commercial enterprise, or supplies for the taxpayer's own
674	use in commercial units, the hydrogen produced from the hydrogen production
675	system;
676	(iv) the taxpayer has not claimed and will not claim a tax credit under Subsection (4),

677	(5), or (6) or Section 59-7-626 for electricity or hydrogen used to meet the
678	requirements of this Subsection (7); and
679	(v) the taxpayer obtains a written certification from the office in accordance with
680	Subsection (8).
681	(b)(i) Subject to Subsections (7)(b)(ii) and (iii), a tax credit under this Subsection (7)
682	is equal to the product of:
683	(A) \$0.12; and
684	(B) the number of kilograms of hydrogen produced during the taxable year.
685	(ii) A taxpayer may not receive a tax credit under this Subsection (7) for more than
686	5,600 metric tons of hydrogen per taxable year.
687	(iii) A taxpayer is eligible to claim a tax credit under this Subsection (7) for
688	production occurring during a period of 48 months beginning with the month in
689	which the hydrogen production system is placed in commercial service.
690	(8)(a) Before a taxpayer may claim a tax credit under this section, the taxpayer shall
691	obtain a written certification from the office.
692	(b) The office shall issue a taxpayer a written certification if the office determines that:
693	(i) the taxpayer meets the requirements of this section to receive a tax credit; and
694	(ii) the residential energy system, the commercial energy system, or the hydrogen
695	production system with respect to which the taxpayer seeks to claim a tax credit:
696	(A) has been completely installed;
697	(B) is a viable system for saving or producing energy from clean resources; and
698	(C) is safe, reliable, efficient, and technically feasible to ensure that the residential
699	energy system, the commercial energy system, or the hydrogen production
700	system uses the state's clean and nonrenewable energy resources in an
701	appropriate and economic manner.
702	(c) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the
703	office may make rules:
704	(i) for determining whether a residential energy system, a commercial energy system,
705	or a hydrogen production system meets the requirements of Subsection (8)(b)(ii);
706	and
707	(ii) for purposes of a tax credit under Subsection (3) or (4), establishing the
708	reasonable costs of a residential energy system or a commercial energy system, as
709	an amount per unit of energy production.
710	(d) A taxpayer that obtains a written certification from the office shall retain the

711 certification for the same time period a person is required to keep books and records 712 under Section 59-1-1406.

- (e) The office shall submit to the commission an electronic list that includes:
- 714 (i) the name and identifying information of each taxpayer to which the office issues a 715 written certification; and
 - (ii) for each taxpayer:

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- (A) the amount of the tax credit listed on the written certification; and
- 718 (B) the date the clean energy system was installed.
- 719 (9) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the commission may make rules to address the certification of a tax credit under this section.
- 721 (10) A tax credit under this section is in addition to any tax credits provided under the laws 722 or rules and regulations of the United States.
- 723 (11) A taxpayer may not claim or carry forward a tax credit described in this section in a 724 taxable year during which the taxpayer claims or carries forward a tax credit under 725 Section 59-7-614.7.
- 726 Section 7. Section **59-7-614.10** is amended to read:
- 59-7-614.10 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25). Nonrefundable enterprise zone tax credit.
- 729 (1) As used in this section:
- 730 (a) "Business entity" means a corporation that meets the definition of "business entity" as that term is defined in Section 63N-2-202.
- 732 (b) "Office" means the Governor's Office of Economic Opportunity created in Section 63N-1a-301.
- 734 (2) Subject to the provisions of this section, <u>for a taxable year beginning before January 1</u>,
 735 <u>2025</u>, a business entity may claim a nonrefundable enterprise zone tax credit as
- described in Section 63N-2-213.
- 737 (3) The enterprise zone tax credit under this section is the amount listed as the tax credit 738 amount on the tax credit certificate that the office issues to the business entity for the 739 taxable year.
- 740 (4) A business entity may carry forward a tax credit under this section for a period that does 741 not exceed the next three taxable years, if the amount of the tax credit exceeds the 742 business entity's tax liability under this chapter for that taxable year.
- 743 (5) A business entity may not claim or carry forward a tax credit under this part for a 744 taxable year during which the business entity has claimed the targeted business income

745	tax credit under Section 59-7-624.
746	(6)(a) In accordance with Section 59-7-159, the Revenue and Taxation Interim
747	Committee shall study the tax credit allowed by this section and make
748	recommendations concerning whether the tax credit should be continued, modified,
749	or repealed.
750	(b)(i) Except as provided in Subsection (6)(b)(ii), for purposes of the study required
751	by this Subsection (6), the office shall provide by electronic means the following
752	information for each calendar year to the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst:
753	(A) the amount of tax credits provided in each development zone;
754	(B) the number of new full-time employee positions reported to obtain tax credits
755	in each development zone;
756	(C) the amount of tax credits awarded for rehabilitating a building in each
757	development zone;
758	(D) the amount of tax credits awarded for investing in a plant, equipment, or other
759	depreciable property in each development zone;
760	(E) the information related to the tax credit contained in the office's latest report
761	under Section 63N-1a-301; and
762	(F) any other information that the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst requests.
763	(ii)(A) In providing the information described in Subsection (6)(b)(i), the office
764	shall redact information that identifies a recipient of a tax credit under this
765	section.
766	(B) If, notwithstanding the redactions made under Subsection (6)(b)(ii)(A),
767	reporting the information described in Subsection (6)(b)(i) might disclose the
768	identity of a recipient of a tax credit, the office may file a request with the
769	Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee to provide the information described
770	in Subsection (6)(b)(i) in the aggregate for all development zones that receive
771	the tax credit under this section.
772	(c) As part of the study required by this Subsection (6), the Office of the Legislative
773	Fiscal Analyst shall report to the Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee a
774	summary and analysis of the information provided to the Office of the Legislative
775	Fiscal Analyst by the office under Subsection (6)(b).
776	(d) The Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee shall ensure that the
777	recommendations described in Subsection (6)(a) include an evaluation of:
778	(i) the cost of the tax credit to the state;

779	(ii) the purpose and effectiveness of the tax credit; and
780	(iii) the extent to which the state benefits from the tax credit.
781	Section 8. Section 59-10-104.1 is amended to read:
782	59-10-104.1 (Effective 01/01/26). Exemption from taxation.
783	(1) For purposes of this section:
784	(a) "Modified adjusted gross income" means the amount calculated by:
785	(i) adding the individual's adjusted gross income on the individual's federal individual
786	income tax return for the taxable year and any additions required by Section
787	59-10-114 for the taxable year; and
788	(ii) subtracting from the amount calculated in accordance with Subsection (1)(a)(i),
789	any subtractions required by Section 59-10-114 for the taxable year.
790	(b) "Personal exemptions" means the total exemption amount an individual is allowed to
791	claim for the taxable year under Section 151, Internal Revenue Code, for:
792	(i) the individual;
793	(ii) the individual's spouse; and
794	(iii) the individual's dependents.
795	[(b)] (c) "Standard deduction":
796	(i) means the standard deduction an individual is allowed to claim for the taxable
797	year under Section 63, Internal Revenue Code; and
798	(ii) notwithstanding Subsection [(1)(b)(i)] (1)(c)(i), does not include an additional
799	amount allowed under Section 63(f), Internal Revenue Code, for an individual or
800	an individual's spouse who is:
801	(A) blind; or
802	(B) 65 years of age or older.
803	(2) [For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2002, an-] An individual is exempt
804	from a tax imposed by Section 59-10-104 or 59-10-116 if the individual's [adjusted
805	gross income on the individual's federal individual income tax return for the taxable year-]
806	modified adjusted gross income is less than or equal to the sum of the individual's:
807	(a) personal exemptions for that taxable year; and
808	(b) standard deduction for that taxable year.
809	Section 9. Section 59-10-114 is amended to read:
810	59-10-114 (Effective 01/01/26). Additions to and subtractions from adjusted
811	gross income of an individual.
812	(1) There shall be added to adjusted gross income of a resident or nonresident individual:

813	(a) a lump sum distribution that the taxpayer does not include in adjusted gross income
814	on the taxpayer's federal individual income tax return for the taxable year;
815	(b) the amount of a child's income calculated under Subsection (4) that:
816	(i) a parent elects to report on the parent's federal individual income tax return for the
817	taxable year; and
818	(ii) the parent does not include in adjusted gross income on the parent's federal
819	individual income tax return for the taxable year;
820	(c)(i) a withdrawal from a medical care savings account and any penalty imposed for
821	the taxable year if:
822	(A) the resident or nonresident individual does not deduct the amounts on the
823	resident or nonresident individual's federal individual income tax return under
824	Section 220, Internal Revenue Code;
825	(B) the withdrawal is subject to Subsections 31A-32a-105(1) and (2); and
826	(C) the withdrawal is subtracted on, or used as the basis for claiming a tax credit
827	on, a return the resident or nonresident individual files under this chapter;
828	(ii) a disbursement required to be added to adjusted gross income in accordance with
829	Subsection 31A-32a-105(3); or
830	(iii) an amount required to be added to adjusted gross income in accordance with
831	Subsection 31A-32a-105(5)(c);
832	(d) the amount withdrawn under Title 53B, Chapter 8a, Utah Educational Savings Plan,
833	from the account of a resident or nonresident individual who is an account owner as
834	defined in Section 53B-8a-102, for the taxable year for which the amount is
835	withdrawn, if that amount withdrawn from the account of the resident or nonresident
836	individual who is the account owner:
837	(i) is not expended for:
838	(A) higher education costs as defined in Section 53B-8a-102.5; or
839	(B) a payment or distribution that qualifies as an exception to the additional tax
840	for distributions not used for educational expenses provided in Sections 529(c)
841	and 530(d), Internal Revenue Code; and
842	(ii) is:
843	(A) subtracted by the resident or nonresident individual:
844	(I) who is the account owner; and
845	(II) on the resident or nonresident individual's return filed under this chapter
846	for a taxable year beginning on or before December 31, 2007; or

847	(B) used as the basis for the resident or nonresident individual who is the account
848	owner to claim a tax credit under Section 59-10-1017;
849	(e) except as provided in Subsection (5), for bonds, notes, and other evidences of
850	indebtedness acquired on or after January 1, 2003, the interest from bonds, notes, and
851	other evidences of indebtedness:
852	(i) issued by one or more of the following entities:
853	(A) a state other than this state;
854	(B) the District of Columbia;
855	(C) a political subdivision of a state other than this state; or
856	(D) an agency or instrumentality of an entity described in Subsections (1)(e)(i)(A)
857	through (C); and
858	(ii) to the extent the interest is not included in adjusted gross income on the taxpayer's
859	federal income tax return for the taxable year;
860	(f) subject to Subsection (2)(c), any distribution received by a resident beneficiary of a
861	resident trust of income that was taxed at the trust level for federal tax purposes, but
862	was subtracted from state taxable income of the trust pursuant to Subsection
863	59-10-202(2)(b);
864	(g) any distribution received by a resident beneficiary of a nonresident trust of
865	undistributed distributable net income realized by the trust on or after January 1,
866	2004, if that undistributed distributable net income was taxed at the trust level for
867	federal tax purposes, but was not taxed at the trust level by any state, with
868	undistributed distributable net income considered to be distributed from the most
869	recently accumulated undistributed distributable net income;
870	(h) any adoption expense:
871	(i) for which a resident or nonresident individual receives reimbursement from
872	another person; and
873	(ii) to the extent to which the resident or nonresident individual subtracts that
874	adoption expense:
875	(A) on a return filed under this chapter for a taxable year beginning on or before
876	December 31, 2007; or
877	(B) from federal taxable income on a federal individual income tax return;
878	(i) the amount of tax paid on income attributed to the individual in accordance with
879	Subsection 59-10-1403.2(2) that is not included in adjusted gross income; and
880	(j) the amount of tax paid:

881	(i) on income attributed to the individual and taxable in this state, that is not included
882	in adjusted gross income;
883	(ii) to another state; and
884	(iii) that the commission determines is substantially similar to the tax imposed under
885	Subsection 59-10-1403.2(2).
886	(2) There shall be subtracted from adjusted gross income of a resident or nonresident
887	individual:
888	(a) the difference between:
889	(i) the interest or a dividend on an obligation or security of the United States or an
890	authority, commission, instrumentality, or possession of the United States, to the
891	extent that interest or dividend is:
892	(A) included in adjusted gross income for federal income tax purposes for the
893	taxable year; and
894	(B) exempt from state income taxes under the laws of the United States; and
895	(ii) any interest on indebtedness incurred or continued to purchase or carry the
896	obligation or security described in Subsection (2)(a)(i);
897	(b) if the conditions of Subsection (3)(a) are met, the amount of income derived by a Ute
898	tribal member:
899	(i) during a time period that the Ute tribal member resides on homesteaded land
900	diminished from the Uintah and Ouray Reservation; and
901	(ii) from a source within the Uintah and Ouray Reservation;
902	(c) an amount received by a resident or nonresident individual or distribution received
903	by a resident or nonresident beneficiary of a resident trust:
904	(i) if that amount or distribution constitutes a refund of taxes imposed by:
905	(A) a state; or
906	(B) the District of Columbia; and
907	(ii) to the extent that amount or distribution is included in adjusted gross income for
908	that taxable year on the federal individual income tax return of the resident or
909	nonresident individual or resident or nonresident beneficiary of a resident trust;
910	(d) the amount of a railroad retirement benefit:
911	(i) paid:
912	(A) in accordance with The Railroad Retirement Act of 1974, 45 U.S.C. Sec. 231
913	et seq.;
914	(B) to a resident or nonresident individual; and

915	(C) for the taxable year; and
916	(ii) to the extent that railroad retirement benefit is included in adjusted gross income
917	on that resident or nonresident individual's federal individual income tax return for
918	that taxable year;
919	(e) an amount:
920	(i) received by an enrolled member of an American Indian tribe; and
921	(ii) to the extent that the state is not authorized or permitted to impose a tax under this
922	part on that amount in accordance with:
923	(A) federal law;
924	(B) a treaty; or
925	(C) a final decision issued by a court of competent jurisdiction;
926	(f) an amount received:
927	(i) for the interest on a bond, note, or other obligation issued by an entity for which
928	state statute provides an exemption of interest on its bonds from state individual
929	income tax;
930	(ii) by a resident or nonresident individual;
931	(iii) for the taxable year; and
932	(iv) to the extent the amount is included in adjusted gross income on the taxpayer's
933	federal income tax return for the taxable year;
934	(g) the amount of all income, including income apportioned to another state, of a
935	nonmilitary spouse of an active duty military member if:
936	(i) both the nonmilitary spouse and the active duty military member are nonresident
937	individuals;
938	(ii) the active duty military member is stationed in Utah;
939	(iii) the nonmilitary spouse is subject to the residency provisions of 50 U.S.C. Sec.
940	4001(a)(2); and
941	(iv) the income is included in adjusted gross income for federal income tax purposes
942	for the taxable year;
943	[(h) for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2019, but beginning on or before
944	December 31, 2019, only:]
945	(i) the amount of any FDIC premium paid or incurred by the taxpayer that is
946	disallowed as a deduction for federal income tax purposes under Section 162(r),
947	Internal Revenue Code, on the taxpayer's 2018 federal income tax return; plus]
948	(ii) the amount of any FDIC premium paid or incurred by the taxpayer that is

949	disallowed as a deduction for federal income tax purposes under Section 162(r),
950	Internal Revenue Code, for the taxable year;]
951	[(i)] (h) [for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2020,]the amount of any
952	FDIC premium paid or incurred by the taxpayer that is disallowed as a deduction for
953	federal income tax purposes under Section 162(r), Internal Revenue Code, for the
954	taxable year; [and]
955	[(i)] (i) an amount of a distribution from a qualified retirement plan under Section 401(a).
956	Internal Revenue Code, if:
957	(i) the amount of the distribution is included in adjusted gross income on the resident
958	or nonresident individual's federal individual income tax return for the taxable
959	year; and
960	(ii) for the taxable year when the amount of the distribution was contributed to the
961	qualified retirement plan, the amount of the distribution:
962	(A) was not included in adjusted gross income on the resident or nonresident
963	individual's federal individual income tax return for the taxable year; and
964	(B) was taxed by another state of the United States, the District of Columbia, or a
965	possession of the United States[-]; and
966	(j) the amount of any repayment in the current taxable year of social security income
967	received in a previous taxable year if:
968	(i) the individual claimed a credit for the repayment on the individual's federal
969	individual income tax return for the current taxable year; and
970	(ii) the individual did not claim a tax credit under Section 59-10-1042 for the taxable
971	year in which the individual received the social security income.
972	(3)(a) A subtraction for an amount described in Subsection (2)(b) is allowed only if:
973	(i) the taxpayer is a Ute tribal member; and
974	(ii) the governor and the Ute tribe execute and maintain an agreement meeting the
975	requirements of this Subsection (3).
976	(b) The agreement described in Subsection (3)(a):
977	(i) may not:
978	(A) authorize the state to impose a tax in addition to a tax imposed under this
979	chapter;
980	(B) provide a subtraction under this section greater than or different from the
981	subtraction described in Subsection (2)(b); or
982	(C) affect the power of the state to establish rates of taxation; and

983	(ii) shall:
984	(A) provide for the implementation of the subtraction described in Subsection
985	(2)(b);
986	(B) be in writing;
987	(C) be signed by:
988	(I) the governor; and
989	(II) the chair of the Business Committee of the Ute tribe;
990	(D) be conditioned on obtaining any approval required by federal law; and
991	(E) state the effective date of the agreement.
992	(c)(i) The governor shall report to the commission by no later than February 1 of
993	each year regarding whether or not an agreement meeting the requirements of this
994	Subsection (3) is in effect.
995	(ii) If an agreement meeting the requirements of this Subsection (3) is terminated, the
996	subtraction permitted under Subsection (2)(b) is not allowed for taxable years
997	beginning on or after the January 1 following the termination of the agreement.
998	(d) For purposes of Subsection (2)(b) and in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah
999	Administrative Rulemaking Act, the commission may make rules:
1000	(i) for determining whether income is derived from a source within the Uintah and
1001	Ouray Reservation; and
1002	(ii) that are substantially similar to how adjusted gross income derived from Utah
1003	sources is determined under Section 59-10-117.
1004	(4)(a) For purposes of this Subsection (4), "Form 8814" means:
1005	(i) the federal individual income tax Form 8814, Parents' Election To Report Child's
1006	Interest and Dividends; or
1007	(ii)(A) a form designated by the commission in accordance with Subsection
1008	(4)(a)(ii)(B) as being substantially similar to 2000 Form 8814 if for purposes of
1009	federal individual income taxes the information contained on 2000 Form 8814
1010	is reported on a form other than Form 8814; and
1011	(B) for purposes of Subsection (4)(a)(ii)(A) and in accordance with Title 63G,
1012	Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the commission may make
1013	rules designating a form as being substantially similar to 2000 Form 8814 if for
1014	purposes of federal individual income taxes the information contained on 2000
1015	Form 8814 is reported on a form other than Form 8814.
1016	(b) The amount of a child's income added to adjusted gross income under Subsection

1017	(1)(b) is equal to the difference between:
1018	(i) the lesser of:
1019	(A) the base amount specified on Form 8814; and
1020	(B) the sum of the following reported on Form 8814:
1021	(I) the child's taxable interest;
1022	(II) the child's ordinary dividends; and
1023	(III) the child's capital gain distributions; and
1024	(ii) the amount not taxed that is specified on Form 8814.
1025	(5) Notwithstanding Subsection (1)(e), interest from bonds, notes, and other evidences of
1026	indebtedness issued by an entity described in Subsections (1)(e)(i)(A) through (D) may
1027	not be added to adjusted gross income of a resident or nonresident individual if, as
1028	annually determined by the commission:
1029	(a) for an entity described in Subsection (1)(e)(i)(A) or (B), the entity and all of the
1030	political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities of the entity do not impose a tax
1031	based on income on any part of the bonds, notes, and other evidences of indebtedness
1032	of this state; or
1033	(b) for an entity described in Subsection (1)(e)(i)(C) or (D), the following do not impose
1034	a tax based on income on any part of the bonds, notes, and other evidences of
1035	indebtedness of this state:
1036	(i) the entity; or
1037	(ii)(A) the state in which the entity is located; or
1038	(B) the District of Columbia, if the entity is located within the District of
1039	Columbia.
1040	Section 10. Section 59-10-510 is amended to read:
1041	59-10-510 (Effective 01/01/26). Return of electing small business corporation.
1042	An electing small business corporation, as defined in Section $[1371(a)(2)]$ 1362,
1043	Internal Revenue Code, shall make a return for each taxable year, stating
1044	specifically:
1045	(1) the items of the electing small business corporation's gross income and the deductions
1046	allowable by Subtitle A, Internal Revenue Code;
1047	(2) the names and addresses of all persons owning stock in the electing small business
1048	corporation at any time during the taxable year;
1049	(3) the number of shares of stock owned by each shareholder at all times during the taxable
1050	vear to each shareholder:

1051	(4) the date of each distribution to a shareholder; and
1052	(5) other information as the commission may prescribe by:
1053	(a) form; or
1054	(b) administrative rule made in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah
1055	Administrative Rulemaking Act.
1056	Section 11. Section 59-10-1037 is amended to read:
1057	59-10-1037 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25). Nonrefundable
1058	enterprise zone tax credit.
1059	(1) As used in this section:
1060	(a) "Business entity" means a claimant, estate, or trust that meets the definition of
1061	"business entity" as that term is defined in Section 63N-2-202.
1062	(b) "Office" means the Governor's Office of Economic Opportunity created in Section
1063	63N-1a-301.
1064	(2) Subject to the provisions of this section, for a taxable year beginning before January 1,
1065	2025, a business entity may claim a nonrefundable enterprise zone tax credit as
1066	described in Section 63N-2-213.
1067	(3) The enterprise zone tax credit under this section is the amount listed as the tax credit
1068	amount on the tax credit certificate that the office issues to the business entity for the
1069	taxable year.
1070	(4) A business entity may carry forward a tax credit under this section for a period that doe
1071	not exceed the next three taxable years, if the amount of the tax credit exceeds the
1072	business entity's tax liability under this chapter for that taxable year.
1073	(5) A business entity may not claim or carry forward a tax credit under this part for a
1074	taxable year during which the business entity has claimed the targeted business income
1075	tax credit under Section 59-10-1112.
1076	(6)(a) In accordance with Section 59-10-137, the Revenue and Taxation Interim
1077	Committee shall study the tax credit allowed by this section and make
1078	recommendations concerning whether the tax credit should be continued, modified,
1079	or repealed.
1080	(b)(i) Except as provided in Subsection (6)(b)(ii), for purposes of the study required
1081	by this Subsection (6), the office shall provide by electronic means the following
1082	information, if available to the office, for each calendar year to the Office of the
1083	Legislative Fiscal Analyst:
1084	(A) the amount of tax credits provided in each development zone:

1085	(B) the number of new full-time employee positions reported to obtain tax credits
1086	in each development zone;
1087	(C) the amount of tax credits awarded for rehabilitating a building in each
1088	development zone;
1089	(D) the amount of tax credits awarded for investing in a plant, equipment, or other
1090	depreciable property in each development zone;
1091	(E) the information related to the tax credit contained in the office's latest report
1092	under Section 63N-1a-306; and
1093	(F) other information that the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst requests.
1094	(ii)(A) In providing the information described in Subsection (6)(b)(i), the office
1095	shall redact information that identifies a recipient of a tax credit under this
1096	section.
1097	(B) If, notwithstanding the redactions made under Subsection (6)(b)(ii)(A),
1098	reporting the information described in Subsection (6)(b)(i) might disclose the
1099	identity of a recipient of a tax credit, the office may file a request with the
1100	Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee to provide the information described
1101	in Subsection (6)(b)(i) in the aggregate for all development zones that receive
1102	the tax credit under this section.
1103	(c) As part of the study required by this Subsection (6), the Office of the Legislative
1104	Fiscal Analyst shall report to the Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee a
1105	summary and analysis of the information provided to the Office of the Legislative
1106	Fiscal Analyst by the office under Subsection (6)(b).
1107	(d) The Revenue and Taxation Interim Committee shall ensure that the
1108	recommendations described in Subsection (6)(a) include an evaluation of:
1109	(i) the cost of the tax credit to the state;
1110	(ii) the purpose and effectiveness of the tax credit; and
1111	(iii) the extent to which the state benefits from the tax credit.
1112	Section 12. Section 59-10-1042 is amended to read:
1113	59-10-1042 (Effective 01/01/26). Nonrefundable tax credit for social security
1114	benefits.
1115	(1) As used in this section:
1116	(a) "Head of household filing status" means the same as that term is defined in Section
1117	59-10-1018.
1118	(b) "Joint filing status" means the same as that term is defined in Section 59-10-1018.

1119	(c) "Married filing separately status" means a married individual who:	
1120	(i) does not file a single federal individual income tax return jointly with that marrie	d
1121	individual's spouse for the taxable year; and	
1122	(ii) files a single federal individual income tax return for the taxable year.	
1123	(d) "Modified adjusted gross income" means the sum of the following for a claimant or,	
1124	if the claimant's return under this chapter is allowed a joint filing status, the claimant	
1125	and the claimant's spouse:	
1126	(i) adjusted gross income for the taxable year for which a tax credit is claimed under	r
1127	this section;	
1128	(ii) any interest income that is not included in adjusted gross income for the taxable	
1129	year described in Subsection (1)(d)(i); and	
1130	(iii) any addition to adjusted gross income required by Section 59-10-114 for the	
1131	taxable year described in Subsection (1)(d)(i).	
1132	(e) "Single filing status" means a single individual who files a single federal individual	
1133	income tax return for the taxable year.	
1134	(f) "Social security benefit" means an amount received by a claimant as a monthly	
1135	benefit in accordance with the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. Sec. 401 et seq.	
1136	(2) Except as provided in Section 59-10-1002.2 and Subsections (3) and (4), each claimant	
1137	on a return that receives a social security benefit may claim a nonrefundable tax credit	
1138	against taxes otherwise due under this part equal to the product of:	
1139	(a) the percentage listed in Subsection 59-10-104(2); and	
1140	(b) the claimant's social security benefit that is included in adjusted gross income on the	
1141	claimant's federal income tax return for the taxable year.	
1142	(3) A claimant may not:	
1143	(a) carry forward or carry back the amount of a tax credit under this section that exceeds	;
1144	the claimant's tax liability for the taxable year; or	
1145	(b) claim a tax credit under this section for a taxable year if a tax credit under Section	
1146	59-10-1019 is claimed on the claimant's return for the same taxable year.	
1147	(4) The tax credit allowed by Subsection (2) claimed on a return filed under this part shall	
1148	be reduced by \$.025 for each dollar by which modified adjusted gross income for	
1149	purposes of the return exceeds:	
1150	(a) for a federal individual income tax return that is allowed a married filing separately	
1151	status, \$37,500;	
1152	(b) for a federal individual income tax return that is allowed a single filing status,	

1153	\$45,000;
1154	(c) for a federal individual income tax return that is allowed a head of household filing
1155	status, \$75,000; or
1156	(d) for a federal income tax return [under this chapter] that is allowed a joint filing
1157	status, \$75,000.
1158	(5) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the
1159	commission may make rules governing the calculation and method for claiming the tax
1160	credit described in this section.
1161	Section 13. Section 59-10-1102.2 is enacted to read:
1162	59-10-1102.2 (Effective 05/07/25) (Retrospective 01/01/25). Removal of tax
1163	credit from tax return and prohibition on claiming a tax credit Conditions for
1164	removal and prohibition on claiming a tax credit Commission publishing
1165	requirements.
1166	(1) As used in this section, "tax return" means a tax return filed in accordance with this
1167	chapter.
1168	(2) Beginning two taxable years after the requirements of Subsection (3) are met:
1169	(a) the commission shall remove a tax credit allowed under this part from each tax return
1170	on which the tax credit appears; and
1171	(b) a claimant, estate, or trust filing a tax return may not claim the tax credit.
1172	(3) The commission shall remove a tax credit allowed under this part from a tax return and
1173	a claimant, estate, or trust filing a tax return may not claim the tax credit as provided in
1174	Subsection (2) if:
1175	(a) the total amount of the tax credit claimed by all claimants, estates, or trusts filing tax
1176	returns is less than \$10,000 per year for three consecutive taxable years beginning on
1177	or after January 1, 2025; and
1178	(b) fewer than 10 claimants, estates, and trusts per year for the three consecutive taxable
1179	years described in Subsection (3)(a), file a tax return claiming the tax credit.
1180	(4) On or before the November interim meeting of the year after the taxable year in which
1181	the requirements of Subsection (3) are met, the commission shall report to the Revenue
1182	and Taxation Interim Committee by electronic means that in accordance with this
1183	section:
1184	(a) the commission is required to remove a tax credit from each tax return on which the
1185	tax credit appears; and
1186	(b) a claimant, estate, or trust filing a tax return may not claim the tax credit.

1187	(5)(a) Within a 30-day period after the day on which the commission makes the report
1188	required by Subsection (4), the commission shall publish a list in accordance with
1189	Subsection (4)(b) stating each tax credit that the commission will remove from a
1190	return on which the tax credit appears.
1191	(b) The list shall:
1192	(i) be published on:
1193	(A) the commission's website; and
1194	(B) the public legal notice website in accordance with Section 45-1-101;
1195	(ii) include a statement that:
1196	(A) the commission is required to remove the tax credit from each return on which
1197	the tax credit appears; and
1198	(B) the tax credit may not be claimed on a return;
1199	(iii) state the taxable year for which the removal described in Subsection (5)(a) takes
1200	effect; and
1201	(iv) remain available for viewing and searching until the commission publishes a new
1202	list in accordance with this Subsection (5).
1203	Section 14. Section 63I-2-259 is amended to read:
1204	63I-2-259 (Effective 05/07/25). Repeal dates: Title 59.
1205	(1) Subsection 59-7-159(3)(b)(iii), referencing Section 59-7-614.10, is repealed December
1206	<u>31, 2026.</u>
1207	[(1)] (2) Subsection 59-7-610(8), regarding claiming a tax credit in the same taxable year as
1208	the targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31, 2024.
1209	(3) Section 59-7-614.10 is repealed December 31, 2026.
1210	[(2)] (4) Subsection 59-7-614.10(5), regarding claiming a tax credit in the same taxable year
1211	as the targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31, 2024.
1212	[(3)] (5) Section 59-7-624, Targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31,
1213	2024.
1214	(6) Subsection 59-10-137(3)(b)(viii), referencing Section 59-10-1037, is repealed
1215	December 31, 2026.
1216	[(4)] (7) Subsection 59-10-210(2)(b)(vi), regarding Section 59-10-1112, is repealed
1217	December 31, 2024.
1218	[(5)] (8) Subsection 59-10-1007(8), regarding claiming a tax credit in the same taxable year
1219	as the targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31, 2024.
1220	(9) Section 59-10-1037 is repealed December 31, 2026

- [(6)] (10) Subsection 59-10-1037(5), regarding claiming a tax credit in the same taxable
- year as the targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31, 2024.
- 1223 [(7)] (11) Section 59-10-1112, Targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December
- 1224 31, 2024.
- Section 15. Section **63I-2-263** is amended to read:
- 1226 63I-2-263 (Effective 05/07/25). Repeal dates: Titles 63A through 63O.
- 1227 (1) Title 63A, Chapter 2, Part 5, Educational Interpretation and Translation Services
- Procurement Advisory Council is repealed July 1, 2025.
- 1229 (2) Section 63A-17-806, Definitions -- Infant at Work Pilot Program -- Administration --
- Report, is repealed June 30, 2026.
- 1231 (3) Section 63C-1-103, Appointment and terms of boards, committees, councils, and
- 1232 commissions transitioning on October 1, 2024, or December 31, 2024, is repealed July
- 1233 1, 2025.
- 1234 (4) Section 63C-1-104, Appointment and terms of boards transitioning on October 1, 2024,
- is repealed January 1, 2025.
- 1236 (5) Title 63C, Chapter 29, Domestic Violence Data Task Force, is repealed October 1, 2024.
- 1237 (6) Subsection 63G-6a-802(1)(e), regarding a procurement for a presidential debate, is
- repealed January 1, 2025.
- 1239 (7) Subsection 63G-6a-802(3)(b)(iii), regarding a procurement for a presidential debate, is
- repealed January 1, 2025.
- 1241 (8) Subsection 63H-7a-403(2)(b), regarding the charge to maintain the public safety
- 1242 communications network, is repealed July 1, 2033.
- 1243 (9) Subsection 63J-1-602.2(47), regarding appropriations to the State Tax Commission for
- deferral reimbursements, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- 1245 (10) Section 63M-7-221, Expungement working group, is repealed April 30, 2025.
- 1246 (11) Section 63M-7-504, Crime Victim Reparations and Assistance Board -- Members, is
- repealed December 31, 2024.
- 1248 (12) Section 63M-7-505, Board and office within Commission on Criminal and Juvenile
- Justice, is repealed December 31, 2024.
- 1250 (13) Title 63M, Chapter 7, Part 6, Utah Council on Victims of Crime, is repealed December
- 1251 31, 2024.
- 1252 (14) Subsection 63N-2-213(12)(a), regarding claiming a tax credit in the same taxable year
- as the targeted business income tax credit, is repealed December 31, 2024.
- 1254 (15) Title 63N, Chapter 2, Part 2, Enterprise Zone Act, is repealed December 31, 2026.

1255	[(15)] (16) Title 63N, Chapter 2, Part 3, Targeted Business Income Tax Credit in an
1256	Enterprise Zone, is repealed December 31, 2024.
1257	Section 16. Effective Date.
1258	(1) Except as provided in Subsection (2), this bill takes effect on May 7, 2025.
1259	(2) The actions affecting the following sections take effect for a taxable year
1260	beginning on or after January 1, 2026:
1261	(a) Section 59-1-1801 (Effective 01/01/26);
1262	(b) Section 59-1-1802 (Effective 01/01/26);
1263	(c) Section 59-10-104.1 (Effective 01/01/26);
1264	(d) Section 59-10-114 (Effective 01/01/26);
1265	(e) Section 59-10-510 (Effective 01/01/26); and
1266	(f) Section 59-10-1042 (Effective 01/01/26).
1267	Section 17. Retrospective operation.
1268	The following sections have retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or
1269	after January 1, 2025:
1270	(1) Section 59-7-614;
1271	(2) Section 59-7-614.10; and
1272	(3) Section 59-10-1037.