HB23-1240

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Brown

1 Amend printed bill, page 5 strike lines 1 through 9 and substitute:

- "(3) (a) The sale, storage, use, or consumption of construction and building materials used directly in rebuilding or repairing a qualified homeowner's qualified residential structure is exempt from taxation under parts 1 and 2 of this article 26 as set forth in this section.
- (b) The exemption created in subsection (3)(a) of this section shall be administered solely as a refund allowed to qualified homeowners to be applied for in accordance with this section and section 39-26-703. No retailer may exempt any sale pursuant to this section.
- (c) The exemption created in subsection (3)(a) of this section applies only to the state sales and use taxes levied pursuant to this article 26. Notwithstanding any other provision of Law, the exemption shall not apply to the sales or use taxes levied by any local government, including any city, town, county, special purpose district, or limited purpose governmental entity.
- (4) (a) A QUALIFIED HOMEOWNER MAY CLAIM A REFUND ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION FOR EACH QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FOR WHICH THE QUALIFIED HOMEOWNER OBTAINS A BUILDING PERMIT AND A WILDFIRE REBUILD EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY A LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (5) OF THIS SECTION.
- (b) THE AMOUNT OF A REFUND CLAIMED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE EQUAL TO TWO AND NINETY-ONE HUNDREDTHS PERCENT OF THE ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION AND BUILDING MATERIALS COST FOR REPAIRING OR REBUILDING THE QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF THE BUILDING PERMIT AND WILDFIRE REBUILD EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE.
- (c) A QUALIFIED HOMEOWNER MUST SUBMIT A CLAIM FOR REFUND ON THE FORM AND IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. THE CLAIM FOR REFUND MUST INCLUDE THE WILDFIRE REBUILD EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (5) OF THIS SECTION AND A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF EACH BUILDING PERMIT IDENTIFIED IN THE WILDFIRE REBUILD EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE.
- (d) The three-year application deadline in Section 39-26-703 (2)(d) for a sales tax refund or refund of any use tax collected by a vendor does not apply to a claim for refund made pursuant to this section. A claim for refund made pursuant to this section must be filed on or before June 30, 2028.".

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