

HB 1467

2004

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other
 3 transactions; creating s. 212.086, F.S.; exempting energy-
 4 efficient appliances from the tax; providing a definition;
 5 providing an effective date.

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 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 9 Section 1. Section 212.086, Florida Statutes, is created
 10 to read:

11 212.086 Sales tax exemption; sales of energy-efficient
 12 appliances.--The sale at retail in this state of any energy-
 13 efficient appliance is hereby specifically exempt from the tax
 14 imposed by this chapter. For purposes of this section, "energy-
 15 efficient appliance" means any dishwasher, clothes washer,
 16 ceiling fan, refrigerator, room air conditioning unit, central
 17 air conditioner, dehumidifier, programmable thermostat, lighting
 18 fixture, or compact fluorescent light bulb that is certified by
 19 the United States Department of Energy as meeting or exceeding
 20 such agency's energy-saving efficiency requirements and that is
 21 designated as meeting or exceeding such requirements under the
 22 agency's Energy Star program.

23 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.

CODING: Words **stricken** are deletions; words **underlined** are additions.