

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to sales tax holiday for ENERGY STAR  
 3           and WaterSense products; providing a sales tax  
 4           exemption for certain ENERGY STAR and WaterSense  
 5           products during a specified timeframe; defining terms;  
 6           providing an effective date.

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

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 10       Section 1.   ENERGY STAR and WaterSense products; sales tax  
 11       holiday.-

12           (1) The tax levied under chapter 212, Florida Statutes,  
 13       may not be collected during the period from 12:01 a.m. on April  
 14       22, 2022, through 11:59 p.m. on April 24, 2022, on the retail  
 15       sale of a new ENERGY STAR or WaterSense product.

16           (2) As used in this section, the term:

17           (a) "ENERGY STAR product" means a room air conditioner,  
 18       air purifier, ceiling fan, clothes washer, clothes dryer,  
 19       dehumidifier, dishwasher, freezer, refrigerator, water heater,  
 20       swimming pool pump, or package of light bulbs designated by the  
 21       United States Environmental Protection Agency and the United  
 22       States Department of Energy by April 1, 2022, as meeting or  
 23       exceeding each agency's requirements under the ENERGY STAR  
 24       program. Each product must be affixed with an ENERGY STAR label.

25           (b) "WaterSense product" means a bathroom sink faucet,

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26 faucet accessory, high-efficiency toilet or urinal, showerhead,  
27 or weather- or sensor-based irrigation controller that is  
28 recognized as water efficient by the WaterSense program  
29 sponsored by the United States Environmental Protection Agency  
30 by April 1, 2022. Each product must be affixed with a WaterSense  
31 label.

32 (3) The Department of Revenue is authorized, and all  
33 conditions are deemed met, to adopt emergency rules pursuant to  
34 s. 120.54(4), Florida Statutes, to administer this section.

35 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.