

SB 5220 - S AMD 398
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1 Beginning on page 2, line 9, strike all of section 2 and insert
2 the following:

3 **"Sec. 2.** RCW 82.04.050 and 2021 c 4 s 3 are each amended to read
4 as follows:

5 (1)(a) "Sale at retail" or "retail sale" means every sale of
6 tangible personal property (including articles produced, fabricated,
7 or imprinted) to all persons irrespective of the nature of their
8 business and including, among others, without limiting the scope
9 hereof, persons who install, repair, clean, alter, improve,
10 construct, or decorate real or personal property of or for consumers
11 other than a sale to a person who:

12 (i) Purchases for the purpose of resale as tangible personal
13 property in the regular course of business without intervening use by
14 such person, but a purchase for the purpose of resale by a regional
15 transit authority under RCW 81.112.300 is not a sale for resale; or

16 (ii) Installs, repairs, cleans, alters, imprints, improves,
17 constructs, or decorates real or personal property of or for
18 consumers, if such tangible personal property becomes an ingredient
19 or component of such real or personal property without intervening
20 use by such person; or

21 (iii) Purchases for the purpose of consuming the property
22 purchased in producing for sale as a new article of tangible personal
23 property or substance, of which such property becomes an ingredient
24 or component or is a chemical used in processing, when the primary
25 purpose of such chemical is to create a chemical reaction directly
26 through contact with an ingredient of a new article being produced
27 for sale; or

28 (iv) Purchases for the purpose of consuming the property
29 purchased in producing ferrosilicon which is subsequently used in
30 producing magnesium for sale, if the primary purpose of such property
31 is to create a chemical reaction directly through contact with an
32 ingredient of ferrosilicon; or

1 (v) Purchases for the purpose of providing the property to
2 consumers as part of competitive telephone service, as defined in RCW
3 82.04.065; or

4 (vi) Purchases for the purpose of satisfying the person's
5 obligations under an extended warranty as defined in subsection (7)
6 of this section, if such tangible personal property replaces or
7 becomes an ingredient or component of property covered by the
8 extended warranty without intervening use by such person.

9 (b) The term includes every sale of tangible personal property
10 that is used or consumed or to be used or consumed in the performance
11 of any activity defined as a "sale at retail" or "retail sale" even
12 though such property is resold or used as provided in (a)(i) through
13 (vi) of this subsection following such use.

14 (c) The term also means every sale of tangible personal property
15 to persons engaged in any business that is taxable under RCW
16 82.04.280(1) (a), (b), and (g), 82.04.290, and 82.04.2908.

17 (2) The term "sale at retail" or "retail sale" includes the sale
18 of or charge made for tangible personal property consumed and/or for
19 labor and services rendered in respect to the following:

20 (a) The installing, repairing, cleaning, altering, imprinting, or
21 improving of tangible personal property of or for consumers,
22 including charges made for the mere use of facilities in respect
23 thereto, but excluding charges made for the use of self-service
24 laundry facilities, and also excluding sales of laundry service to
25 nonprofit health care facilities, and excluding services rendered in
26 respect to live animals, birds and insects;

27 (b) The constructing, repairing, decorating, or improving of new
28 or existing buildings or other structures under, upon, or above real
29 property of or for consumers, including the installing or attaching
30 of any article of tangible personal property therein or thereto,
31 whether or not such personal property becomes a part of the realty by
32 virtue of installation, and also includes the sale of services or
33 charges made for the clearing of land and the moving of earth
34 excepting the mere leveling of land used in commercial farming or
35 agriculture;

36 (c) The constructing, repairing, or improving of any structure
37 upon, above, or under any real property owned by an owner who conveys
38 the property by title, possession, or any other means to the person
39 performing such construction, repair, or improvement for the purpose
40 of performing such construction, repair, or improvement and the

1 property is then reconveyed by title, possession, or any other means
2 to the original owner;

3 (d) The cleaning, fumigating, razing, or moving of existing
4 buildings or structures, but does not include the charge made for
5 janitorial services; and for purposes of this section the term
6 "janitorial services" means those cleaning and caretaking services
7 ordinarily performed by commercial janitor service businesses
8 including, but not limited to, wall and window washing, floor
9 cleaning and waxing, and the cleaning in place of rugs, drapes and
10 upholstery. The term "janitorial services" does not include painting,
11 papering, repairing, furnace or septic tank cleaning, snow removal or
12 sandblasting;

13 (e) Automobile towing and similar automotive transportation
14 services, but not in respect to those required to report and pay
15 taxes under chapter 82.16 RCW;

16 (f) The furnishing of lodging and all other services by a hotel,
17 rooming house, tourist court, motel, trailer camp, and the granting
18 of any similar license to use real property, as distinguished from
19 the renting or leasing of real property, and it is presumed that the
20 occupancy of real property for a continuous period of one month or
21 more constitutes a rental or lease of real property and not a mere
22 license to use or enjoy the same. For the purposes of this
23 subsection, it is presumed that the sale of and charge made for the
24 furnishing of lodging for a continuous period of one month or more to
25 a person is a rental or lease of real property and not a mere license
26 to enjoy the same;

27 (g) The installing, repairing, altering, or improving of digital
28 goods for consumers;

29 (h) Persons taxable under (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g)
30 of this subsection when such sales or charges are for property, labor
31 and services which are used or consumed in whole or in part by such
32 persons in the performance of any activity defined as a "sale at
33 retail" or "retail sale" even though such property, labor and
34 services may be resold after such use or consumption. Nothing
35 contained in this subsection may be construed to modify subsection
36 (1) of this section and nothing contained in subsection (1) of this
37 section may be construed to modify this subsection.

38 (3) The term "sale at retail" or "retail sale" includes the sale
39 of or charge made for personal, business, or professional services
40 including amounts designated as interest, rents, fees, admission, and

1 other service emoluments however designated, received by persons
2 engaging in the following business activities:

3 (a) Abstract, title insurance, and escrow services;

4 (b) Credit bureau services;

5 (c) Automobile parking and storage garage services;

6 (d) Landscape maintenance and horticultural services but
7 excluding (i) horticultural services provided to farmers and (ii)
8 pruning, trimming, repairing, removing, and clearing of trees and
9 brush near electric transmission or distribution lines or equipment,
10 if performed by or at the direction of an electric utility;

11 (e) Service charges associated with tickets to professional
12 sporting events;

13 (f) The following personal services: Tanning salon services,
14 tattoo parlor services, steam bath services, turkish bath services,
15 escort services, and dating services; and

16 (g) (i) Operating an athletic or fitness facility, including all
17 charges for the use of such a facility or for any associated services
18 and amenities, except as provided in (g) (ii) of this subsection.

19 (ii) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in (g) (i) of this
20 subsection (3), the term "sale at retail" and "retail sale" under
21 this subsection does not include:

22 (A) Separately stated charges for the use of an athletic or
23 fitness facility where such use is primarily for a purpose other than
24 engaging in or receiving instruction in a physical fitness activity;

25 (B) Separately stated charges for the use of a discrete portion
26 of an athletic or fitness facility, other than a pool, where such
27 discrete portion of the facility does not by itself meet the
28 definition of "athletic or fitness facility" in this subsection;

29 (C) Separately stated charges for services, such as advertising,
30 massage, nutritional consulting, and body composition testing, that
31 do not require the customer to engage in physical fitness activities
32 to receive the service. The exclusion in this subsection
33 (3) (g) (ii) (C) does not apply to personal training services and
34 instruction in a physical fitness activity;

35 (D) Separately stated charges for physical therapy provided by a
36 physical therapist, as those terms are defined in RCW 18.74.010, or
37 occupational therapy provided by an occupational therapy
38 practitioner, as those terms are defined in RCW 18.59.020, when
39 performed pursuant to a referral from an authorized health care
40 practitioner or in consultation with an authorized health care

1 practitioner. For the purposes of this subsection (3)(g)(ii)(D), an
2 authorized health care practitioner means a health care practitioner
3 licensed under chapter 18.83, 18.25, 18.36A, 18.57, 18.71, or 18.71A
4 RCW, or, until July 1, 2022, chapter 18.57A RCW;

5 (E) Rent or association fees charged by a landlord or residential
6 association to a tenant or residential owner with access to an
7 athletic or fitness facility maintained by the landlord or
8 residential association, unless the rent or fee varies depending on
9 whether the tenant or owner has access to the facility;

10 (F) Services provided in the regular course of employment by an
11 employee with access to an athletic or fitness facility maintained by
12 the employer for use without charge by its employees or their family
13 members;

14 (G) The provision of access to an athletic or fitness facility by
15 an educational institution to its students and staff. However,
16 charges made by an educational institution to its alumni or other
17 members of the public for the use of any of the educational
18 institution's athletic or fitness facilities are a retail sale under
19 this subsection (3)(g). For purposes of this subsection
20 (3)(g)(ii)(G), "educational institution" has the same meaning as in
21 RCW 82.04.170;

22 (H) Yoga, chi gong, or martial arts classes, training, or events
23 held at a community center, park, school gymnasium, college or
24 university, hospital or other medical facility, private residence, or
25 any other facility that is not operated within and as part of an
26 athletic or fitness facility.

27 (iii) Nothing in (g)(ii) of this subsection (3) may be construed
28 to affect the taxation of sales made by the operator of an athletic
29 or fitness facility, where such sales are defined as a retail sale
30 under any provision of this section other than this subsection (3).

31 (iv) For the purposes of this subsection (3)(g), the following
32 definitions apply:

33 (A) "Athletic or fitness facility" means an indoor or outdoor
34 facility or portion of a facility that is primarily used for:
35 Exercise classes; strength and conditioning programs; personal
36 training services; tennis, racquetball, handball, squash, or
37 pickleball; or other activities requiring the use of exercise or
38 strength training equipment, such as treadmills, elliptical machines,
39 stair climbers, stationary cycles, rowing machines, pilates

1 equipment, balls, climbing ropes, jump ropes, and weightlifting
2 equipment.

3 (B) "Martial arts" means any of the various systems of training
4 for physical combat or self-defense. "Martial arts" includes, but is
5 not limited to, karate, kung fu, tae kwon do, Krav Maga, boxing,
6 kickboxing, jujitsu, shootfighting, wrestling, aikido, judo, hapkido,
7 Kendo, tai chi, and mixed martial arts.

8 (C) "Physical fitness activities" means activities that involve
9 physical exertion for the purpose of improving or maintaining the
10 general fitness, strength, flexibility, conditioning, or health of
11 the participant. "Physical fitness activities" includes participating
12 in yoga, chi gong, or martial arts.

13 (4) (a) The term also includes the renting or leasing of tangible
14 personal property to consumers.

15 (b) The term does not include the renting or leasing of tangible
16 personal property where the lease or rental is for the purpose of
17 sublease or subrent.

18 (5) The term also includes the providing of "competitive
19 telephone service," "telecommunications service," or "ancillary
20 services," as those terms are defined in RCW 82.04.065, to consumers.

21 (6) (a) The term also includes the sale of prewritten computer
22 software to a consumer, regardless of the method of delivery to the
23 end user. For purposes of (a) and (b) of this subsection, the sale of
24 prewritten computer software includes the sale of or charge made for
25 a key or an enabling or activation code, where the key or code is
26 required to activate prewritten computer software and put the
27 software into use. There is no separate sale of the key or code from
28 the prewritten computer software, regardless of how the sale may be
29 characterized by the vendor or by the purchaser.

30 (b) The term "retail sale" does not include the sale of or charge
31 made for:

32 (i) Custom software; or

33 (ii) The customization of prewritten computer software.

34 (c) (i) The term also includes the charge made to consumers for
35 the right to access and use prewritten computer software, where
36 possession of the software is maintained by the seller or a third
37 party, regardless of whether the charge for the service is on a per
38 use, per user, per license, subscription, or some other basis.

1 (ii)(A) The service described in (c)(i) of this subsection (6)
2 includes the right to access and use prewritten computer software to
3 perform data processing.

4 (B) For purposes of this subsection (6)(c)(ii), "data processing"
5 means the systematic performance of operations on data to extract the
6 required information in an appropriate form or to convert the data to
7 usable information. Data processing includes check processing, image
8 processing, form processing, survey processing, payroll processing,
9 claim processing, and similar activities.

10 (7) The term also includes the sale of or charge made for an
11 extended warranty to a consumer. For purposes of this subsection,
12 "extended warranty" means an agreement for a specified duration to
13 perform the replacement or repair of tangible personal property at no
14 additional charge or a reduced charge for tangible personal property,
15 labor, or both, or to provide indemnification for the replacement or
16 repair of tangible personal property, based on the occurrence of
17 specified events. The term "extended warranty" does not include an
18 agreement, otherwise meeting the definition of extended warranty in
19 this subsection, if no separate charge is made for the agreement and
20 the value of the agreement is included in the sales price of the
21 tangible personal property covered by the agreement. For purposes of
22 this subsection, "sales price" has the same meaning as in RCW
23 82.08.010.

24 (8)(a) The term also includes the following sales to consumers of
25 digital goods, digital codes, and digital automated services:

26 (i) Sales in which the seller has granted the purchaser the right
27 of permanent use;

28 (ii) Sales in which the seller has granted the purchaser a right
29 of use that is less than permanent;

30 (iii) Sales in which the purchaser is not obligated to make
31 continued payment as a condition of the sale; and

32 (iv) Sales in which the purchaser is obligated to make continued
33 payment as a condition of the sale.

34 (b) A retail sale of digital goods, digital codes, or digital
35 automated services under this subsection (8) includes any services
36 provided by the seller exclusively in connection with the digital
37 goods, digital codes, or digital automated services, whether or not a
38 separate charge is made for such services.

39 (c) For purposes of this subsection, "permanent" means perpetual
40 or for an indefinite or unspecified length of time. A right of

1 permanent use is presumed to have been granted unless the agreement
2 between the seller and the purchaser specifies or the circumstances
3 surrounding the transaction suggest or indicate that the right to use
4 terminates on the occurrence of a condition subsequent.

5 (9) The term also includes the charge made for providing tangible
6 personal property along with an operator for a fixed or indeterminate
7 period of time. A consideration of this is that the operator is
8 necessary for the tangible personal property to perform as designed.
9 For the purpose of this subsection (9), an operator must do more than
10 maintain, inspect, or set up the tangible personal property.

11 (10) The term does not include the sale of or charge made for
12 labor and services rendered in respect to the building, repairing, or
13 improving of any street, place, road, highway, easement, right-of-
14 way, mass public transportation terminal or parking facility, bridge,
15 tunnel, or trestle which is owned by a municipal corporation or
16 political subdivision of the state or by the United States and which
17 is used or to be used primarily for foot or vehicular traffic
18 including mass transportation vehicles of any kind.

19 (11) The term also does not include sales of chemical sprays or
20 washes to persons for the purpose of postharvest treatment of fruit
21 for the prevention of scald, fungus, mold, or decay, nor does it
22 include sales of feed, seed, seedlings, fertilizer, agents for
23 enhanced pollination including insects such as bees, and spray
24 materials to: (a) Persons who participate in the federal conservation
25 reserve program, the environmental quality incentives program, the
26 wetlands reserve program, and the wildlife habitat incentives
27 program, or their successors administered by the United States
28 department of agriculture; (b) farmers for the purpose of producing
29 for sale any agricultural product; (c) farmers for the purpose of
30 providing bee pollination services; and (d) farmers acting under
31 cooperative habitat development or access contracts with an
32 organization exempt from federal income tax under 26 U.S.C. Sec.
33 501(c)(3) of the federal internal revenue code or the Washington
34 state department of fish and wildlife to produce or improve wildlife
35 habitat on land that the farmer owns or leases.

36 (12) The term does not include the sale of or charge made for
37 labor and services rendered in respect to the constructing,
38 repairing, decorating, or improving of new or existing buildings or
39 other structures under, upon, or above real property of or for the
40 United States, any instrumentality thereof, or a county or city

1 housing authority created pursuant to chapter 35.82 RCW, including
2 the installing, or attaching of any article of tangible personal
3 property therein or thereto, whether or not such personal property
4 becomes a part of the realty by virtue of installation. Nor does the
5 term include the sale of services or charges made for the clearing of
6 land and the moving of earth of or for the United States, any
7 instrumentality thereof, or a county or city housing authority. Nor
8 does the term include the sale of services or charges made for
9 cleaning up for the United States, or its instrumentalities,
10 radioactive waste and other by-products of weapons production and
11 nuclear research and development.

12 (13) The term does not include the sale of or charge made for
13 labor, services, or tangible personal property pursuant to agreements
14 providing maintenance services for bus, rail, or rail fixed guideway
15 equipment when a regional transit authority is the recipient of the
16 labor, services, or tangible personal property, and a transit agency,
17 as defined in RCW 81.104.015, performs the labor or services.

18 (14) The term does not include the sale for resale of any service
19 described in this section if the sale would otherwise constitute a
20 "sale at retail" and "retail sale" under this section.

21 (15)(a) The term "sale at retail" or "retail sale" includes
22 amounts charged, however labeled, to consumers to engage in any of
23 the activities listed in this subsection (15)(a), including the
24 furnishing of any associated equipment or, except as otherwise
25 provided in this subsection, providing instruction in such
26 activities, where such charges are not otherwise defined as a "sale
27 at retail" or "retail sale" in this section:

28 (i)(A) Golf, including any variant in which either golf balls or
29 golf clubs are used, such as miniature golf, hitting golf balls at a
30 driving range, and golf simulators, and including fees charged by a
31 golf course to a player for using his or her own cart. However,
32 charges for golf instruction are not a retail sale, provided that if
33 the instruction involves the use of a golfing facility that would
34 otherwise require the payment of a fee, such as green fees or driving
35 range fees, such fees, including the applicable retail sales tax,
36 must be separately identified and charged by the golfing facility
37 operator to the instructor or the person receiving the instruction.

38 (B) Notwithstanding (a)(i)(A) of this subsection (15) and except
39 as otherwise provided in this subsection (15)(a)(i)(B), the term
40 "sale at retail" or "retail sale" does not include amounts charged to

1 participate in, or conduct, a golf tournament or other competitive
2 event. However, amounts paid by event participants to the golf
3 facility operator are retail sales under this subsection (15)(a)(i).
4 Likewise, amounts paid by the event organizer to the golf facility
5 are retail sales under this subsection (15)(a)(i), if such amounts
6 vary based on the number of event participants;

7 (ii) Ballooning, hang gliding, indoor or outdoor sky diving,
8 paragliding, parasailing, and similar activities;

9 (iii) Air hockey, billiards, pool, foosball, darts, shuffleboard,
10 ping pong, and similar games;

11 (iv) Access to amusement park, theme park, and water park
12 facilities, including but not limited to charges for admission and
13 locker or cabana rentals. Discrete charges for rides or other
14 attractions or entertainment that are in addition to the charge for
15 admission are not a retail sale under this subsection (15)(a)(iv).
16 For the purposes of this subsection, an amusement park or theme park
17 is a location that provides permanently affixed amusement rides,
18 games, and other entertainment, but does not include parks or zoos
19 for which the primary purpose is the exhibition of wildlife, or
20 fairs, carnivals, and festivals as defined in (b)(i) of this
21 subsection;

22 (v) Batting cage activities;

23 (vi) Bowling, but not including competitive events, except that
24 amounts paid by the event participants to the bowling alley operator
25 are retail sales under this subsection (15)(a)(vi). Likewise, amounts
26 paid by the event organizer to the operator of the bowling alley are
27 retail sales under this subsection (15)(a)(vi), if such amounts vary
28 based on the number of event participants;

29 (vii) Climbing on artificial climbing structures, whether indoors
30 or outdoors;

31 (viii) Day trips for sightseeing purposes;

32 (ix) Bungee jumping, zip lining, and riding inside a ball,
33 whether inflatable or otherwise;

34 (x) Horseback riding offered to the public, where the seller
35 furnishes the horse to the buyer and providing instruction is not the
36 primary focus of the activity, including guided rides, but not
37 including therapeutic horseback riding provided by an instructor
38 certified by a nonprofit organization that offers national or
39 international certification for therapeutic riding instructors;

1 (xi) Fishing, including providing access to private fishing areas
2 and charter or guided fishing, except that fishing contests and
3 license fees imposed by a government entity are not a retail sale
4 under this subsection;

5 (xii) Guided hunting and hunting at game farms and shooting
6 preserves, except that hunting contests and license fees imposed by a
7 government entity are not a retail sale under this subsection;

8 (xiii) Swimming, but only in respect to (A) recreational or
9 fitness swimming that is open to the public, such as open swim, lap
10 swimming, and special events like kids night out and pool parties
11 during open swim time, and (B) pool parties for private events, such
12 as birthdays, family gatherings, and employee outings. Fees for
13 swimming lessons, to participate in swim meets and other
14 competitions, or to join a swim team, club, or aquatic facility are
15 not retail sales under this subsection (15) (a) (xiii);

16 (xiv) Go-karting, bumper cars, and other motorized activities
17 where the seller provides the vehicle and the premises where the
18 buyer will operate the vehicle;

19 (xv) Indoor or outdoor playground activities, such as inflatable
20 bounce structures and other inflatables; mazes; trampolines; slides;
21 ball pits; games of tag, including laser tag and soft-dart tag; and
22 human gyroscope rides, regardless of whether such activities occur at
23 the seller's place of business, but not including playground
24 activities provided for children by a licensed child day care center
25 or licensed family day care provider as those terms are defined in
26 RCW 43.216.010;

27 (xvi) Shooting sports and activities, such as target shooting,
28 skeet, trap, sporting clays, "5" stand, and archery, but only in
29 respect to discrete charges to members of the public to engage in
30 these activities, but not including fees to enter a competitive
31 event, instruction that is entirely or predominately classroom based,
32 or to join or renew a membership at a club, range, or other facility;

33 (xvii) Paintball and airsoft activities;

34 (xviii) Skating, including ice skating, roller skating, and
35 inline skating, but only in respect to discrete charges to members of
36 the public to engage in skating activities, but not including skating
37 lessons, competitive events, team activities, or fees to join or
38 renew a membership at a skating facility, club, or other
39 organization;

1 (xix) Nonmotorized snow sports and activities, such as downhill
2 and cross-country skiing, snowboarding, ski jumping, sledding, snow
3 tubing, snowshoeing, and similar snow sports and activities, whether
4 engaged in outdoors or in an indoor facility with or without snow,
5 but only in respect to discrete charges to the public for the use of
6 land or facilities to engage in nonmotorized snow sports and
7 activities, such as fees, however labeled, for the use of ski lifts
8 and tows and daily or season passes for access to trails or other
9 areas where nonmotorized snow sports and activities are conducted.
10 However, fees for the following are not retail sales under this
11 subsection (15)(a)(xix): (A) Instructional lessons; (B) permits
12 issued by a governmental entity to park a vehicle on or access public
13 lands; and (C) permits or leases granted by an owner of private
14 timberland for recreational access to areas used primarily for
15 growing and harvesting timber; and

16 (xx) Scuba diving; snorkeling; river rafting; surfing;
17 kiteboarding; flyboarding; water slides; inflatables, such as water
18 pillows, water trampolines, and water rollers; and similar water
19 sports and activities.

20 (b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this subsection
21 (15), the term "sale at retail" or "retail sale" does not include
22 charges:

23 (i) Made for admission to, and rides or attractions at, fairs,
24 carnivals, and festivals. For the purposes of this subsection, fairs,
25 carnivals, and festivals are events that do not exceed twenty-one
26 days and a majority of the amusement rides, if any, are not affixed
27 to real property;

28 (ii) Made by an educational institution to its students and staff
29 for activities defined as retail sales by (a)(i) through (xx) of this
30 subsection. However, charges made by an educational institution to
31 its alumni or other members of the general public for these
32 activities are a retail sale under this subsection (15). For purposes
33 of this subsection (15)(b)(ii), "educational institution" has the
34 same meaning as in RCW 82.04.170;

35 (iii) Made by a vocational school for commercial diver training
36 that is licensed by the workforce training and education coordinating
37 board under chapter 28C.10 RCW; or

38 (iv) Made for day camps offered by a nonprofit organization or
39 state or local governmental entity that provide youth not older than
40 age eighteen, or that are focused on providing individuals with

1 disabilities or mental illness, the opportunity to participate in a
2 variety of supervised activities.

3 (16)(a) The term "sale at retail" or "retail sale" includes the
4 purchase or acquisition of tangible personal property and specified
5 services by a person who receives a ((qualifying)) grant ((exempt
6 from tax)) deductible under RCW ((82.04.--- (section 1, chapter 4,
7 Laws of 2021) or 82.16.--- (section 2, chapter 4, Laws of 2021))
8 82.04.4339, except for transactions excluded from the definition of
9 "sale at retail" or "retail sale" by any other provision of this
10 section. Nothing in this subsection (16) may be construed to limit
11 the application of any other provision of this section to purchases
12 by a recipient of a ((qualifying)) grant ((exempt from tax))
13 deductible under RCW ((82.04.--- (section 1, chapter 4, Laws of
14 2021))) 82.04.4339 or by any other person.

15 (b) For purposes of this subsection (16), "specified services"
16 means:

17 (i) The constructing, repairing, decorating, or improving of new
18 or existing buildings or other structures under, upon, or above real
19 property, including the installing or attaching of any article of
20 tangible personal property therein or thereto, whether or not such
21 personal property becomes a part of the realty by virtue of
22 installation;

23 (ii) The clearing of land or the moving of earth, whether or not
24 associated with activities described in (b)(i) of this subsection
25 (16);

26 (iii) The razing or moving of existing buildings or structures;
27 and

28 (iv) Landscape maintenance and horticultural services."

EFFECT: Updates a statute amended in a separate bill that was
recently enacted in the 2021 session.

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