## MINNESOTA · REVENUE

## SALES AND USE TAX Coin-Operated Amusement Machines

April 3, 2013

	Yes	No
DOR Administrative		
Costs/Savings	X	

Department of Revenue Analysis of H.F. 802 (Lesch) / S.F. 1064 (Sparks)

	Fund Impact			
	<b>F.Y. 2014</b>	<b>F.Y. 2015</b>	F.Y. 2016	<b>F.Y. 2017</b>
	${(000°s)}$			
General Fund	(\$180)	(\$200)	(\$220)	(\$240)
Natural Resources and Arts Funds	<u>(\$10)</u>	<u>(\$10)</u>	<u>(\$10)</u>	<u>(\$15)</u>
Total – All Funds	(\$190)	(\$210)	(\$230)	(\$255)

Effective for sales and purchases made after June 30, 2013.

## **EXPLANATION OF THE BILL**

Sales and purchases of vending machines, amusement machines, jukeboxes, etc., are currently subject to the sales and use tax.

Under the bill, the sale of coin-operated entertainment and amusement machines, including fortune-telling machines, foosball and pool tables, video and pinball games, photo booths, and jukeboxes, would be defined as a sale for resale and therefore would be exempt from the sales and use tax.

## REVENUE ANALYSIS DETAIL

- The estimate was based 2010 data from the Census Bureau publication *Annual Capital Expenditures*. National expenditures on new and used equipment in the amusement, gambling, and recreation sector came to \$3.266 billion.
- It was estimated that the amusement devices at issue are 5% of total capital expenditures.
- The national figure was apportioned to Minnesota at 1.54%, the state's portion of national amusement device receipts in 2002, the most recent year for which numbers are available.
- Annual growth to 2017 was the historical and projected investment in equipment and software in the category "other equipment" from IHS Global Insight, Inc., February 2013.
- The estimate for fiscal year 2014 was adjusted to reflect an effective date of July 1, 2013.

Source: Minnesota Department of Revenue

Tax Research Division

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