SENATE FILE NO. SF0049

Tangible personal property-index and depreciation.

Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to ad valorem taxation; requiring tangible
- 2 personal property to be valued using valuation indexes and
- 3 depreciation schedules as specified; requiring rulemaking;
- 4 and providing for effective dates.

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6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 39-13-103(b)(ii) is amended to read:

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10 **39-13-103.** Imposition.

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12 (b) Basis of tax. The following shall apply:

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- 14 (ii) All taxable property shall be annually
- 15 valued at its fair market value. Except as otherwise
- 16 provided by law for specific property, the department shall

1 prescribe by rule and regulation the appraisal methods and 2 systems for determining fair market value using generally 3 accepted appraisal standards. For tangible personal 4 property, fair market value shall be determined using valuation indexes and depreciation schedules prescribed by 5 rule and regulation of the department, provided that no 6 7 valuation index or depreciation schedule shall be used to 8 increase the fair market value of fully depreciated property above the depreciation floor for the property. As 9 10 used in this paragraph, "depreciation floor" means twenty 11 percent (20%) of the reported installed cost of the 12 property. As used in this paragraph, "tangible personal property" excludes any property that is valued under W.S. 13 39-13-102(m) and mobile homes required to be titled under 14 W.S. 31-2-501 through 31-2-508; 15 16 17 Section 2. The department of revenue shall promulgate

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all rules necessary to implement this act.

1 Section 3. 2 (a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (b) of 3 4 this section, this act is effective January 1, 2026. 5 (b) Sections 2 and 3 of this act are effective 6 immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a 7 bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of 8 the Wyoming Constitution. 9 10

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