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H.B. No. 4311

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to an exemption from sales and use taxes for certain
3 energy-efficient products for a limited period.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 151.333(b), Tax Code, is amended to read
6 as follows:

7 (b) This section applies only to the following
8 energy-efficient products:

9 (1) an air conditioner the sales price of which does
10 not exceed \$6,000;

11 (2) a clothes washer;

12 (3) a ceiling fan;

13 (4) a dehumidifier;

14 (5) a dishwasher;

15 (6) an incandescent, ~~or~~ fluorescent, or
16 light-emitting diode (LED) lightbulb;

17 (7) a programmable thermostat; ~~and~~

18 (8) a refrigerator the sales price of which does not
19 exceed \$2,000;

20 (9) a water heater;

21 (10) a clothes dryer;

22 (11) a freezer;

23 (12) a stove;

24 (13) an attic fan; and

1 (14) a heat pump.

2 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act does not
3 affect tax liability accruing before the effective date of this
4 Act. That liability continues in effect as if this Act had not been
5 enacted, and the former law is continued in effect for the
6 collection of taxes due and for civil and criminal enforcement of
7 the liability for those taxes.

8 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.