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# A BILL

To amend sections 107.036, 122.85, 5726.98,	1
5733.98, 5747.98, and 5751.98 of the Revised	2
Code to extend eligibility for and make other	3
changes to the motion picture tax credit.	4

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 107.036, 122.85, 5726.98,	5
5733.98, 5747.98, and 5751.98 of the Revised Code be amended to	6
read as follows:	7
Sec. 107.036. (A) For each business incentive tax credit,	8
the main operating appropriations act shall contain a detailed	9
estimate of the total amount of credits that may be authorized	10
in each year, an estimate of the amount of credits expected to	11
be claimed in each year, and an estimate of the amount of	12
credits expected to remain outstanding at the end of the	13
biennium. The governor shall include such estimates in the state	14
budget submitted to the general assembly pursuant to section	15
107.03 of the Revised Code.	16
(B) As used in this section, "business incentive tax	17
credit" means all of the following:	18
(1) The job creation tax credit under section 122.17 of	19

the Revised Code;	20
(2) The job retention tax credit under section 122.171 of the Revised Code;	21 22
(3) The historic preservation tax credit under section 149.311 of the Revised Code;	23 24
(4) The motion picture <u>and broadway theatrical production</u> tax credit under section 122.85 of the Revised Code;	25 26
(5) The new markets tax credit under section 5725.33 of the Revised Code;	27 28
(6) The research and development credit under section 166.21 of the Revised Code;	29 30
(7) The small business investment credit under section 122.86 of the Revised Code;	31 32
(8) The rural growth investment credit under section 122.152 of the Revised Code.	33 34
Sec. 122.85. (A) As used in this section and in sections 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, and 5751.54 of the Revised Code:	35 36
(1) "Tax credit-eligible production" means a motion picture or broadway theatrical production certified by the	37 38
director of development services under division (B) of this	39
section as qualifying the motion picture production company for	40
a tax credit under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54	41
of the Revised Code.	42

(2) "Certificate owner" means a motion picture production 43 company to which a tax credit certificate is issued or a person 44 to which the company has transferred under division (H) of this 45 section the authority to claim all or a part of the tax credit 46

authorized by that certificate.

(3) "Motion picture Production company" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or other form of business association producing a motion picture or broadway theatrical production.

(4) "Eligible production expenditures" means expenditures made after June 30, 2009, for goods or services purchased and 53 consumed in this state by a motion picture production company directly for the production of a tax credit-eligible production\_ or for postproduction activities, or for advertising and promotion of the production.

"Eligible production expenditures" includes, but is not limited to, expenditures for cast and crew wages, accommodations, costs of set construction and operations, editing and related services, photography, sound synchronization, lighting, wardrobe, makeup and accessories, film processing, transfer, sound mixing, special and visual effects, music, location fees, and the purchase or rental of facilities and equipment.

(5) "Motion picture" means entertainment content created 66 in whole or in part within this state for distribution or 67 exhibition to the general public, including, but not limited to, 68 feature-length films; documentaries; long-form, specials, 69 miniseries, series, and interstitial television programming; 70 interactive web sites; sound recordings; videos; music videos; 71 interactive television; interactive games; video games; 72 commercials; any format of digital media; and any trailer, 73 pilot, video teaser, or demo created primarily to stimulate the 74 sale, marketing, promotion, or exploitation of future investment 75 in either a product or a motion picture by any means and media 76

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in any digital media format, film, or videotape, provided the 77 motion picture qualifies as a motion picture. "Motion picture" 78 does not include any television program created primarily as 79 news, weather, or financial market reports, a production 80 featuring current events or sporting events, an awards show or 81 other gala event, a production whose sole purpose is 82 83 fundraising, a long-form production that primarily markets a product or service or in-house corporate advertising or other 84 similar productions, a production for purposes of political 85 advocacy, or any production for which records are required to be 86 maintained under 18 U.S.C. 2257 with respect to sexually 87 explicit content. 88 (6) "Broadway theatrical production" means a prebroadway 89 production, long run production, or tour launch that is 90 directed, managed, and performed by a professional cast and crew 91 and that is directly associated with New York city's broadway 92 theater district. 93 (7) "Prebroadway production" means a live stage production 94 that is scheduled for presentation in New York city's broadway 95 theater district after the original or adaptive version is 96 performed in a qualified production facility. 97 (8) "Long run production" means a live stage production 98 that is scheduled to be performed at a qualified production 99 facility for more than five weeks, with an average of at least 100 six performances per week. 101 (9) "Tour launch" means a live stage production for which 102 the activities comprising the technical period are conducted at 103 a qualified production facility before a tour of the original or 104 adaptive version of the production begins. 105

(10) "Qualified production facility" means a facility	106
located in this state that is used in the development or	107
presentation to the public of theater productions.	108
(B) For the purpose of encouraging and developing <del>a</del> -strong	109
film <del>industry and theater industries in this state, the director</del>	110
of development services may certify a motion picture or broadway	111
theatrical production produced by a motion picture production	112
company as a tax credit-eligible production. In the case of a	113
television series, the director may certify the production of	114
each episode of the series as a separate tax credit-eligible	115
production. A motion picture production company shall apply for	116
certification of a motion picture or broadway theatrical	117
production as a tax credit-eligible production on a form and in	118
the manner prescribed by the director. Each application shall	119
include the following information:	120
(1) The name and telephone number of the motion picture	121
production company;	122
(2) The name and telephone number of the company's contact	123
person;	124
(3) A list of the first preproduction date through the	125
last production <del>date and postproduction dates</del> in Ohio and, in	126
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the case of a broadway theatrical production, a list of each	12,
the case of a broadway theatrical production, a list of each scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;	128
scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;	128
<u>scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;</u> (4) The Ohio production office <u>or qualified production</u>	128 129
<pre>scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;   (4) The Ohio production office or qualified production   facility address and telephone number;</pre>	128 129 130
<pre>scheduled performance in a qualified production facility;   (4) The Ohio production office or qualified production   facility address and telephone number;   (5) The total production budget of the motion picture;</pre>	128 129 130 131

(7) <del>The <u>In the case of a motion picture</u>, the total</del>	135
percentage of the motion picture production being shot in Ohio;	136
(8) The level of employment of cast and crew who reside in	137
Ohio;	138
(9) A synopsis of the script;	139
(10) <del>The <u>In the case of a motion picture</u>, the shooting</del>	140
script;	141
(11) A creative elements list that includes the names of	142
the principal cast and crew and the producer and director;	143
(12) Documentation of financial ability to undertake and	144
complete the motion picture or broadway theatrical production,	145
including documentation that shows that the company has secured	146
funding equal to at least fifty per cent of the total production	147
budget-of the motion picture;	148
(13) Estimated value of the tax credit based upon total	149
budgeted eligible production expenditures;	150
(14) Estimated amount of state and local taxes to be	151
generated in this state from the production;	152
(15) Estimated economic impact of the production in this	153
<u>state;</u>	154
(16) Any other information considered necessary by the	155
director.	156
Within ninety days after certification of a motion picture	157
or broadway theatrical production as a tax credit-eligible	158
production, and any time thereafter upon the request of the	159
director of development services, the motion picture production	160
company shall present to the director sufficient evidence of	161

reviewable progress. If the motion picture production company 162 fails to present sufficient evidence, the director may rescind 163 the certification. If the production of a motion picture or 164 broadway theatrical production does not begin within ninety days 165 after the date it is certified as a tax credit-eligible 166 production, the director shall rescind the certification. Upon 167 rescission, the director shall notify the applicant that the 168 certification has been rescinded. Nothing in this section 169 prohibits an applicant whose tax credit-eligible production 170 certification has been rescinded from submitting a subsequent 171 application for certification. 172 (C) (1) A motion picture production company whose motion 173 picture or broadway theatrical production has been certified as 174 a tax credit-eligible production may apply to the director of 175 development services on or after July 1, 2009, for a refundable 176 credit against the tax imposed by section 5726.02, 5733.06, 177 5747.02, or 5751.02 of the Revised Code. The director in 178 consultation with the tax commissioner shall prescribe the form 179 and manner of the application and the information or 180 documentation required to be submitted with the application. 181 The credit is determined as follows: 182 (a) If the total budgeted eligible production expenditures 183 stated in the application submitted under division (B) of this 184 section or the actual eligible production expenditures as 185 finally determined under division (D) of this section, whichever 186 is least, is less than or equal to three hundred thousand 187 dollars, no credit is allowed; 188 (b) If Subject to division (C) (1) (c) of this section, if 189

the total budgeted eligible production expenditures stated in 190 the application submitted under division (B) of this section or 191

the actual eligible production expenditures as finally192determined under division (D) of this section, whichever is193least, is greater than three hundred thousand dollars, the194credit equals thirty per cent of the least of such budgeted or195actual eligible expenditure amounts;196

(c) The director may reduce the credit amount computed 197 under division (C)(1)(b) of this section if the director 198 determines, based on the information provided in the certified 199 public accountant's report submitted pursuant to division (D) of 200 this section or other information available to the director, 201 that the tax credit-eligible production failed to generate the 202 state and local tax collections or failed to have the economic 203 impact that was estimated in the application submitted under 204 division (B) of this section. If the director elects to reduce 205 the amount of a credit, the amount of such reduction shall not 206 exceed the following amounts, as applicable: 207

(i) In the case of a tax credit-eligible production that 208 only failed to generate the estimated state and local tax 209 collections, the quantity obtained by multiplying the credit 210 amount computed under division (C)(1)(b) of this section by a 211 fraction, the numerator of which is the amount by which the 212 estimated state and local tax collections exceed the actual 213 state and local tax collections, and the denominator of which is 214 the estimated state and local tax collections; 215

(ii) In the case of a tax credit-eligible production that216only failed to generate the estimated economic impact, the217quantity obtained by multiplying the credit amount computed218under division (C) (1) (b) of this section by a fraction, the219numerator of which is the amount by which the estimated economic220impact exceeds the actual economic impact, and the denominator221

of which is the estimated economic impact; 222 (iii) In the case of a tax credit-eligible production that 223 failed to generate both the estimated state and local tax 224 collections and the estimated economic impact, the average of 225 the quantities described in divisions (C)(1)(c)(i) and (ii) of 226 this section. 227 (2) Except as provided in division (C)(4) of this section, 228 229 if the director of development services approves a motionpicture production company's application for a credit, the 230 director shall issue a tax credit certificate to the company. 231 The director in consultation with the tax commissioner shall 232 prescribe the form and manner of issuing certificates. The 233 director shall assign a unique identifying number to each tax 234 credit certificate and shall record the certificate in a 235 register devised and maintained by the director for that 236 purpose. The certificate shall state the amount of the eligible 237 production expenditures on which the credit is based and the 238 amount of the credit as adjusted under division (C)(1)(c) of 239 this section. Upon the issuance of a certificate, the director 240 241 shall certify to the tax commissioner the name of the applicant, the amount of eligible production expenditures shown on the 242 certificate, the amount of the credit, and any other information 243 required by the rules adopted to administer this section. 244 (3) The amount of eligible production expenditures for 245 which a tax credit may be claimed is subject to inspection and 246 examination by the tax commissioner or employees of the 247 commissioner under section 5703.19 of the Revised Code and any 248 other applicable law. Once the eligible production expenditures 249

are finally determined under section 5703.19 of the Revised Code

and division (D) of this section and the credit amount is

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reduced under division (C) (1) (c) of this section, if applicable, 252 the credit amount is not subject to <u>further</u> adjustment unless 253 the director determines an error was committed in the 254 computation of the credit amount or the amount by which the 255 credit was reduced. 256 (4) No tax credit certificate may be issued before the 257 completion of the tax credit-eligible production. Not more than 258 forty million dollars of tax credit may be allowed per fiscal 259 year beginning July 1, 2016, provided that, for any fiscal year 260 in which the amount of tax credits allowed under this section is 261 less than that maximum annual amount, the amount not allowed for 262 that fiscal year shall be added to the maximum annual amount 263 264 that may be allowed for the following fiscal year. (5) In approving The director shall review and approve 265 applications for tax credits under this section in two rounds 266 each fiscal year. The first round of credits shall be awarded 267 not later than the last day of July of the fiscal year, and the 268 second round of credits shall be awarded not later than the last 269 day of the ensuing January. The amount of credits awarded in the 270 first round of applications each fiscal year shall not exceed 271 twenty million dollars plus any credit allotment that was not 272 awarded in the preceding fiscal year and carried over under 273 division (C)(4) of this section. For each round, the director 274 shall rank applications on the basis of the extent of positive 275 economic impact each tax credit-eligible production is likely to 276 have in this state and the effect on developing a permanent 277 workforce in motion picture or theatrical production industries 278 in the state. For the purpose of such ranking, the director 279 shall give priority to tax-credit eligible productions that are 280 television series or miniseries due to the long-term commitment 281 typically associated with such productions. The economic impact

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ranking shall be based on the production company's total	283
expenditures in this state directly associated with the tax	284
credit-eligible production. The effect on developing a permanent	285
workforce in the motion picture or theatrical production	286
industries shall be evaluated first by the number of new jobs	287
created and second by amount of payroll added with respect to	288
employees in this state.	289
The director shall approve productions in the order of	290
their ranking, from those with the greatest positive economic	291
impact and workforce development effect to those with the least	292
positive economic impact and workforce development effect.	293
(D) A motion nicture production componently back motion	294
(D) A motion picture production company whose motion	294
picture or broadway theatrical production has been certified as	
a tax credit-eligible production shall engage, at the company's	296
expense, an independent certified public accountant to examine	297
the company's production, postproduction, and advertising and	298
promotion expenditures to identify the expenditures that qualify	299
as eligible <del>production</del> expenditures. <u>The certified public</u>	300
accountant shall also determine the economic impact of the	301
production on this state and the amount of state and local taxes	302
generated in this state by the production. The certified public	303
accountant shall issue a report to the company and to the	304
director of development services certifying the company's	305
eligible production expenditures, the economic impact of the	306
production, the amount of state and local taxes generated by the	307
$\underline{production}_{\boldsymbol{\iota}}$ and any other information required by the director.	308
Upon receiving and examining the report, the director may	309
disallow any expenditure the director determines is not an	310
eligible production expenditure. If the director disallows an	311
expenditure, the director shall issue a written notice to the	312
motion picture production company stating that the expenditure	313

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is disallowed and the reason for the disallowance. Upon
at examination of the report and disallowance of any expenditures,
the director shall determine finally the lesser of the total
budgeted eligible production expenditures stated in the
application submitted under division (B) of this section or the
actual eligible production expenditures for the purpose of
computing the amount of the credit.

(E) No credit shall be allowed under section 5726.55, 321
5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code unless the 322
director has reviewed the report and made the determination 323
prescribed by division (D) of this section. 324

(F) This state reserves the right to refuse the use of 325
this state's name in the credits of any tax credit-eligible 326
motion picture production or program of any broadway theatrical 327
production. 328

(G)(1) The director of development services in 329 consultation with the tax commissioner shall adopt rules for the 330 administration of this section, including rules setting forth 331 332 and governing the criteria for determining whether a motion picture or broadway theatrical production is a tax credit-333 eligible production; activities that constitute the production 334 or postproduction of a motion picture or broadway theatrical 335 production; reporting sufficient evidence of reviewable 336 progress; expenditures that qualify as eligible production-337 expenditures; <u>a schedule and deadlines for applications to be</u> 338 submitted and reviewed; a competitive process for approving 339 credits based on likely economic impact in this state and 340 development of a permanent workforce in motion picture or 341 theatrical production industries in this state; consideration of 342 geographic distribution of credits; and implementation of the 343

program described in division (I) of this section. The rules 344 shall be adopted under Chapter 119. of the Revised Code. 345

(2) To cover the administrative costs of the program, the 346 director shall require each applicant to pay an application fee 347 equal to the lesser of ten thousand dollars or one per cent of 348 the estimated value of the tax credit as stated in the 349 application. The fees collected shall be credited to the tax 350 incentives operating fund created in section 122.174 of the 351 Revised Code. All grants, gifts, fees, and contributions made to 352 the director for marketing and promotion of the motion picture 353 industry within this state shall also be credited to the fund. 354

(H) (1) After the director of development services makes 355 the determination required under division (D) of this section, a 356 motion picture production company to which a tax credit 357 certificate is issued may transfer the authority to claim all or 358 a portion of the amount of the tax credit the motion picture 359 company is authorized to claim pursuant to that certificate 360 under section 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the 361 Revised Code to one or more other persons. Within thirty days 362 after a transfer under this division, the motion picture-363 364 production company shall submit the following information to the director, on a form prescribed by the director: 365

(a) Information necessary for the director to identify the366certificate that is the basis for the transfer;367

(b) The portion or amount of the tax credit transferred to 368
each transferee; 369
(c) The portion or amount of the tax credit that the 370

motion picture production company retains the authority to 371
claim; 372

(d) The tax identification number of each transferee; 373 (e) The date of the transfer; 374 (f) Any other information required by the director; 375 (g) Any information required by the tax commissioner. 376 The director shall deliver a copy of any submission 377 received under division (H)(1) of this section to the tax 378 commissioner. 379 (2) A transferee may not claim a credit under section 380 5726.55, 5733.59, 5747.66, or 5751.54 of the Revised Code unless 381 and until the transferring motion picture production company 382 complies with division (H)(1) of this section. A transferee may 383 claim the transferred amount of any credit or portion of a 384 credit for the same taxable year or tax period for which the 385 transferring motion picture production company was authorized to 386 claim the credit or portion of a credit pursuant to the 387 certificate. A motion picture production company shall make no 388

transfer under division (H) (1) of this section after the last389day of the tax period or taxable year for which the motion390picture production company is required to claim the credit391pursuant to the certificate.392

A motion picture production company may make not more than 393 one transfer under division (H)(1) of this section for each tax 394 credit certificate, but pursuant to that transaction, may 395 allocate the authority to claim a portion of the credit to more 396 than one transferee. A motion picture production company may not 397 authorize more than one transferee to claim the same portion of 398 a credit. 399

(I) The director of development services shall establish aprogram for the training of Ohio residents who are or wish to be401

employed in the film or multimedia industry. Under the program, 402 the director shall: 403 (1) Certify individuals as film and multimedia trainees. 404 In order to receive such a certification, an individual must be 405 an Ohio resident, have participated in relevant on-the-job 406 training or have completed a relevant training course approved 407 by the director, and have met any other requirements established 408 409 by the director. 410 (2) Accept applications from motion picture production companies that intend to hire and provide on-the-job training to 411 one or more certified film and multimedia trainees who will be 412 employed in the company's tax credit-eligible production. 413 (3) Upon completion of a tax-credit eligible production, 414 and upon the receipt of any salary information and other 415 documentation required by the director, authorize a 416 reimbursement payment to each motion picture production company 417 whose application was approved under division (I)(2) of this 418 section. The payment shall equal fifty per cent of the salaries 419 paid to film and multimedia trainees employed in the production. 420 Sec. 5726.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for 421 calculating the amount of tax due under section 5726.02 of the 422 Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits to which the 423 taxpayer is entitled under this chapter in the following order: 424

(1) The nonrefundable job retention credit under division(B) of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code;426

(2) The nonrefundable credit for purchases of qualified
low-income community investments under section 5726.54 of the
Revised Code;

(3) The nonrefundable credit for qualified research 430

(4) The nonrefundable credit for qualifying dealer in 432 intangibles taxes under section 5726.57 of the Revised Code; 433 (5) The refundable credit for rehabilitating an historic 434 building under section 5726.52 of the Revised Code; 435 (6) The refundable job retention or job creation credit 436 under division (A) of section 5726.50 of the Revised Code; 437 (7) The refundable credit under section 5726.53 of the 438 Revised Code for losses on loans made under the Ohio venture 439 capital program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised 440 Code; 441 (8) The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical 442 production credit under section 5726.55 of the Revised Code. 443 (B) For any credit except the refundable credits 444 enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a 445 taxable year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any 446 other credit that precedes it in the order required under this 447 section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried 448 forward if authorized under the section creating that credit. 449 Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to allow a taxpayer 450 to claim, directly or indirectly, a credit more than once for a 451 452 taxable year. Sec. 5733.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for 453 calculating the amount of tax imposed by section 5733.06 of the 454

expenses under section 5726.56 of the Revised Code;

Revised Code that is due under this chapter, a taxpayer shall455claim any credits to which it is entitled in the following456order, except as otherwise provided in section 5733.058 of the457Revised Code:458

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(1) For tax year 2005, the credit for taxes paid by a 459 qualifying pass-through entity allowed under section 5733.0611 460 of the Revised Code; 461 (2) The credit allowed for financial institutions under 462 section 5733.45 of the Revised Code; 463 (3) The credit for qualifying affiliated groups under 464 section 5733.068 of the Revised Code; 465 466 (4) The subsidiary corporation credit under section 5733.067 of the Revised Code; 467 (5) The credit for recycling and litter prevention 468 donations under section 5733.064 of the Revised Code; 469 (6) The credit for employers that enter into agreements 470 with child day-care centers under section 5733.36 of the Revised 471 Code; 472 (7) The credit for employers that reimburse employee child 473 care expenses under section 5733.38 of the Revised Code; 474 (8) The credit for purchases of lights and reflectors 475 under section 5733.44 of the Revised Code; 476 (9) The nonrefundable job retention credit under division 477 (B) of section 5733.0610 of the Revised Code; 478 (10) The second credit for purchases of new manufacturing 479 machinery and equipment under section 5733.33 of the Revised 480 Code; 481 (11) The job training credit under section 5733.42 of the 482 Revised Code; 483 (12) The credit for qualified research expenses under 484 section 5733.351 of the Revised Code; 485

(13) The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of 486 the Revised Code: 487 (14) The credit for the eligible costs associated with a 488 voluntary action under section 5733.34 of the Revised Code; 489 (15) The credit for employers that establish on-site child 490 day-care centers under section 5733.37 of the Revised Code; 491 (16) The ethanol plant investment credit under section 492 5733.46 of the Revised Code; 493 (17) The credit for purchases of qualifying grape 494 production property under section 5733.32 of the Revised Code; 495 (18) The export sales credit under section 5733.069 of the 496 Revised Code; 497 (19) The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of 498 the Revised Code; 499 (20) The credit for using Ohio coal under section 5733.39 500 of the Revised Code; 501 (21) The credit for purchases of qualified low-income 502 community investments under section 5733.58 of the Revised Code; 503 (22) The credit for small telephone companies under 504 section 5733.57 of the Revised Code; 505 (23) The credit for eligible nonrecurring 9-1-1 charges 506 under section 5733.55 of the Revised Code; 507 (24) For tax year 2005, the credit for providing programs 508 to aid the communicatively impaired under division (A) of 509 section 5733.56 of the Revised Code; 510 (25) The research and development credit under section 511 5733.352 of the Revised Code; 512

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credit for taxes paid by a qualifying pass-through entity	514
allowed under section 5733.0611 of the Revised Code;	515
(27) The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic	516
building under section 5733.47 of the Revised Code;	517
(28) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention	518
credit under division (A) of section 5733.0610 of the Revised	519
Code;	520
(29) The refundable credit for tax withheld under division	521
(B)(2) of section 5747.062 of the Revised Code;	522
(30) The refundable credit under section 5733.49 of the	523
Revised Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture	524
capital program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised	525
Code;	526
(31) For tax years 2006, 2007, and 2008, the refundable	527
credit allowable under division (B) of section 5733.56 of the	528
Revised Code;	529
(32) The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical	530
production credit under section 5733.59 of the Revised Code.	531
(B) For any credit except the refundable credits	532
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax	533
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enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax	
enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax year shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any other	534

Sec. 5747.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for538calculating a taxpayer's aggregate tax liability under section5395747.02 of the Revised Code, a taxpayer shall claim any credits540

to which the taxpayer is entitled in the following order: 541 (1) Either the retirement income credit under division (B) 542 of section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum 543 retirement income credits under divisions (C), (D), and (E) of 544 that section; 545 (2) Either the senior citizen credit under division (F) of 546 section 5747.055 of the Revised Code or the lump sum 547 distribution credit under division (G) of that section; 548 549 (3) The dependent care credit under section 5747.054 of the Revised Code; 550 (4) The credit for displaced workers who pay for job 551 training under section 5747.27 of the Revised Code; 552 (5) The campaign contribution credit under section 5747.29 553 of the Revised Code; 554 (6) The twenty-dollar personal exemption credit under 555 section 5747.022 of the Revised Code; 556 (7) The joint filing credit under division (G) of section 557 5747.05 of the Revised Code; 558 (8) The earned income credit under section 5747.71 of the 559 Revised Code; 560 (9) The credit for adoption of a minor child under section 561 5747.37 of the Revised Code; 562 (10) The nonrefundable job retention credit under division 563 (B) of section 5747.058 of the Revised Code; 564 (11) The enterprise zone credit under section 5709.66 of 565 the Revised Code; 566 (12) The ethanol plant investment credit under section 567

5747.75 of the Revised

5747.75 of the Revised Code;	568
(13) The credit for purchases of qualifying grape	569
production property under section 5747.28 of the Revised Code;	570
(14) The small business investment credit under section	571
5747.81 of the Revised Code;	572
(15) The enterprise zone credits under section 5709.65 of	573
the Revised Code;	574
(16) The research and development credit under section	575
5747.331 of the Revised Code;	576
(17) The credit for rehabilitating a historic building	577
under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code;	578
(18) The nonresident credit under division (A) of section	579
5747.05 of the Revised Code;	580

(19) The credit for a resident's out-of-state income under 581 division (B) of section 5747.05 of the Revised Code; 582

(20) The refundable motion picture and broadway theatrical 583 production credit under section 5747.66 of the Revised Code; 584

(21) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention 585 credit under division (A) of section 5747.058 of the Revised 586 Code; 587

(22) The refundable credit for taxes paid by a qualifying 588 entity granted under section 5747.059 of the Revised Code; 589

(23) The refundable credits for taxes paid by a qualifying 590 pass-through entity granted under division (I) of section 591 5747.08 of the Revised Code; 592

(24) The refundable credit under section 5747.80 of the 593 Revised Code for losses on loans made to the Ohio venture 594

capital program under sections 150.01 to 150.10 of the Revised 595 Code: 596 (25) The refundable credit for rehabilitating a historic 597 building under section 5747.76 of the Revised Code; 598 (26) The refundable credit for financial institution taxes 599 paid by a pass-through entity granted under section 5747.65 of 600 the Revised Code. 601 602 (B) For any credit, except the refundable credits enumerated in this section and the credit granted under division 603 (H) of section 5747.08 of the Revised Code, the amount of the 604 credit for a taxable year shall not exceed the taxpayer's 605 aggregate amount of tax due under section 5747.02 of the Revised 606 Code, after allowing for any other credit that precedes it in 607 the order required under this section. Any excess amount of a 608 particular credit may be carried forward if authorized under the 609 section creating that credit. Nothing in this chapter shall be 610 construed to allow a taxpayer to claim, directly or indirectly, 611 a credit more than once for a taxable year. 612 Sec. 5751.98. (A) To provide a uniform procedure for 613 calculating the amount of tax due under this chapter, a taxpayer 614 shall claim any credits to which it is entitled in the following 615 order: 616 (1) The nonrefundable jobs retention credit under division 617 (B) of section 5751.50 of the Revised Code; 618

(2) The nonrefundable credit for qualified research
expenses under division (B) of section 5751.51 of the Revised
Code;
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(3) The nonrefundable credit for a borrower's qualified622research and development loan payments under division (B) of623

section 5751.52 of the Revised Code; 624 (4) The nonrefundable credit for calendar years 2010 to 625 2029 for unused net operating losses under division (B) of 626 section 5751.53 of the Revised Code; 627 (5) The refundable motion picture <u>and broadway theatrical</u> 62.8 production credit under section 5751.54 of the Revised Code; 629 (6) The refundable jobs creation credit or job retention 630 credit under division (A) of section 5751.50 of the Revised 631 Code; 632 (7) The refundable credit for calendar year 2030 for 633 unused net operating losses under division (C) of section 634 5751.53 of the Revised Code. 635 (B) For any credit except the refundable credits 636 enumerated in this section, the amount of the credit for a tax 637 period shall not exceed the tax due after allowing for any other 638 credit that precedes it in the order required under this 639 section. Any excess amount of a particular credit may be carried 640 forward if authorized under the section creating the credit. 641 Section 2. That existing sections 107.036, 122.85, 642 5726.98, 5733.98, 5747.98, and 5751.98 of the Revised Code are 643 hereby repealed. 644 Section 3. (A) The following amendments by this act apply 645 to motion pictures and broadway theatrical productions that are 646 certified on or after the effective date of this section: 647 (1) The amendment of division (B) of section 122.85 of the 648 Revised Code requiring the Director of Development Services to 649

rescind certification of any tax credit-eligible production that 650 does not begin production within ninety days; 651

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(2) The amendment of division (D) of section 122.85 of the
Revised Code requiring a certified public accountant to
determine the economic impact and the amount of state and local
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taxes generated by the tax credit-eligible production;
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(3) The amendment of divisions (C) (1) to (3) of section
122.85 of the Revised Code requiring the Director to adjust the
amount of the credit awarded to a production company for a tax
credit-eligible production that fails to generate the state and
local tax collections or fails to have the economic impact that
were estimated in the tax credit application.

(B) The amendment by this act of division (C) (5) of
section 122.85 of the Revised Code concerning the times during
which tax credits are awarded and requiring the Director to rank
applications based on the economic and workforce development
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impact of the productions applies to fiscal years beginning on
or after the effective date of this section.

(C) The Director of Development Services in consultation
with the Tax Commissioner shall adopt rules for the
administration of section 122.85 of the Revised Code, as amended
by this act, pursuant to division (G) (1) of that section on or
before the first day of the first fiscal year that begins on or
after the effective date of this section, or as soon thereafter
as otherwise permitted by law.

(D) All other amendments by this act of sections 107.036, 675
122.85, 5726.98, 5733.98, 5747.98, and 5751.98 of the Revised 676
Code apply on and after the effective date of this section. 677