

1 BY AUTHORITY

2 ORDINANCE NO. _____
3 SERIES OF 2024

COUNCIL BILL NO. _____
COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:

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5 A BILL
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7 **For an ordinance amending Chapter 53 of the Revised Municipal Code to**
8 **substitute the term menstrual hygiene products in place of the term feminine**
9 **hygiene products for the purposes of administering the existing exemption from**
10 **the collection of sales and use tax in the City and County of Denver.**
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12 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

13 **Section 1.** Chapter 53, Article II, Division 1 of the Code is amended by deleting the language
14 stricken and adding the language underlined to read as follows:

15 **Sec. 53-53. - Definitions.**

16 (a) The following words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this section,
17 unless the context clearly requires a different meaning.

18 (12) "~~Feminine~~ Menstrual hygiene products" means products that are designed to absorb or
19 contain menstrual flow. ~~Feminine~~ Menstrual hygiene products include, but are not limited to, tampons,
20 menstrual pads and sanitary napkins, pantliners, menstrual sponges, and menstrual cups.

21 **Sec. 53-55. - Exemptions.**

22 There shall be exempt from taxation under the provisions of this article the following:

23 (19) All sales of ~~feminine~~ menstrual hygiene products.
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25 **Section 2.** Chapter 53, Article III, Division 1 of the Code is amended by deleting the language
26 stricken and adding the language underlined to read as follows:

27 **Sec. 53-103. - Definitions.**

28 (a) The following words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this section,
29 unless the context clearly requires a different meaning.

30 (14) "~~Feminine~~ Menstrual hygiene products" means products that are designed to absorb or
31 contain menstrual flow. ~~Feminine~~ Menstrual hygiene products include, but are not limited to, tampons,
32 menstrual pads and sanitary napkins, pantliners, menstrual sponges, and menstrual cups.

33 **Sec. 53-105. - Exemptions.**

34 There shall be exempt from taxation under the provisions of this article the following:

35 (22) All purchases or sales of ~~feminine~~ menstrual hygiene products.

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COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: _____, 2024.

MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: _____, 2024.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL _____ 2024

_____ - PRESIDENT

APPROVED: _____ - MAYOR _____ 2024

ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL _____ 2024; _____ 2024

PREPARED BY: Anshul Bagga, Legislative Counsel; DATE: _____

Pursuant to section 13-9, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of the City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form and have no legal objection to the proposed ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to § 3.2.6 of the Charter.

Kerry Tipper, City Attorney

BY: _____, _____ City Attorney

DATE: _____