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House Bill 223

By: Representative Channell of the 77th

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 48-8-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
- 2 exemptions from state sales and use tax, so as to provide for an exemption with respect to
- 3 certain sales to nonprofit organizations engaged primarily in archeological exploration and
- 4 preservation; to provide for conditions and limitations; to repeal conflicting laws; and for
- 5 other purposes.

## 6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 SECTION 1.

- 8 Code Section 48-8-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to exemptions from
- 9 state sales and use tax, is amended by adding a new paragraph immediately following
- 10 paragraph (7.2), to be designated paragraph (7.3), to read as follows:
- 11 "(7.3) Sales of tangible personal property and services to a nonprofit organization
- engaged primarily in archeological exploration and preservation, when such organization
- is a tax exempt organization under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and
- obtains an exemption determination letter from the commissioner;".

15 SECTION 2.

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.