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TO: Legislative Research Commission

FROM: Thomas B. Miller, Commissioner

Department of Revenue

Momas B. Miller 2014/22 VIA: Richard Dobson, Executive Director

Office of Sales & Excise Taxes

DATE: December 16, 2022

SUBJECT: Exemption for sale or purchase of electricity used in commercial mining of cryptocurrency,

Totals - FY22

Under the provisions of KRS 139.516(5), "On or before January 1, 2022, and on or before each January 1 thereafter as long as the exemption applies, the department shall report to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue:

- (a) The total amount of tax exemption that has been claimed for the immediately preceding fiscal year; and
- (b) The total cumulative amount of the exemption claimed."

The department continues to receive applications for the exemption for sale or purchase of electricity used in commercial mining of cryptocurrency. Six facilities were approved as of June 30, 2022.

The table below provides the information required by KRS 139.516(5).

FY22 Total	Cumulative Amount
\$3,288,169.28	\$3,765,997.54

cc: Holly M. Johnson, Secretary

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