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Bill Summary

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Last year the existing sales tax for schools and towns was expanded to include purchases by counties and cities. This bill modifies that exemption to also include housing and redevelopment authorities and port authorities. Under current law some of these entities are tax exempt because their finances are reported to the state auditor as part of the city or county financial report, while others, which report finances separately as a special district, do not get the sales tax exemption.

Effective for sales and purchases made after June 30, 2014.