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Committee on Fiscal Stability and Intergovernmental Cooperation**

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Chapter 19-2600 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Business Privilege Taxes," by requiring all persons who file a business privilege tax return to include as part of such return a disclosure form summarizing certain information included on the return, which disclosure forms shall be public information, under certain terms and conditions.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 19-2600 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Business Privilege Taxes," is hereby amended to read as follows:

CHAPTER 19-2600. BUSINESS PRIVILEGE TAXES.

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§ 19-2606. Returns.

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(3) *The form of return provided by the Department of Revenue shall include a one page disclosure form requiring the taxpayer to set forth the information listed in subsections (a) through (k) below. Such disclosure forms shall be public information, notwithstanding §19-506 or any other provision of this Code or any regulation adopted under this Code to the contrary, and the Department of Revenue shall arrange for the*

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publication of the disclosure forms on the City's official website in a format searchable by tax year and taxpayer name.

- (a) *Name of taxpayer.*
- (b) *Gross receipts (BPT Schedule D, line 4).*
- (c) *Net taxable receipts (BPT Schedule D, line 6).*
- (d) *Tax due on gross receipts (BPT Schedule D, line 11).*
- (e) *Net income (BPT Schedule A or B, line 1).*
- (f) *Average of apportionment factors (BPT Schedule A or B, line 6).*
- (g) *Income apportioned to Philadelphia (BPT Schedule A or B, line 7)*
- (h) *Nonbusiness income allocated to Philadelphia (BPT Schedule A or B, line 8).*
- (i) *Current year income (BPT Schedule A or B, line 9).*
- (j) *Taxable income (BPT Schedule A or B, line 11).*
- (k) *Tax due on net income (BPT Schedule A or B, line 12).*

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Explanation:

Italics indicate new matter added.