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Subject: 2017 Personal Property Guidelines Update & Input

We will soon be updating the “*Personal and Industrial Property Valuation Guidelines*” (guidelines) for the 2017 assessment year. It’s the time of year for us to review/calibrate the tables and make revisions to the guidelines. Some of you have provided suggestions over the past year, as well as we receive periodic input, too, where we’re already considering and reviewing those suggestions.

While we have a number of areas to review, if you have specific suggestions or feedback, please email me directly with your suggestions – addressing the bulleted questions below – by October 10, 2016.

We will make an effort to incorporate your suggestions, keeping in mind the needs of all 39 counties – and if we are not able to address your suggestions for 2017, we will continue to consider those for future guideline revisions.

- ***Generally, what needs to be revised, added, or deleted in the guidelines?***
 - ***Why?***
 - ***What do you recommend and why? (please be specific)***
- ***Are there any business activities in the index or tables that need to be revised, reviewed, or recalibrated?***
 - ***If yes, which ones and why?***
 - ***What do you recommend and why?***
 - ***What data can you provide to assist in any changes?***
(please include attachments/data with your response)
- ***Are there any types of assets or business activities not listed in the index that should be listed?***
 - ***If so, which ones and why?***
 - ***What data can you provide to substantiate adding to the index?***
(please include attachments/data with your response)

If you have any additional questions or comments, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Thank you!
Pete

(Additionally, if you received this message and are no longer involved in the assessment of personal or industrial property in your county, please forward to the respective individual who is – thank you!)

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