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## Quarterly Revenue Report for the <br> State of Michigan

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## total revenue: 13 MAJOR TAXES AND LOTTERY

| 2nd Otr FY 2003-04 | 2nd Otr FY 2004-05 | 2nd Qtr \% Change | YTD \% Change |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 3,984.2$ million | $\$ 3,751.2$ million | $-5.8 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ |

Revenue collections for the second quarter (February-April) of fiscal year (FY) 2004-05 were $\$ 233.0$ million or $5.8 \%$ lower than second quarter FY 2003-04 collections. Adjusted revenue was down $\$ 124.2$ million or $2.6 \%$. The adjusted revenue does not include income tax refunds, casino wagering, tobacco taxes, and the state education tax.

| 2nd Qtr FY 2003-04 | 2nd Qtr FY 2004-05 | 2nd Otr \% Change | YTD \% Change |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 1,052.3$ million | $\$ 861.3$ million | $\mathbf{- 1 8 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{- 4 . 8 \%}$ |

Income tax revenue consists of three components - withholding, annual payments, and quarterly payments. Withholding payments are based on workers' earnings and make up almost $85 \%$ of total income tax collections. Annual and quarterly payments are based on self-employment earnings and other income sources, such as capital gains.

Net income tax collections, which include income tax refunds, for second quarter FY 2004-05 were $\$ 191.0$ million or $18.2 \%$ lower than second quarter FY 2003-04 collections. Withholding payments were down $3.9 \%$, quarterly payments and annual payments were up $14.6 \%$, and refunds were up 19.6\%. Net income tax collections for fiscal year-to-date (FYTD) totaled $\$ 2.8$ billion-down $\$ 138.5$ million or $4.8 \%$ from the first half of FY 2003-04.

## SALES AND USE TAXES

| 2nd Qtr FY 2003-04 | 2nd Qtr FY 2004-05 | 2nd Qtr \% Change | YTD \% Change |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 1,827.3$ million | $\$ 1,790.3$ million | $-2.0 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ |

Sales tax collections are derived from the sale of taxable items such as motor vehicles, furniture, apparel, food consumed at restaurants, and other general merchandise. The use tax is applied to telephone services, leased motor vehicles, hotels and motels, gas and electric utilities, and remote sales.

Sales and use tax collections for second quarter FY 2004-05 were $\$ 37.0$ million or $2.0 \%$ lower than the year-ago quarter. Sales tax due to motor vehicle sales decreased $11.6 \%$ while all other sales tax collections were down $1.3 \%$ in the second quarter FY 2004-05 relative to the year-ago second quarter. Sales tax collections for FYTD totaled $\$ 3.9$ billion-up $\$ 138.1$ million or $3.7 \%$ from the first half of FY 2003-04.

SINGLE BUSINESS AND INSURANCE TAXES

| 2nd Qtr FY 2003-04 | 2nd Qtr FY 2004-05 | 2nd Qtr \% Change | YTD \% Change |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 563.8$ million | $\$ 472.5$ million | $-16.2 \%$ | $\mathbf{- 2 . 8 \%}$ |

Single business tax is applied to the value added of business activities; insurance tax is based on insurance premiums. For second quarter FY 2004-05, single business and Insurance tax collections were $\$ 91.3$ million or $16.2 \%$ below the year-ago second quarter. Business tax collections for FYTD totaled $\$ 1.0$ billion-down $\$ 29.4$ million or $2.8 \%$ from the first half of FY 2003-04.

State of Michigan Revenue 2nd Quarter Comparison

Adjusted total revenue (which does not include income tax refunds, casino wagering, tobacco tax, and the state education tax) increased 2.0\% in the first half of FY 2004-05.

Fiscal year-to-date, GF/GP revenue is up $\$ 40$ million and SAF revenue is down \$30 million from target estimates.


State of Michigan Revenue
\%Change From Year-Ago Quarter and Fiscal Year-to-Date


| Revenue Quarterly Review: 2nd Quarter (February-April) FY 2004-05 (Millions of Dollars) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY 2004-05 | Percent Change From Year-Ago | FY 2004-05 | Change From Year-to | ous Fiscal te | FY 2004-05 January Consensus |
|  | 2nd Quarter | 2nd Quarter | Year-to-Date | Dollar | Percent | Forecast Growth |
| Annual Income Tax | \$ 460.7 | 19.1\% | \$ 491.6 | \$ 85.3 | 21.0\% | 2.3\% |
| Quarterly Income Tax | 103.0 | -1.7\% | 324.6 | 8.0 | 2.5\% | 4.2\% |
| Withholding | 1,526.8 | -3.9\% | 3,282.6 | (6.9) | -0.2\% | 0.5\% |
| Subtotal | 2,090.5 | 0.5\% | 4,098.8 | 86.4 | 2.2\% | 1.0\% |
| Income Tax Refunds | 1,229.2 | 19.6\% | 1,331.5 | 224.9 | 20.3\% | 4.2\% |
| Net Income Tax | 861.3 | -18.2\% | 2,767.3 | (138.5) | -4.8\% | 0.1\% |
| Sales Tax | 1,466.8 | -2.8\% | 3,189.4 | 86.3 | 2.8\% | 3.6\% |
| Use Tax | 323.5 | 1.5\% | 675.8 | 51.8 | 8.3\% | 4.0\% |
| Subtotal | 1,790.3 | -2.0\% | 3,865.2 | 138.1 | 3.7\% | 3.7\% |
| Single Business Tax | 402.1 | -16.7\% | 888.7 | (14.4) | -1.6\% | 1.5\% |
| Insurance Tax | 70.4 | -13.4\% | 122.9 | (15.0) | -10.9\% | 3.9\% |
| Subtotal | 472.5 | -16.2\% | 1,011.6 | (29.4) | -2.8\% | 1.8\% |
| Casino Wagering | 37.5 | 56.3\% | 72.0 | 25.2 | 53.8\% | 47.7\% |
| Tobacco Tax | 268.4 | 32.5\% | 558.4 | 138.7 | 33.0\% | 19.8\% |
| Lottery | 156.9 | 1.6\% | 319.7 | (5.3) | -1.6\% | 0.8\% |
| Industrial/CommFacility Taxes | 34.4 | -29.7\% | 71.4 | (5.6) | -7.3\% | -3.1\% |
| Real Estate Transfer (RET) Tax | 68.6 | 9.2\% | 145.4 | 0.5 | 0.3\% | -2.4\% |
| State Education Tax (SET) | $61.3$ | 27.7\% | 419.9 | 149.2 | 55.1\% | 1.2\% |
| Subtotal | 627.1 | 16.0\% | 1,586.8 | 302.7 | 23.6\% | 6.4\% |
| TOTAL | \$ 3,751.2 | -5.8\% | \$ 9,230.9 | \$ 272.9 | 3.0\% | 3.0\% |
| ADJUSTED TOTAL | \$ 4,613.2 | -2.6\% | \$ 9,512.1 | \$ 184.7 | 2.0\% | 2.1\% |

