The Department of Revenue (DOR) report on year-to-date net state tax revenue for the current fiscal year, a projection of net state tax revenue for the remainder of the current fiscal year, and a projection of if, and when, net state tax revenue may exceed allowable state tax revenue for the current fiscal year.

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Mr. Steven T. James, House Clerk Office of the Clerk of the House State House, Room 145 Boston, MA 02133

The Honorable James B. Eldridge, Chair Joint Committee on Revenue State House, Room 511-C Boston, MA 02133

The Honorable Aaron M. Michlewitz, Chair House Committee on Ways and Means State House, Room 243 Boston, MA 02133 Mr. Michael D. Hurley, Senate Clerk Office of the Clerk of the Senate State House, Room 335 Boston, MA 02133

The Honorable Adrian C. Madaro, Chair Joint Committee on Revenue State House, Room 33 Boston, MA 02133

The Honorable Michael J. Rodrigues, Chair Senate Committee on Ways and Means State House, Room 212 Boston, MA 02133

Dear Clerks James and Hurley and Chairs Eldridge, Madaro, Michlewitz and Rodrigues,

Pursuant to Section 5 of Chapter 62F, as amended by the Acts of 2023, the Department of Revenue (DOR) hereby submits its October, 2025 report on year-to-date net state tax revenue for the current fiscal year, an estimate of net state tax revenue for the remainder of the current fiscal year, and an estimate of if, and when, net state tax revenue may exceed allowable state tax revenue for the current fiscal year.

Based on DOR's estimates of FY26 full fiscal year net state tax revenue and FY26 allowable state tax revenue, the Department currently projects FY26 full fiscal year net state tax revenue will not exceed FY26 allowable state tax revenue. DOR's estimates are based on currently available data and are subject to revisions as additional data becomes available.

Pursuant to subsection (d) of section 2BBBBB of section 17 of chapter 29, 4% income surtax revenue shall not be subject to the allowable state tax revenue limitations established by chapter 62F.

Report Highlights

October 31, 2025	year-to-date net state tax revenue excluding 4% income surtax revenue:	12,823,702,800
DOR's estimate of fu	41,640,813,837	
DOR's estimate of F	48,216,176,599	
DOR's estimate of the amount by which net state tax revenue will be above(below) allowable state tax revenue:		(6,575,362,762)

If you have questions, please contact Tim Rooney, DOR CFO (rooneyt@dor.state,ma.us).

Sincerely,

Timothy Rooney Chief Financial Officer Department of Revenue

cc:

Geoffrey Snyder, Commissioner, Department of Revenue
Kristin Lindquist, Senior Deputy Commissioner, Department of Revenue
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Sam Gamer, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office for Administration and Finance
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Kristin Lacroix, Chief Accounting Officer, Office of the Comptroller

Summary Statement

DOR Monthly Report on Fiscal Year 2026 Net State Tax Revenue and Allowable State Tax Revenue as Defined by Chapter 62F

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Year-to-Date Net State Tax Revenue October 31, 2025

Year-to-date net state tax revenue for FY26, less 4% income surtax revenue as of October 31, 2025 (Exhibit 1)	\$12,823,702,800	
Full Fiscal Year Net State Tax Revenue and Allowable State Tax Revenue Estimates		
Estimate of total net state tax revenue for FY26, less 4% income surtax revenue (1) (Exhibit 4)	\$41,640,813,837	
Allowable state tax revenue for FY25 (Exhibit 3)	\$46,384,735,613	
Estimate of allowable state tax revenue growth factor for FY26 (Exhibit 2)	1.0394837	
Estimate of allowable state tax revenue for FY26 (Exhibit 3)		
Estimate of the amount net state tax revenue will be above/(below) allowable state tax revenue for FY26 (Exhibit 4)		

¹⁾ Pursuant to subsection (d) of section 2BBBBB of section 17 of chapter 29, 4% income surtax revenues shall not be subject to the allowable state tax revenue limitations established by chapter 62F.

²⁾ Per M.G.L Chapter 62F, the State Auditor shall annually on or before the third Tuesday of September, independently determine whether net state tax revenues for the immediately preceding fiscal year exceeded the allowable state tax revenues for said fiscal year.

Exhibit 1 DOR Report: Fiscal Year-to-Date Net State Tax Revenues

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October 2025 Monthly 62F Re Type of State Tax Revenue Collected	Fiscal YTD Net State Tax Revenues as of
(By Agency)	10/31/2025
Department of Revenue:	
Alcoholic Beverages	35,565,045
Financial Institutions	3,523,993
Cigarettes	110,609,051
Corporations	754,865,197
Deeds	80,846,407
Estate and Inheritance	266,943,191
Income	7,862,592,977
Insurance	154,866,306
Motor Fuels and International Fuel Tax Agreement	241,509,034
Public Utilities	0
Room Occupancy	225,727,795
Sales and Use	3,292,865,431
Club Alcoholic Beverages	46,983
Motor Vehicle Excise	20,309
Convention Center Surcharges	9,742,005
Community Preservation Trust	13,908,350
Controlled Substances and Marijuana Excise	54,277,284
Satellite	1,358,607
Statewide Car Rental	3,217,666
Electronic Nicotine Delivery System	3,711,194
Department of Revenue Before the Reduction of 62F Payments	13,116,196,824
Pari-Mutual Taxes	282,122
Gaming Revenue Tax	149,938,198
Lottery Commission:	
Beano	153,272
Raffles and Bazaars	223,055
State Athletic Commission	
Boxing Contests	16,820
Boxer's Fund	4,193
Division of Insurance	
Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance	5,111
Secretary of State:	
Deeds Excise Stamp Tax Fees	28,548,694
Department of Unemployment Assistance:	
Workforce Training Contribution	5,639,482
Other Agencies Sub-Total	184,810,946
Total Net State Tax Revenue Before the Reduction of 62F Payments	13,301,007,771
Less:	
Estimate of 4% Income Surtax Revenues (1) (2)	(477,304,970)
Total Net State Tax Revenue Less the Estimate of 4% Income Surtax Revenue	12,823,702,800

¹⁾ Pursuant to subsection (d) of section 2BBBBBB of section 17 of chapter 29, 4% income surtax revenues shall not be subject to the allowable state tax revenue limitations established by chapter 62F.

²⁾ Pursuant to Section 20 of Chapter 28 of the 2023 Acts, the Department of Revenue (DOR) is required to certify to the State Comptroller, after each quarterly period during the fiscal year, the amount of tax revenues estimated to have been due to the additional 4% income tax levied pursuant to Article XLIV of the Amendments of the Constitution of the Commonwealth. For the purpose of surtax certification, quarterly periods are defined as July 1 to September 30, inclusive, October 1 to January 31, inclusive, February 1 to April 30, inclusive, and May 1 to June 30, inclusive. DOR estimates that the tax revenues collected from the 4% income tax was \$477,304,970 during the period between July 2025 and September 2025. Please note that this amount is subject to revision in future certification periods as DOR further analyzes tax data.

Exhibit 2

DOR Estimate of the Allowable State Tax Growth Factor For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026

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Calendar Year	Massachusetts Wages and Salaries ⁽¹⁾ (in Thousands)	Wages and Salaries Yearly Growth Rate ⁽²⁾
2022 Actual	\$333,155,998	-
2023 Actual	\$344,029,483	1.0326378
2024 Actual	\$362,741,160	1.0543897
2025 Estimate	\$374,139,829	1.0314237

1) Source:

- i) Actual: US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Income Division, Washington, D.C. (pursuant to Section 2 of Chapter 62F).
- ii) Estimate: based on a combination of US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Income Division, Washington, D.C. quarterly wage and slaray data and wage and salary growth projections provided by S&P Global Market Intelligence and Moody's Analytics.
- 2) Wage and salary yearly growth rates are calculated by dividing each calendar year's wages and salaries by those of the previous calendar year.
- 3) The allowable state tax growth factor equals one-third of the sum of the yearly growth rates for each of the three calendar years ending immediately prior to the current fiscal year.

Note Chapter 62F requires that, in calculating the allowable state tax growth factor for any fiscal year, the same total for Massachusetts wages and salaries for a calendar year utilized in prior calculations involving that calendar year shall be utilized in subsequent calculations involving that calendar year, notwithstanding periodic adjustments by the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Exhibit 3

DOR Estimate of Allowable State Tax Revenues for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2026

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Allowable state tax revenue for the FY25 ⁽¹⁾	\$46,384,735,613
Estimate of allowable state tax growth factor for the FY26	1.0394837
Estimate of allowable state revenue for the FY26	\$48,216,176,599

¹⁾ As defined in Section 2 of Chapter 62F of the Massachusetts General Laws, "allowable state tax revenues" for a fiscal year means the following: beginning after June 30, 1986, an amount equal to the greater of the allowable state tax revenues for the immediately preceding fiscal year multiplied by the allowable state tax growth for the current year, or in any case no less than the allowable state tax revenues for the preceding fiscal year.

Exhibit 4

Estimate of Net State Tax Revenue for the Current Fiscal Year and if Net State Tax Revenue Will Exceed Allowable State Tax Revenue for the Current Fiscal Year.

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Fiscal Year-to-Date of Net State Tax Revenues DOR Estimate of Year-to-Date Net State Tax Revenue for the Remainder of Fiscal Year 2026 Type of State Tax Revenue Collected (By Agency) State Tax Revenues as of 10/31/2025 Nov-25 Dec-25 Jan-26 Feb-26 Mar-26 Apr-26 May-26 Jun-26 Department of Revenue: Alcoholic Beverages 35,565,045 45,030,214 52,619,716 62,176,117 67,741,139 73,768,107 81,812,376 89,506,551 98,238,095 Financial Institutions 3.523.993 3.338.802 6.291.846 6.648.260 6.909.627 12.556.472 14.828.261 15.124.969 19.014.123 110,609,051 136,016,596 165,581,816 193,668,847 215,415,277 236,463,700 266,743,828 292.362.700 318,930,399 Cigarettes Corporations 754.865.197 717,391,635 1.314.944.508 1.387.065.379 1,439,953,309 2.582.600.902 3.042.300.929 3,102,340,132 3.889.316.426 Deeds 80.846.407 105.364.615 125.969.418 151.655.970 169.896.588 180.912.700 200.141.487 221.248.028 261.091.315 266,943,191 Estate and Inheritance 316,315,144 369,122,076 396,108,310 428,537,436 465,275,689 509,825,301 550,130,374 614,217,894 Income 7.862.592.977 9,410,720,239 11.905.034.788 14.543.913.658 15.830.367.389 17.927.971.708 22,780,188,713 24,275,032,250 26,866,403,839 Insurance 154,866,306 149,173,104 239,956,827 250,913,851 258,948,895 432,546,592 502,386,906 511,508,412 631,070,448 241,509,034 Motor Fuels and International Fuel Tax Agreement 307,579,190 369,470,513 433,274,428 491,287,684 546,478,703 608,719,368 669,560,670 735,053,401 Public Utilities Λ 246,131,334 273,456,628 323,670,241 371,131,893 354,430,420 225,727,795 251,861,811 255,935,343 296,395,487 Room Occupancy 3,292,865,431 4,054,540,236 4,908,231,762 5,842,473,716 6,533,386,917 7,219,359,418 8,080,119,134 8,835,988,862 9,733,258,287 Club Alcoholic Beverages 46 983 109 866 187 984 253 456 318 750 384 986 466 917 530 301 641 560 492,472 Motor Vehicle Excise 132,280 404,120 20,309 70,245 184,273 236,124 288,723 353,786 **Convention Center Surcharges** 9,742,005 10,708,451 11,674,897 12,641,343 14,574,235 15,540,681 16,507,127 17,473,573 13,607,789 Community Preservation Trust 13,908,350 18,358,486 22.020.634 26.625.466 29,895,436 32.022.902 35,580,848 39.315.066 47,330,133 Controlled Substances and Marijuana Excise 54,277,284 67,078,371 82,934,483 96,280,677 109.522.372 123,009,499 139,564,591 152.427.993 174,918,524 1 358 607 1 702 575 2 129 886 2 488 022 2 845 180 3 207 494 3 655 661 4 002 374 4 610 963 Satellite Statewide Car Rental 4,416,014 5,709,873 8,137,920 9,357,292 13,378,148 3,217,666 6,924,456 10,675,051 11,876,544 Electronic Nicotine Delivery System 3,711,194 11,979,77 18,256,361 Department of Revenue Before the Reduction of 62F Payments 13.116.196.824 15 599 294 606 19.841.035.625 23.677.993.731 25 890 823 897 30.169.154.385 36.630.558.143 39.174.533.000 43 798 126 384 **Massachusetts Gaming Commission:** Pari-Mutuel Taxes 282,122 371,122 460,122 549,122 638,122 727,122 816,123 905,123 994,123 Gaming Revenue Tax 149.938.198 193.116.841 236.295.484 279.474.127 322.652.770 365.831.413 409.010.055 452.188.698 495.367.341 Lottery Commission: 185,693 225,970 259,726 369,783 459,826 153,272 293,391 327,541 402,463 Raffles and Bazaars 223,055 329,695 452,297 576,403 689,086 797,266 943,445 1,042,422 1,212,093 State Athletic Commission Boxing Contests 16 820 61 593 106 365 151 138 195 910 240 683 285 455 330 228 375.000 Boxer's Fund 4,193 13,044 21,895 30,745 39,596 48,447 57,298 66,149 75,000 Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance 5.111 5.111 22.558 41.478 74.970.505 103.509.079 103.874.469 104.141.726 104.146.523 Secretary of State: 28,548,694 39,032,706 47,232,256 57,764,672 65,243,763 70,961,072 87,981,722 111,180,358 Deeds Excise Stamp Tax Fees 79,717,047 Department of Unemployment Assistance: Workforce Training Contribution 5,639,482 7,819,607 7,977,767 8,563,886 10.337.490 10,503,431 12,425,566 26.572.451 26,910,112 184,810,946 240,935,411 292,794,713 347,411,298 475,060,633 552,946,055 607,499,241 673,630,982 740,720,377 Total Net State Tax Revenue Before the Reduction of 62F Payments 13,301,007,771 24,025,405,029 30,722,100,440 37,238,057,384 15,840,230,017 20,133,830,338 26,365,884,530 39,848,163,982 44,538,846,762 Estimate of 4% Income Surtax Revenues (1) (2) (477.304.970) (546.782.844) (663.557.881) (1.010.273.963) (1.071.852.448) (1,176,952,120) (2,465,283,629) (2.574.852.713) (2.898.032.925) 12 823 702 800 15.293.447.174 19.470.272.457 23,015,131,066 25,294,032,083 29.545.148.319 34.772.773.755 37.273.311.269 41.640.813.837 Estimate of Allowable State Tax Revenues for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 48.216.176.599 Net State Tax Revenues above/(below) of Allowable State Tax Revenues (35.392.473.798) (32,922,729,425) (28.745.904.142) (25,201,045,533) (22.922,144,516) (18.671.028.280) (13.443.402.843)

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