SENATE BILL No. 1337

July 6, 2004, Introduced by Senators McMANUS, SWITALSKI, JOHNSON, JELINEK, OLSHOVE, JACOBS, CLARKE, PRUSI, SCHAUER, SCOTT, BARCIA and EMERSON and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1972 PA 239, entitled "McCauley-Traxler-Law-Bowman-McNeely lottery act," by amending sections 11 and 23 (MCL 432.11 and 432.23), as amended by 1996 PA 167.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

(1) The commissioner shall promulgate rules

pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, —Act

No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being sections 24.201 to

4 24.328 of the Michigan Compiled Laws—1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to

5 24.328, as necessary to implement this act.

(2) The rules authorized under this section may include any of the following subject to requirements and limitations in this

act:

(a) The type of lottery to be conducted. —subject to section

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- 1 (b) The price of tickets or shares in the lottery.
- 2 (c) The number and size of the prizes on the winning tickets
- 3 or shares.
- 4 (d) The manner of selecting the winning tickets or shares.
- 5 (e) The manner of payment of prizes to the holders of winning
- 6 tickets or shares. -, subject to section 32.
- 7 (f) The frequency of the drawings or selections of winning
- 8 tickets or shares.
- 9 (g) Without limit as to number, the type or types of
- 10 locations at which tickets or shares may be sold. subject to
- 11 section 23(10).
- 12 (h) The method to be used in selling tickets or shares,
- 13 except that a person's name shall not be printed on the tickets
- 14 or shares.
- 15 (i) The licensing of agents to sell tickets or shares, but a
- 16 person under the age of 18 shall not be licensed as an agent.
- 17 (j) The manner and amount of compensation to be paid licensed
- 18 sales agents necessary to provide for the adequate availability
- 19 of tickets or shares to prospective buyers and for the
- 20 convenience of the public.
- 21 (k) The apportionment of the total annual revenues accruing
- 22 from the sale of lottery tickets or shares and from all other
- 23 sources for the payment of prizes to the holders of winning
- 24 tickets or shares, for the payment of costs incurred in the
- 25 operation and administration of the lottery, including the
- 26 expenses of the bureau and the costs resulting from any contract
- 27 or contracts entered into for promotional, advertising,

- 1 consulting or operational services or for the purchase or lease
- 2 of lottery equipment and materials, for the repayment of the
- 3 money appropriated to the state lottery fund, and for transfer to
- 4 the general fund.
- 5 (3) The commissioner may promulgate rules incorporating by
- 6 reference existing rules or regulations of any joint enterprise
- 7 as required as a condition for participation in that joint
- 8 enterprise. Any subsequent changes or additions to the rules or
- 9 regulations of the joint enterprise may be adopted by the
- 10 commissioner through the promulgation of a rule.
- 11 (4) This section is repealed if the Michigan supreme court
- 12 rules that sections 45 and 46 of the administrative procedures
- 13 act of 1969, Act No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being
- 14 sections 24.245 and 24.246 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1969 PA
- 15 306, MCL 24.245 and 24.246, are unconstitutional and a statute
- 16 requiring legislative review of administrative rules is not
- 17 enacted within 90 days after the Michigan supreme court ruling.
- 18 Nothing in this subsection invalidates rules that have been
- 19 This subsection does not invalidate rules promulgated prior to
- 20 the effective date of the amendatory act that added this
- 21 subsection April 17, 1996.
- 22 Sec. 23. (1) A license as an agent to sell lottery tickets
- 23 or shares shall not be issued to any The commissioner shall not
- 24 issue a license to a person to engage in business exclusively as
- 25 a lottery sales agent. Before issuing a lottery sales license,
- 26 the commissioner shall consider factors such as the financial
- 27 responsibility and security of the person and his or her business

- 1 or activity, the accessibility of his or her place of business or
- 2 activity to the public, the sufficiency of existing licenses to
- 3 serve the public convenience, and the volume of expected sales.
- 4 (2) As used in this section, "person" means an individual,
- 5 association, corporation, club, trust, estate, society, company,
- 6 joint stock company, receiver, trustee, referee, any other person
- 7 acting in a fiduciary or representative capacity who is appointed
- 8 by a court, or any combination of individuals. Person includes
- 9 any department, commission, agency, or instrumentality of the
- 10 state, including any county, city, village, or township and any
- 11 agency or instrumentality thereof. If the commissioner issues a
- 12 type of license to persons who hold class C licenses or
- 13 authorizes persons who hold class C licenses to conduct a type of
- 14 lottery, the commissioner shall issue the same type of license to
- 15 veterans' organizations that hold club licenses or shall
- 16 authorize veterans' organizations that hold club licenses to
- 17 conduct the same type of lottery. This subsection does not
- 18 exempt a veterans' organization that applies for or holds a
- 19 lottery sales agent's license from the requirements of this act
- 20 and rules promulgated under this act.
- 21 (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person
- 22 licensed pursuant to this act may act as a lottery sales agent
- 23 may sell lottery tickets and shares. A person lawfully engaged
- 24 in nongovernmental business on state property may be licensed as
- 25 a lottery sales agent.
- 26 (4) A lottery sales license is not assignable or
- 27 transferable.

- 1 (5) A licensed agent or his or her employee may sell lottery
- 2 tickets or shares only on the premises stated in the lottery
- 3 sales license. -of the agent. Effective July 1, 1996, a A
- 4 licensed agent who violates this subsection is, at the
- 5 commissioner's discretion, subject to 1 or more of the
- 6 following:
- 7 (a) Probation for not more than 2 years.
- 8 (b) A fine of not more than \$1,000.00.
- 9 (c) Removal of his or her lottery terminal.
- 10 (6) The commissioner may issue temporary licenses upon
- 11 conditions as he or she considers necessary for a term which
- 12 shall not extend beyond 1 year after the effective date of this
- 13 act.
- 14 (6) -(7) The commissioner may require a bond from -any a
- 15 licensed agent in an amount -as- provided in -the- rules
- 16 promulgated under this act.
- 17 (7) -(8) A licensed agent shall display his or her license
- 18 or a copy -thereof- of the license conspicuously in accordance
- 19 with -the- rules promulgated under this act.
- 20 (8) -(9) The commissioner may suspend or revoke the license
- 21 of -any an agent who violates this act or a rule promulgated
- 22 pursuant to under this act.
- 23 (9) -(10) For purposes of terminal placement, the
- 24 commissioner shall take into account with equal emphasis both of
- 25 the following:
- (a) The total instant game sales for the 3 months immediately
- 27 preceding a market evaluation.

- 1 (b) The need to maximize net lottery revenues from the total
- 2 number of terminals placed.
- 3 (10) As used in this section:
- 4 (a) "Class C license" means a license to sell at retail beer,
- 5 wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption on the
- 6 premises under the liquor control code of 1998, 1998 PA 58, MCL
- 7 436.1101 to 436.2303.
- 8 (b) "Club license" means a license issued under section 532
- 9 of the liquor control code of 1998, 1998 PA 58, MCL 436.1532.
- 10 (c) "Person" means an individual, association, corporation,
- 11 club, trust, estate, society, company, joint stock company,
- 12 receiver, trustee, referee, or other person acting in a fiduciary
- 13 or representative capacity who is appointed by a court, or any
- 14 combination of individuals. Person includes a department,
- 15 commission, agency, or instrumentality of the state, including a
- 16 county, city, village, or township and an agency or
- 17 instrumentality of the county, city, village, or township.
- 18 (d) "Veterans' organization" means an organization in this
- 19 state, or a branch, lodge, or chapter in this state of a state
- 20 organization or of a national organization chartered by the
- 21 congress of the United States, that is organized not for
- 22 pecuniary profit and whose members were members of the armed
- 23 services or forces of the United States.

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