HOUSE BILL No. 5828

September 7, 2016, Introduced by Rep. Kosowski and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1996 IL 1, entitled "Michigan gaming control and revenue act," (MCL 432.201 to 432.226) by adding section 9e; and to provide for a referendum.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

SEC. 9E. (1) THE HOLDER OF A CASINO LICENSE MAY ACCEPT WAGERS ON SPORTING EVENTS.

(2) THE BOARD MAY, IN ADDITION TO CASINOS, PROVIDE FOR SPORTS BETTING AGENTS TO ACCEPT WAGERS ON SPORTING EVENTS TO FACILITATE SPORTS BETTING IN THIS STATE.

(3) THE BOARD SHALL PROMULGATE RULES TO REGULATE SPORTS BETTING AGENTS AND THE CONDUCT OF SPORTS BETTING UNDER THIS ACT.

Enacting section 1. This amendatory act shall be submitted as provided by the Michigan election law, 1954 PA 116, MCL 168.1 to 168.992, to the qualified electors of this state at the next
general election held after the effective date of this amendatory act. This amendatory act does not take effect unless it is approved by both of the following at that election:

(a) A majority of the electors of this state voting on the question.

(b) A majority of the electors voting on the question in the township or city where gambling as authorized under this amendatory act will take place.

Enacting section 2. If approved by the electors under enacting section 1, this amendatory act takes effect 10 days after the date of the official declaration of the vote.