

HOUSE BILL No. 4531

April 10, 2013, Introduced by Reps. Cotter, Lauwers, MacMaster, Potvin, Shirkey, McMillin, Zorn, Bumstead, Daley, Lyons, MacGregor, Howrylak, Price and Oakes and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1972 PA 239, entitled "McCauley-Traxler-Law-Bowman-McNeely lottery act," by amending section 9 (MCL 432.9), as amended by 1996 PA 167.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 9. (1) The commissioner shall initiate, establish, and
2 operate a state lottery at the earliest feasible and practicable
3 time. The lottery shall produce the maximum amount of net revenues
4 for ~~the~~**THIS** state consonant with the general welfare of the
5 people. The commissioner shall solicit bids from financially
6 responsible vendors of data processing equipment and services for
7 the operation of the lottery and may contract with the approval of
8 the state administrative board.

9 (2) The commissioner shall not conduct a lottery based ~~upon~~**ON**
10 an activity that ~~utilizes~~**USES** the mechanical, physical, or mental
11 skills of the participant and that is traditionally regarded as a

1 sporting event.

2 (3) The commissioner may participate in joint enterprises with
3 other sovereignties ~~so long as~~ **IF** the commissioner determines that
4 the joint enterprise is designed to produce the maximum amount of
5 net revenues for ~~the~~ **THIS** state consonant with the general welfare
6 of the people. The commissioner shall only participate in a joint
7 enterprise agreement that provides that the commissioner may
8 discontinue participation in the agreement if he or she determines
9 it to be necessary. The commissioner shall report to the
10 legislature every 6 months on the progress of the joint enterprise
11 agreement.

12 ~~—— (4) The commissioner shall submit a proposal to develop a~~
13 ~~program for the education and treatment of compulsive gamblers to~~
14 ~~the legislature within 6 months after the effective date of this~~
15 ~~amendatory act.~~

16 **(4) THE COMMISSIONER SHALL NOT ALLOW TICKETS OR SHARES IN THE**
17 **STATE LOTTERY TO BE SOLD OVER THE INTERNET.**