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H.P. 1448 Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26. Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed. EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk Presented by Representative TRACY of Rome. Cosponsored by Senator DOW of Kennebec and Representative GOULD of Greenville.
STATE OF MAINE
IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT
AN ACT Concerning the Taxation of Lottery Winnings.
Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine a follows:
8 MRSA §388, as repealed by 1987, c. 546, if reenacted to read:
§388. Maine state income tax; prizes exempt
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The prizes received pursuant to this chapter shall be exempt from the Maine state income tax.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Currently, Maine is the only Tri-State Lottery member state which imposes an income tax on prize winnings. This bill would reinstate the tax exemption for lottery winnings.

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