

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 119th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1999

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Legislative Document

No. 1074

S.P. 373

In Senate, February 9, 1999

**An Act to Change the Percent of Gross Sales of Tri-State Lotto That  
May Be Paid Out As Prizes.**

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Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CAREY of Kennebec.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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4       **Sec. 1. 8 MRSA §415, sub-§2**, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 732,  
§1, is amended to read:

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8       **2. Tri-state Lotto Prize Account.** Within one week after a  
Tri-state Lotto drawing has been held, the party state commission  
shall pay to the commission, who in turn shall promptly pay to an  
10       account known as the Tri-state Lotto Prize Account, such ~~meney~~  
~~money~~ as ~~are~~ ~~is~~ necessary for the payment of prizes, less actual  
prizes paid by the respective party state in the preceding week,  
12       but not to exceed ~~50%~~ 60% of the total amount for which tickets  
have been sold.

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#### SUMMARY

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This bill increases from 50% to 60% the percentage of  
Tri-state Lotto proceeds that may be paid out as prizes.