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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1342, L.D. 1820, Bill, "An Act To Establish the Gambling Control Board To License and Regulate Slot Machines at Commercial Harness Racing Tracks"

Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble (page 1, lines 1 to 22 in L.D.)

Further amend the bill in Part A by striking out all of section 1 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. A-1. 5 MRSA §10004, sub-§4-A is enacted to read:

4-A. Gambling. The action is based on a violation of laws or rules at gambling facilities that are cited by the Department of Public Safety, Gambling Control Board, established pursuant to Title 8, chapter 31, or the Gambling Control Board or its designees determine that acting in accordance with subchapters 4 and 6 would fail to serve the public interest; however, the suspension, revocation or refusal to renew may not continue for more than 30 days.'

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 2 in that part designated "§77." in subsection 1 in the last line (page 1, line 45 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "subsection 1, paragraph B, subparagraph 4" and inserting in its place the following: 'subsection 2, paragraph D'

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 2 in that part designated "§77." in subsection 2 by striking out all of paragraphs A and B (page 2, lines 2 to 15 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

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2        'A. Thirty-four percent of these funds must be distributed  
4        to all entities licensed by the department, including  
6        commercial tracks that during the previous year were  
8        licensed to and did accept pari-mutuel wagers on harness  
10       horse races and distributed in the manner prescribed in  
12       Title 8, section 298; and

14       B. Sixty-six percent of these funds must be divided among  
16       all entities licensed as agricultural fairs by the  
18       department. These funds must be distributed in the same  
20       proportion as funds distributed for premium payments made  
22       pursuant to section 64 and may be used at the fairs'  
24       discretion.'

26       Further amend the bill in Part A in section 3 in that part  
28       designated "§298." in subsection 1 in the 3rd and 4th lines (page  
30       2, lines 23 and 24 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
32       "subsection 1, paragraph B, subparagraph (2)" and inserting in  
34       its place the following: 'subsection 2, paragraph B'

36       Further amend the bill in Part A in section 3 in that part  
38       designated "§298." by striking out all of subsection 2 (page 2,  
40       lines 27 to 48 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

42       '2. Distribution. On May 30th, September 30th and January  
44       30th of each year, all amounts credited to the fund established  
46       by this section as of the last day of the preceding month and not  
48       distributed before that day must be distributed to each  
50       commercial track, as defined in section 275-A, subsection 1, and  
to each agricultural fair association that during the preceding  
trimester has conducted live racing with pari-mutuel wagering on  
dates assigned by the commissioner pursuant to Title 7, section  
65, with each commercial track and each agricultural fair  
association receiving an amount of money determined by  
multiplying the amount of money available for distribution times  
a fraction, the numerator of which is the total number of live  
race dashes conducted by the commercial track or agricultural  
fair association during the preceding time period and the  
denominator of which is the total number of race dashes conducted  
by all commercial tracks and agricultural fair associations  
during that time period. The payment in January must be adjusted  
so that for the prior 3 time periods each commercial track or  
agricultural fair association entitled to a distribution receives  
that fraction of the total money distributed over the full year  
from the fund established by this section, the amount determined  
by multiplying the total amount of money by a fraction, the  
numerator of which is the number of live race dashes conducted by  
the commercial track or agricultural fair association during the  
calendar year that qualify for a distribution and the denominator

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of which is the total number of race dashes conducted during that calendar year by all such fairs on dates assigned by the commissioner pursuant to Title 7, section 65 and by all commercial tracks during that calendar year. The funds distributed pursuant to this section must be used to supplement harness racing purses.'

Further amend the bill in Part A by inserting after section 3 the following:

'Sec. A-4. 8 MRSA §§299 and 300 are enacted to read:

**§299. Fund to Encourage Racing at Maine's Commercial Tracks**

**1. Fund created.** The Fund to Encourage Racing at Maine's Commercial Tracks is established to provide revenues to Maine's commercial tracks.

**2. Distribution.** On May 30th, September 30th and January 30th, all amounts credited to the fund established by this section as of the last day of the preceding month and not distributed before that day must be distributed to each commercial track licensed under section 271, with each track receiving that amount of the money available for distribution determined by multiplying that amount times a fraction, the numerator of which is the total number of live race days conducted by the commercial track during the preceding time period and the denominator of which is the total number of race days conducted by all commercial tracks licensed under section 271 during that time period. The payment in January must be adjusted so that for the prior 3 time periods each commercial track receives that fraction of the total money distributed over the full year from the fund established by this section, the amount determined by multiplying the total amount of money times a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of live race days conducted by the commercial track during the calendar year and the denominator of which is the total number of race days conducted by all commercial tracks licensed under section 271 during that calendar year.

**§300. Fund to Stabilize Off-track Betting Facilities**

**1. Fund created.** The Fund to Stabilize Off-track Betting Facilities is established to provide revenues to those off-track betting facilities licensed and in operation as of December 31, 2003.

**2. Distribution.** On May 30th, September 30th and January 30th, all amounts credited to the fund established by this section as of the last day of the preceding month and not

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2 distributed before that day must be distributed to each of  
3 Maine's off-track betting facilities licensed and in operation as  
4 of December 31, 2003. Distributions must be made in equal  
5 amounts to each off-track betting facility in operation as of the  
6 date of the distribution.'

7 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
8 designated "~~§1001.~~" by striking out all of subsection 7.

10 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
11 designated "~~§1001.~~" by inserting after subsection 20 the  
12 following:

14 '21. Gaming employee. "Gaming employee" means any person  
15 connected directly with a gambling facility, including cashiers,  
16 change personnel, counting room personnel, hosts, persons who  
17 extend credit or offer complimentary services, machine mechanics,  
18 security personnel, supervisors or managers. "Gaming employee"  
19 also includes employees of a slot machine distributor whose  
20 duties are directly involved with repair or distribution of slot  
21 machines or gaming devices.'

22 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
23 designated "~~§1001.~~" by inserting after subsection 22 the  
24 following:

26 '23. Holding company. "Holding company" means any company  
27 that directly or indirectly owns or has the power or right to  
28 control a company that holds or applies for a slot machine  
29 operator license or a slot machine distributor license, except  
30 that a company that has a beneficial ownership of more than 10%  
31 of the voting securities of a publicly traded corporation is not  
32 a holding company.'

34 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
35 designated "~~§1001.~~" by inserting after subsection 23 the  
36 following:

38 '24. Intermediary company. "Intermediary company" means a  
39 company that is a holding company of a company that applies for a  
40 slot machine operator license or a slot machine distributor  
41 license or is a subsidiary of a holding company of a company that  
42 applies for a slot machine operator license or a slot machine  
43 distributor license.'

46 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
47 designated "~~§1001.~~" by striking out all of subsection 25 and  
48 inserting in its place the following:

50 '25. Key executive. "Key executive" means any executive of

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2 a licensee having power to exercise a significant influence over  
3 decisions concerning the operation or distribution of slot  
4 machines.'

6 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
7 designated "\$1001." by striking out all of subsection 29 (page 5,  
8 lines 43 to 45 in L.D.)

10 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
11 designated "\$1001." by inserting after subsection 34 the  
12 following:

14 '35. Premises. "Premises" means the property located  
15 within 2,000 feet of the center of the horse racing track at a  
16 commercial track and owned by the person that owns the property  
17 on which the track is located.

18 36. Publicly traded corporation. "Publicly traded  
19 corporation" means a company that is an issuer subject to Section  
20 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, 15  
21 United States Code, Section 780 or applicable foreign laws or has  
22 one or more of the following:

24 A. Classes of securities registered pursuant to Section 12  
25 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, 15  
26 United States Code, Section 781; or

28 B. Classes of securities registered pursuant to applicable  
29 foreign laws that the board finds protect the public  
30 interest.

32 37. Registration. "Registration" means an approval or  
33 board action that authorizes a company to be a holding company of  
34 a company that holds or applies for a slot machine operator  
35 license or a slot machine distributor license or of other persons  
36 required to be licensed under this chapter.'

38 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
39 designated "\$1001." by inserting after subsection 38 the  
40 following:

42 '39. Subsidiary. "Subsidiary" means any corporation or  
43 company, all or any part of whose outstanding equity securities  
44 are owned, subject to a power or right of control, or held, with  
45 power to vote, by a holding company or intermediary company.'

48 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
49 designated "\$1001." by inserting after subsection 39 the  
50 following:

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2 '40. Work permit. "Work permit" means any card,  
3 certificate or permit issued by the board authorizing the  
4 employment of the holder as a gaming employee.'

6 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
7 designated "\$1001." by renumbering the subsections to read  
8 consecutively.

10 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
11 designated "\$1002." in subsection 2 in the 2nd line from the end  
12 (page 7, line 8 in L.D.) by inserting after the following:  
13 "industry." the following: 'One member must have experience in  
14 the harness racing industry.'

16 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
17 designated "\$1002." in subsection 8 in the last line (page 7,  
18 line 49 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "individual" and  
19 inserting in its place the following: 'executive'

20 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
21 designated "\$1003." in subsection 1 by striking out all of  
22 paragraph I (page 8, lines 47 to 49 in L.D.) and inserting in its  
23 place the following:

25 'I. Take any action as may be reasonable or appropriate to  
26 protect the public interest and enforce this chapter and the  
27 rules adopted under this chapter including denial,  
28 suspension or revocation without hearing of a license issued  
29 under this chapter as provided in Title 5, section 10004,  
30 subsection 4-A;'

32 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
33 designated "\$1003." by striking out all of subsection 2 and  
34 inserting in its place the following:

36 '2. Duties. The board shall hire an executive director. The  
37 board or the director, as delegated by the board, shall hire  
38 staff and retain professional services that the board considers  
39 necessary to carry out its responsibilities. In addition, the  
40 board or the director or staff, as delegated by the board, shall:

42 A. Enforce the provisions of this chapter and any rules  
43 adopted under this chapter;

44 B. Hear and decide all license and registration  
45 applications under this chapter and issues affecting the  
46 granting, suspension, revocation or renewal of licenses and  
47 registrations;

48 C. Review the department's reports of its investigation of  
49 the department's activities;

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2 the qualifications of an applicant before a license or  
3 registration is issued and investigate the circumstances  
4 surrounding any act or transaction for which board approval  
5 is required;

6 D. Cause the department to investigate any alleged  
7 violations of this chapter or rules adopted under this  
8 chapter and the direct or indirect ownership or control of  
9 any licensee;

10 E. Refer violations of this chapter to the Attorney General  
11 to bring action in the courts and administrative tribunals  
12 of this State or the United States, in the name of the State  
13 of Maine. This paragraph does not limit the authority of  
14 district attorneys to prosecute criminal violations of the  
15 law;

16 F. Collect all licensing and registration fees and taxes  
17 imposed by this chapter and rules adopted pursuant to this  
18 chapter;

19 G. Develop a standard uniform location agreement;

20 H. Pursuant to subchapter 5, cause the department to  
21 investigate all complaints made to the board regarding  
22 ownership, distribution or operation of slot machines and  
23 all violations of this chapter or rules adopted under this  
24 chapter;

25 I. Adopt rules to prevent undesirable conduct relating to  
26 the ownership, distribution and operation of slot machines  
27 and slot machine facilities, including, but not limited to,  
28 the following:

29 (1) The practice of any fraud or deception upon a  
30 player of a slot machine or a licensee;

31 (2) The presence or location of a slot machine in or at  
32 premises that may be unsafe due to fire hazard or other  
33 public safety conditions;

34 (3) The infiltration of organized crime into the  
35 ownership, distribution or operation of slot machines  
36 and slot machine facilities; and

37 (4) The presence of disorderly persons in a location  
38 where slot machines are in use;

39 J. Maintain a central site system of monitoring in real  
40 time;



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- 2           time all slot machines licensed in accordance with this  
3           chapter using an on-line inquiry;
  
- 4           K. Control the operation of slot machines via the central  
5           site monitoring system using only board staff or persons  
6           contracted by the board;
  
- 8           L. Ensure that the central site monitoring system does not  
9           permit a licensed slot machine operator to access the  
10           central site monitoring system or any system that is capable  
11           of programming slot machines;
  
- 12           M. Inform commercial track operators applying for a license  
13           to operate slot machines that any slot machines licensed by  
14           the board must be compatible with the central site system of  
15           on-line monitoring used by the board;
  
- 18           N. Cause the central site monitoring system to disable a  
19           slot machine that does not meet registration requirements  
20           provided by this chapter or rules adopted under this chapter  
21           or as directed by the department;
  
- 22           O. Cause the central site monitoring system to disable a  
23           slot machine and cause the department to seize the proceeds  
24           of that slot machine if the funds from that slot machine  
25           have not been distributed, deposited or allocated in  
26           accordance with section 1036;
  
- 28           P. Collect all funds and taxes due to the State under  
29           sections 1018 and 1036;
  
- 32           Q. Certify monthly to the department a full and complete  
33           statement of all slot machine revenue, credits disbursed by  
34           licensees, administrative expenses and the allocation of  
35           gross slot machine income for the preceding month;
  
- 36           R. Submit by March 15th an annual report to the Governor and  
37           the joint standing committee of the Legislature having  
38           jurisdiction over gambling affairs on slot machine revenue,  
39           credits disbursed by slot machine operators, administrative  
40           expenses and the allocation of gross slot machine income for  
41           the preceding year;
  
- 44           S. Prepare and submit to the department a budget for the  
45           administration of this chapter; and
  
- 46           T. Keep accurate and complete records of its proceedings  
47           and certify the records as may be appropriate.'
  
- 50           Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part

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designated "§1011." in subsection 1 in the last line (page 13, line 34 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "board." the following: 'A slot machine operator license authorizes a licensee to own or lease slot machines operated at a licensed gambling facility.'

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part designated "§1011." in subsection 3 in the 4th line (page 14, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1017 and 1020" and inserting in its place the following: '1016 and 1019'

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part designated "§1011." by inserting after subsection 3 the following:

'4. Requirement for license; agreement with municipality where slot machines are located. A slot machine operator shall enter into an agreement with the municipality where the slot machine operator's slot machines are located that provides for revenue sharing or other compensation, including, but not limited to, a provision requiring the preparation, in conjunction with the municipality, of a security plan for the premises on which the slot machines are located. The revenue-sharing agreement must provide for a minimum payment to the municipality of 3% of the total gross slot machine income derived from the machines located in the municipality.

5. Renewal. Licenses to operate slot machines may be renewed upon application for renewal in accordance with this subchapter, subject to board rules.'

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by inserting after that part designated "§1011." the following:

'§1012. Local approval for renewal of slot machine operator license

An application for renewal of a slot machine operator license must first be approved under this section by the municipal officers of the municipality in which the commercial track with slot machines is located or, if the commercial track is in an unincorporated place, the application must be approved by the county commissioners of the county in which the commercial track with slot machines is located.

1. Hearings. Municipal officers or county commissioners, as the case may be, may hold a public hearing for the consideration of a request for the renewal of a license to operate slot machines, except that, when an applicant has held a license for the prior 5 years and a complaint has not been filed

2 with the board against the applicant within that time, the  
3 applicant may request a waiver of the hearing.

4 A. The board shall prepare and supply application forms for  
5 public hearings under this subsection.

6  
7 B. Municipal officers or county commissioners, as the case  
8 may be, shall provide public notice of any hearing held  
9 under this section by causing, at the applicant's prepaid  
10 expense, a notice stating the name and place of the hearing  
11 to appear on at least 3 consecutive days before the date of  
12 the hearing in a daily newspaper having general circulation  
13 in the municipality where the premises of the commercial  
14 track with slot machines are located or one week before the  
15 date of the hearing in a weekly newspaper having general  
16 circulation in the municipality where the premises are  
17 located.

18  
19 C. If municipal officers or county commissioners, as the  
20 case may be, fail to take final action on an application for  
21 a renewal of a slot machine operator license within 60 days  
22 of the filing of an application, the application is  
23 considered approved and ready for action by the board. For  
24 purposes of this paragraph, the date of filing of the  
25 application is the date the application is received by the  
26 municipal officers or county commissioners.

27 2. Findings. In granting or denying an application under  
28 this section, municipal officers or the county commissioners  
29 shall indicate the reasons for their decision and provide a copy  
30 to the applicant. A license may be denied on one or more of the  
31 following grounds:

32  
33 A. Noncompliance of the commercial track licensed to  
34 operate slot machines with any local zoning ordinance or  
35 other land use ordinance not directly related to slot  
36 machine operations;

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38 B. Conditions of record such as waste disposal violations,  
39 health or safety violations or repeated parking or traffic  
40 violations on or in the vicinity of the premises of the  
41 commercial track with slot machines and caused by persons  
42 patronizing or employed by the commercial track licensed to  
43 operate slot machines or other such conditions caused by  
44 persons patronizing or employed by the premises that  
45 unreasonably disturb, interfere with or affect the ability  
46 of persons or businesses residing or located in the vicinity  
47 of the premises to use their property in a reasonable manner;  
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2 C. Repeated incidents of record of breaches of the peace,  
3 disorderly conduct, vandalism or other violations of law on  
4 or in the vicinity of the premises of the commercial track  
5 with slot machines and caused by persons patronizing or  
6 employed by the commercial track licensed to operate slot  
7 machines; and

8 D. A violation of any provision of this chapter.

10 3. Appeal to board. Any applicant aggrieved by the  
11 decision of the municipal officers or county commissioners under  
12 this section may appeal to the board within 15 days of the  
13 receipt of the written decision of the municipal officers or  
14 county commissioners. The board shall hold a public hearing in  
15 the city, town or unincorporated place where the premises of the  
16 commercial track with slot machines are situated. In acting on  
17 such an appeal, the board may consider all licensure requirements  
18 and findings referred to in subsection 2. If the decision  
19 appealed is an application denial, the board may issue the  
20 license only if it finds by clear and convincing evidence that  
21 the decision was without justifiable cause.

22 4. Appeal to District Court. Any person or governmental  
23 entity aggrieved by a board decision under this section may  
24 appeal the decision to the District Court within 30 days of  
25 receipt of the written decision of the board. An applicant who  
26 files an appeal or who has an appeal pending shall pay the  
27 license renewal fee the applicant would otherwise pay. Upon  
28 resolution of the appeal, if an applicant's license renewal is  
29 denied, the board shall refund the applicant the prorated amount  
30 of the unused license fee.'

32 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
33 designated "§1012." in subsection 2 in the last line (page 14,  
34 line 19 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1017 and 1020"  
35 and inserting in its place the following: '1016 and 1019'

36 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
37 designated "§1013." in subsection 2 in the last line (page 14,  
38 line 29 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1017 and 1020"  
39 and inserting in its place the following: '1016 and 1019'

40 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by striking  
41 out all of that part designated "§1014."

42 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
43 designated "§1015." in subsection 2 in the last line (page 15,  
44 line 4 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1017 and 1020"  
45 and inserting in its place the following: '1016 and 1019'

2 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by striking  
out all of that part designated "~~§1016.~~"

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6 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1017.~~" in subsection 1 in the 5th and 6th lines  
(page 15, lines 44 and 45 in L.D.) by striking out the  
8 following: ", a nongambling services vendor"

10 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1017.~~" in subsection 1 in paragraph G in the first  
12 line (page 16, line 37 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
"individuals" and inserting in its place the following:  
14 'executives'

16 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1017.~~" in subsection 1 in the blocked paragraph at  
18 the end in the last 2 lines (page 16, lines 42 and 43 in L.D.) by  
striking out the following: "1015 or 1016. A slot machine  
20 operator may also be licensed as a nongambling services vendor  
under section 1014." and inserting in its place the following:  
22 '1015.'

24 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1017.~~" in subsection 2 by inserting at the end a new  
26 blocked paragraph to read:

28 'Title 5, chapter 341 does not apply to this section.'

30 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1017.~~" in subsection 3 in the 4th line (page 17,  
32 line 48 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "individuals"  
and inserting in its place the following: 'executives'

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36 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1018.~~" in subsection 1 in paragraph D in the 3rd  
line (page 18, line 33 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
38 "1017" and inserting in its place the following: '1016'

40 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
designated "~~§1019.~~" in subsection 1 by striking out all of  
42 paragraphs A to E (page 19, line 48 and page 20, lines 1 to 11 in  
L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

44  
46 'A. The initial registration fee for a registered slot  
machine is \$100. The annual renewal fee is an amount, set  
48 by rules of the board, equal to the cost to the board of  
licensing slot machines and determined by dividing the costs  
of administering the slot machine licenses by the total  
50 number of slot machines licensed by the board.'

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2           B. The initial application fee for a slot machine  
4           distributor license is \$200,000. The annual renewal fee is  
6           an amount, set by rules of the board, equal to the cost to  
8           the board of licensing slot machine distributors and  
          determined by dividing the costs of administering the slot  
          machine distributor licenses by the total number of slot  
          machine distributors licensed by the board.

10           C. The initial application fee for a slot machine operator  
12           license is \$200,000. The annual renewal fee is \$75,000 plus  
14           an amount, set by rules of the board, equal to the cost to  
16           the board of licensing slot machine operators and determined  
          by dividing the costs of administering the slot machine  
          operator licenses by the total number of slot machine  
          operators licensed by the board.

18           D. The application fee for a license for a gambling  
20           services vendor is \$2,000.

22           E. The application fee for an employee license under  
          section 1015 is \$250.'

24           Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
26           designated "~~§1019.~~" by striking out all of subsection 2 and  
          inserting in its place the following:

28           '2. Term of license; renewal, renewal fees. All licenses  
30           issued by the board under this chapter are effective for one  
32           year, unless revoked or surrendered pursuant to subchapter 5.  
34           Upon proper application and payment of the required fees and  
36           taxes and in accordance with rules adopted by the board, the  
          board may renew a license for an additional year if municipal  
          approval has been obtained as provided in section 1012. The  
          board shall transfer \$25,000 of the renewal fee required by  
          subsection 1, paragraph C to the municipality in which the slot  
          machines are operated.'

38           Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
40           designated "~~§1019.~~" by inserting after subsection 5 the following:

42           '6. Rules. Rules adopted pursuant to this section are  
44           major substantive rules in accordance with Title 5, chapter 375,  
          subchapter 2-A.'

46           Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
48           designated "~~§1021.~~" in subsection 2 by striking out all of  
          paragraphs F and G (page 22, lines 27 to 31 in L.D.) and  
          inserting in their place the following:

2           'F. Must have technology compatible with the central site  
3           monitoring system used by the board;

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5           G. Must have a minimum average daily aggregate payback  
6           percentage of 89% computed for all slot machines operated at  
7           each slot machine facility on a weekly basis; and'

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9           Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
10          designated "~~§1021.~~" in subsection 3 in paragraph A in the 2nd  
11          line (page 22, line 45 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
12          "3,000" and inserting in its place the following: '1,500'

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14          Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
15          designated "~~§1031.~~" by striking out all of subsection 2 (page 23,  
16          lines 35 to 40 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

17          '2. Placement of slot machines. A slot machine operator,  
18          slot machine distributor or gambling services vendor shall  
19          prohibit persons under 21 years of age from any area in which a  
20          slot machine is located, except that a person 18 to 20 years of  
21          age may be present if that person is a licensed employee under  
22          section 1015.'

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24          Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
25          designated "~~§1034.~~" in the first paragraph in the last line (page  
26          24, line 15 in L.D.) by striking out the following: ", licensed  
27          nongambling services vendor or a key individual" and inserting in  
28          its place the following: 'or a key executive'

29  
30          Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
31          designated "~~§1036.~~" by striking out all of subsection 1 and  
32          inserting in its place the following:

33          '1. Distribution for administrative expenses of board. A  
34          slot machine operator shall collect and distribute 1% of adjusted  
35          gross slot machine income to the Treasurer of State for deposit  
36          in the General Fund for the administrative expenses of the  
37          board. For purposes of this subsection, "adjusted gross slot  
38          machine income" means the total value of money or tokens, credits  
39          or similar objects or things of value used to actually play a  
40          slot machine before payback is distributed to a player.

41          2. Distribution from commercial track. A slot machine  
42          operator shall collect and distribute 39% of the total gross slot  
43          machine income from slot machines operated by the slot machine  
44          operator to the board for distribution by the board as follows:

45                  A. Three percent of the total gross slot machine income  
46                  must be deposited to the General Fund for administrative  
47                  expenses.

2 expenses of the board, including gambling addiction  
3 counseling services, in accordance with rules adopted by the  
4 board;

5 B. Ten percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
6 be forwarded by the board to the Treasurer of State, who  
7 shall credit the money to the fund established in section  
8 298 to supplement harness racing purses;

9 C. Three percent of the total gross slot machine income  
10 must be credited by the board to the Sire Stakes Fund  
11 created in section 281;

12 D. Three percent of the total gross slot machine income  
13 must be forwarded by the board to the Treasurer of State,  
14 who shall credit the money to the Agricultural Fair Support  
15 Fund established in Title 7, section 77;

16 E. Ten percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
17 be forwarded by the board to the State Controller to be  
18 credited to the Fund for a Healthy Maine established by  
19 Title 22, section 1511 and segregated into a separate  
20 account under Title 22, section 1511, subsection 11, with  
21 the use of funds in the account restricted to the purposes  
22 described in Title 22, section 1511, subsection 6, paragraph  
23 E;

24 F. Two percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
25 be forwarded by the board to the University of Maine System  
26 Scholarship Fund created in Title 20-A, section 11631;

27 G. One percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
28 be forwarded by the board to the board of trustees of the  
29 Maine Community College System to be applied by the board of  
30 trustees to fund its scholarships program under Title 20-A,  
31 section 12716, subsection 1;

32 H. Four percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
33 be forwarded by the board to the Treasurer of State, who  
34 shall credit the money to the Fund to Encourage Racing at  
35 Maine's Commercial Tracks, established in section 299;  
36 however, the payment required by this paragraph is  
37 terminated when all commercial tracks have obtained a  
38 license to operate slot machines in accordance with this  
39 chapter;

40 I. Two percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
41 be forwarded by the board to the Treasurer of State, who  
42 shall credit the money to the Fund to Stabilize Off-track  
43 Betting Facilities established by section 300, as long as a  
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2 facility has conducted off-track wagering operations for a  
3 minimum of 250 days during the preceding 12-month period in  
4 which the first payment to the fund is required. After 48  
5 months of receiving an allocation of the total gross slot  
6 machine income from a licensed operator, the percent of  
7 total slot machine income forwarded to the Fund to Stabilize  
8 Off-track Betting Facilities is reduced to 1% with the  
9 remaining 1% to be forwarded to the State in accordance with  
10 subsection 1; and

11 J. One percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
12 be forwarded directly to the municipality in which the slot  
13 machines are located.'

14 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
15 designated "~~§1036.~~" by renumbering the subsections to read  
16 consecutively.

17 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by striking  
18 out all of that part designated "~~§1037.~~"

19 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
20 designated "~~§1051.~~" in subsection 3 in paragraph C by striking  
21 out all of subparagraph (4) (page 29, lines 7 to 12 in L.D.) and  
22 inserting in its place the following:

23 '(4) As provided in Title 5, section 10004, subsection  
24 4-A, conviction of a crime that involves dishonesty or  
25 false statement, conviction of a crime for which  
26 incarceration for one year or more may be imposed or  
27 conviction of a crime defined in Title 17-A, chapter  
28 39; or'

29 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 in that part  
30 designated "~~§1052.~~" in the first paragraph in the 3rd line (page  
31 29, line 42 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "individual"  
32 and inserting in its place the following: 'executive'

33 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by striking  
34 out all of that part designated "~~§1063.~~" (page 34, lines 6 to 9  
35 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

36 '§1063. Rules

37 Unless otherwise specified, rules adopted pursuant to this  
38 chapter are routine technical rules pursuant to Title 5, chapter  
39 375, subchapter 2-A.'

40 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 4 by  
41 renumbering the sections to read consecutively.

2 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 6 in paragraph D  
in the 2nd line (page 34, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the  
4 following: "1021" and inserting in its place the following:  
'1020'

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8 Further amend the bill in Part A in section 6 in paragraph D  
in the last line (page 34, line 32 in L.D.) by striking out the  
10 following: "1012" and inserting in its place the following:  
'1013'

12 Further amend the bill in Part A by inserting after section  
14 11 the following:

16 **'Sec. A-12. Report on operation of Gambling Control Board.** The  
Department of Public Safety, Gambling Control Board established  
18 in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 8, chapter 31 shall submit  
by March 15, 2005 a report on the operation of the board and its  
20 effectiveness in regulating the operation of slot machines at  
commercial harness racing tracks. The report must include  
22 recommendations of any necessary changes to the board and the  
laws governing the board in order to effectively regulate the  
operation of slot machines at commercial tracks. The report must  
24 include recommendations regarding expansion of the board's  
authority to regulate all gaming conducted legally within the  
26 State.'

28 Further amend the bill in Part B by inserting after section  
30 7 the following:

32 **'Sec. B-8. Board to rule on license.** By September 30, 2004, the  
Department of Public Safety, Gambling Control Board established  
34 in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 8, chapter 31 shall make a  
final determination on applications submitted to the board for  
36 licenses to distribute slot machines and licenses to operate slot  
machines and all related required licenses in accordance with  
Title 8, chapter 31 absent any circumstances beyond the control  
38 of the board that would prohibit the board from making a final  
determination. An applicant for a license to operate slot  
40 machines shall act in good faith to comply with all application  
requirements in a timely manner.'

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44 Further amend the bill in Part B by inserting after section  
8 the following:

46 **'Sec. B-9. Appropriations and allocations.** The following  
48 appropriations and allocations are made.

50 **AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL RESOURCES,  
DEPARTMENT OF**

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2	<b>Harness Racing Commission 0320</b>		
4	Initiative: Allocates funds for distribution of revenues to various accounts.		
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8	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	All Other	\$0	\$3,477,038
10	Other Special Revenue Funds Total	\$0	\$3,477,038
12	<b>AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
14	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
16	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,477,038</b>
18	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,477,038</b>
20	<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE</b>		
22	<b>Administration - Attorney General 0310</b>		
24	Initiative: Provides funds for an Assistant Attorney General position to assist in rulemaking, forfeitures, license application denial appeals and other required legal services.		
26			
28	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	Positions - Legislative Count	(0.000)	(1.000)
30	Personal Services	\$0	\$62,234
	All Other	0	8,996
32	General Fund Total	\$0	\$71,230
34			
36	<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
38	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$71,230</b>
40	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$71,230</b>
42	<b>FINANCE AUTHORITY OF MAINE</b>		
44	<b>Student Financial Assistance Programs 0653</b>		
46	Initiative: Allocates funds for the University of Maine System Scholarship Fund.		
48			
50	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	All Other	\$0	\$316,979

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2	Other Special Revenue Funds Total	\$0	\$316,979
4	<b>FINANCE AUTHORITY OF MAINE</b>		
	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
6	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$0	\$316,979
8	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$316,979
10	<b>PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
12	<b>Gambling Control Board</b>		
14	Initiative: Provides funds for one Director position, one State		
16	Police Lieutenant position, one State Police Sergeant position,		
18	one State Police Detective position, one Identification		
20	Specialist II position, one Auditor II position, 2 Public Safety		
22	Inspector I positions, 2 Clerk Typist III positions and general		
	operating expenses, which include the installation and		
	administration of an on-line monitoring system and the costs of		
	conducting necessary background checks.		
24	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	Positions - Legislative Count	(0.000)	(10.000)
26	Personal Services	\$0	\$852,963
	All Other	0	846,585
28	Capital Expenditures	0	55,000
30	General Fund Total	\$0	\$1,754,548
32	<b>PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
34	GENERAL FUND	\$0	\$1,754,548
36	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$1,754,548
38	<b>MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM,</b>		
40	<b>BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
42	<b>Maine Community College System - Board</b>		
44	<b>of Trustees 0556</b>		
46	Initiative: Allocates funds for the scholarship program.		
48	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	All Other	\$0	\$158,489
50	Other Special Revenue Funds Total	\$0	\$158,489

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2	<b>MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM, BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
4	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
6	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$158,489</b>
8	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$158,489</b>
10	<b>SECTION TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
12	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,825,778</b>
14	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,952,506</b>
16	<b>SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$5,778,284'</b>

18 Further amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency clause (page 38, lines 17 and 18 in L.D.)

20 Further amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

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**SUMMARY**

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28 This amendment is the majority report of the committee. This amendment requires that membership qualifications of the Department of Public Safety, Gambling Control Board as proposed in the bill include experience in the harness racing industry. It provides for municipal approval for the renewal of a slot machine license. Municipal decisions are subject to appeal to the Gambling Control Board. The requirement that nongambling service vendors and their employees be licensed by the Gambling Control Board is removed in this amendment. The amendment also strengthens the on-line monitoring of slot machines required in the bill by specifying that slot machines be controlled by a central site computer system operated by the State. The amendment requires as a condition of the slot machine operator license that the operator enter into an agreement with the host municipality that provides for revenue sharing and a security plan for the licensed slot machine facility. The amendment establishes initial application fees for slot machine operators and distributors of \$200,000 and for registration of slot machines of \$100. Renewal fees would be determined by the board to cover costs of administration of licensing and registrations. For slot machine operators, there is an additional renewal fee of \$75,000, \$25,000 of which goes directly to the host municipality, with the remainder going to the General Fund. The amendment also requires that the Gambling Control Board take final action on

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applications for slot machine licenses no later than September 30, 2004.

It reduces the payback percentage to players from 90% to 89% and allocates the 1% to the General Fund for administrative costs of the board.

It reduces the total number of slot machines that may be registered in the State to 1,500 slot machines.

Finally, the amendment changes the allocation of gross slot machine income so that the operator retains 61% and the remaining 39% is distributed as follows:

1. Three percent to the General Fund for administrative expenses of the board, including gambling addiction counseling services;

2. Ten percent to supplement harness racing purses;

3. Three percent to the Sire Stakes Fund;

4. Three percent to the Agricultural Fair Support Fund;

5. Ten percent to the Fund for a Healthy Maine for prescription drug benefits;

6. Two percent for University of Maine System scholarships;

7. One percent for Maine Community College System scholarships;

8. Four percent to the Fund to Encourage Racing at Maine's Commercial Tracks;

9. Two percent to the Fund to Stabilize Off-track Betting Facilities, to be reduced to 1% after 4 years with the remaining 1% going back to the General Fund; and

10. One percent to the host municipality.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)



**121st Maine Legislature  
Office of Fiscal and Program Review**

**LD 1820**

**An Act To Establish the Gambling Control Board To License and  
Regulate Slot Machines at Commercial Harness Racing Tracks**

**LR 2664(03)**

**Fiscal Note for Bill As Amended by Committee Amendment " "**

**Committee: Legal and Veterans Affairs**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

**Majority Report**

**Fiscal Note**

	2003-04	2004-05	Projections 2005-06	Projections 2006-07
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$161,116	(\$1,035,867)	(\$2,061,689)	(\$6,886,982)
Fund For Healthy Maine	\$0	\$1,076,557	\$24,480	\$62,400
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$1,825,778	\$2,178,545	\$3,859,394
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$3,952,506	\$8,088,055	\$20,585,895
<b>Revenue</b>				
General Fund	(\$161,116)	\$2,861,645	\$4,240,234	\$10,746,376
Fund For Healthy Maine	\$0	(\$1,076,557)	(\$24,480)	(\$62,400)
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$38,717)	(\$64,449)	\$3,186,617	\$8,193,428

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This bill effectively amends certain provisions of IB 2003, c.1 (LD 1371) which authorized slot machines to be located at commercial horse racing tracks. The revenue impacts of IB 2003, c.1 were factored into budgeted revenue estimates. The revenue impacts identified above for the General Fund, the Fund for a Healthy Maine and Other Special revenue Funds reflect the net (incremental) revenue impacts of amending the Initiated Bill. However, because the Initiated Bill could not be amended by the Legislature to include the necessary appropriations and allocations it needed, the appropriations and allocations section included in this bill reflects the full costs of enacting this bill (LD 1820).

**Revenue Summary of General Fund and Fund for Healthy Maine  
Baseline Revenue from IB 2003, c.1 (LD 1371)**

	2003-04	2004-05	Projections 2005-06	Projections 2006-07
<b>General Fund</b>				
Baseline Revenue for IB 2003, c.1; LD 1371	\$161,116	(\$337,327)	(\$414,236)	(\$1,055,603)
Revenue Generated by LD 1820	\$0	\$2,524,318	\$3,825,998	\$9,690,773
<b>Net General Fund Revenue Effect</b>	<b>(\$161,116)</b>	<b>\$2,861,645</b>	<b>\$4,240,234</b>	<b>\$10,746,376</b>
<b>Fund for Healthy Maine</b>				
Baseline revenue for IB 2003, c.1; LD 1371	\$0	\$2,661,450	\$3,257,640	\$8,307,000
Revenue Generated by LD 1820	\$0	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
<b>Net Fund For Healthy Maine Revenue Effect</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>(\$1,076,557)</b>	<b>(\$24,480)</b>	<b>(\$62,400)</b>
<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>				
Baseline revenue for IB 2003, c.1; LD 1371	\$38,717	\$4,016,955	\$4,901,438	\$12,392,467
Revenue Generated by LD 1820	\$0	\$3,952,506	\$8,088,055	\$20,585,895
<b>Net Other Special Revenue Funds Effect</b>	<b>(\$38,717)</b>	<b>(\$64,449)</b>	<b>\$3,186,617</b>	<b>\$8,193,428</b>

This bill is different from the initiated bill in several respects:

First, because of the delay in implementation since the initiated bill became law (effective date of January 4, 2004), the fiscal impacts for fiscal year 2003-04 identified in the initiated bill are no longer applicable.

Second, this bill replaces the State Harness Racing Commission as the agency charged with the regulatory responsibility for overseeing the use of slot machines at race tracks with a new Gambling Control Board which will be part of the Department of Public Safety. The use of a different regulatory agency results in different enforcement costs.

Third, the distribution of proceeds from gross slot income has been significantly changed, including a reduction in the distribution for the owner of the racetrack and new distributions for certain functions of state and municipal government. A number of distributions to state government remain unchanged.

Finally, the method by which the regulatory costs of state government are paid has been changed. The Initiated Bill reserved 1% of gross slot income as Other Special Revenue for the costs that would be incurred by Maine State Government to provide administrative and regulatory oversight over the operation of the authorized slot machine facilities. Because this was not adequate to cover the costs of state government, the fiscal note for the Initiated Bill reflected a significant General Fund cost. The provisions of this bill, as amended, specify that 1% of total slot income and 3% of gross slot income is to be deposited into the General Fund. The resources that have been reserved for regulatory and enforcement purposes in this bill are adequate to cover the regulatory costs of state government.



Presented below is an estimate of revenues and subsequent distribution that may be generated assuming one licensed slot machine operator with a total of 1,500 slot machines by the end of fiscal year 2006-07. This table includes a breakdown of the General Fund and Other Special Revenue Funds impacts.

<u>Summary of Slot Machine Revenue</u>	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Total Slot Machine Revenue	\$158,489,348	\$323,316,000	\$824,460,000
89% Payback	\$141,055,520	\$287,751,240	\$733,769,400
General Fund Administration @ 1%	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
Gross Slot Income @ 10%	\$15,848,935	\$32,331,600	\$82,446,000
61% of Gross Slot Income to Licensee	\$9,667,850	\$19,722,276	\$50,292,060
39% of Gross Slot Income to State & Host Municipality	\$6,181,085	\$12,609,324	\$32,153,940
<u>Required Distribution of Gross Slot Income (39% State &amp; Host Municipality Share)</u>			
General Fund (3%)	\$475,468	\$969,948	\$2,473,380
Fund For Healthy Maine (10%)	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
Purse Supplements (10%)	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
Agricultural Fair Support Fund (3%)	\$475,468	\$969,948	\$2,473,380
FAME (2%)	\$316,979	\$646,632	\$1,648,920
Sire Stakes Fund (3%)	\$475,468	\$969,948	\$2,473,380
Fund to Encourage Racing at Maine's Commercial Tracks (4%)	\$633,957	\$1,293,264	\$3,297,840
Fund to Stabilize Off-Track Betting (2%)	\$316,979	\$646,632	\$1,648,920
Maine Community College System (1%)	\$158,489	\$323,316	\$824,460
Host Municipalities (1%)	\$158,489	\$323,316	\$824,460
<u>Other Revenue Impacts:</u>			
License fees to the General Fund	\$524,250	\$74,563	\$124,563
Reimbursements to the General Fund	\$161,116	\$0	\$0
<u>Impact on Lottery - Diverted "Gaming/Gambling" Revenue to Slot Machines</u>			
5% of Gross Slot Income	\$871,691	\$1,778,238	\$4,534,530
25% General Fund Transfer	(\$217,923)	(\$444,560)	(\$1,133,633)
<u>Impact on Harness Racing - Diverted "Gaming/Gambling" Revenue to Slot Machines</u>			
2% of Gross Slot Income	\$348,677	\$711,295	\$1,813,812
Loss of Revenue from diverted revenue by Fund/Account:			
General Fund	(\$3,487)	(\$7,113)	(\$18,138)
Subtotal General Fund Revenue	(\$221,410)	(\$451,673)	(\$1,151,771)
<u>Other Special Revenue Funds</u>			
- Purse Supplements	(\$6,276)	(\$12,803)	(\$32,649)
- Sire Stakes Fund	(\$3,452)	(\$7,042)	(\$17,957)
- Agricultural Fair Support Fund	(\$4,010)	(\$8,180)	(\$20,859)
- Commercial Racetracks	(\$4,324)	(\$8,820)	(\$22,491)
- Promotional Board	(\$872)	(\$1,778)	(\$4,535)
Subtotal Dedicated Revenue	(\$18,934)	(\$38,623)	(\$98,491)

Summary of Expenditure Impacts

General Fund:

- Attorney General	\$71,230	\$71,230	\$71,230
- Public Safety	\$1,754,548	\$2,107,315	\$3,788,164
General Fund Total	\$1,825,778	\$2,178,545	\$3,859,394

Other Special Revenue Funds:

- Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources	\$3,477,038	\$7,093,107	\$18,087,515
- Public Safety (Host Municipalities)	\$0	\$25,000	\$25,000
- FAME	\$316,979	\$646,632	\$1,648,920
- Maine Community College System	\$158,489	\$323,316	\$824,460
Other Special Revenue Total	\$3,952,506	\$8,088,055	\$20,585,895

Summary of Revenue Impacts

General Fund:

- 1% of Total Slot Income	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
- 3% of Gross Slot Income	\$475,468	\$969,948	\$2,473,380
- Reimbursements	\$161,116	\$0	\$0
- License fees to the General Fund	\$524,250	\$74,563	\$124,563
- Diverted Lottery Revenue	(\$217,923)	(\$444,560)	(\$1,133,633)
- Diverted Pari-mutuel Revenue	(\$3,487)	(\$7,113)	(\$18,138)
General Fund Total	\$2,524,318	\$3,825,999	\$9,690,773

Fund for Healthy Maine:

- Proceeds From Slot Machines	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600
Fund for Healthy Maine - Total	\$1,584,893	\$3,233,160	\$8,244,600

Other Special Revenue Funds:

- Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources	\$3,477,038	\$7,093,107	\$18,087,515
- Public Safety (Host Municipalities)	\$0	\$25,000	\$25,000
- FAME	\$316,979	\$646,632	\$1,648,920
- Maine Community College System	\$158,489	\$323,316	\$824,460
Other Special Revenue Total	\$3,952,506	\$8,088,055	\$20,585,895

Host Municipalities	\$158,489	\$323,316	\$824,460
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