

HB 1155

2004

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to penny-ante games; amending s. 849.085,
 3 F.S.; exempting the conduct of penny-ante games in
 4 described facilities from a prohibition against soliciting
 5 participants through advertising; providing an effective
 6 date.

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 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 10 Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (3) of section
 11 849.085, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

12 849.085 Certain penny-ante games not crimes;
 13 restrictions.--

14 (3) A penny-ante game is subject to the following
 15 restrictions:

16 (d) A person may not solicit participants by means of
 17 advertising in any form, advertise the time or place of any
 18 penny-ante game, or advertise the fact that he or she will be a
 19 participant in any penny-ante game. This paragraph shall not
 20 apply to the conduct of any penny-ante game within the common
 21 elements or common area of a condominium, cooperative,
 22 residential subdivision, or mobile home park, the dwelling of an
 23 eligible organization as defined in subsection (2), or a
 24 publicly owned community center owned by a municipality or
 25 county.

26 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.