

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: WD 04/19/2010

The Committee on Criminal Justice (Dean) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (9) of section 24.105, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

24.105 Powers and duties of department.—The department shall:

- (9) Adopt rules governing the establishment and operation of the state lottery, including:
 - (a) The type of lottery games to be conducted, except that:
 - 1. No name of an elected official shall appear on the

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ticket or play slip of any lottery game or on any prize or on any instrument used for the payment of prizes, unless such prize is in the form of a state warrant.

- 2. No coins or currency shall be dispensed from any electronic computer terminal or device used in any lottery game.
- 3. Other than as provided in subparagraph 4., no terminal or device may be used for any lottery game which may be operated solely by the player without the assistance of the retailer.
- 4. Only the three types of The only player-activated machines described in this subparagraph which may be utilized. is a machine which dispenses instant lottery game tickets following the insertion of a coin or currency by a ticket purchaser. To be authorized a machine must: be under the supervision and within the direct line of sight of the lottery retailer to ensure that the machine is monitored and only operated by persons at least 18 years of age; and be capable of being electronically deactivated by the retailer to prohibit use by persons less than 18 years of age through the use of a lockout device that maintains the machine's deactivation for a period of no less than 5 minutes; and be designed to prevent its use or conversion for use in any manner other than the dispensing of instant lottery tickets. Authorized machines may dispense change to players purchasing tickets but may not be utilized for paying the holders of winning tickets of any kind. At least one clerk must be on duty at the lottery retailer while the machine is in operation. However, at least two clerks must be on duty at any lottery location which has violated s. 24.1055. In addition to the above requirements, the following requirements must be satisfied:

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i. A machine used to dispense pre-printed instant lottery tickets, but the machine may not read or reveal the results of the ticket, or allow a player to redeem any ticket. The machine, or any machine or device linked to the machine, may not include or make use of video reels or mechanical reels or other video depictions of slot machine or casino game themes or titles for game play. This does not preclude the use of casino game themes or titles on such tickets or signage or advertising displays on the machines;

ii. A machine used to dispense pre-determined electronic instant lottery tickets that displays an image of the ticket on a video screen, provided the player must touch the image of the ticket on the screen to reveal the outcome of the ticket. The machine may not permit a player to redeem winnings and may not make use of video reels or mechanical reels or simulate the play of any casino game. A retailer who utilizes such machines must be paid the same amount as the retailer would be paid for the sale of paper instant lottery tickets; and

iii. A machine used to dispense a paper lottery ticket with numbers selected by the player or randomly by the machine. The machine may not reveal the winning numbers to the player. The winning numbers must be selected at a subsequent time and different location through a drawing by the Florida Lottery. The machine, or any machine or device linked to the machine, may not include or make use of video reels or mechanical reels or other video depictions of slot machine or casino-game themes or titles for game play. The machine may not be used to redeem a winning ticket. These requirements do not preclude the use of casino game themes or titles for signage or advertising on the machine.

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Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (h) of subsection (2) and subsections (4) and (6) of section 24.111, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

- 24.111 Vendors; disclosure and contract requirements.-
- (2) The department shall investigate the financial responsibility, security, and integrity of each vendor with which it intends to negotiate a contract for major procurement. Such investigation may include an investigation of the financial responsibility, security, and integrity of any or all persons whose names and addresses are required to be disclosed pursuant to paragraph (a). Any person who submits a bid, proposal, or offer as part of a major procurement must, at the time of submitting such bid, proposal, or offer, provide the following:
- (a) A disclosure of the vendor's name and address and, as applicable, the name and address and any additional disclosures necessary for an investigation of the financial responsibility, security, and integrity of the following:
- 1. If the vendor is a corporation, the officers, directors, and each stockholder in such corporation; except that, in the case of owners of equity securities of a publicly traded corporation, only the names and addresses of those known to the corporation to own beneficially 5 percent or more of such securities need be disclosed.
- 2. If the vendor is a trust, the trustee and all persons entitled to receive income or benefit from the trust.
- 3. If the vendor is an association, the members, officers, and directors.
- 4. If the vendor is a partnership or joint venture, all of the general partners, limited partners, or joint venturers.

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- 5. If the vendor is a limited liability company, each officer, director, member, manager, and managing member of the company.
- (h) The department may shall lease all instant ticket vending machines.

If the vendor subcontracts any substantial portion of the work to be performed to a subcontractor, the vendor shall disclose all of the information required by this paragraph for the subcontractor as if the subcontractor were itself a vendor.

The department shall not contract with any vendor who fails to make the disclosures required by this subsection, and any contract with a vendor who has failed to make the required disclosures shall be unenforceable. Any contract with any vendor who does not comply with such requirements for periodically updating such disclosures during the tenure of such contract as may be specified in such contract may be terminated by the department. This subsection shall be construed broadly and liberally to achieve the ends of full disclosure of all information necessary to allow for a full and complete evaluation by the department of the competence, integrity, background, and character of vendors for major procurements.

(4) No contract for a major procurement with any vendor shall be entered into if that vendor, or any of the vendor's officers, directors, trustees, partners, managing members, or joint venturers whose names and addresses are required to be disclosed pursuant to paragraph (2) (a), has been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, a felony

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committed in the preceding 10 years, regardless of adjudication, unless the department determines that:

- (a) The vendor or such individual has been pardoned or the vendor's or such individual's civil rights have been restored;
- (b) Subsequent to such conviction or entry of plea the vendor or such individual has engaged in the kind of law-abiding commerce and good citizenship that would reflect well upon the integrity of the lottery; or
- (c) If the vendor is not an individual, such vendor has terminated its relationship with the individual whose actions directly contributed to the vendor's conviction or entry of plea.
- (6) Every contract in excess of \$25,000 entered into by the department pursuant to this section shall contain a provision for payment of liquidated damages to the department for any breach of contract by the vendor. The department may require a liquidated damages provision in any contract if the department deems it necessary to protect the state's financial interest.

Section 3. Subsection (1) of section 24.113, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

24.113 Minority participation.-

(1) It is the intent of the Legislature that the department encourage participation by minority business enterprises as defined in s. 288.703. Accordingly, 15 percent of the retailers shall be minority business enterprises as defined in s. 288.703(2); however, no more than 35 percent of such retailers shall be owned by the same type of minority person, as defined in s. 288.703(3). The department is encouraged to meet the minority business enterprise procurement goals set forth in s.

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287.09451 in the procurement of commodities, contractual services, construction, and architectural and engineering services. This section shall not preclude or prohibit a minority person from competing for any other retailing or vending agreement awarded by the department.

Section 4. Section 24.114, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

- 24.114 Bank deposits and control of lottery transactions.-
- (1) (a) All moneys received by each retailer from the operation of the state lottery, including, but not limited to, all ticket sales, interest, gifts, and donations, less the amount retained as compensation for the sale of the tickets and the amount paid out as prizes, shall be remitted to the department or deposited in a qualified public depository, as defined in s. 280.02, as directed by the department.
- (b) The department shall have the responsibility for all administrative functions related to the receipt of funds. The department may also require:
- 1. Each retailer to file with the department reports of the retailer's receipts and transactions in the sale of lottery tickets in such form and containing such information as the department may require.
- 2. The department may require Any person, including a qualified public depository, to perform any function, activity, or service in connection with the operation of the lottery as it may deem advisable pursuant to this act and rules of the department, and such functions, activities, or services shall constitute lawful functions, activities, and services of such person.



- 3.(2) The department may require Retailers to establish separate electronic funds transfer accounts for the purpose of receiving moneys from ticket sales, making payments to the department, and receiving payments from the department.
- (2) Each retailer is liable to the department for any and all tickets accepted or generated by any employee or representative of that retailer, and the tickets shall be deemed to have been purchased by the retailer unless returned to the department within the time and in the manner prescribed by the department.
- (3) All moneys received by retailers from the sale of lottery tickets, less the amount retained as compensation for the sale of tickets and the amount paid out as prizes by the retailer, shall be held in trust prior to delivery to the department or electronic transfer to the Operating Trust Fund.
- (4) A retailer who fails to remit funds to the department as required commits a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, or s. 775.083.

Section 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.

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Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the state lottery; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; authorizing the use of player-activated machines that have additional functionality; amending

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s. 24.111, F.S.; adding limited liability companies to the list of potential vendors that the Department of the Lottery must investigate; providing that the Department of Lottery may lease all instant ticket vending machines; prohibiting the department from entering into a contract for a major procurement if a managing member of the vendor has been convicted of a felony; removing a duplicative provision; amending s. 24.113, F.S.; removing a provision limiting the percentage of the same type of minority retailer that the Department of the Lottery may contract with to 35 percent; amending s. 24.114, F.S.; providing a penalty for failure by a retailer to remit funds as required; providing an effective date.