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1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to slot machine licenses; amending s.
 3 551.104, F.S.; requiring a harness racing permitholder
 4 that is applying for a slot machine license to file
 5 with the Division of Pari-mutuel Wagering a written
 6 agreement between the applicant and the Florida
 7 Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association which
 8 governs certain purses and awards; requiring sums for
 9 awards to be remitted monthly; providing an effective
 10 date.

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

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 14 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (10) of section
 15 551.104, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

16 551.104 License to conduct slot machine gaming.—

17 (10) (a)1. A ~~Ne~~ slot machine license or renewal thereof may
 18 not shall be issued to an applicant holding a permit under
 19 chapter 550 to conduct pari-mutuel wagering meets of
 20 thoroughbred racing unless the applicant has on file with the
 21 division a binding written agreement between the applicant and
 22 the Florida Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association,
 23 Inc., governing the payment of purses on live thoroughbred races
 24 conducted at the licensee's pari-mutuel facility. In addition, a
 25 ~~ne~~ slot machine license or renewal thereof may not shall be
 26 issued to such an applicant unless the applicant has on file
 27 with the division a binding written agreement between the
 28 applicant and the Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' Association,
 29 ~~Inc.~~ governing the payment of breeders', stallion, and special

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30 racing awards on live thoroughbred races conducted at the
31 licensee's pari-mutuel facility. The agreement governing purses
32 and the agreement governing awards may direct the payment of
33 such purses and awards from revenues generated by any wagering
34 or gaming the applicant is authorized to conduct under Florida
35 law. ~~All~~ Purses and awards are ~~shall be~~ subject to ~~the terms of~~
36 chapter 550. All sums for breeders', stallion, and special
37 racing awards must ~~shall~~ be remitted monthly to the Florida
38 Thoroughbred Breeders' Association, ~~Inc.~~, for the payment of
39 awards subject to the administrative fee authorized in s.
40 550.2625(3).

41 2. A ~~No~~ slot machine license or renewal thereof may not
42 ~~shall~~ be issued to an applicant holding a permit under chapter
43 550 to conduct pari-mutuel wagering meets of quarter horse
44 racing unless the applicant has on file with the division a
45 binding written agreement between the applicant and the Florida
46 Quarter Horse Racing Association or the association representing
47 a majority of the horse owners and trainers at the applicant's
48 eligible facility, governing the payment of purses on live
49 quarter horse races conducted at the licensee's pari-mutuel
50 facility. The agreement governing purses may direct the payment
51 of such purses from revenues generated by any wagering or gaming
52 the applicant is authorized to conduct under Florida law. ~~All~~
53 Purses are ~~shall be~~ subject to ~~the terms of~~ chapter 550.

54 3. A slot machine license or renewal thereof may not be
55 issued to an applicant holding a permit under chapter 550 to
56 conduct pari-mutuel wagering meets of harness racing unless the
57 applicant has on file with the division a binding written
58 agreement between the applicant and the Florida Standardbred

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59 Breeders and Owners Association governing the payment of purses
60 on live harness races conducted at the licensee's pari-mutuel
61 facility. In addition, a slot machine license or renewal thereof
62 may not be issued to such an applicant unless the applicant has
63 on file with the division a binding written agreement between
64 the applicant and the Florida Standardbred Breeders and Owners
65 Association governing the payment of breeders' and stallion
66 awards on live harness races conducted at the licensee's pari-
67 mutuel facility. The agreement governing purses and the
68 agreement governing awards may direct the payment of such purses
69 and awards from revenues generated by any wagering or gaming the
70 applicant is authorized to conduct under Florida law. Purses and
71 awards are subject to chapter 550. All sums for breeders' and
72 stallion awards must be remitted monthly to the Florida
73 Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association for the payment of
74 awards subject to the administrative fee authorized in s.
75 550.2625(4).

76 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.