LAWS OF DELAWARE VOLUME 84 CHAPTER 414 152nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY FORMERLY HOUSE SUBSTITUTE NO. 1 FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 389

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 28 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO CHARITABLE GAMING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE (Three-fifths of all members elected to each house thereof concurring therein):

Section 1. Amend Chapter 15, Title 28 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as shown by underline as follows:

§ 1535A. Annual raffle license.

(a) A person or organization may apply for an annual raffle license that allows the applicant to hold up to 20 raffle events per year.

(b) The cost of an annual raffle license is \$300.

(c) A person or organization that obtains a license under this section must provide notice to the Board at least 7 days prior to a raffle event. Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter to the contrary, the notice required under this subsection (c) of this section does not need to include information about the specific prizes or the value of prizes that will be awarded during the raffle event, but must include the following:

(1) The name, address, and phone number of the sponsoring person or organization.

(2) The date the prize will be awarded.

(3) The fact that a raffle event will take place.

(d) A raffle event held by a person or organization holding a license under this section is not subject to Board approval.

(e) Within 60 days after the conclusion of a raffle event under this section, the person or organization that conducted the raffle and its member or members who were in charge of the raffle must furnish to the Board a duly sworn statement containing all of the following:

(1) All information required to be included in a report after a game under § 1521 of this title.

(2) The name and address of each person to whom a prize was awarded.

Section 2. Amend § 1521, Title 28 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as shown by underline as follows:

§ 1521. Reports after games; records; examinations; applicability.

(a) Within 30 days after the conclusion of any game, <u>or within 60 days if the game is a raffle event conducted by a</u> <u>person or organization holding an annual raffle license under § 1535A of this title</u>, the organization which conducted the game and its member or members who were in charge shall furnish to the Board a duly sworn statement showing:

- (1) The gross receipts derived from each game;
- (2) Each item of expense incurred or paid;

(3) The name and address of each person to whom each such item has been, or is to be paid, with a description of the merchandise purchased or the services rendered therefor;

(4) The net profit derived for each such game;

- (5) The general uses to which such net profit has been or is to be applied; and
- (6) A list of prizes offered and given, with the respective values thereof.

Section 3. This Act takes effect 6 months after its enactment into law.

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