

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0020

State lottery organization.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Edwards and Reese

## A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to a state lottery organization; granting  
2 authority to the Wyoming pari-mutuel commission to operate  
3 a state lottery organization and to contract with other  
4 states for operating a lottery; providing rulemaking  
5 authority to the commission; providing for a director of  
6 the state lottery organization; providing for licensing of  
7 lottery game retailers; creating a lottery account in the  
8 enterprise fund; authorizing expenditures for the lottery;  
9 specifying how lottery profits shall be distributed;  
10 providing generally for the operation of the lottery;  
11 exempting sales of lottery tickets and shares from sales  
12 tax; providing penalties; making appropriations; and  
13 providing for an effective date.

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15 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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1           **Section 1.**     W.S. 11-25-201 through 11-25-211 are  
2 created to read:

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ARTICLE 2

5

WYOMING STATE LOTTERY ORGANIZATION

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**11-25-201. Definitions.**

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(a) As used in this article:

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(i) "Commission" means the Wyoming pari-mutuel  
commission;

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(ii) "Director" means the director of the state  
lottery organization appointed pursuant to W.S.  
11-25-202(a)(ii);

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(iii) "Immediate family" means any person  
residing as a member of the same household in the principal  
place of residence of a member of the commission, employee  
or independent contractor of the commission, or a licensed  
lottery game retailer;

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1           (iv) "Lottery" means any lottery created and  
2 operated under this article;

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4           (v) "Lottery game retailer" means a person who  
5 contracts with or seeks to contract with the commission to  
6 sell tickets in lottery games to the public under this  
7 article;

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9           (vi) "Supplier" means any person who enters into  
10 a contract to supply gaming materials or equipment to the  
11 lottery;

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13           (vii) "Ticket" means any evidence issued under  
14 the authority of the commission establishing proof of  
15 participation in any lottery conducted under this article.

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17           **11-25-202. Powers and duties of the commission.**

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19           (a) The commission shall:

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21           (i) Promulgate rules governing the establishment  
22 and operation of a state lottery organization including:

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1                   (A) The types of lotteries to be conducted,  
2 but no lottery shall be conducted by the commission based  
3 upon bingo or upon the outcome of any athletic event or  
4 race of any kind;

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6                   (B) The price of tickets in the lottery,  
7 but no ticket in any instant lottery shall have a price of  
8 less than one dollar (\$1.00);

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10                   (C) The number and size of the prizes on  
11 the winning tickets and the manner in which prizes are paid  
12 to holders of winning tickets;

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14                   (D) The manner of selecting winning  
15 tickets. All drawings shall be public, witnessed by an  
16 employee or independent contractor of the commission who is  
17 a certified public accountant, recorded by both video and  
18 audio recording and shall be actually performed by a person  
19 who is not an employee or member of the commission;

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21                   (E) The frequency of the drawings or  
22 selection of winning tickets;

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1                   (F) The types of locations at which tickets  
2 may be sold;

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4                   (G) The methods by which tickets are  
5 advertised to prospective buyers;

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7                   (H) The licensing of lottery game retailers  
8 to sell tickets, except no person under the age of eighteen  
9 (18) years shall be licensed as a lottery game retailer and  
10 no license shall be transferable;

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12                   (J) The manner and compensation to be paid  
13 to licensed lottery game retailers including special  
14 bonuses or incentives, as necessary, to provide for the  
15 adequate availability of tickets to prospective buyers and  
16 for the convenience of the public;

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18                   (K) The type and form of records, books of  
19 accounts and other papers the commission requires for the  
20 examination of licensed lottery game retailers pursuant to  
21 W.S. 11-25-203(c);

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23                   (M) Other matters necessary for the  
24 efficient and economical operation and administration of

1 the lottery and for the convenience of purchasers of  
2 tickets or holders of winning tickets.

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4 (ii) Employ a director of the state lottery  
5 organization who shall be qualified by training and  
6 experience to direct the lottery, advise the commission on  
7 all issues pertaining to lotteries and carry out the powers  
8 and duties provided in this article;

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10 (iii) Make an annual report to the joint revenue  
11 interim committee regarding the operation of the lottery  
12 and recommendations for improvement;

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14 (iv) Notwithstanding W.S. 11-25-104(b), meet at  
15 least quarterly to carry out the duties prescribed by this  
16 article. Special meetings for lottery business may be  
17 called by the president of the commission, any three (3)  
18 commission members or the director upon seventy-two (72)  
19 hours written notice to each member.

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21 (b) The commission may:

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23 (i) Suspend or revoke any license issued under  
24 this article;

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2 (ii) Investigate any person who has applied for  
3 or has been awarded any license or contract issued or  
4 formed by the commission under this article. The  
5 commission is authorized to access criminal history record  
6 information for all licensees, contractors or employees  
7 under W.S. 9-1-627(d) for the purposes of this article;

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9 (iii) Enter into written agreements with one (1)  
10 or more government-authorized lotteries to participate in  
11 the conduct and operation of lottery games, including  
12 powerball, and may enter into written agreements with one  
13 (1) or more government-authorized lotteries or other  
14 persons, entities, organizations or associations to  
15 purchase goods or services in support of lottery games when  
16 necessary or desirable to make lottery games more  
17 remunerative for the state of Wyoming, so long as the games  
18 and purchases are consistent with this article.

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20 **11-25-203. Director of the state lottery**  
21 **organization; powers and duties.**

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23 (a) The director shall:

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1           (i) Direct the operation of the lottery in  
2 accordance with this article and rules promulgated by the  
3 commission;

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5           (ii) Arrange an annual audit of all lottery  
6 accounts and transactions performed by an independent  
7 certified public accountant and submit the audit to the  
8 governor, the legislature, the state treasurer and the  
9 commission;

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11           (iii) Maintain accurate records, including the  
12 distribution of tickets to licensed lottery game retailers,  
13 receipt of funds, prize claims, prize disbursements,  
14 expenses and other financial transactions of the lottery as  
15 necessary;

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17           (iv) Report to the governor pursuant to W.S.  
18 9-2-1014, including a complete statement of the financial  
19 position and operation of the lottery;

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21           (v) Contract with a state agency or a private  
22 business experienced in security procedures to periodically  
23 conduct a comprehensive study and evaluation of all aspects  
24 of security in the operation of the lottery.



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2 (b) The director may:

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4 (i) Employ personnel necessary to implement this  
5 article;

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7 (ii) With the approval of the commission,  
8 contract for materials, equipment and supplies to design,  
9 install, operate and promote the lottery and for studies  
10 relevant to the successful operation of the lottery;

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12 (iii) License lottery game retailers to sell  
13 lottery tickets.

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15 (c) For purposes of enforcing this article, the  
16 commission through its director, employees or agents may  
17 examine during business hours the records, books or other  
18 documentation of the conduct of the lottery kept by  
19 licensed lottery game retailers. In any examination, the  
20 commission may require by subpoena the production of all  
21 documentation and other evidence relevant to the inquiry.

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23 (d) Any Wyoming district court, upon application by  
24 the commission or its director, may issue an order

1 requiring compliance with a subpoena issued by the  
2 commission. Failure to obey the order of the court may be  
3 punished as contempt.

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5 **11-25-204. Licenses; issuance; suspension and**  
6 **revocation; persons prohibited from holding.**

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8 (a) The commission shall include in its licensing  
9 rules and regulations requirements relating to:

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11 (i) Financial responsibility and bonding of  
12 lottery game retailers;

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14 (ii) Accessibility of the licensee's place of  
15 business to the public;

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17 (iii) Volume of expected sales;

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19 (iv) Character of the licensee;

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21 (v) Public display of the license;

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23 (vi) Other matters relating to the security and  
24 efficient operation of the lottery organization.

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2 (b) A license shall be revoked if the commission  
3 finds, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, that  
4 the licensee has:

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6 (i) Provided false or misleading information to  
7 the commission;

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9 (ii) Been convicted of any felony, a crime  
10 involving fraud or misrepresentation or a gambling related  
11 offense;

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13 (iii) Endangered the security of the lottery; or

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15 (iv) Become a person whose character is no  
16 longer consistent with the protection of the public  
17 interest and trust in the lottery organization.

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19 (c) A license may be suspended, revoked or not  
20 renewed for any of the following if after notice and  
21 opportunity for a hearing the commission finds the holder  
22 has:

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24 (i) Changed business location;

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2 (ii) An insufficient sales volume;

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4 (iii) Failed to pay monies owed to the lottery  
5 organization;

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7 (iv) Endangered the efficient operation of the  
8 lottery organization; or

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10 (v) Violated this article or any rule or  
11 regulation of the commission.

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13 (d) Any person who has reached the age of eighteen  
14 (18) years or an organization may be a licensed lottery  
15 game retailer except:

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17 (i) A person employed solely as a lottery game  
18 retailer;

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20 (ii) A person convicted of a felony, a crime  
21 involving fraud or misrepresentation or a gambling related  
22 offense;

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1           (iii) A person who is or has been engaged in any  
2 form of illegal gambling;

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4           (iv) A person not of good character and  
5 reputation in the community in which he resides; or

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7           (v) An organization in which a person listed in  
8 paragraphs (i) through (iv) of this subsection:

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10                   (A) Has a financial interest;

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12                   (B) Is an officer, director or managing  
13 agent;

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15                   (C) Participates in the management or sales  
16 of lottery tickets.

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18           (e) Each licensed lottery game retailer shall  
19 maintain records and other documentation that completely  
20 describes all lottery transactions and any other  
21 information necessary for the proper administration of the  
22 lottery as required by commission rules and regulations.

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1 (f) Licenses shall specify the place at which the  
2 sales will occur, but no license shall be issued for any  
3 premises that provides living accommodations for the  
4 lottery game retailer.

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6 (g) All hearings and appeals from commission  
7 decisions regarding the granting, renewing, suspending or  
8 revoking of a license shall be governed by the Wyoming  
9 Administrative Procedure Act.

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11 **11-25-205. Contractors supplying gaming equipment;**  
12 **disclosures.**

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14 (a) Any person submitting an application to contract  
15 as a supplier under this article shall disclose under oath  
16 in the application:

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18 (i) The business name and address and names and  
19 addresses of the following:

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21 (A) All general and limited partners if the  
22 applicant is a partnership;

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1                   (B) The trustee and all persons entitled to  
2 receive income or benefit from the trust if the applicant  
3 is a trust;

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5                   (C) The members, officers and directors if  
6 the applicant is an association or limited liability  
7 company;

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9                   (D) The officers, directors and each owner  
10 or holder, directly or indirectly, of any equity security  
11 or other evidence of ownership of any interest if the  
12 applicant is a corporation. In the case of owners or  
13 holders of publicly held equity securities of a publicly  
14 traded corporation, then only the names and addresses of  
15 those owning or holding one percent (1%) or more of the  
16 publicly held securities shall be provided;

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18                   (E) The holding or parent company involved  
19 if the applicant is a subsidiary company, and the officers,  
20 directors and stockholders of each. In the case of owners  
21 or holders of publicly held securities of a holding company  
22 that is a publicly traded corporation, then only the names  
23 and addresses of those owning or holding one percent (1%)  
24 or more of the publicly held securities shall be provided.

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2           (ii) All the states in which a business  
3 organization applicant is incorporated or otherwise  
4 registered to do business and the nature of that business;

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6           (iii) Other jurisdictions in which the applicant  
7 has contracts to supply gaming materials or equipment;

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9           (iv) The details of any state or federal  
10 criminal conviction of the applicant or any person whose  
11 name and address is required under paragraph (i) of this  
12 subsection;

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14           (v) The details of any disciplinary action taken  
15 by any state against the applicant or any person whose name  
16 and address is required under paragraph (i) of this  
17 subsection regarding any matter related to the selling,  
18 leasing, offering for sale or lease, buying or servicing of  
19 gaming materials or equipment;

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21           (vi) A statement of the gross receipts realized  
22 in the preceding year from the sale, lease or distribution  
23 of gaming materials or equipment to states operating  
24 lotteries and to private persons licensed to conduct



1 gambling. The statement shall differentiate that portion  
2 of the gross receipts attributable to transactions with  
3 states operating lotteries from that portion of the gross  
4 receipts attributable to transactions with private persons  
5 licensed to conduct gambling;

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7 (vii) The name and address of any source of  
8 gaming materials or equipment for the applicant;

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10 (viii) The number of years the applicant has  
11 been in the business of supplying gaming materials or  
12 equipment;

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14 (ix) Any other information accompanied by any  
15 documents the commission may by rule or regulation require  
16 as necessary or appropriate.

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18 (b) The involved holding or parent company shall  
19 supply the information required by this section of the  
20 applicant if the applicant is a subsidiary company.

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22 (c) The costs of any investigation into the  
23 background of the applicant seeking a contract shall be  
24 assessed against the applicant and shall be paid by the

1 applicant at the time the application is filed.  
2 Investigations may be conducted by the commission, any  
3 qualified investigator hired or designated by the  
4 commission, or another law enforcement entity as  
5 appropriate.

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7 (d) No person, firm, association or corporation  
8 contracting to supply gaming equipment or materials to the  
9 state for use in the operation of the state lottery  
10 organization shall be:

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12 (i) Directly or indirectly associated with any  
13 person, corporation or other business organization licensed  
14 as a lottery game retailer under this article;

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16 (ii) A member of the commission;

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18 (iii) An employee or independent contractor of  
19 the commission; or

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21 (iv) The immediate family of members, employees  
22 or independent contractors of the commission.

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24 (e) No contract shall be formed with an applicant if:

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2 (i) A person disclosed pursuant to paragraph  
3 (a)(i) or (vii) of this section has been convicted of a  
4 felony or gambling related offense, engaged in any form of  
5 illegal gambling, is not of good character and reputation  
6 relevant to the secure and efficient operation of the  
7 lottery or has been convicted of a crime involving fraud or  
8 misrepresentation; or

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10 (ii) A disciplinary action disclosed pursuant to  
11 paragraph (a)(v) of this section was resolved adversely to  
12 the supplier.

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14 (f) No contract for the supply of gaming materials or  
15 equipment for use in the operation of the state lottery  
16 organization shall be enforceable against the state if the  
17 supplier fails to comply with the provisions of this  
18 section.

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20 (g) If a contract for lottery tickets, lottery  
21 consulting services or lottery terminals or equipment  
22 exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) or if a  
23 contract is for drawing equipment regardless of value, each  
24 prospective corporate supplier shall at the time of

1 submission of its bid or proposal, provide a current  
2 personal financial statement and individual federal and  
3 state income tax returns from the past three (3) years for  
4 each of its officers and directors and for each of the  
5 officers and directors of all parent and holding companies  
6 affiliated with the supplier.

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8 **11-25-206. Conflicts of interests.**

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10 (a) No member of the commission, employee or  
11 independent contractor of the commission, or member of  
12 their immediate families shall have any financial interest  
13 in:

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15 (i) Any lottery;

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17 (ii) The sale of any lottery tickets; or

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19 (iii) Any organization supplying equipment,  
20 materials or services for use in the operation of the  
21 lottery or licensed as a lottery game retailer under this  
22 article.

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1           (b) No member of the commission, employee or  
2 independent contractor of the commission, or member of  
3 their immediate families shall receive any gift, gratuity  
4 or other thing of more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) in value  
5 per month from any person contracting with the state to  
6 provide equipment, materials or services for use in the  
7 operation of the lottery or from any person licensed as a  
8 lottery game retailer under this article.

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10           (c) No member of the commission, employee or  
11 independent contractor of the commission, licensed lottery  
12 game retailer or member of their immediate families shall  
13 purchase any ticket for or receive any prize from a lottery  
14 under this article.

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16           **11-25-207. Prizes; not assignable; withholding of**  
17 **amounts owed state; discharge of liability.**

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19           (a) The right of any person to a prize is not  
20 assignable, except payment of a prize may be paid to the  
21 estate of a deceased prizewinner or as directed by court  
22 order.

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1           (b) Unclaimed prize money shall be retained for a  
2 period set by rule of the commission. Any person who fails  
3 to claim a prize after the period set by the commission  
4 shall forfeit all rights to the prize. If a valid claim is  
5 not made for the money within the period set by the  
6 commission, the prize money shall be added to future prize  
7 pools.

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9           (c) If a person entitled to a prize is a minor,  
10 payment shall be made to the person's parent, legal  
11 guardian or a trustee under a trust which provides for the  
12 care and education of the minor and entitles the minor to  
13 the corpus of the trust when he becomes an adult.

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15           (d) Before payment of any prize in excess of five  
16 hundred dollars (\$500.00), the director shall check the  
17 name, address and social security number of the person  
18 claiming the prize with lists of people identified as  
19 having an outstanding debt owed to the state of Wyoming or  
20 from a support order, as defined in W.S. 20-6-102. The  
21 department of revenue and the department of family services  
22 shall provide lists to the commission. The director shall  
23 withhold payment of prize money from any prizewinner whose

1 name appears on a list, but shall transfer it to pay the  
2 outstanding debt as provided by applicable law.

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4 (e) The commission is discharged of all liability  
5 upon payment of any prize under this section.

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7 **11-25-208. Prohibited acts.**

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9 (a) No person shall:

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11 (i) Sell a lottery ticket at a price different  
12 from that fixed by the commission;

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14 (ii) Sell a lottery ticket unless licensed to do  
15 so under this article;

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17 (iii) Sell a lottery ticket to a minor;

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19 (iv) Sell a lottery ticket at a location other  
20 than that specified on the license;

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22 (v) If a minor, purchase a lottery ticket.

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1           (b) Nothing in this section prohibits the gift of a  
2 lottery ticket to a minor.

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4           **11-25-209. Advertising.**

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6 Promotional advertising regarding the lottery shall state  
7 the odds of winning and the average return on the dollar in  
8 prize money to the public. Promotional advertising  
9 expenses shall be paid from the lottery account.

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11           **11-25-210. Revenue from sales; disposition; lottery**  
12 **account created.**

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14           (a) There is created a lottery account in the  
15 enterprise fund.

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17           (b) Revenues from the sale of lottery tickets shall  
18 be paid to the state treasurer for deposit into the lottery  
19 account, except that the treasurer shall deposit one  
20 percent (1%) of the gross revenues to the pari-mutuel  
21 account within the earmarked revenue fund for the uses  
22 provided for by W.S 11-25-105(d), as appropriated by the  
23 legislature. All expenses of the commission incurred under



1 this article including salaries shall be paid from the  
2 lottery account, as appropriated by the legislature.

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4 (c) Prizes shall be paid from the lottery account.  
5 Total disbursements for lottery prizes shall be not less  
6 than forty-five percent (45%) of the total revenue accruing  
7 from the sale of lottery tickets, and sufficient funds to  
8 pay prizes are continuously appropriated from that account.

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10 (d) Annually, the state treasurer shall transfer  
11 remaining revenues in excess of expenses, prizes and  
12 reserves necessary for efficient operation as follows:

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14 (i) Of the first two million dollars  
15 (\$2,000,000.00) in revenues under this subsection:

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17 (A) Fifty percent (50%) shall be credited to  
18 an account created within the earmarked revenue fund to be  
19 used, as appropriated by the legislature, for the purpose  
20 of providing assistance to senior citizen centers through  
21 the department of health, as authorized by W.S. 9-2-1201  
22 through 9-2-1209;

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1                   (B) Thirty percent (30%) shall be credited  
2 to the trust account established under W.S. 23-1-501(f)  
3 within the game and fish fund; and

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5                   (C) Twenty percent (20%) shall be credited  
6 to the state parks and historic sites capital construction  
7 account created by W.S. 36-4-121(h) to be expended as  
8 provided by W.S. 36-4-121(h) (i).

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10                   (ii) All remaining revenues to the general fund.

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12                   **11-25-211. Criminal penalties.**

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14                   (a) Except as provided by subsection (b) of this  
15 section, a person violating this article commits a  
16 misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than one  
17 thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), imprisonment for not more  
18 than one (1) year, or both. Each violation is a separate  
19 offense.

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21                   (b) Any person who knowingly falsifies, alters,  
22 forges, passes or counterfeits a lottery ticket or receipt  
23 for the purchase of a lottery ticket issued under this  
24 article is guilty of a felony punishable by a fine of not

1 less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), imprisonment  
2 for not less than one (1) year, nor more than five (5)  
3 years, or both. Each violation is a separate offense.

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5 **Section 2.** W.S. 9-1-627(d), 11-25-105(d) and  
6 39-15-105(a)(iv) by creating a new subparagraph (J) are  
7 amended to read:

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9 **9-1-627. Authority to compile, disseminate and**  
10 **exchange information; immunity; access to information**  
11 **limited; security precautions.**

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13 (d) Access to criminal history record information is  
14 available to the Wyoming pari-mutuel commission as provided  
15 by W.S. 11-25-104(j) and 11-25-202(b)(ii). The commission  
16 shall take reasonable security precautions to prevent  
17 unauthorized persons from gaining access to criminal  
18 history record information in accordance with rules and  
19 regulations established by the Wyoming division of criminal  
20 investigation. For the purpose of this subsection  
21 "criminal history record information" means information,  
22 records and data compiled by criminal justice agencies on  
23 individuals for the purpose of identifying criminal  
24 offenders consisting of identifiable descriptions of the

1 offenders and notations or a summary of arrests,  
2 detentions, indictments, information, pre-trial  
3 proceedings, nature and disposition of criminal charges,  
4 sentencing, rehabilitation, incarceration, correctional  
5 supervision and release. Criminal history record  
6 information is limited to information recorded as the  
7 result of the initiation of criminal proceedings. It does  
8 not include intelligence data, analytical prosecutorial  
9 files, investigative reports and files of statistical  
10 records and reports in which individual identities are not  
11 ascertainable.

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13 **11-25-105. Pari-mutuel permits; fees and reports;**  
14 **disposition of funds; enforcement of provisions.**

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16 (d) All sums paid to the commission under this act  
17 except contributions from permittees to the breeder award  
18 fund, fines and penalties shall be credited to the pari-  
19 mutuel account within the earmarked revenue fund which  
20 shall be used by the commission for the payment of all  
21 expenses incurred in enforcing this act. Funds deposited  
22 pursuant to W.S. 11-25-210(b) shall be used by the  
23 commission to promote the economic development and  
24 enhancement of horse racing in Wyoming. All fines and

1 penalties assessed under this act shall be credited to the  
2 county public school fund. The state treasurer shall pay  
3 out of the account all warrants drawn by the state auditor,  
4 upon vouchers issued and signed by the president, vice-  
5 president or executive secretary of the commission. The  
6 commission shall keep an accurate and true account of all  
7 funds received and all vouchers issued by the commission.  
8 All funds received and all vouchers issued by the  
9 commission shall be audited at least biennially by the  
10 director of the state department of audit or his designee  
11 and a copy of the audit shall be delivered within thirty  
12 (30) days after completion to the governor and the  
13 commission. The costs of the audit shall be borne by the  
14 commission. The members of the commission shall receive  
15 statutory per diem expenses and mileage as allowed state  
16 employees, and compensation of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for  
17 each day during which they are actually engaged in the  
18 discharge of their duties. The total expenses incurred by  
19 the commission shall not exceed the total amount in the  
20 pari-mutuel account.

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22 **39-15-105. Exemptions.**

23

1 (a) The following sales or leases are exempt from the  
2 excise tax imposed by this article:

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4 (iv) For the purpose of exempting sales of  
5 services and tangible personal property sold to government,  
6 charitable and nonprofit organizations, irrigation  
7 districts and weed and pest control districts, the  
8 following are exempt:

9

10 (J) Sales of lottery tickets issued by the  
11 Wyoming state lottery organization under W.S. 11-25-201  
12 through 11-25-211.

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14 **Section 3.** There is appropriated from the general  
15 fund to the lottery account in the enterprise fund the sum  
16 of two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00), or as much thereof  
17 as necessary, to carry out the purpose of this act. This  
18 appropriation is an advance to facilitate establishment of  
19 the lottery and shall be repaid from profits as soon as  
20 practicable but in no event later than one (1) year after  
21 the first prize is paid out. Repayment of these funds  
22 shall be made prior to any distributions pursuant to W.S.  
23 11-25-210(d).

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1           **Section 4.**     The Wyoming pari-mutuel commission is  
2 authorized to expend and there is appropriated from the  
3 lottery account in the enterprise fund thirty percent (30%)  
4 of total revenue from sales of lottery tickets, to the  
5 commission for salaries and all administrative expenses,  
6 except prizes and repayment of the advance from the general  
7 fund, necessary to operate the lottery through June 30,  
8 2005, or as much thereof as necessary to carry out the  
9 purposes of this act.

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11           **Section 5.**     This act is effective July 1, 2004.

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