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DIGEST

Present law provides for the licensing of qualified truck stop facilities for the operation of video draw poker devices.

Present law requires truck stop facilities to have stable parking areas for at least 50 18-wheel tractor-trailer motor vehicles, either paved or concrete, to support 18-wheel tractor-trailer motor vehicles and their loads, constructed according to industry specifications, subject to approval by the division. Provides that all other parking areas not paved or concrete must be certified by an authorized company and proof provided that compaction tests were conducted, subject to approval by the division.

Proposed law provides that the parking areas are subject to review for the initial issuance of a license, but once the division has approved the parking area and issued a license for the operation of video draw poker devices, the continued maintenance of the parking area shall not be subject to approval or review by the division.

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(Amends R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(c)(iii)(aa))