

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 153 by Senator Martiny

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, at the end of line 7, change "608," to "609,"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 10, after "certificates;" and before "to provide" insert the following:

5 "to provide relative to the distribution of net sports wagering proceeds to pari-mutuel
6 wagering facilities and the horse breeding industry;"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 2, line 2, change "through 608," to "through 609,"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 19, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

11 **"§609. Sports wagering at certain facilities**

12 **A. The holder of a license as defined in R.S. 27:353 who has been issued**
13 **a sports wagering certificate, or its sports wagering service provider permittee,**
14 **in order to contribute to the support of pari-mutuel wagering facilities in the**
15 **state and the horse breeding industry, shall pay annually from the annual net**
16 **sports wagering proceeds:**

17 **(1) A fixed percentage of five percent to supplement purses as follows:**

18 **(a) Seventy percent to supplement purses for thoroughbred races at that**
19 **eligible facility or any eligible facility licensed by the Louisiana State Racing**
20 **Commission to conduct additional or substitute races or race days as authorized**
21 **by R.S. 4:147.1, thirty percent of which shall be for the Louisiana-bred**
22 **thoroughbred horses. Four percent of this amount shall go to the Horsemen's**
23 **Benevolent and Protective Association.**

24 **(b) Thirty percent to supplement purses for quarter horse races at that**
25 **eligible facility or any eligible facility licensed by the Louisiana State Racing**
26 **Commission to conduct additional or substitute race or race days as authorized**
27 **by R.S. 4:147.1, sixty percent of which shall be for Louisiana-bred quarter**
28 **horses. Four percent of this amount shall go to the Horsemen's Benevolent and**
29 **Protective Association.**

30 **(2) A fixed percentage of two-thirds of one percent to the Executive**
31 **Committee of the Louisiana Thoroughbred Breeders' Association. The**
32 **Executive Committee shall distribute the amount according to a schedule or**
33 **formula and within a time period which shall be established by the committee**
34 **for special breeder awards to the breeders of accredited Louisiana-bred**
35 **thoroughbred horses.**

36 **(3) A fixed percentage of one-third of one percent to the Executive**
37 **Committee of the Louisiana Quarter Horse Breeders' Association. The**
38 **Executive Committee shall distribute the amount according to a schedule or**
39 **formula and within a time period which shall be established by the committee**
40 **for special breeders' awards to the breeders of accredited Louisiana-bred**
41 **quarter horses.**

42 **B. The Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association shall be**
43 **deemed to hold a perfected security interest in and to its portion of the percent**

1 of the annual net sports gaming proceeds as provided in Paragraph (A)(1) of
2 this Section until the purse supplements have been distributed as purses or
3 distributed to the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association. All purse
4 supplements shall be deemed to be held in trust for the benefit of the
5 Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association by the eligible facility until
6 the time the monies are distributed. Each eligible facility shall have a fiduciary
7 duty to the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association to preserve and
8 account for such purse supplements."