GREEN SHEET REDIGEST

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TAX/GAMING: Requests a study of the land-based casino industry.

DIGEST

Requests the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice, or a subcommittee thereof, to conduct a joint study of the brick-and-mortar casino operations in La. and to report its findings prior to the convening of the 2025 R.S.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

- 1. Change references <u>from</u> the land-based casino industry <u>to</u> brick-and-mortar casino operations.
- 2. Change language relative to the history of casinos in La., statutory references, and revenue generated by Harrah's New Orleans Casino in 2023.
- 3. Change the scope of the study regarding reinvestment projects, taxation remedies, and business relationships between brick-and-mortar operators and out-of-state companies without a physical presence in La., and include in the study incentives to encourage capital investment in brick-and-mortar casinos through an examination of other large gaming markets.
- 4. Remove the Senate Committee on Judiciary B from the proposed study.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the reengrossed bill

1. Makes technical change regarding the enactment of gaming laws.