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SB No. 198

Present law provides that each video draw poker device be linked by telecommunication to a central computer for purposes of polling or reading device activities and for central computer remote shutdown of device operations.

Proposed law retains present law and further provides that any change in the operation of the central computer system, including changing the hardware or software of the central computer system shall require the affirmative approval of the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice and the Senate Committee on Judiciary B.

Effective August 1, 2012.

(Amends R.S. 27:302(A)(5)(o))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the original bill.

1. Adds provision regarding conflicts with SB 575 of the 2012 Regular Session.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Makes technical correction.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to the reengrossed bill.

1. Removed provisions regarding legislative approval of new games played on video draw poker devices.
2. Added provisions requiring changes to the central computer system be approved by the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice and the Senate Committee on Judiciary B.