

## AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 290

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE HELM

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 16 through 21; page 2, lines 1  
2 through 14; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and  
3 inserting

4 Section 3102. Games of chance operations during COVID-19  
5 disaster emergency.

6 (a) Operations.--Notwithstanding the provisions of section  
7 307(b.2), during the COVID-19 disaster emergency, or until May  
8 1, 2022, whichever is later, an eligible organization may  
9 conduct and reveal the winner of raffles and drawings via an  
10 Internet-based conferencing software application in a manner  
11 otherwise in accordance with this chapter.

12 (b) Raffles and drawings.--The following shall apply to a  
13 raffle or drawing authorized under subsection (a):

14 (1) An eligible organization may use a mobile payment  
15 service for the conduct or operation of the raffle or drawing  
16 in accordance with subsection (c). An eligible organization  
17 may not accept credit cards for the conduct or operation of  
18 the raffle or drawing.

19 (2) An eligible organization may only use an Internet-  
20 based conferencing software application in the conduct of the  
21 raffle or drawing limited to the reveal of the winner of the  
22 raffle or drawing.

23 (3) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
24 shall not use or display animation in identifying the winner.

25 (4) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
26 shall not use or display moving or still images in  
27 identifying the winner

28 (5) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
29 shall not use, make or display a graphic presentation in  
30 identifying the winner.

31 (6) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
32 shall not use or be completed with the aid of a slot machine,  
33 hybrid slot machine or skill slot machine as defined in 4  
34 Pa.C.S. § 1103 (relating to definitions).

35 (7) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
36 shall not use or be completed with the aid of a video gaming  
37 terminal as defined in 4 Pa.C.S. § 3102 (relating to

1 definitions).

2 (8) The reveal of the winner of the raffle or drawing  
3 shall not use or be completed with the aid of an electronic  
4 video monitor or a simulated gambling program as defined in  
5 18 Pa.C.S. § 5513(f) (relating to gambling devices, gambling,  
6 etc.).

7 (c) Verification requirements.--In order to use a mobile  
8 payment service under subsection (b)(1) for the conduct or  
9 operation of the raffle or drawing, an eligible organization  
10 shall take all of the following actions:

11 (1) Employ a mechanism to detect the physical location  
12 of a participant who buys a ticket for the raffle or drawing  
13 and block an individual located outside of this Commonwealth  
14 from participating in the raffle or drawing. The eligible  
15 organization may not accept payment from an individual  
16 located outside of this Commonwealth.

17 (2) Employ a mechanism to verify a participant's  
18 identity and record the document number of the participant's  
19 government-issued credential or employ any other methodology  
20 for remote, multi-sourced identity authentication, including  
21 the use of a third party or government database.

22 (3) Employ a mechanism to verify that a participant is  
23 at least 18 years of age and block an individual under 18  
24 years of age from participating in the raffle or drawing. The  
25 eligible organization may not accept payment from an  
26 individual under 18 years of age.

27 (4) Require a participant to affirm that the information  
28 provided by the participant under this subsection is  
29 accurate.

30 (5) Record a participant's acknowledgment that the  
31 information provided by the participant under this subsection  
32 is accurate.

33 (d) Expiration.--The authority granted under this section  
34 shall automatically expire upon expiration or termination of  
35 the COVID-19 disaster emergency by executive order, proclamation  
36 or operation of law, or May 1, 2022, whichever is later.

37 (e) Definitions.--As used in this section, the following  
38 words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this  
39 subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

40 "COVID-19 disaster emergency." The proclamation of disaster  
41 emergency issued by the Governor on March 6, 2020, published at  
42 50 Pa.B. 1644 (March 21, 2020), any renewal of the proclamation  
43 of disaster emergency or any other proclamation of disaster  
44 emergency related to the novel coronavirus, known as COVID-19,  
45 issued by the Governor in accordance with 35 Pa.C.S. § 7301(c)  
46 (relating to general authority of Governor).

47 "Drawing." A 50/50 drawing, daily drawing or weekly drawing.

48 "Internet-based conferencing software application." Any of  
49 the following:

50 (1) A software application that allows for the  
51 transmission of audio and visual communications between users

1 over the Internet, including Zoom, Microsoft Teams, Skype or  
2 an equivalent application.

3 (2) A social networking application that allows for the  
4 transmission of audio and visual communications between users  
5 over the Internet, including Facebook Live or Periscope.

6 "Mobile payment service." A service in which a money payment  
7 is made electronically through a money transfer service,  
8 including Venmo, PayPal, Cash App or an equivalent money  
9 transfer service.