

BY: Senator Della

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 197

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, in line 25, after “Act;” insert “providing that certain provisions of this Act are contingent on the passage of certain local ordinances by certain local governing bodies in the State;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 49, after line 26, insert:

“SECTION 13. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) The provisions of this Act relating to the awarding of video lottery operation licenses for racetrack and nonracetrack destination locations in Allegany County, Anne Arundel County, Baltimore City, Cecil County, Dorchester County, and Prince George’s County, respectively, are contingent on the enactment, by September 1, 2004, of a local ordinance by the Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, the County Executive and County Council of Anne Arundel County, the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the Board of County Commissioners of Cecil County, the County Executive and County Council of Dorchester County, and the County Executive and County Council of Prince George’s County, respectively, that approves the provisions of this Act relating to the awarding of video lottery operation licenses for racetrack and nonracetrack destination locations in Allegany County, Anne Arundel County, Baltimore City, Cecil County, Dorchester County, and Prince George’s County, as appropriate.

(b) With respect to the local ordinances required by subsection (a) of this section, the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore may enact by September 1, 2004, a local ordinance that:

(1) approves the awarding of video lottery operation licenses at both the Pimlico Race Course and the nonracetrack destination location in Baltimore City, as provided for in this Act;

(Over)

(2) approves the awarding of a video lottery operation license only for the Pimlico Race Course in Baltimore City, as provided for in this Act; or

(3) approves the awarding of a video lottery operation license only for a nonracetrack destination location in Baltimore City, as provided for in this Act.

(c) With respect to the local ordinances required by subsection (a) of this section, the County Executive and County Council of Prince George's County may enact by September 1, 2004, a local ordinance that:

(1) approves the awarding of video lottery operation licenses at both the Rosecroft Raceway and the nonracetrack destination location, as provided for in this Act;

(2) approves the awarding of a video lottery operation license only for Rosecroft Raceway in Prince George's County, as provided for in this Act; or

(3) approves the awarding of a video lottery operation license only for a nonracetrack destination location in Prince George's County, as provided for in this Act.

(d) If the Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, the County Executive and County Council of Anne Arundel County, the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the Board of County Commissioners of Cecil County, the County Executive and County Council of Dorchester County, or the County Executive and County Council of Prince George's County fails to enact by September 1, 2004, a local ordinance that approves the awarding of a video lottery operation license in their respective jurisdictions, then the State Lottery Commission or the Video Lottery Facility Location Commission may not award video lottery operation licenses at racetrack or nonracetrack destination locations in those jurisdictions."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 49, in line 27, strike "13." and substitute "14.".