### **SENATE BILL 246**

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#### By: Senator Pugh

Introduced and read first time: January 28, 2011 Assigned to: Budget and Taxation

#### A BILL ENTITLED

#### 1 AN ACT concerning

## Video Lottery Facility Location Commission – Financial Impact of Additional Games – Study

# FOR the purpose of requiring the Video Lottery Facility Location Commission to conduct a certain study to assess the financial impact of offering certain games in video lottery facilities; requiring the Commission to report to the General Assembly on or before a certain date; and generally relating to video lottery facilities.

9 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Video Lottery Facility Location Commission shall conduct a 10 study to assess the financial impact of offering table games, including card games, dice 11 12games, and roulette, and other forms of gaming in Maryland video lottery facilities 13and to recommend what options Maryland should pursue to remain competitive with surrounding states that offer gaming facilities. The Video Lottery Facility Location 14Commission shall report the findings of the study and recommendations to the 15General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, on or 16 17before January 1, 2012.

18 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect19 June 1, 2011.



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