

HOUSE BILL 867

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Assigned to: Ways and Means

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City – Table Game Proceeds – Recreational Facilities and School**
3 **Programs**

4 FOR the purpose of altering the requirement that proceeds from certain table games paid
5 to Baltimore City be used for certain purposes to include funding the operation of
6 recreational facilities beyond the hours in effect as of a certain date and after-school
7 and summer school programs in Baltimore City public schools; and generally relating
8 to the use of proceeds from table games in Baltimore City.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article – State Government
11 Section 9–1A–27(d)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2014 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
15 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article – State Government**

17 9–1A–27.

18 (d) (1) Each video lottery operation licensee shall retain 80% of the proceeds
19 of table games at the video lottery facility.

20 (2) On a properly approved transmittal prepared by the Commission, the
21 Comptroller shall pay the following amounts from the proceeds of table games at each video
22 lottery facility:

23 (i) 5% to the local jurisdiction in which the video lottery facility is
24 located, provided that:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 1. 50% of the proceeds paid to Baltimore City shall be used
2 to fund school construction projects; and

3 2. 50% of the proceeds paid to Baltimore City shall be used
4 to fund the maintenance, operation, and construction of recreational facilities, **INCLUDING**
5 **THE OPERATION OF THE RECREATIONAL FACILITIES BEYOND THE HOURS IN EFFECT**
6 **AS OF JANUARY 1, 2016, AND FOR AFTER-SCHOOL AND SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAMS**
7 **IN THE BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS;** and

8 (ii) 15% to the Education Trust Fund established under § 9-1A-30
9 of this subtitle.

10 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
11 October 1, 2018.