

HB1430/625161/1

BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1430
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 8, after “regulations;” insert “requiring a video lottery operator to report certain information to certain committees of the General Assembly at a certain frequency;”; and in line 8, after “term;” insert “providing for the termination of this Act;”.

AMENDMENT NO.2

On page 2, after line 21, insert:

“B. THE VIDEO LOTTERY OPERATOR MAY REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF PROCEEDS AS PROVIDED UNDER SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 2 OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH NOTWITHSTANDING THE FORGIVENESS OF THE UNCOLLECTIBLE COUNTER CHECK, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, BY THE VIDEO LOTTERY OPERATOR BASED ON A GOOD FAITH BELIEF THAT THE PLAYER’S BUSINESS COULD BE RETAINED IN GOOD STANDING.”;

in line 22, strike “**B.**” and substitute “**3.**”; and in line 23, strike “**3**” and substitute “**7**”.

On page 3, after line 17, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) A video lottery operator shall report, at least quarterly, to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee, in accordance with § 2-1257 of the State Government Article, the following information, if applicable:

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(1) the number of times the operator has reduced the amount of proceeds from video lottery terminals and table games by the amount of an uncollectible counter check or forgiven debt under § 9-1A-26 of the State Government Article and the total amount of the reductions; and

(2) whether or not the player from whom the video lottery operator accepted the uncollectible counter check was a first-time debtor of the operator.

(b) The report required under subsection (a) of this section may not include personally identifiable information about the player that is the subject of the report.”.

in line 18, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 19, after “2020.” insert “It shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of June 30, 2022, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.