

Chapter 333

(House Bill 1543)

AN ACT concerning

Gaming – Sports Wagering Facilities – Request for Relocation

FOR the purpose of authorizing certain sports wagering facility licensees to submit a written request to the State Lottery and Gaming Control Commission to relocate the sports wagering facility, subject to certain limitations; and generally relating to sports wagering facilities.

BY adding to

Article – State Government
Section 9–1E–07(j)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2021 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

Article – State Government

9–1E–07.

(J) (1) A SPORTS WAGERING FACILITY LICENSEE ISSUED A LICENSE UNDER § 9–1E–06(A)(2)(II) OF THIS SUBTITLE MAY SUBMIT A WRITTEN REQUEST TO THE COMMISSION TO RELOCATE A CLASS B SPORTS WAGERING FACILITY.

(2) THE COMMISSION MAY GRANT A REQUEST SUBMITTED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION ONLY IF:

(I) THE SPORTS WAGERING FACILITY LICENSEE WAS ORIGINALLY ISSUED A CLASS B SPORTS WAGERING FACILITY LICENSE ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30, 2023; AND

(II) THE NEW LOCATION FOR THE SPORTS WAGERING FACILITY:

1. IS WITHIN THE SAME COUNTY; ~~AND~~

2. COMPLIES WITH THE LOCATION REQUIREMENTS UNDER § 9–1E–06 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND

**3. SUBJECT TO § 9-1E-15(Q) OF THIS SUBTITLE, IS
APPROVED BY THE SPORTS WAGERING APPLICATION REVIEW COMMISSION.**

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

Approved by the Governor, May 6, 2025.