

Amendment to HB 1646-FN

1 Amend RSA 284:6-a, VII as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 ***VII. Notwithstanding paragraph VI, the lottery commission shall authorize wagers***
4 ***on historic horse racing, whether on an electronic gaming device or otherwise, provided***
5 ***such wagers meet the requirements of this chapter. Historic racing machines shall be***
6 ***programmed and operated for pari-mutuel wagering only. Historic racing machines shall***
7 ***either not have an autoplay feature or shall have the autoplay feature disabled. For the***
8 ***purpose of this paragraph, "autoplay" means the racing machine software chooses the***
9 ***horse the player wagers on for the player.***

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11 Amend RSA 284:22-b, V as inserted by section 7 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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13 V. The licensee commission on all historic horse race pari-mutuel pools shall be at a rate of
14 not greater than 12 percent. In addition to the above commission, 100 percent of the odd cents of all
15 redistribution based on each dollar wagered exceeding a sum equal to the next lowest multiple of 10,
16 known as breakage, shall be paid to the lottery commission and used in accordance with RSA 338-
17 B:7.

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19 Amend the bill by replacing all after section 9 with the following:

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21 10 Unclaimed Ticket Money. Amend RSA 284:31 to read as follows:

22 284:31 Unclaimed Ticket Money. On or before January 31 of each year every person,
23 association, or corporation conducting a race or race meet, whether live racing, ~~[or]~~ simulcast racing,
24 ***or historic horse racing*** hereunder shall pay to the state treasurer all moneys collected during the
25 previous year of pari-mutuel pool tickets and vouchers which have not been redeemed. The books or
26 records of said person, association, or corporation, which clearly show the tickets entitled to
27 reimbursement in any given race, live, ~~[or]~~ simulcast, ***or historic***, shall be forwarded to the lottery
28 commission. Such moneys shall become a part of the special fund established in RSA 284:21-j. The
29 state treasurer shall pay the amount due on any ticket or voucher to the holder thereof from funds
30 not otherwise appropriated upon an order from the lottery commission. Pari-mutuel tickets and
31 vouchers which remain unclaimed after 11 months shall not be paid. Vouchers shall be remitted to

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1 the state treasurer on January 31 of the calendar year, 24 months after the year of the unclaimed
2 voucher.

3 11 Licensed Facilities; Eligible in 2023. RSA 284:22-b, II is repealed and reenacted to read as
4 follows:

5 II. A game operator employee licensed under RSA 287-D may sell pari-mutuel pools on
6 historic horse races provided such sales are within the enclosure of the facility at which the licensee
7 holds its licensed activities under RSA 287-D.

8 12 Effective Date.

9 I. Section 11 of this act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

10 II. The remainder of this act shall take effect upon its passage.