HB 275 2013

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to state lotteries; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; authorizing the Department of the Lottery to create and administer a program that provides for the sale of lottery tickets online; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

- Section 1. Present subsections (19) and (20) of section 24.105, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (20) and (21), respectively, and a new subsection (19) is added to that section, to read:
- 24.105 Powers and duties of department.—The department shall:
- (19) Have the authority to create a program that allows a person 18 years of age or older to purchase a lottery ticket through the Internet without using an online lottery retailer and that includes a website portal through which a person may purchase a lottery ticket via a subscription mechanism. The department may adopt rules to administer the program.
 - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.