House

Florida Senate - 2021 Bill No. CS for SB 8-A



LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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Senator Hutson moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)

Between lines 1300 and 1301

insert:

(16) LOCAL GOVERNMENT APPROVAL.-

(a) The Division of Pari-mutuel Wagering shall not issue any initial license under this section except upon proof in such form as the division may prescribe that the local government where the applicant for such license desires to conduct cardroom gaming has voted to approve such activity by a majority vote of the governing body of the municipality or the governing body of

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| 12 | the county if the facility is not located in a municipality. |
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| 13 | (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a |
| 14 | municipality may prohibit the establishment of a cardroom on or |
| 15 | after July 1, 2021, within its jurisdiction. This paragraph does |
| 16 | not apply to a licensed pari-mutuel permitholder who held an |
| 17 | operating license for the conduct of pari-mutuel wagering for |
| 18 | fiscal year 2020-2021 in the municipality's jurisdiction or to a |
| 19 | cardroom that was previously approved by the municipality. |
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| 21 | ===== DIRECTORY CLAUSE AMENDMENT ====== |
| 22 | And the directory clause is amended as follows: |
| 23 | Delete line 1199 |
| 24 | and insert: |
| 25 | subsection (7), paragraph (d) of subsection (13), and subsection |
| 26 | (16) of section |
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| 28 | =========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ================================= |
| 29 | And the title is amended as follows: |
| 30 | Between lines 134 and 135 |
| 31 | insert: |
| 32 | authorizing a municipality to prohibit the |
| 33 | establishment and operation of certain cardrooms |
| 34 | within its jurisdiction; |
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