

Any person or persons who shall bribe or attempt to bribe any persons participating in or connected in any way with any athletic contest held in this State shall be deemed guilty of bribery, and on being convicted thereof shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than five thousand (\$5,000.00), or, in the discretion of the court shall be sentenced to be imprisoned in the penitentiary of this State for not less than six months nor more than three years, or both fined and imprisoned[; and any person so bribing or attempting to bribe or so demanding or receiving a bribe shall be a competent witness, and compellable to testify against any person or persons who may have committed any of the aforesaid offenses; provided, that any person so compelled to testify in any such case shall be exempt from trial and punishment for the crime of which such person so testifying may have been a participant].

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No person shall refuse to testify concerning the crime of conspiring to commit any of the offenses set forth in § 23 of this article, [subtitle "Bribery; Obstructing Justice", or set forth under the subtitle "Gaming" of this article or set forth under the subtitle "Lotteries" of this article,] and any person shall be a competent witness and compellable to testify against any person or persons who may have conspired to commit any of the aforesaid offenses, provided that any person so compelled to testify in behalf of the State in any such case, shall be exempt from prosecution, trial and punishment for any and all such crimes and offenses of which such person so testifying may have been guilty or a participant or a conspirator therein and about which he was so compelled to testify.

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No person shall refuse to testify concerning any gaming or betting because his testimony would implicate himself and he shall be a competent witness and compellable to testify against any person or persons who may have committed any of the offenses set forth under this subtitle, provided that any person so compelled to testify in behalf of the State in any such case shall be exempt from prosecution, trial and punishment for any and all such crimes and offenses of which such person so testifying may have been guilty or a participant and about which he was so compelled to testify.]

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[(c) No person shall, upon pain of contempt of court, refuse to testify concerning any violations of the provisions of this subheading because his testimony might tend to incriminate him or implicate him in such violations -{and every}-} EVERY such person shall be a competent witness and compellable to testify against any person who may have committed any of the