REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 248.

Subsection (a) of this section is restated as an affirmative grant of authority to certain qualified organizations to conduct raffles for specified purposes for clarity.

In subsection (a) of this section, the former limitation "[n]othing in this subtitle [sic] shall be construed to make it unlawful" is deleted in light of \\$ 13-101 of this title and the reorganization of material derived from the former "Gaming" subheading of Article 27 in Titles 12 and 13 of this article.

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to a "corporation" is deleted as included in the reference to an "organization".

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to "hold[ing]" a raffle is deleted as included in the reference to "conduct[ing]" a raffle.

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to "be[ing] paid" any of the proceeds is deleted as included in the reference to "receiv[ing]" any of the proceeds.

13-406. POLITICAL FUNDRAISERS — PADDLE WHEELS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE, A POLITICAL COMMITTEE, AS DEFINED IN ARTICLE 33, § 1–101 OF THE CODE, MAY CONDUCT A FUNDRAISER AT WHICH PRIZES OF MERCHANDISE OR MONEY ARE AWARDED IN A GAME OR SPIN USING A PADDLE WHEEL OR WHEEL OF FORTUNE.

(B) PRIZES.

A POLITICAL COMMITTEE MAY AWARD A MERCHANDISE OR MONEY PRIZE UNDER THIS SECTION THAT DOES NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT OTHERWISE ALLOWED FOR A PRIZE IN THE COUNTY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 261C-1(b) and, as it related to political fundraisers in Anne Arundel County, (a).

In subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to a "bona fide" organization is deleted as surplusage.

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the reference to a "political committee, as defined in Article 33, § 1–101 of the Code" is substituted for the former reference to a "politically partisan organization or political committee as defined in Article 33 of the Code" for consistency with Article 33.

13-407. BINGO.

(A) "BINGO" DEFINED.