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3. THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN

SERVICES;

- 4. THE COUNTY ATTORNEY;
- 5. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE; OR
- 6. A DESIGNATED OFFICER OR AGENT OF ANY OF THOSE

UNITS.

- (5) A PERSON CONDUCTING BINGO SHALL BE A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY AND A MEMBER OF THE QUALIFIED ORGANIZATION.
- (6) ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES MAY NOT BE SOLD OR CONSUMED IN THE ROOM IN WHICH BINGO IS CONDUCTED, EITHER DURING A GAME OR AN INTERMISSION BETWEEN GAMES.
- (7) MONEY PRIZES NOT EXCEEDING \$500 IN EACH GAME MAY BE AWARDED IN BINGO.
- (8) THE QUALIFIED ORGANIZATION MAY SELL BREAKOUT TICKETS IN THE ROOM IN WHICH BINGO IS CONDUCTED, EITHER DURING A GAME OR AN INTERMISSION BETWEEN GAMES.

(B) MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR.

- (1) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE, A PERSON MAY CONDUCT BINGO AT THE ANNUAL MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL CENTER, INC.
- (2) A PERSON WHO CONDUCTS BINGO UNDER THIS SUBSECTION MAY AWARD ONLY NONCASH PRIZES.
 - REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 255B (c), (a)(1), (3), and (4) as they related to the rights, privileges, and duties of a person who conducts a raffle, and (b)(1), (6), (8), and, as it related to breakout tickets, (10).

Subsection (a)(1) of this section is restated as an affirmative grant of authority to certain organizations to conduct bingo under this subtitle for clarity.

In this section and throughout this subtitle, the references to "conduct[ing] bingo" are substituted for the former references to "operat[ing] a bingo game" and "hold[ing] a bingo game" for consistency within this title.

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, the former limitation "[n]otwithstanding the provisions of this subtitle [sic]," 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 this revision in Titles 12 and 13 of this article.

In subsection (a)(3) of this section and throughout this subtitle, the defined