

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the State Lottery Agency, in consultation with the Mass Transit Administration, shall establish a set of policies and standards for advertisements to be accepted by the Agency for inclusion on its tickets, newsletters, or other publications. The Maryland State Lottery Agency shall:

(1) Refuse to accept any advertisement on lottery tickets or publications that is inappropriate, controversial, offensive in nature, or displays poor taste;

(2) Only accept an advertisement on lottery tickets and publications that is of highest quality standards consistent with existing Maryland State Lottery Agency advertisements in other advertising media;

(3) Require the approval of the Maryland State Lottery Commission prior to distribution of tickets or publications bearing advertisements; and

(4) Develop advertising standards in cooperation with standards used by the Mass Transit Administration.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the State Lottery Agency shall establish a fee schedule for the use of space for advertising or promotion. The fee schedule shall be administered uniformly regardless of the profit or not for profit status of a client, the products or services featured in an advertisement, or the potential for an advertisement to impact on lottery ticket purchasers, publication readers, or other citizens in a positive or beneficial manner.

SECTION 2-3. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1992.

Approved May 26, 1992.

CHAPTER 540

(House Bill 439)

AN ACT concerning

Frederick County -- Gaming Events

FOR the purpose of clarifying that certain gaming events may be held in Frederick County by certain organizations, including civic, war veterans', hospital, and amateur athletic organizations, and rescue or ambulance companies or their auxiliaries; requiring that a person obtain a permit from the County agency chosen by the Board of County Commissioners of Frederick County whenever the person operates certain gaming events; altering the permit fees and maximum value of prizes offered at certain gaming events in the County; allowing the Board of County Commissioners of Frederick County to adopt regulations to carry out provisions regarding gaming events; setting a certain term for permits; allowing gaming events to be held in Frederick County after a certain time on Sunday; adding ~~casino nights,~~ tip jars, and punchboards to the list of gaming events allowed in Frederick County;