

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4932**

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled
"The Michigan penal code,"
by amending section 310b (MCL 750.310b), as added by 1996 PA 539.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 310b. (1) This chapter does not apply to a redemption
2 game if all of the following conditions are met:

3 (a) The outcome of the game is determined through the
4 application of an element of skill by the player.

5 (b) The award of the prize is based upon the player's
6 achieving the object of the game or otherwise upon the player's
7 score.

8 (c) Only noncash prizes, toys, novelties, or coupons or other
9 representations of value redeemable for noncash prizes, toys, or

novelties are awarded. A GIFT CARD MAY BE AWARDED UNDER THIS
SUBDIVISION IF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY:

(i) THE GIFT CARD IS USABLE ONLY AT A RETAILER OR AN AFFILIATED
GROUP OF RETAILERS.

(ii) THE GIFT CARD IS ISSUED IN A SPECIFIED AMOUNT.

(iii) THE GIFT CARD IS REDEEMABLE ONLY FOR GOODS AND SERVICES
AVAILABLE FROM THE RETAILER AND NOT FOR CASH.

(iv) INFORMATION ON THE GIFT CARD MAY NOT BE ALTERED WITH THE
USE OF A PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.

(d) The wholesale value of a prize, toy, or novelty awarded
for the successful single play of a game is not more than \$3.75.

(e) The redemption value of coupons or other representations
of value awarded for the successful single play of a game does not
exceed 15 times the amount charged for a single play of the game or
A \$3.75-PER-PLAY AVERAGE, whichever is less. However, players may
accumulate coupons or other representations of value for redemption
for noncash prizes, toys, or novelties of a greater value up to,
but not exceeding, ~~\$250.00~~ \$500.00 wholesale value.

(2) As used in this section: ~~,"redemption"~~

(A) "NONCASH PRIZES, TOYS, OR NOVELTIES" INCLUDES A PLAY ON A
GAME OF CHANCE, BINGO, OR INSTANT BINGO OR A STATE LOTTERY TICKET.

(B) "REDEMPTION game" means a single player or ~~multi-player~~
MULTIPLAYER mechanical, electronic, or manual amusement device
involving a game, the object of which is throwing, rolling,
bowling, shooting, placing, propelling, or stopping a ball or other
object into, upon, or against a hole or other target. Redemption
game does not include either of the following:

1 (i) ~~(a) Games~~ **A GAME** such as roulette, beano, cards, dice,
2 ~~wheels~~ **WHEEL** of fortune, video poker, **A** slot ~~machines~~ **MACHINE**, or
3 ~~other games~~ **ANOTHER GAME** in which winning depends primarily upon
4 fortuitous or accidental circumstances beyond the control of the
5 player.

6 (ii) ~~(b)~~ A game that includes a mechanical or physical device
7 ~~which~~ **THAT** directly or indirectly impairs or thwarts the skill of
8 the player.