

# SENATE BILL No. 294

April 10, 2013, Introduced by Senators JONES, GREEN and COLBECK and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1972 PA 239, entitled "McCauley-Traxler-Law-Bowman-McNeely lottery act," by amending section 9 (MCL 432.9), as amended by 1996 PA 167.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 9. (1) The commissioner shall initiate, establish, and  
2 operate a state lottery at the earliest feasible and practicable  
3 time. The lottery shall produce the maximum amount of net revenues  
4 for ~~the~~**THIS** state consonant with the general welfare of the  
5 people. The commissioner shall solicit bids from financially  
6 responsible vendors of data processing equipment and services for  
7 the operation of the lottery and may contract with the approval of  
8 the state administrative board.

9           (2) The commissioner shall not conduct a lottery based ~~upon~~**ON**  
10 an activity that ~~utilizes~~**USES** the mechanical, physical, or mental  
11 skills of the participant and that is traditionally regarded as a

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1 sporting event.

2 (3) The commissioner may participate in joint enterprises with  
3 other sovereignties ~~so long as~~ **IF** the commissioner determines that  
4 the joint enterprise is designed to produce the maximum amount of  
5 net revenues for ~~the~~ **THIS** state consonant with the general welfare  
6 of the people. The commissioner shall only participate in a joint  
7 enterprise agreement that provides that the commissioner may  
8 discontinue participation in the agreement if he or she determines  
9 it to be necessary. The commissioner shall report to the  
10 legislature every 6 months on the progress of the joint enterprise  
11 agreement.

12 ~~—— (4) The commissioner shall submit a proposal to develop a~~  
13 ~~program for the education and treatment of compulsive gamblers to~~  
14 ~~the legislature within 6 months after the effective date of this~~  
15 ~~amendatory act.~~

16 (4) **THE COMMISSIONER SHALL NOT ALLOW TICKETS OR SHARES IN THE**  
17 **STATE LOTTERY TO BE SOLD OVER THE INTERNET.**