

2022 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 344

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

GAMING. Provides relative to the regulation of sports wagering. (8/1/22)

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:601(B), relative to sports wagering; to provide regarding definitions, enforcement, licenses and permits, and wagering; to provide regarding requirements and regulations; to provide regarding revenue allocation; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 27:601(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§601. Title and citation; privilege

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B. Any license, permit, approval, or thing obtained or issued **or renewed** pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter is expressly declared by the legislature to be a pure and absolute revocable privilege and not a right, property or otherwise, under the constitution of the United States or of the state of Louisiana. Further, the legislature declares that no holder of any license or permit acquires any vested interest or right therein or thereunder.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Dawn Romero Watson.

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Present law provides that any license, permit, approval, or thing obtained or issued pursuant to the provisions of present law is expressly declared by the legislature to be a pure and absolute revocable privilege and not a right, property or otherwise, under the U.S. or state constitution. Further provides that the legislature declares that no holder of any license or permit acquires any vested interest or right therein or thereunder.

Proposed law also adds the renewal of any license, permit, approval, or thing obtained or issued pursuant to present law to the declaration by the legislature that such items are a pure and absolute revocable privilege and not a right under law.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 27:601(B))