

SENATE No. 2200

Senate, May 21, 2014 – Text of amendment (83) (offered by Senator Rush) to the Ways and Means amendment (Senate, No. 4) to the House Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2015 for the maintenance of the departments, boards, commissions, institutions and certain activities of the Commonwealth, for interest, sinking fund and serial bond requirements and for certain permanent improvements.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Fourteen

Local Aid Lottery Expansion

Mr. Rush moved that the bill be amended by inserting, after section __, the following new section:-

“SECTION __. Chapter 10 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after Section 27A the following new section:

Section 27B. (a) The lottery commission is hereby authorized and directed to implement online games of skill, including, but not limited to, fantasy sports, so-called, poker, so-called, and other games of skill, subject to the provisions of, and preempted and superseded by, any applicable federal law.

(b) The commission is authorized to sell pre-paid play cards, subject to proof of age verification, and may be sold by any agent licensed to sell lottery tickets pursuant to section 27. Said cards may be recharged and resold by any such agent.

(c) Purchase of online products shall require a secure website to access any customer account by entering a unique password for each online purchaser. Geo-location tools shall be employed by any platform provider, authorized under this section, to ensure that a player is a resident of the commonwealth.

(d) (1) The commission shall develop a request for proposals (“RFP”) that solicits competitive bids from private vendors to develop any such online platform and such platform shall maximum flexibility to allow for changes in technology and changes in consumer behavior. Such provider shall work within the framework of the lottery’s existing system and fully coordinate all functions so that the lottery maintains its requisite level of control. Any such provider shall implement and employ a responsible gaming policy that shall be independent of, and enhance, the lottery’s own policies. (2) Basic qualifications for consideration shall include the following: experience in platform development; experience in developing gaming platforms; experience in

website security, including an ability to address all key security areas, such as fraud detection, hacking, and prevention of distributed denial of service; demonstration of good character, honesty and integrity; ability to maintain and grow the site, based on actual experience and demand growth; a history of working cooperatively with clients to produce systems that provide the maximum flexibility for and benefit to the client rather than the vendor. (3) Any such vendor shall provide a “free-play site”, so-called, developed concurrently with the gaming site. Any successful bidder shall be compensated based on a percentage of sales established by the commission. The successful bidder shall directly or through a sub-contracting arrangement, develop a loyalty program that recognizes and rewards regular lottery customers who play both online and traditional lottery games of chance.

(e) All revenues received from sales authorized by this section shall be deposited in the State Lottery Fund and shall provide local property tax relief and local services pursuant to the provisions of section 35. The first one hundred twenty-five million dollars shall be distributed to the cities and towns, subject to appropriation:

ABINGTON	325,087
ACTON	227,222
ACUSHNET	247,394
ADAMS	328,947
AGAWAM	608,804
ALFORD	2,230
AMESBURY	321,493
AMHERST	1,303,431
ANDOVER	295,289
ARLINGTON	657,315
ASHBURNHAM	115,613
ASHBY	63,036
ASHFIELD	30,680
ASHLAND	184,758
ATHOL	377,358

ATTLEBORO	942,766
AUBURN	283,015
AVON	61,342
AYER	119,232
BARNSTABLE	347,606
BARRE	134,384
BECKET	13,868
BEDFORD	125,400
BELCHERTOWN	281,181
BELLINGHAM	280,411
BELMONT	263,261
BERKLEY	100,549
BERLIN	33,318
BERNARDSTON	46,871
BEVERLY	639,419
BILLERICA	650,354
BLACKSTONE	197,753
BLANDFORD	20,849
BOLTON	32,628
BOSTON	9,505,083
BOURNE	195,439
BOXBOROUGH	41,686

BOXFORD	75,500
BOYLSTON	56,605
BRAINTREE	497,106
BREWSTER	65,250
BRIDGEWATER	529,180
BRIMFIELD	64,430
BROCKTON	2,887,822
BROOKFIELD	81,594
BROOKLINE	584,764
BUCKLAND	45,720
BURLINGTON	248,692
CAMBRIDGE	1,165,975
CANTON	237,801
CARLISLE	34,296
CARVER	241,414
CHARLEMONT	28,886
CHARLTON	214,474
CHATHAM	24,871
CHELMSFORD	502,122
CHELSEA	906,204
CHESHIRE	93,007
CHESTER	29,752

CHESTERFIELD	22,816
CHICOPEE	1,744,210
CHILMARK	620
CLARKSBURG	58,375
CLINTON	365,711
COHASSET	62,967
COLRAIN	42,159
CONCORD	140,732
CONWAY	29,534
CUMMINGTON	13,786
DALTON	166,596
DANVERS	322,096
DARTMOUTH	416,585
DEDHAM	334,560
DEERFIELD	79,373
DENNIS	89,999
DIGHTON	114,857
DOUGLAS	120,598
DOVER	31,789
DRACUT	579,008
DUDLEY	255,083
DUNSTABLE	34,408

DUXBURY	146,484
EAST BRIDGEWATER	247,362
EAST BROOKFIELD	44,600
EAST LONGMEADOW	239,204
EASTHAM	24,620
EASTHAMPTON	450,042
EASTON	361,889
EDGARTOWN	7,223
EGREMONT	10,427
ERVING	9,361
ESSEX	35,969
EVERETT	599,372
FAIRHAVEN	320,674
FALL RIVER	3,633,925
FALMOUTH	229,107
FITCHBURG	1,381,751
FLORIDA	8,226
FOXBOROUGH	246,150
FRAMINGHAM	1,020,393
FRANKLIN	408,338
FREETOWN	156,921
GARDNER	684,245

AQUINNAH	386
GEORGETOWN	111,346
GILL	35,145
GLOUCESTER	404,668
GOSHEN	13,220
GOSNOLD	86
GRAFTON	258,389
GRANBY	145,913
GRANVILLE	26,495
GREAT BARRINGTON	125,416
GREENFIELD	524,654
GROTON	127,190
GROVELAND	105,227
HADLEY	56,633
HALIFAX	150,012
HAMILTON	100,565
HAMPDEN	103,520
HANCOCK	6,988
HANOVER	173,952
HANSON	193,643
HARDWICK	66,553
HARVARD	237,417

HARWICH	71,183
HATFIELD	51,564
HAVERHILL	1,291,823
HAWLEY	5,436
HEATH	12,950
HINGHAM	216,439
HINSDALE	35,004
HOLBROOK	243,204
HOLDEN	283,145
HOLLAND	33,355
HOLLISTON	201,168
HOLYOKE	1,597,793
HOPEDALE	107,759
HOPKINTON	113,845
HUBBARDSTON	66,258
HUDSON	329,537
HULL	165,847
HUNTINGTON	54,558
IPSWICH	162,310
KINGSTON	158,619
LAKEVILLE	135,215
LANCASTER	136,803

LANESBOROUGH	57,005
LAWRENCE	3,219,426
LEE	102,918
LEICESTER	286,934
LENOX	78,505
LEOMINSTER	944,247
LEVERETT	29,498
LEXINGTON	253,266
LEYDEN	13,481
LINCOLN	73,730
LITTLETON	95,571
LONGMEADOW	230,882
LOWELL	3,320,537
LUDLOW	504,835
LUNENBURG	174,757
LYNN	2,441,566
LYNNFIELD	123,766
MALDEN	1,331,493
MANCHESTER	36,751
MANSFIELD	272,348
MARBLEHEAD	182,952
MARION	37,288

MARLBOROUGH	537,321
MARSHFIELD	331,077
MASHPEE	60,801
MATTAPOISETT	66,978
MAYNARD	181,697
MEDFIELD	140,683
MEDFORD	1,103,916
MEDWAY	176,785
MELROSE	488,448
MENDON	67,533
MERRIMAC	120,329
METHUEN	876,878
MIDDLEBOROUGH	407,437
MIDDLEFIELD	8,785
MIDDLETON	73,615
MILFORD	504,758
MILLBURY	292,634
MILLIS	130,404
MILLVILLE	58,988
MILTON	365,665
MONROE	1,189
MONSON	215,722

MONTAGUE	208,928
MONTEREY	5,675
MONTGOMERY	13,559
MOUNT WASHINGTON	534
NAHANT	45,791
NANTUCKET	13,094
NATICK	371,808
NEEDHAM	261,136
NEW ASHFORD	2,386
NEW BEDFORD	3,706,449
NEW BRAINTREE	19,700
NEW MARLBOROUGH	9,678
NEW SALEM	16,947
NEWBURY	75,072
NEWBURYPORT	238,230
NEWTON	788,320
NORFOLK	158,479
NORTH ADAMS	708,484
NORTH ANDOVER	322,665
NORTH ATTLEBOROUGH	475,443
NORTH BROOKFIELD	131,681

NORTH READING	167,882
NORTHAMPTON	649,612
NORTHBOROUGH	176,221
NORTHBRIDGE	348,424
NORTHFIELD	52,313
NORTON	343,470
NORWELL	105,309
NORWOOD	414,701
OAK BLUFFS	12,018
OAKHAM	31,706
ORANGE	266,790
ORLEANS	28,386
OTIS	6,011
OXFORD	339,811
PALMER	331,419
PAXTON	77,212
PEABODY	775,947
PELHAM	26,305
PEMBROKE	277,794
PEPPERELL	211,329
PERU	18,403
PETERSHAM	18,945

PHILLIPSTON	28,876
PITTSFIELD	1,309,937
PLAINFIELD	8,291
PLAINVILLE	125,373
PLYMOUTH	647,546
PLYMPTON	39,206
PRINCETON	48,929
PROVINCETOWN	19,913
QUINCY	1,619,670
RANDOLPH	616,544
RAYNHAM	187,918
READING	331,943
REHOBOTH	155,104
REVERE	991,651
RICHMOND	17,879
ROCHESTER	70,188
ROCKLAND	384,511
ROCKPORT	72,312
ROWE	651
ROWLEY	74,077
ROYALSTON	26,608
RUSSELL	40,285

RUTLAND	135,254
SALEM	701,988
SALISBURY	104,417
SANDISFIELD	5,727
SANDWICH	174,525
SAUGUS	369,395
SAVOY	17,315
SCITUATE	216,259
SEEKONK	203,358
SHARON	223,039
SHEFFIELD	38,675
SHELBURNE	42,842
SHERBORN	33,014
SHIRLEY	192,181
SHREWSBURY	420,666
SHUTESBURY	28,025
SOMERSET	253,466
SOMERVILLE	1,845,845
SOUTH HADLEY	428,922
SOUTHAMPTON	105,300
SOUTHBOROUGH	72,280
SOUTHBRIDGE	581,386

SOUTHWICK	188,261
SPENCER	323,001
SPRINGFIELD	6,013,217
STERLING	113,666
STOCKBRIDGE	16,473
STONEHAM	344,776
STOUGHTON	515,506
STOW	68,643
STURBRIDGE	128,033
SUDBURY	146,146
SUNDERLAND	83,528
SUTTON	129,003
SWAMPSCOTT	167,128
SWANSEA	310,387
TAUNTON	1,389,955
TEMPLETON	200,213
TEWKSBURY	459,953
TISBURY	16,205
TOLLAND	1,477
TOPSFIELD	67,733
TOWNSEND	193,126
TRURO	4,972

TYNGSBOROUGH	159,707
TYRINGHAM	2,098
UPTON	80,933
UXBRIDGE	227,389
WAKEFIELD	365,786
WALES	39,034
WALPOLE	303,830
WALTHAM	862,115
WARE	283,283
WAREHAM	326,967
WARREN	129,823
WARWICK	14,954
WASHINGTON	11,024
WATERTOWN	467,567
WAYLAND	112,154
WEBSTER	400,938
WELLESLEY	201,223
WELLFLEET	9,659
WENDELL	24,263
WENHAM	52,226
WEST BOYLSTON	122,674
WEST BRIDGEWATER	101,798

WEST BROOKFIELD	78,481
WEST NEWBURY	46,491
WEST SPRINGFIELD	592,279
WEST STOCKBRIDGE	16,068
WEST TISBURY	5,986
WESTBOROUGH	172,243
WESTFIELD	1,040,346
WESTFORD	232,297
WESTHAMPTON	23,947
WESTMINSTER	106,508
WESTON	61,816
WESTPORT	201,057
WESTWOOD	115,750
WEYMOUTH	1,119,115
WHATELY	22,178
WHITMAN	346,031
WILBRAHAM	221,834
WILLIAMSBURG	50,033
WILLIAMSTOWN	157,779
WILMINGTON	244,363
WINCHENDON	274,654
WINCHESTER	198,782

WINDSOR	12,624
WINTHROP	392,943
WOBURN	513,085
WORCESTER	5,299,590
WORTHINGTON	20,758
WRENTHAM	154,074
YARMOUTH	208,652