

SENATE BILL NO. 784

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 27:323(B)(1), relative to gaming; to provide with respect to the
3 Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to the Video Draw
4 Poker Device Purse Supplement Fund; to provide with respect to purse supplements;
5 and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 27:323(B)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §323. Video Draw Poker Device Purse Supplement Fund; distribution and
9 expenditure

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11 B. Monies in the Video Draw Poker Device Purse Supplement Fund shall be
12 annually appropriated to the Louisiana State Racing Commission within the office
13 of the governor, and shall be allocated by the commission as follows:

14 (1) Two-thirds of the funds appropriated to the commission pursuant to this
15 Section shall be allocated and provided to the licensed racing associations in the state
16 which conduct live horse racing on the basis of the proportion the number of
17 thoroughbred race days each association conducted for the preceding year bears to
18 the total number of thoroughbred race days conducted statewide for the preceding
19 year, and such funds shall be used solely to supplement purses in accordance with
20 a schedule or formula established by the purse committee of the Louisiana

1 Thoroughbred Breeders Association on Louisiana-bred thoroughbred races
2 ~~scheduled for purses not to exceed twenty thousand dollars.~~

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____