
STATE LOTTERY COMMISSION

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Credit card use (VETOED)

- Would have prohibited the Commission from adopting rules to allow a lottery sales agent to accept a credit card to purchase a lottery ticket, except at a video lottery terminal (VLT) (VETOED).

Confidentiality of VLT voluntary exclusion program

- Authorizes the Commission to adopt rules governing a voluntary exclusion program for VLT participants.
- Requires the identity and personal information of voluntary exclusion program participants to be kept confidential.

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(R.C. 3770.02)

The act eliminates the requirement that the Director of the State Lottery Commission appoint deputy directors in specific areas, such as marketing, operations, sales, and finance. Instead, it permits the Director to appoint deputy directors as needed. The act also requires the Assistant Director of the Commission, or a designated deputy director if there is no Assistant Director, to act as Director in the absence or disability of the Director.



Credit card use (VETOED)

(R.C. 3770.03)

The Governor vetoed a provision that would have prohibited the Commission from adopting rules that would allow a lottery sales agent to accept a credit card to purchase a lottery ticket at any location other than a video lottery terminal (VLT).

Confidentiality of VLT voluntary exclusion program

(R.C. 3770.03 and 3770.22)

The act allows the Commission to adopt rules under the Administrative Procedure Act to establish and govern a voluntary exclusion program for VLT participants. Under the act, the identity and personal information of persons participating in the voluntary exclusion program must be kept confidential, and may only be shared between the Commission, VLT sales agents, and their employees for enforcement purposes. The identity and personal information of program participants may be shared with other entities only on request of the person and agreement of the Commission.

