## HOUSE BILL No. 2187

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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9 AN ACT concerning the Kansas expanded lottery act; relating to gaming 10 facility investment and racetrack gaming facility management; amend-11 ing K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734, 74-8736, 74-8741 and 74-8747 and 12 repealing the existing sections.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8734. (a) The Kansas lottery may operate one lottery gaming facility in each gaming zone.

- (b) Not more than 30 days after the effective date of this act the lottery commission shall adopt and publish in the Kansas register the procedure for receiving, considering and approving, proposed lottery gaming facility management contracts. Such procedure shall include provisions for review of competitive proposals within a gaming zone and the date by which proposed lottery gaming facility management contracts must be received by the lottery commission if they are to receive consideration.
- (c) The lottery commission shall adopt standards to promote the integrity of the gaming and finances of lottery gaming facilities, which shall apply to all management contracts, shall meet or exceed industry standards for monitoring and controlling the gaming and finances of gaming facilities and shall give the executive director sufficient authority to monitor and control the gaming operation and to ensure its integrity and security.
- (d) The Kansas lottery commission may approve management contracts with one or more prospective lottery gaming facility managers to manage, or construct and manage, on behalf of the state of Kansas and subject to the operational control of the Kansas lottery, a lottery gaming facility or lottery gaming enterprise at specified destination locations within the northeast, south central, southwest and southeast Kansas gaming zones where the commission determines the operation of such facility would promote tourism and economic development. The commission shall approve or disapprove a proposed management contract within 90 days after the deadline for receipt of proposals established pursuant to subsection (b).

- (e) In determining whether to approve a management contract with a prospective lottery gaming facility manager to manage a lottery gaming facility or lottery gaming enterprise pursuant to this section, the commission shall take into consideration the following factors: The size of the proposed facility; the geographic area in which such facility is to be located; the proposed facility's location as a tourist and entertainment destination; the estimated number of tourists that would be attracted by the proposed facility; the number and type of lottery facility games to be operated at the proposed facility; and agreements related to ancillary lottery gaming facility operations.
- (f) Subject to the requirements of this section, the commission shall approve at least one proposed lottery gaming facility management contract for a lottery gaming facility in each gaming zone.
  - (g) The commission shall not approve a management contract unless:
- (1) (A) The prospective lottery gaming facility manager is a resident Kansas American Indian tribe and, at a minimum: (i) Has sufficient access to financial resources to support the activities required of a lottery gaming facility manager under the Kansas expanded lottery act; and (ii) has three consecutive years' experience in the management of gaming which would be class III gaming, as defined in K.S.A. 46-2301, and amendments thereto, operated pursuant to state or federal law; or
- (B) the prospective lottery gaming facility manager is not a resident Kansas American Indian tribe and, at a minimum: (i) Has sufficient access to financial resources to support the activities required of a lottery gaming facility manager under the Kansas expanded lottery act; (ii) is current in filing all applicable tax returns and in payment of all taxes, interest and penalties owed to the state of Kansas and any taxing subdivision where such prospective manager is located in the state of Kansas, excluding items under formal appeal pursuant to applicable statutes; and (iii) has three consecutive years' experience in the management of gaming which would be class III gaming, as defined in K.S.A. 46-2301, and amendments thereto, operated pursuant to state or federal law; and
- (2) the commission determines that the proposed development consists of an investment in infrastructure, including ancillary lottery gaming facility operations, of at least \$225,000,000 in the northeast, southeast and south central Kansas gaming zones and of at least \$50,000,000 in the southeast and southwest Kansas gaming zones. The commission, in determining whether the minimum investment required by this subsection is met, shall not include any amounts derived from or financed by state or local retailers' sales tax revenues.
- $\left(h\right)$  . Any management contract approved by the commission under this section shall:
  - (1) Have a maximum initial term of 15 years from the date of opening

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 of the lottery gaming facility. At the end of the initial term, the contract may be renewed by mutual consent of the state and the lottery gaming facility manager;

- (2) specify the total amount to be paid to the lottery gaming facility manager pursuant to the contract;
- (3) establish a mechanism to facilitate payment of lottery gaming facility expenses, payment of the lottery gaming facility manager's share of the lottery gaming facility revenues and distribution of the state's share of the lottery gaming facility revenues;
- (4) include a provision for the lottery gaming facility manager to pay the costs of oversight and regulation of the lottery gaming facility manager and the operations of the lottery gaming facility by the Kansas racing and gaming commission;
- (5) establish the types of lottery facility games to be installed in such facility;
- (6) provide for the prospective lottery gaming facility manager, upon approval of the proposed lottery gaming facility management contract, to pay to the state treasurer a privilege fee of: (A) \$25,000,000 for the privilege of being selected as a lottery gaming facility manager of a lottery gaming facility in the northeast, southeast or south central Kansas gaming zone; and (B) \$5,500,000 for the privilege of being selected as a lottery gaming facility manager of a lottery gaming facility in the southeast or southwest Kansas gaming zone. Such fee shall be deposited in the state treasury and credited to the lottery gaming facility manager fund, which is hereby created in the state treasury;
- $\left(7\right)$   $\,$  incorporate terms and conditions for the ancillary lottery gaming facility operations;
- (8) designate as key employees, subject to approval of the executive director, any employees or contractors providing services or functions which are related to lottery facility games authorized by a management contract:
  - (9) include financing commitments for construction;
- (10) include a resolution of endorsement from the city governing body, if the proposed facility is within the corporate limits of a city, or from the county commission, if the proposed facility is located in the unincorporated area of the county;
- (11) include a requirement that any parimutuel licensee developing a lottery gaming facility pursuant to this act comply with all orders and rules and regulations of the Kansas racing and gaming commission with regard to the conduct of live racing, including the same minimum days of racing as specified in K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8746, and amendments thereto, for operation of electronic gaming machines at racetrack gaming facilities:

- (12) include a provision for the state to receive not less than 22% of lottery gaming facility revenues, which shall be paid to the expanded lottery act revenues fund established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8768, and amendments thereto;
- (13) include a provision for 2% of lottery gaming facility revenues to be paid to the problem gambling and addictions grant fund established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 79-4805, and amendments thereto;
- (14) if the prospective lottery gaming facility manager is an American Indian tribe, include a provision that such tribe agrees to waive its sovereign immunity with respect to any actions arising from or to enforce either the Kansas expanded lottery act or any provision of the lottery gaming facility management contract; any action brought by an injured patron or by the state of Kansas; any action for purposes of enforcing the workers compensation act or any other employment or labor law; and any action to enforce laws, rules and regulations and codes pertaining to health, safety and consumer protection; and for any other purpose deemed necessary by the executive director to protect patrons or employees and promote fair competition between the tribe and others seeking a lottery gaming facility management contract;
- (15) (A) if the lottery gaming facility is located in the northeast or southwest Kansas gaming zone and is not located within a city, include a provision for payment of an amount equal to 3% of the lottery gaming facility revenues to the county in which the lottery gaming facility is located; or (B) if the lottery gaming facility is located in the northeast or southwest Kansas gaming zone and is located within a city, include provision for payment of an amount equal to 1.5% of the lottery gaming facility revenues to the city in which the lottery gaming facility is located and an amount equal to 1.5% of such revenues to the county in which such facility is located;
- (16) (A) if the lottery gaming facility is located in the southeast or south central Kansas gaming zone and is not located within a city, include a provision for payment of an amount equal to 2% of the lottery gaming facility revenues to the county in which the lottery gaming facility is located and an amount equal to 1% of such revenues to the other county in such zone; or (B) if the lottery gaming facility is located in the southeast or south central Kansas gaming zone and is located within a city, provide for payment of an amount equal to 1% of the lottery gaming facility revenues to the city in which the lottery gaming facility is located, an amount equal to 1% of such revenues to the county in which such facility is located and an amount equal to 1% of such revenues to the other county in such zone;
- (17) allow the lottery gaming facility manager to manage the lottery gaming facility in a manner consistent with this act and applicable law,

but shall place full, complete and ultimate ownership and operational control of the gaming operation of the lottery gaming facility with the Kansas lottery. The Kansas lottery shall not delegate and shall explicitly retain the power to overrule any action of the lottery gaming facility manager affecting the gaming operation without prior notice. The Kansas lottery shall retain full control over all decisions concerning lottery gaming facility games;

- (18) include provisions for the Kansas racing and gaming commission to oversee all lottery gaming facility operations, including, but not limited to: Oversight of internal controls; oversight of security of facilities; performance of background investigations, determination of qualifications and credentialing of employees, contractors and agents of the lottery gaming facility manager and of ancillary lottery gaming facility operations, as determined by the Kansas racing and gaming commission; auditing of lottery gaming facility revenues; enforcement of all state laws and maintenance of the integrity of gaming operations; and
- (19) include enforceable provisions: (A) Prohibiting the state, until July 1, 2032, from (i) entering into management contracts for more than four lottery gaming facilities or similar gaming facilities, one to be located in the northeast Kansas gaming zone, one to be located in the south central Kansas gaming zone, one to be located in the southwest Kansas gaming zone and one to be located in the southeast Kansas gaming zone, (ii) designating additional areas of the state where operation of lottery gaming facilities or similar gaming facilities would be authorized or (iii) operating an aggregate of more than 2,800 electronic gaming machines at all parimutuel licensee locations; and (B) requiring the state to repay to the lottery gaming facility manager an amount equal to the privilege fee paid by such lottery gaming facility manager, plus interest on such amount, compounded annually at the rate of 10%, if the state violates the prohibition provision described in (A).
- (i) The power of eminent domain shall not be used to acquire any interest in real property for use in a lottery gaming enterprise.
- (j) Any proposed management contract for which the privilege fee has not been paid to the state treasurer within 30 days after the date of approval of the management contract shall be null and void.
- (k) A person who is the manager of the racetrack gaming facility in a the northeast, south central or southwest Kansas gaming zone shall not be eligible to be the manager of the lottery gaming facility in the same zone.
- (l) Management contracts authorized by this section may include provisions relating to:
- (1) Accounting procedures to determine the lottery gaming facility revenues, unclaimed prizes and credits;

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- (2) minimum requirements for a lottery gaming facility manager to provide qualified oversight, security and supervision of the lottery facility games including the use of qualified personnel with experience in applicable technology;
- (3) eligibility requirements for employees, contractors or agents of a lottery gaming facility manager who will have responsibility for or involvement with actual gaming activities or for the handling of cash or tokens;
- (4) background investigations to be performed by the Kansas racing and gaming commission;
- (5) credentialing requirements for any employee, contractor or agent of the lottery gaming facility manager or of any ancillary lottery gaming facility operation as provided by the Kansas expanded lottery act or rules and regulations adopted pursuant thereto;
- (6) provision for termination of the management contract by either party for cause; and
- (7) any other provision deemed necessary by the parties, including such other terms and restrictions as necessary to conduct any lottery facility game in a legal and fair manner.
- (m) A management contract shall not constitute property, nor shall it be subject to attachment, garnishment or execution, nor shall it be alienable or transferable, except upon approval by the executive director, nor shall it be subject to being encumbered or hypothecated. The trustee of any insolvent or bankrupt lottery gaming facility manager may continue to operate pursuant to the management contract under order of the appropriate court for no longer than one year after the bankruptcy or insolvency of such manager.
- (n) (1) The Kansas lottery shall be the licensee and owner of all software programs used at a lottery gaming facility for any lottery facility game.
- (2) A lottery gaming facility manager, on behalf of the state, shall purchase or lease for the Kansas lottery all lottery facility games. All lottery facility games shall be subject to the ultimate control of the Kansas lottery in accordance with this act.
- (o) A lottery gaming facility shall comply with any planning and zoning regulations of the city or county in which it is to be located. The executive director shall not contract with any prospective lottery gaming facility manager for the operation and management of such lottery gaming facility unless such manager first receives any necessary approval under planning and zoning requirements of the city or county in which it is to be located.
- (p) Prior to expiration of the term of a lottery gaming facility management contract, the lottery commission may negotiate a new lottery gaming facility management contract with the lottery gaming facility man-

 ager if the new contract is substantially the same as the existing contract. Otherwise, the lottery gaming facility review board shall be reconstituted and a new lottery gaming facility management contract shall be negotiated and approved in the manner provided by this act.

- Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8736 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8736. (a) Upon approval of a lottery gaming facility management contract by the commission, but not later than 90 45 days after the deadline for receipt of proposals established pursuant to subsection (b) of K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734, and amendments thereto, the executive director and the prospective lottery gaming facility manager shall execute the contract, which shall be binding upon the parties only upon a determination by the lottery gaming facility review board pursuant to this section that the contract is the best possible such contract, approval of the contract by the Kansas racing and gaming commission pursuant to this section and endorsement by resolution of the city governing body or county commission as required in K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734, and amendments thereto.
- (b) Upon execution of a lottery gaming facility management contract or contracts by the executive director, the executive director shall submit such contract or contracts to the lottery gaming facility review board. The board shall determine which contract best maximizes revenue, encourages tourism and otherwise serves the interests of the people of Kansas. In making its determination, the board shall conduct public hearings, take testimony, solicit the advice of experts and investigate the merits of each contract submitted by the executive director.
- (c) Within 30 15 days after execution of a lottery gaming facility management contract with a parimutuel licensee for development of a lottery gaming facility at a parimutuel licensee location, the parimutuel licensee must submit to the Kansas racing and gaming commission, for approval by the commission, a plan for compliance with the requirements for live racing and purse supplements established pursuant to K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8745 and 74-8767, and amendments thereto. Upon application of a parimutuel licensee, the Kansas racing and gaming commission shall open a proceeding to consider such licensee's proposal for development of a lottery gaming facility at the parimutuel licensee location. Such proposal shall include provisions for: (1) Compliance with the requirements of K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8745, and amendments thereto; (2) payment of purse supplements from the appropriate funds established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8767, and amendments thereto; and (3) a plan for protecting and promoting live racing in Kansas. The Kansas racing and gaming commission shall hear evidence and testimony from all interested parties. Upon a finding by the Kansas racing and gaming commission that the proposal is in the best interest of live racing in Kansas and more beneficial

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 to live racing than placement of electronic gaming machines at such parimutuel licensee location, the Kansas racing and gaming commission may approve such proposal. The Kansas racing and gaming commission shall notify the lottery gaming facility review board of the commission's approval or disapproval of the proposal. If the Kansas racing and gaming commission does not approve the proposal, the lottery gaming facility review board shall not give further consideration to the lottery gaming facility management contract with the parimutuel licensee and the executive director shall direct the state treasurer to refund, without interest, the privilege fee paid pursuant to such contract.

- (d) (1) Not more than 60 30 days after all lottery gaming facility management contracts for a lottery gaming facility in a gaming zone have been submitted to the lottery gaming facility review board, the board: (A) If more than one lottery gaming facility management contract has been submitted for a lottery gaming facility in a gaming zone, shall select by public vote the lottery gaming facility management contract, if any, which the board determines is the best possible such contract; or (B) if the executive director submits only one lottery gaming facility management contract for a lottery gaming facility in a gaming zone, shall determine whether such contract is the best possible such contract.
- (2) If the board cannot reach agreement that a lottery gaming facility management contract is the best possible such contract, the board shall request the executive director to renegotiate the contract or contracts until the board determines that the best possible such contract or contracts have been executed.
- Upon a determination by the lottery gaming facility review board that a lottery gaming facility management contract is the best possible such contract, the board shall submit the contract to the Kansas racing and gaming commission for approval. The Kansas racing and gaming commission shall conduct such background investigations of prospective lottery gaming facility managers, their directors and officers and any other persons having an interest in such prospective managers, as determined in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the Kansas racing and gaming commission. Upon completion of such investigations and approval of the background of the prospective lottery gaming facility manager, directors, officers and other persons having an interest in such prospective manager, but not more than 10 days after receiving the recommendation of the lottery gaming facility review board, the Kansas racing and gaming commission shall vote to approve in whole or reject in whole the recommendation of the lottery gaming facility review board. If the Kansas racing and gaming commission does not approve the background of such prospective lottery gaming facility manager, directors, officers and other persons having an interest in such prospective manager

or does not approve the recommendation of the lottery gaming facility review board, the Kansas racing and gaming commission shall notify the executive director of the lottery and the process for selection of a lottery gaming facility manager shall begin again in the manner provided in K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734 and 74-8735, and amendments thereto.

- (f) The deadline for receipt of proposals established pursuant to subsection (b) of K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734, and amendments thereto, the time limit imposed by subsection (a) for action by the lottery commission, the time limit imposed by subsection (d) for action by the lottery gaming facility review board or the time limit imposed by subsection (e) for action by the Kansas racing and gaming commission, upon application by the respective commission or board, may be extended by the governor for a period not to exceed 60 30 days if the governor, in the governor's discretion, determines that the respective commission or board has acted on good faith to comply with the time limit. Failure to comply with any such time limit, unless extended as provided by this subsection, or to comply with an extended time limit authorized by this subsection, shall render the respective commission or board subject to relief in the form of mandamus, injunction or other legal remedy.
- Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8741 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8741. (a) The executive director of the Kansas lottery shall negotiate a racetrack gaming facility management contract to place electronic gaming machines at one parimutuel licensee location in each gaming zone except the southwest Kansas gaming zone.
- (b) To be eligible to enter into a racetrack gaming facility management contract the prospective racetrack gaming facility manager shall, at a minimum:
- (1) Have sufficient access to financial resources to support the activities required of a racetrack gaming facility manager under the Kansas expanded lottery act; and
- (2) be current in filing all applicable tax returns and in payment of all taxes, interest and penalties owed to the state of Kansas and any taxing subdivision where such prospective manager is located in the state of Kansas, excluding items under formal appeal pursuant to applicable statutes.
  - (c) A racetrack gaming facility management contract shall include:
  - (1) The term of the contract;
- (2) provisions for the Kansas racing and gaming commission to oversee all racetrack gaming facility operations, including, but not limited to: Oversight of internal controls; oversight of security of facilities; performance of background investigations, determination of qualifications and any required certification or licensing of officers, directors, board members, employees, contractors and agents of the racetrack gaming facility man-

ager; auditing of net electronic gaming machine income and maintenance of the integrity of electronic gaming machine operations;

- (3) provisions for the racetrack gaming facility manager to pay the costs of oversight and regulation of the racetrack gaming facility manager under this act and such manager's racetrack gaming facility operations by the Kansas racing and gaming commission; and
- (4) enforceable provisions: (A) Prohibiting the state, until July 1, 2032, from (i) entering into management contracts for more than three[\*]lottery gaming facilities or similar gaming facilities, one to be located in the northeast Kansas gaming zone, one to be located in the south central Kansas gaming zone[\*]and one to be located in the southeast Kansas gaming zone, (ii) designating additional areas of the state where operation of lottery gaming facilities or similar gaming facilities would be authorized or (iii) operating an aggregate of more than 2,800 electronic gaming machines at all parimutuel licensee locations; and (B) requiring the state to repay to the racetrack gaming facility manager an amount equal to the privilege fee paid by such racetrack gaming facility manager, plus interest on such amount, compounded annually at the rate of 10%, if the state violates the prohibition provision described in (A).
- (d) Racetrack gaming facility management contracts authorized by this section may include provisions relating to:
- (1) Accounting procedures to determine net electronic gaming machine income, unclaimed prizes and credits;
- (2) minimum requirements for a racetrack gaming facility manager to provide qualified oversight, security and supervision of electronic gaming machines including the use of qualified personnel with experience in applicable technology;
- (3) eligibility requirements for employees, contractors or agents of a racetrack gaming facility manager who will have responsibility for or involvement with electronic gaming machines or for the handling of cash or tokens;
- (4) background investigations to be performed by the Kansas racing and gaming commission;
- (5) credentialing or certification requirements of any employee, contractor or agent as provided by the Kansas expanded lottery act or rules and regulations adopted pursuant thereto;
- (6) provision for termination of the management contract by either party for cause; and
- (7) any other provision deemed necessary by the parties, including such other terms and restrictions as necessary to conduct racetrack gaming facility operations in a legal and fair manner.
- 42 (e) A person who is the manager of a lottery gaming facility in a the 43 northeast, south central or southwest Kansas gaming zone shall not be

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- A racetrack gaming facility management contract shall not constitute property, nor shall it be subject to attachment, garnishment or execution, nor shall it be alienable or transferable, except upon approval by the executive director, nor shall it be subject to being encumbered or hypothecated.
- Sec. 4. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8747 is hereby amended to read as follows: 74-8747. (a) Net electronic gaming machine income from a racetrack gaming facility shall be distributed as follows:
- (1) To the racetrack gaming facility manager, an amount equal to 25% 43% of net electronic gaming machine income;
- (2) 7% of net electronic gaming machine income shall be credited to the live horse racing purse supplement fund established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8767, and amendments thereto, except that the amount of net electronic gaming machine income credited to the fund during any fiscal year from electronic gaming machines at a racetrack gaming facility shall not exceed an amount equal to the average of \$3,750 per electronic gaming machine at each location and any moneys in excess of such amount shall be distributed between the state and the racetrack gaming facility manager in accordance with the racetrack gaming facility management contract;
- 7% of net electronic gaming machine income shall be credited to the live greyhound racing purse supplement fund established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8767, and amendments thereto, except that the amount of net electronic gaming machine income credited to the fund during any fiscal year from electronic gaming machines at a racetrack gaming facility shall not exceed an amount equal to the average of \$3,750 per electronic gaming machine at each location and any moneys in excess of such amount shall be distributed between the state and the racetrack gaming facility manager in accordance with the racetrack gaming facility management contract;
- (4) (A) if the racetrack gaming facility is located in the northeast Kansas gaming zone and is not located within a city, include a provision for payment of an amount equal to 3% of the racetrack gaming facility revenues[\*] to the county in which the racetrack gaming facility is located; or (B) if the racetrack gaming facility is located in the northeast Kansas gaming zone and is located within a city, include provision for payment of an amount equal to 1.5% of the racetrack gaming facility revenues[\*]to the city in which the racetrack gaming facility is located and an amount equal to 1.5% of such revenues to the county in which such facility is located:
- (5) (A) if the racetrack gaming facility is located in the southeast or 43

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- (6) 2% of net electronic gaming machine income shall be credited to the problem gambling and addictions grant fund established by K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 79-4805, and amendments thereto;
- 15 (7) 1% of net electronic gaming machine income shall be credited to the Kansas horse fair racing benefit fund established by K.S.A. 74-8838, 16 and amendments thereto; 17
  - (8) 40% 22% of net electronic gaming machine income shall be credited to the expanded lottery act revenues fund; and
  - (9) 15% of electronic gaming machine income shall be used for gaming expenses, subject to agreement between the Kansas lottery and the racetrack gaming facility manager.
  - (b) A racetrack gaming facility management contract may include provisions for a parimutuel licensee or any other entity to pay the parimutuel licensee's expenses related to electronic gaming machines, as the executive director deems appropriate, subject to the requirements of subsection (a)(9).
- Sec. 5. K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 74-8734, 74-8736, 74-8741 and 74-8747 28 29 are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 30 publication in the Kansas register.