

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2024

That the House recede from its amendments as printed on pages \_\_\_\_ of the Senate Journal and pages 1402-1413 of the House Journal and that Senate Bill No. 2024 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 2, after "commission" insert "; to amend and reenact sections 53-06.2-06 and 53-06.2-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to account wagering and reports to the attorney general and legislative council; and to provide for a legislative council study"

Page 1, after line 14, insert:

**"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 53-06.2-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**53-06.2-06. Organizations eligible to conduct racing and simulcast pari-mutuel wagering.** Civic and service clubs; charitable, fraternal, religious, and veterans' organizations; and other public-spirited organizations may be licensed to conduct racing and simulcast pari-mutuel wagering as authorized by this chapter. A charitable organization may not be responsible for the receipt and disbursement of any moneys handled through any form of account wagering. The receipt and disbursement of moneys involved in account wagering are the legal obligation of the licensed simulcast service providers.

**SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Section 53-06.2-12 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**53-06.2-12. Audits and investigations by state auditor - Reports to attorney general and legislative council.**

1. On request of the commission, the state auditor shall conduct audits and investigate the operations of any licensee. The commission shall reimburse the state auditor for all services rendered.
2. At least once per quarter, the chairman of the commission or the chairman's designee shall report financial information from licensed service providers, totalizer companies, and site operators to the attorney general. Within two weeks following each report to the attorney general, the chairman of the commission or the chairman's designee shall provide a report on compliance to the legislative council.

**SECTION 4. RACING COMMISSION - LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY.**

During the 2009-10 interim, the legislative council shall study the racing commission, including the commission's jurisdiction over horse racing; the supervision of live racing; the allocation of moneys to the three race-related funds; and the regulation and enforcement of wagering, including simulcast pari-mutuel wagering. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-second legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly