

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

**Senate Bill No. 2024 - Summary of House Action**

	<b>Executive Budget</b>	<b>Senate Version</b>	<b>House Changes</b>	<b>House Version</b>
<b>Department of Agriculture</b>				
Total all funds	\$0	\$0	\$230,000	\$230,000
Less estimated income	0	0	30,000	30,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$200,000	\$200,000
<b>Racing Commission</b>				
Total all funds	\$442,576	\$442,576	(\$442,576)	\$0
Less estimated income	30,000	30,000	(30,000)	0
General fund	\$412,576	\$412,576	(\$412,576)	\$0
<b>Bill total</b>				
Total all funds	\$442,576	\$442,576	(\$212,576)	\$230,000
Less estimated income	30,000	30,000	0	30,000
General fund	\$412,576	\$412,576	(\$212,576)	\$200,000

**Senate Bill No. 2024 - Department of Agriculture - House Action**

	<b>Executive Budget</b>	<b>Senate Version</b>	<b>House Changes</b>	<b>House Version</b>
Racing commission activities			\$230,000	\$230,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$0	\$230,000	\$230,000
Less estimated income	0	0	30,000	30,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$200,000	\$200,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.50

**Department No. 602 - Department of Agriculture - Detail of House Changes**

	<b>Adds Funding for Racing Commission Activities<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total House Changes</b>
Racing commission activities	\$230,000	\$230,000
Total all funds	\$230,000	\$230,000
Less estimated income	30,000	30,000
General fund	\$200,000	\$200,000
FTE	0.50	0.50

<sup>1</sup> Funding is provided to the Agriculture Commissioner for defraying the expenses of Racing Commission activities. The Agriculture Commissioner is also authorized a .5 FTE position.

**Senate Bill No. 2024 - Racing Commission - House Action**

	<b>Executive Budget</b>	<b>Senate Version</b>	<b>House Changes</b>	<b>House Version</b>
Racing Commission	\$442,576	\$442,576	(\$442,576)	
Total all funds	\$442,576	\$442,576	(\$442,576)	\$0
Less estimated income	30,000	30,000	(30,000)	0
General fund	\$412,576	\$412,576	(\$412,576)	\$0
FTE	2.00	2.00	(2.00)	0.00

**Department No. 670 - Racing Commission - Detail of House Changes**

	<b>Removes Funding for Racing Commission<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total House Changes</b>
Racing Commission	(\$442,576)	(\$442,576)
Total all funds	(\$442,576)	(\$442,576)
Less estimated income	(30,000)	(30,000)
General fund	(\$412,576)	(\$412,576)
FTE	(2.00)	(2.00)

---

<sup>1</sup> This amendment removes funding and FTE positions of the Racing Commission.

This amendment also adds sections:

- Establishing the Racing Commission in the office of the Agriculture Commissioner.
- Changing the method of appointing the racing commissioner.
- Providing for racing-related duties to be administered by the Attorney General.
- Changing various sections relating to the regulation of racing and pari-mutual wagering.