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Present law provides for the conducting and regulation of slot machine gaming at eligible live horse racing facilities.

Present law provides that the size of a designated gaming area of an eligible gaming facility shall not exceed 15,000 square feet.

Proposed law deletes present law and provides that the designated gaming area of an eligible gaming facility shall not contain more than 1,735 slot machines.

Proposed law further provides that an eligible facility may conduct up to five tournaments per year in which the slot machines utilized for tournament play are not considered part of the facility's total number of slot machines. Further provides, such tournaments may be conducted within the designated gaming area or outside of the designated gaming area of the eligible facility and cannot be more than fourteen days long.

Proposed law provides that eligible facilities are not limited on the number of tournaments or length of tournaments they may conduct, provided such tournaments do not utilize more than the maximum amount of slot machines provided in proposed law.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 27:372(A); adds R.S. 27:372(C))