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SENATE BILL NO. 238

BY SENATOR MORRELL

VIDEO POKER. Provides relative to limitation on amount of money played on a game of video draw poker. (8/1/14)

AN ACT 1 2 To amend and reenact R.S. 27:410, relative to video draw poker; to provide relative to the limitation on amount of money played on a game; and to provide for related matters. 3 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 4 5 Section 1. R.S. 27:410 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: §410. Limitation on amount of money played and value of prizes 6 7 **A.** A device may not allow more than four dollars to be placed on a game or 8 award credits in excess of the value of one thousand dollars. At establishments where live racing is conducted, as defined by R.S. 4:211(5), and pari-mutuel wagering is 9 offered a device may not allow for credits in excess of the value of one thousand 10 11 dollars. 12 B. Notwithstanding Subsection A of this Section, a device may allow 13 more than four dollars to be placed on a game during a bonus round of play.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Cathy Wells.

## **DIGEST**

Morrell (SB 238)

<u>Present law</u> provides that a video poker device may not allow more than four dollars to be placed on a game.

Proposed law provides an exception to present law for bonus round play.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 27:410)