
DIGEST

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HB 310 Original

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Abstract: Provides that the referendum election on a proposition to allow a new form of gaming, gambling, or wagering shall be held statewide for forms of gaming that are conducted statewide.

Present constitution provides that no law authorizing a new form of gaming, gambling, or wagering shall be effective nor shall such gaming, gambling, or wagering be licensed or permitted to be conducted in a parish unless a referendum election on a proposition to allow such gaming, gambling, or wagering is held in the parish and the proposition is approved by a majority of those voting thereon.

Proposed constitutional amendment retains the present constitution and provides that for a new form of gaming, gambling or wagering that is to be conducted statewide, the referendum election on a proposition to allow such form of gaming, gambling, or wagering shall be held at a statewide election.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Nov. 6, 2018.

(Amends Const. Art. XII, §6(C)(1)(a))