

SENATE BILL NO. 38

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 4:183(B)(3) and (4), relative to horse racing; to provide for the distribution of  
3 certain monies as purses; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 4:183(B)(3) and (4) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

6 §183. Contracts between licensees and permittees licensed to race horses at race  
7 meetings conducted in the state

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9 B. Monies due as purses to persons licensed to race horses at race meetings  
10 conducted in the state as a result of conditions outlined in R.S. 4:183(A) and the  
11 monies due to the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association pursuant to the  
12 provisions of R.S. 4:183(A)(4)(b) shall be allocated and distributed during the race  
13 meeting at which earned.

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15 **(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (2) of this Subsection,**  
16 **the provisions of this Paragraph shall only apply to thoroughbred race meetings**  
17 **at any facility where the purse revenue derived from slot machines is limited by**  
18 **law to a certain expressly stated number of slot machines. For such facilities,**  
19 **in the event the amount distributed as purses to persons licensed to race horses**  
20 **at thoroughbred race meetings conducted in the state is less than the amount**  
21 **required by Subsection A of this Section, and more than an amount equal to two**  
22 **times the average daily purse distribution at the race meeting at which such**  
23 **amount is generated, it shall be delivered to the Horsemen's Benevolent and**

