HOUSE BILL No. 6337

July 21, 2010, Introduced by Reps. Roy Schmidt, Slezak, Melton, Terry Brown, Spade, Kandrevas, Scripps, Corriveau, Lemmons, Green, Haugh, Hammel, Dean and Meadows and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1997 PA 70, entitled "Compulsive gaming prevention act," by amending sections 4 and 5 (MCL 432.254 and 432.255).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 4. The director of the department of community health,
- 2 after consulting with the racing commissioner, the commissioner
- 3 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER of the state-MICHIGAN EDUCATION lottery τ
- 4 CORPORATION and the chairperson of the Michigan gaming control
- 5 board, shall authorize the distribution of funds from the
- 6 compulsive gaming prevention fund to be used exclusively for the
- 7 treatment, prevention, education, training, research, and
- 8 evaluation of pathological gamblers and their families.
 - Sec. 5. (1) The results of funded studies and recommendations

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- 1 for any changes in funding levels shall be submitted to the racing
- 2 commissioner, the commissioner CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER of the state
- 3 MICHIGAN EDUCATION lottery CORPORATION, the chairperson of the
- 4 Michigan gaming control board, the chairs of the senate and house
- 5 committees on gaming issues, the senate and house of
- 6 representatives appropriations committees, and the director of the
- 7 department of community health.
- 8 (2) If the director of the department of community health
- 9 determines that the money in the compulsive gaming prevention fund
- 10 is inadequate to fund the services, programs, or research required
- 11 under this act, the Michigan gaming control board may assess a fee
- 12 on each of the 3 casinos licensed under the Michigan gaming control
- 13 and revenue act, the Initiated Law of 1996 IL 1, MCL 432.201 to
- 14 432.216 432.226, that will equal the additional amount needed to
- 15 adequately fund the services, programs, and research required under
- 16 this act.
- 17 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect October
- **18** 1, 2010.
- 19 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 20 unless Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6341(request no.
- 21 07160'10) of the 95th Legislature is enacted into law.

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