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1		SENATE BILL NO. 133		
2		INTRODUCED BY T. MCGILLVRAY		
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4	A BILL FOR A	N ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT GENERALLY REVISING LAWS RELATED T	O FANTASY SPORTS	
5	LEAGUES AN	D GAMBLING CONDUCTED BY THE BOARD OF HORSERACING; REM	OVING THE BOARD	
6	OF HORSERACING'S AUTHORITY OVER PARIMUTUEL FANTASY SPORTS GAMBLING; REVISING			
7	DEFINITIONS; AND AMENDING SECTIONS 23-4-101, 23-4-104, 23-4-105, 23-4-201, 23-4-202, 23-4-301, 23-			
8	4-302, 23-4-304, 23-5-801, 23-5-802, AND 23-5-805, MCA."			
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10	BE IT ENACTE	D BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:		
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12	Sectio	n 1. Section 23-4-101, MCA, is amended to read:		
13	"23-4-*	01. Definitions. Unless the context requires otherwise, in this chapter the	he following definitions	
14	apply:			
15	(1)	"Advance deposit wagering" means a form of parimutuel wagering in wh	ich a person deposits	
16	money in an ac	count with an advance deposit wagering hub operator licensed by the boa	ard to conduct advance	
17	deposit wageri	ng. The money is used to pay for parimutuel wagers made in person, by te	ephone, or through a	
18	communication	by other electronic means on horse or greyhound races held in or outside	e this state.	
19	(2)	"Advance deposit wagering hub operator" means a simulcast and interac	ctive wagering hub	
20	business licens	ed by the board that, through a subscriber-based service located in this o	r another state,	
21	conducts parim	nutuel wagering on the races that it simulcasts and on other races that it ca	arries in its wagering	
22	menu and that	uses a computer that registers bets and divides the total amount bet amou	ng those who won.	
23	(3)	"Board" means the board of horseracing provided for in 2-15-1809.		
24	(4)	"Board of stewards" means a board composed of three stewards who su	pervise race meets.	
25	(5)	"Department" means the department of commerce provided for in Title 2	, chapter 15, part 18.	
26	(6) "F	antasy sports league" has the meaning provided in 23-5- 801.		
27	(7)<u>(</u>6)	"Immediate family" means the spouse, parents, children, grandchildren,	brothers, or sisters of	
28	an official or lic	ensee regulated by this chapter who have a permanent or continuous resi	dence in the	



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1	household of the official or licensee and all other persons who have a permanent or continuous residence in the
2	household of the official or licensee.
3	(8)(7) "Match bronc ride" means a saddle bronc riding contest consisting of two sections known as a
4	"long go" and a "short go" in which the win, place, and show winners are determined by judges of the rides for
5	each go.
6	(9)(8) "Minor" means a person under 18 years of age.
7	(10)(9) "Montana wager" means a parimutuel wager that is placed at a race track in Montana or on a
8	race being conducted in Montana or any parimutuel wager placed by a Montana resident on a race conducted
9	outside of Montana.
10	(11) "Parimutuel facility" means a facility licensed by the board at which fantasy sports leagues are
11	conducted and wagering on the outcome under a parimutuel system is permitted.
12	(12) "Parimutuel network" means an association licensed by the board to compile and distribute
13	fantasy sports league rosters and weekly point totals for licensed parimutuel facilities and to manage statewide
14	parimutuel wagering pools on fantasy sports leagues.
15	(13)(10)–"Persons" means individuals, firms, corporations, fair boards, and associations.
16	(14)(11)–(a) "Race meet" means racing of registered horses or mules, match bronc rides, and
17	wild horse rides at which the parimutuel system of wagering is used. The term includes horseraces, mule races,
18	and greyhound races that are simulcast.
19	(b) The term does not include live greyhound racing.
20	(15)(12)—"Racing" means live racing of registered horses or mules and simulcast racing of
21	horses, mules, and greyhounds.
22	(16)(13)—"Simulcast" means a live broadcast of an actual horserace, mule race, or greyhound
23	race at the time it is run. The term includes races of local or national prominence.
24	(17)(14)—"Simulcast facility" means a facility at which horseraces, mule races, or greyhound
25	races are simulcast and wagering on the outcome is permitted under the parimutuel system.
26	(18)(15)—"Simulcast parimutuel network" means an association that has contracted with the
27	board to receive or originate intrastate and interstate simulcast race signals, relay the race signals to licensed

simulcast facilities, and manage statewide parimutuel wagering pools on simulcast races or has been licensed 28



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1	by the board t	o operate a statewide parimutuel wagering pool for fantasy sports leagues. The	board may act as		
2	a simulcast pa	a simulcast parimutuel network provider with respect to simulcast races.			
3	(19)<u>(</u>1	(19)(16)–"Source market fee" means the portion of a wager made with a licensed advance			
4	deposit wager	ing hub operator by a Montana resident that is paid to the board.			
5	(20)<u>(1</u>	<u>7)</u> –"Steward" means an official hired by the department and by persons s	ponsoring a race		
6	meet to regula	te and control the day-to-day conduct and operation of a sanctioned meet.			
7	(21)<u>(1</u>	8)"Wild horse ride" means a wild horse riding contest in which three-per	son teams		
8	attempt to saddle a wild horse and ride it completely around a track with the first to do so declared the winner."				
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10	Sectio	on 2. Section 23-4-104, MCA, is amended to read:			
11	"23-4-	104. Duties of board. The board shall adopt rules to govern race meets and t	he parimutuel		
12	system. These	e rules shall include the following:			
13	(1)	definitions;			
14	(2)	auditing;			
15	(3)	supervision of the parimutuel system;			
16	(4)	corrupt practices;			
17	(5)	supervision, duties, and responsibilities of the executive secretary, presiding s	teward, racing		
18	secretary, and other racing officials;				
19	(6)	licensing of all personnel who have anything to do with the substantive operat	ion of racing;		
20	(7)	the establishment of dates for race meets and meetings in the best interests o	f breeding and		
21	racing in this state;				
22	(8)	the veterinary practices and standards that must be observed in connection w	ith race meets;		
23	(9)	absolute responsibility of trainers for the condition of horses and mules, regard	dless of the acts		
24	of third parties;				
25	(10)	licensing or renewal of a license of a person whose license has been suspend	led by the board		
26	or another horseracing jurisdiction;				
27	(11)	setting license fees commensurate with the cost of issuing a license;			
28	(12)	the time, conduct, and supervision of simulcast races and fantasy sports leage	les and		



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1	parimutuel bet	ting on simulcast rac	ces and fantasy sports leagues ;	
2	(13)	licensing, approva	al, and regulation of simulcast facilities; and	
3	(14)	licensing, approva	al, and regulation of match bronc rides and wild ho	orse rides."
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5	Sectio	n 3. Section 23-4-1	05, MCA, is amended to read:	
6	"23-4-	105. Authority of	board. (1) The board shall license and regulate ra	acing, match bronc rides,
7	and wild horse	rides and review ra	ace meets held in this state under this chapter. All	percentages withheld from
8	amounts wage	red, amounts set as	side pursuant to 23-4-202(4)(d), percentages colle	ected pursuant to 23-4-
9	204(3), percen	tages collected pure	suant to 23-4-302(3) and (5)(b) , money collected p	pursuant to 23-4-304(1)(a)
10	and (1)(b), and	I money received fro	om the state lottery and sports wagering commiss	ion pursuant to 23-7-314
11	must be depos	ited in a state speci	ial revenue account and are statutorily appropriate	ed to the board as provided

in 17-7-502. The board shall then distribute all funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d), 23-4-204(3), 23-4-302(3)

and (5)(b), and 23-4-304(1)(a) and (1)(b) to live race purses or for other purposes for the good of the existing

horseracing industry. If the board decides to authorize new forms of racing, including new forms of simulcast

effects of these forms of racing on the existing saddle racing program in Montana. The board shall consider

racing, not currently authorized in Montana, the board shall do so after holding public hearings to determine the

both the economic and safety impacts on the existing racing and breeding industry. The board is not authorized

18 to allow players to place bets on replays of past horse races.

19 (2) Funds retained by the board in a state special revenue fund pursuant to 23-4-302(1) and (4) 20 are statutorily appropriated to the board as provided in 17-7-502 for the operation of a simulcast parimutuel 21 network and for other purposes that the board considers appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing 22 industry."

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Section 4. Section 23-4-201, MCA, is amended to read:

25 "23-4-201. Licenses -- contracts. (1) (a) A person may not hold a race meet or conduct fantasy
 26 sports league wagering through a parimutuel facility, parimutuel network, or a simulcast parimutuel network
 27 conducting a fantasy sports league in this state without a valid license issued by the department under this
 28 chapter. A person applying for a license to hold a race meet under this chapter shall file with the department an



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1 application that must set forth the time, place, and number of days the license will continue and other

2 information the board requires.

3 (b) A person may not conduct simulcast racing through a simulcast parimutuel network without
4 having entered into a contract with the board.

5 (2) A person who participates in a race meet, except for a match bronc ride or a wild horse ride, 6 must be licensed and charged an annual fee set by the board. The annual fee must be paid to the department 7 and used for expenses of administering this chapter. Each person holding a license under this chapter shall 8 comply with this chapter and with the rules adopted and orders issued by the board.

9 (3) A license may not be issued to a person who has failed to pay the fees, taxes, or money 10 required under this chapter.

11 (4) An application to hold a race meet must be submitted to the department, and the board shall 12 act on the application within 30 days. The board is the sole judge of whether the race meet may be licensed 13 and the number of days the meet may continue.

14 (5) The board shall require that a fair board and an independent racing association conducting a 15 race meet comply with the requirements of the rules adopted by the board before granting a license.

16 (6) A racing association consisting of a local fair board or an association approved by a local fair 17 board may submit a contract proposal to the board to hold a simulcast race meet in a simulcast facility.

18 (7) An unexpired license held by a person who violates this chapter or who fails to pay to the

19 department the sums required under this chapter is subject to cancellation and revocation by the board.

(8) A license to operate a parimutuel facility conducting fantasy sports league wagering may not be
 issued to an applicant unless the applicant is also licensed under Title 23, chapter 5."

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Section 5. Section 23-4-202, MCA, is amended to read:

24 "23-4-202. Penalty for violations of law -- authority of board -- judicial review. (1) (a) A person
25 holding a race meet or an owner, trainer, or jockey participating in a race meet, except a participant in a match
26 bronc ride or a wild horse ride, without first being licensed under this chapter or a person violating this chapter
27 is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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(b) A person operating a parimutuel facility, parimutuel network, or simulcast parimutuel network



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1	licenses are r	einstated;			
2	(g)	definition of exotic fo	orms of wagering on races to	be allowed;	
3	(h)	standards for simulc	ast facilities;		
4	(i)	conduct and supervi	sion of simulcast races and	parimutuel betting or w	vagering on simulcast
5	races;				
6	(j)	conduct and supervi	sion of parimutuel facilities,	parimutuel networks, s	simulcast parimutuel
7	networks, and	-parimutuel wagering c	on fantasy sports leagues co	nducted at parimutuel	facilities;
8	(k)—conduct and supervision of match bronc rides and wild horse rides; and				
9	(l)<u>(k)</u>	conduct and supervi	sion of advance deposit wa	gering.	
10	(5)	The district court of t	he first judicial district of the	state has exclusive ju	risdiction for judicial
11	review of case	es arising under this ch	apter."		
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13	Secti	on 6. Section 23-4-301	, MCA, is amended to read:		
14	"23-4	-301. Parimutuel bet	ting other betting illega	penalty. (1) It is unl	lawful to make, report,
15	record, or reg	ster a bet or wager on	the result of a contest of sp	eed, skill, or endurance	e of an animal, whether
16	the contest is	held within or outside t	his state, except under 23-5	-502 or this chapter.	
17	(2)	A licensee conductir	ng a race meet under this ch	apter may provide a pl	lace in the race meet
18	grounds or er	closure where the licer	nsee may conduct or superv	ise the use of the parir	nutuel system by patrons
19	on the result o	of the races conducted	under this chapter and the r	ules of the board.	
20	(3)	A person licensed u	nder this chapter to hold a ra	ace meet may simulcas	st live races at a place in
21	the race meet	grounds or simulcast f	acility where the licensee m	ay conduct or supervis	e the use of the
22	parimutuel sy	stem by patrons on the	results of simulcast races a	pproved by the board.	
23	(4)	It is unlawful to cond	luct pool selling or bookmak	ing or to circulate hanc	books or to bet or wager
24	on a race of a	licensed race meet, ot	her than by the parimutuel s	system and in the race	meet grounds or
25	enclosure whe	ere the race is held, or	to permit a minor to use the	parimutuel system.	
26	(5)	Each licensee condu	ucting a parimutuel system f	or an intrastate simulca	ast race meet shall
27	combine the p	arimutuel pools at a si	mulcast facility with those at	the actual racing facili	ty for the purpose of
28	determining th	e odds and computing	payoffs. The amount of the	handle at the simulcas	st race meet must be



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combined with the amount of the parimutuel handle at the live racing facility for the purposes of distribution of
 money derived from parimutuel betting under 23-4-302 and 23-4-304.

3 (6) Negotiated purse money from intrastate and interstate simulcast parimutuel handles at racing 4 associations that do not conduct live racing will be pooled and distributed to all tracks conducting live racing. All 5 money must be distributed on a percentage, based on each track's percent, of the total annual on-track 6 parimutuel handle.

7 (7) The board may license an advance deposit wagering hub operator to conduct advance deposit
8 wagering. Advance deposit wagering is prohibited and illegal unless it is conducted through an advance deposit
9 wagering hub operator licensed by the board. A licensed advance deposit wagering hub operator:

10 (a) may accept advance deposit wagering money for races conducted by a licensed race meet;

11 (b) may not accept a wager in an amount in excess of the money on deposit in the account of a

12 person who wishes to make the wager;

(c) may not allow a person under 18 years of age to open an account with the advance deposit
wagering hub operator, make a wager from an account, or otherwise have access to an account;

(d) shall include a statement in any of its advertising for advance deposit wagering that a person
under 18 years of age is not allowed to participate;

(e) shall verify the identification, residence, and age of each person seeking to open an advance
deposit wagering account;

19 (f) shall agree to pay to the board a source market fee in an amount equal to a percentage, as set 20 forth in its license agreement, of the total amount wagered by Montana residents from their accounts with the

21 advance deposit wagering hub operator; and

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(g) shall agree to a payment schedule of source market fees as set forth in its license agreement.

(8) (a) It is unlawful for a person or organization to accept a Montana wager without being licensed
by the state of Montana as provided in this chapter.

(b) A violation of subsection (8)(a) is an illegal gambling enterprise, as defined in 23-5-112, and is
punishable as provided by law.

27 (9) It is unlawful to:

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(a) conduct pool selling or bookmaking or to wager on a fantasy sports league other than by the



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1	parimutuel system and by being physically present at the licensed parimutuel facility;			
2	(b) permit a minor to use the parimutuel system; or			
3	(c) conduct internet or telephone wagering on fantasy sports leagues."			
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5	Section 7. Section 23-4-302, MCA, is amended to read:			
6	"23-4-302. Distribution of deposits breakage. (1) Each licensee conducting the parimutuel			
7	system for a simulcast race meet shall distribute all funds deposited in any pool to the winner of the parimutuel			
8	pool, less an amount that in the case of exotic wagering on races may not exceed 26% and in all other races			
9	may not exceed 20% of the total deposits plus the odd cents of all redistribution to be based on each dollar			
10	deposited exceeding a sum equal to the next lowest multiple of 10, known as "breakage".			
11	(2) Each licensee conducting the parimutuel system for a simulcast race meet shall distribute all			
12	funds deposited with the licensee in any pool for the simulcast race meet, less an amount that in the case of			
13	exotic wagering on these races may not exceed 26%, unless the signal originator percentage is higher, in which			
14	case the Montana simulcast licensee may adopt the same percentage withheld as the place where the signal			
15	originated, and that in all other of these races may not exceed 20% of the total deposits plus the odd cents of all			
16	redistribution to be based on each dollar deposited exceeding a sum equal to the next lowest multiple of 10,			
17	known as "breakage".			
18	(3) Each licensee conducting a parimutuel system for a simulcast race meet shall deduct 1% of the			
19	total amount wagered on the race meet and deposit it in a state special revenue account. The board shall then			
20	distribute all funds collected under this subsection to live race purses or for other purposes that the board			
21	considers appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing industry.			
22	(4) (a) Source market fees from licensed advance deposit wagering hub operators must be			
23	deposited by the board in the board's state special revenue account.			
24	(b) The board shall pay 80% of the source market fees generated between May 1 and the			
25	following April 30 to live race meet licensees based on each live race meet licensee's percentage of the total			
26	annual on-track parimutuel handle during the previous live race season. Prior to the beginning of each year's			
27	ive race season, the correct percentage must be distributed by the board to each live race meet licensee to be			
28	used for race purses or other purposes that the board considers appropriate for the good of the horseracing			



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2 (c) Ten percent of the source market fees paid to the board in a calendar year may be retained by 3 the board for the payment of administrative expenses. One-half of the remaining 10% of the source market fees 4 paid to the board in a calendar year may, by January 31 of the following calendar year, be paid to the owner 5 bonus program and the other one-half to the breeder bonus program.

6 (5) (a) The parimutuel network licensee conducting fantasy sports league wagering shall distribute all
 7 funds deposited in the pool to the winner of the parimutuel pool less the takeout amount of not more than 30%
 8 of the total deposits.

9 (b) The takeout amount must be distributed according to the yearly license agreement between the parimutuel facility licensee, the parimutuel network licensee, and the board. No more than 10% of the amount 10 11 collected under this subsection (5)(b) may be appropriated by the legislature for administration of this chapter. 12 The remaining portion collected under this subsection (5)(b) must be deposited in a state special revenue 13 account. The board shall then distribute this portion to live race purses and for other purposes that the board 14 considers appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing industry. 15 (c) The odd cents of all redistribution based on each dollar deposited that exceeds a sum equal to the 16 next lowest multiple of 10, known as "breakage", as well as unclaimed winning tickets from each parimutuel 17 pool, must be distributed by the board to live race purses or for other purposes that the board considers

18 appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing industry."

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Section 8. Section 23-4-304, MCA, is amended to read:

21 "23-4-304. Gross receipts -- department's percentage -- collection and allocation. (1) (a) Each 22 live race meet licensee shall pay to the department within 5 days following receipt by the licensee 1% of the 23 gross receipts of each day's parimutuel betting at each race meet. At the end of each race meet the licensee 24 shall prepare a report to the department showing the amount of the overpayments and underpayments. If the 25 report shows the underpayments to be in excess of the overpayments, the balance must be paid to the 26 department. Money paid to the department may be used for the expenses incurred in carrying out this chapter. 27 The licensee shall, at the same time, pay to the department all funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d) on exotic 28 wagering on races. These funds must be deposited in a state special revenue account. The board shall then



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distribute all funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d) to live race purses or for other purposes that the board
 considers appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing industry.

3 Each licensed simulcast facility shall pay to the department either 1% of the gross receipts of (b) 4 each day's parimutuel betting at each race meet or the actual cost to the board of regulating the simulcast race 5 meet, whichever is higher. The money must be paid to the department within 5 days after receipt of the money 6 by the licensee. At the end of each race meet the licensed simulcast facility shall prepare a report to the 7 department showing the amount of the overpayments and underpayments. If the report shows the 8 underpayments to be in excess of the overpayments, the balance must be paid to the department. Money paid 9 to the department must be deposited in an account in the state special revenue fund and must be used for the 10 administration of this chapter. The licensed simulcast facility shall, at the same time, pay to the department all 11 funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d) on exotic wagering on races. These funds must be deposited in a state 12 special revenue account. The board shall then distribute all funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d) to live race 13 purses or for other purposes that the board considers appropriate for the good of the existing horseracing 14 industry. 15 (c) The licensed parimutuel network conducting fantasy sports league wagering shall pay the funds 16 distributed pursuant to 23-4-302 (5)(b) to the department within 10 days after receipt of the money by the 17 licensee. 18 Prior to the beginning of the live racing season, funds collected under 23-4-202(4)(d) must be (2) 19 distributed by the department, after first passing through a state special revenue account, to be used for race 20 purses that are distributed to each live race meet by the board or for other purposes that the board considers 21 appropriate for the good of the horseracing industry." 22 23 Section 9. Section 23-5-801, MCA, is amended to read:

24 "23-5-801. Fantasy sports leagues defined. As used in this part, a "fantasy sports league" means a
 25 gambling activity conducted in the following manner:

26 (1) A fantasy sports league consists of a limited number of persons or groups of persons who pay
 27 an entrance fee for membership in the league. The entrance fee may include an administrative fee.

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(2) Each league member creates a fictitious team composed of athletes from a given professional



68th Legislature Drafter: Jameson Walker, 406-444-3722 SB0133.001.002 1 sport, such as baseball, basketball, or football. Player selection is conducted through random drawings, a 2 bidding process, or by selection from a roster prepared by the parimutuel network coordinator. 3 (3) Except for fantasy sports leagues operated under Title 23, chapter 4, after After the initial 4 teams are selected, interim replacement of players may occur by trade or purchase. A specific fee, which may 5 not exceed the total entrance fee, is charged for each transaction. 6 (4) A method, as defined by league rules, is devised to permit each team to compete against other 7 teams in the league. Points are awarded to a team according to the performance of individual players or teams 8 or both during a designated time period. 9 A league member may be eligible to receive a payout based on the number of points (5) 10 accumulated. Payouts, which may be in the form of cash or prizes, are awarded according to league rules. 11 (6) The roster of eligible participants prepared by the parimutuel network must be provided to each 12 league member. 13 (7)—Rules governing the conduct of the fantasy sports league must be provided in writing to each 14 league member." 15 16 Section 10. Section 23-5-802, MCA, is amended to read: 17 "23-5-802. Fantasy sports leagues authorized. It is lawful to conduct or participate in a fantasy 18 sports league, including a fantasy sports league that is operated under a parimutuel system of wagering 19 regulated under Title 23, chapter 4. It is unlawful to wager on a fantasy sports league by telephone or by the 20 internet." 21 22 Section 11. Section 23-5-805, MCA, is amended to read: 23 "23-5-805. Payouts -- administrative fees charged by commercial establishments. (1) Except as 24 provided in subsection (2)(b), the The total value of payouts to all league members must equal the amount 25 collected for entrance, administrative, and transactions fees, minus payment for administrative expenses. (a) Except as provided in subsection (2)(b), if If a commercial establishment charges an 26 (2) 27 administrative fee for conducting a fantasy sports league, the fee for each participant may not be more than 28 15% of the amount charged as a participant's entrance fee.



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- 1 (b) The parimutuel network, as defined in 23-4-101, shall distribute all funds wagered on fantasy
- 2 sports leagues in any wagering pool pursuant to the requirements of 23-4-302 and 23-4- 304."
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