

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 748

"AN ACT TO EXEMPT NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS FROM THE PROVISIONS IN
ARKANSAS CODE § 3-9-236(a)(15), IF NO PRIZES, MONEY, OR ANYTHING OF VALUE
IS AWARDED TO THE PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THE CHARITABLE EVENT."

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 748.

Amend Senate Bill No. 748 as originally introduced:

Page 1, lines 10 through 13, delete "IF NO PRIZES, MONEY, OR ANYTHING OF VALUE IS AWARDED TO THE PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THE CHARITABLE EVENT" and substitute "UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES"

AND

Page 1, lines 18 through 21, delete "IF NO PRIZES, MONEY, OR ANYTHING OF VALUE IS AWARDED TO THE PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THE CHARITABLE EVENT" and substitute "UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 28 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. (a) An event held by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under § 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3) shall be exempt from Arkansas Code § 3-9-236(a)(15), if:

(1) The nonprofit organization registers the event with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division at least sixty (60) days before the event;

(2) All proceeds of the event are for the benefit of the nonprofit organization;

(3) The games in the event do not use money but may use some form of play money;

(4) No cash is won as a prize; and

(5) The event is for amusement and not for gambling purposes.

(b) This section shall apply to only one (1) event held by the nonprofit organization during a calendar year.

(c)(1) A violation of this section is a misdemeanor and is punishable by a fine of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

(2) If a nonprofit organization commits a second offense the



nonprofit organization shall be ineligible to sponsor an event under this section.”

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

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