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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1722

5 By: Representative Lowery
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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 AN ACT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF LOTTERY PRIZES THE
9 OFFICE OF THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY MAY AWARD FOR SECOND
10 CHANCE GAMES FOR NON-WINNING TICKETS; TO REQUIRE A
11 RETAILER TO POST NOTICE OF THE AVAILABILITY OF SECOND
12 CHANCE GAMES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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15 **Subtitle**

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17 OFFICE OF THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY MAY AWARD
18 FOR SECOND CHANCE GAMES FOR NON-WINNING
19 TICKETS; AND TO REQUIRE A RETAILER TO
20 POST NOTICE OF THE AVAILABILITY OF SECOND
21 CHANCE GAMES.
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 115, Subchapter 4, is
27 amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

28 23-115-412. Limitation on second-chance games.

29 (a) On and after the effective date of this act, the Office of the
30 Arkansas Lottery shall not enter into a new contract, renew an existing
31 contract, or establish or operate a game that provides second-chance drawings
32 or other methods of awarding lottery prizes for non-winning tickets or
33 lottery games that would constitute more than two and one-half percent (2
34 1/2%) of the lottery prizes awarded in a fiscal year.

35 (b) A retailer that offers a receptacle for the placement of non-
36 winning tickets or lottery games shall post on the receptacle a notice



1 developed by the office that contains information on the availability of
2 second-chance drawings or other methods of awarding lottery prizes for non-
3 winning tickets or lottery games.

4 (c) Savings that result from the implementation of subsection
5 (a) of this section shall be allocated to scholarships under the
6 Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program – Part 2, § 6-85-201
7 et seq.

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