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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill allows a person to serve as gambling manager for up to three organizations, allows winning entries in a raffle to be selected by a random number generator, increases bingo prize limits, and removes city and county authority to require gambling organizations to contribute to a fund for charitable or public safety/emergency purposes.

Section

- 1-3, 5** **Gambling manager.** Permits a person to act as gambling manager for up to three organizations. Requires a separate dishonesty bond in favor of each organization a gambling manager serves.
- 4** **Conduct of raffles.** Allows for winning entries in 50/50 or “share the pot” raffles to be selected by a random number generator in some circumstances.
- 6** **Bingo.** Increases prize limits for bingo.
- 7** **Local regulation.** Removes city and county authority to require a gambling organization contribute 10% of their net profits to a fund for charitable or emergency/public safety purposes.