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HOUSE BILL 1674

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By Representatives Koster, Cole, Fuhrman, Thompson, Romero and Stevens

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1            AN ACT Relating to using state lottery moneys for compulsive  
2 gambling prevention and education; amending RCW 67.70.240; adding a new  
3 section to chapter 67.70 RCW; and making an appropriation.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 67.70 RCW  
6 to read as follows:

7            The division of alcohol and substance abuse in the department of  
8 social and health services shall adopt rules to implement a program for  
9 the purpose of compulsive gambling prevention and education.

10           **Sec. 2.** RCW 67.70.240 and 1987 c 513 s 7 are each amended to read  
11 as follows:

12           The moneys in the state lottery account shall be used only: (1)  
13 For the payment of prizes to the holders of winning lottery tickets or  
14 shares; (2) for purposes of making deposits into the reserve account  
15 created by RCW 67.70.250 and into the lottery administrative account  
16 created by RCW 67.70.260; (3) for purposes of making deposits into the  
17 state's general fund; (4) for purposes of making deposits into the  
18 housing trust fund under the provisions of section 7 of this 1987 act;

1 (5) for the purchase and promotion of lottery games and game-related  
2 services and, from the state lottery's advertising budget, for the  
3 purposes of section 1 of this act; and (6) for the payment of agent  
4 compensation.

5 The office of financial management shall require the allotment of  
6 all expenses paid from the account and shall report to the ways and  
7 means committees of the senate and house of representatives any changes  
8 in the allotments.

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** The sum of one hundred fifty thousand  
10 dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated for  
11 the biennium ending June 30, 1997, from the state lottery account under  
12 RCW 67.70.240(5) to the department of social and health services for  
13 the purposes of section 1 of this act.

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