

1 **SHB 2926 - H AMDS 281 ADOPTED 2-13-96**

2 By Representatives Mastin and others

3 On page 1, line 14, after "(2)" strike "Licensees" and insert
4 "Except under (c) of this subsection, licensees"

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6 On page 2, line 1, strike "~~((and one-half))~~" and insert "and
7 ~~((one-half))~~ three-tenths"

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9 On page 2, line 5, strike "one-half" and insert "eight-tenths"

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11 On page 2, after line 6, insert the following:

12 "(c) Until January 1, 2001, licensees who have race meets of
13 thirty days or more and who operate a race track in counties having
14 a population over three hundred and fifty thousand and under one
15 million shall retain and not pay to the commission those sums
16 required under (a) and (b) of this subsection."

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18 On page 3, line 12, strike "~~((twelve and one-half))~~ thirteen"
19 and insert "twelve and ~~((one-half))~~ seven-tenths"

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21 On page 3, line 16, strike "one-half" and insert "two-tenths"

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23 On page 3, after line 16, insert the following:

24 "**Sec. 3.** RCW 67.16.100 and 1995 c 399 ú 166 are each amended
25 to read as follows:

26 (1) All sums paid to the commission under this chapter,
27 including those sums collected for license fees and excluding those
28 sums collected under RCW 67.16.102, 67.16.105(3), and 67.16.105(4),
29 shall be disposed of by the commission as follows:

30 (a) Fifty percent thereof shall be retained by the commission
31 for the payment of the salaries of its members, secretary,

1 clerical, office, and other help and all expenses incurred in
2 carrying out the provisions of this chapter. No salary, wages,
3 expenses, or compensation of any kind shall be paid by the state in
4 connection with the work of the commission.

5 ~~(b) ((One percent shall, on the next business day following~~
6 ~~the receipt thereof, be paid to the state treasurer to be deposited~~
7 ~~in the general fund.~~

8 ~~(c) Three percent shall, on the next business day following~~
9 ~~the receipt thereof, be paid to the state treasurer, who is hereby~~
10 ~~made ex officio treasurer of a fund to be known as the "state trade~~
11 ~~fair fund" which shall be maintained as a separate and independent~~
12 ~~fund, and made available to the director of community, trade, and~~
13 ~~economic development for the sole purpose of assisting state trade~~
14 ~~fairs.~~

15 ~~(d) Forty six))~~ Fifty percent shall be paid to the state
16 treasurer, who is hereby made ex officio treasurer of a fund to be
17 known as the "fair fund," which shall be maintained as a separate
18 and independent fund outside of the state treasury, and made
19 available to the director of agriculture for the sole purpose of
20 assisting fairs in the manner provided in Title 15 RCW.

21 (2) Any moneys collected or paid to the commission under the
22 terms of this chapter and not expended at the close of the fiscal
23 biennium shall be paid to the state treasurer and be placed in the
24 general fund. The commission may, with the approval of the office
25 of financial management, retain any sum required for working
26 capital."
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28 Renumber remaining sections consecutively and correct internal
29 references and the title accordingly.

EFFECT: This amendment does the following: (1) Increases by
0.2 percent rather than 0.5 percent the amount for-profit
licensees may retain from the daily handle; (2) Decreases by
0.2 percent rather than 0.5 percent the percentage of daily

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gross receipts that licensees must pay to the Commission; (3) Allows those licensees who have race meets of more than 30 days and who operate a race track in counties having a population over 350,000 and under 1,000,000 to retain the percentage of daily gross receipts that would otherwise be paid to the Commission; and (4) Eliminates the 1% distribution of money by the Commission to the state general fund and the 3% distribution to the state trade fair fund and increases by 4% the distribution to the state fair fund.