
SENATE BILL NO. 40—COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY
(ON BEHALF OF THE STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD)

PREFILED DECEMBER 20, 2014

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Prohibits certain acts relating to wagering.
(BDR 41-353)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to gaming; prohibiting certain acts related to wagering; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 Existing law provides that it is unlawful for a person to perform certain actions
2 relating to gaming without having first procured, and thereafter maintaining, all
3 required gaming licenses. (NRS 463.160) This bill additionally provides that it is
4 unlawful for a person to receive any compensation or reward, or any percentage or
5 share of the money or property played, for: (1) accepting or facilitating a bet or
6 wager on the result of any race, sporting event or future contingent event, without
7 having first procured, and thereafter maintaining, all required gaming licenses; (2)
8 accepting or facilitating a bet or wager on the result of any race, sporting event or
9 future contingent event that is placed on behalf of a person who receives any
10 compensation or reward, or any percentage or share of the money or property
11 played, for accepting or facilitating such a bet or wager without having first
12 procured, and thereafter maintaining, all required gaming licenses; and (3)
13 transmitting or delivering anything of value resulting from a bet or wager on the
14 result of any race, sporting event or future contingent event with or on behalf of a
15 person who receives any compensation or reward, or any percentage or share of the
16 money or property played, for accepting or facilitating such a bet or wager without
17 having first procured, and thereafter maintaining, all required gaming licenses. A
18 person who violates any such provision is guilty of a category B felony.



THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 465 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 1. *Except as otherwise provided by law, it is unlawful for a*
4 *person to receive, directly or indirectly, any compensation or*
5 *reward, or any percentage or share of the money or property*
6 *played, for:*

7 (a) *Accepting or facilitating any bet or wager upon the result*
8 *of any race, sporting event or future contingent event without*
9 *having first procured, and thereafter maintaining in effect, all*
10 *federal, state, county and municipal gaming licenses as required*
11 *by statute, regulation or ordinance or by the governing body of*
12 *any unincorporated town.*

13 (b) *Accepting or facilitating any bet or wager that is placed*
14 *with or on behalf of a person described in paragraph (a).*

15 (c) *Transmitting or delivering anything of value resulting from*
16 *a bet or wager to a person who has placed a bet or wager with or*
17 *on behalf of a person described in paragraph (a).*

18 2. *A person who violates any provision of this section is guilty*
19 *of a category B felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in*
20 *the state prison for a minimum term of not less than 1 year and a*
21 *maximum term of not more than 6 years, or by a fine of not more*
22 *than \$5,000, or by both fine and imprisonment.*

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