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17 | pari-mutuel permit ~~provided that a majority of voters in a~~  
18 | ~~countywide referendum have approved slot machines at such~~  
19 | ~~facility in the respective county.~~ Notwithstanding any other  
20 | ~~provision of law,~~ it is not a crime for a person to participate  
21 | in slot machine gaming at a pari-mutuel facility licensed to  
22 | possess slot machines and conduct slot machine gaming or to  
23 | participate in slot machine gaming described in this chapter.

24 | Section 10. Subsections (4), (10), and (11) of section  
25 | 551.102, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

26 | 551.102 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

27 | (4) "Eligible facility" means any licensed pari-mutuel  
28 | facility that meets the requirements of s. 551.104(2) ~~located in~~  
29 | ~~Miami Dade County or Broward County existing at the time of~~  
30 | ~~adoption of s. 23, Art. X of the State Constitution that has~~  
31 | ~~conducted live racing or games during calendar years 2002 and~~  
32 | ~~2003 and has been approved by a majority of voters in a~~  
33 | ~~countywide referendum to have slot machines at such facility in~~  
34 | ~~the respective county; any licensed pari-mutuel facility located~~  
35 | ~~within a county as defined in s. 125.011, provided such facility~~  
36 | ~~has conducted live racing for 2 consecutive calendar years~~  
37 | ~~immediately preceding its application for a slot machine~~  
38 | ~~license, pays the required license fee, and meets the other~~  
39 | ~~requirements of this chapter; or any licensed pari-mutuel~~  
40 | ~~facility in any other county in which a majority of voters have~~  
41 | ~~approved slot machines at such facilities in a countywide~~

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42 ~~referendum held pursuant to a statutory or constitutional~~  
43 ~~authorization after the effective date of this section in the~~  
44 ~~respective county, provided such facility has conducted a full~~  
45 ~~schedule of live racing for 2 consecutive calendar years~~  
46 ~~immediately preceding its application for a slot machine~~  
47 ~~license, pays the required licensed fee, and meets the other~~  
48 ~~requirements of this chapter.~~

49 (10) "Slot machine license" means a license issued by the  
50 division authorizing a pari-mutuel permitholder to place and  
51 operate slot machines as provided in ~~by s. 23, Art. X of the~~  
52 ~~State Constitution, the provisions of this chapter, and by~~  
53 ~~division rule rules.~~

54 (11) "Slot machine licensee" means a pari-mutuel  
55 permitholder who holds a license issued by the division pursuant  
56 to this chapter which ~~that~~ authorizes such person to possess a  
57 slot machine ~~within facilities specified in s. 23, Art. X of the~~  
58 ~~State Constitution~~ and allows slot machine gaming.

59 Section 11. Subsections (2) and paragraph (c) of  
60 subsection (4) of section 551.104, Florida Statutes, are amended  
61 to read:

62 551.104 License to conduct slot machine gaming.—

63 (2) An application may be approved by the division only  
64 if:

65 (a) The facility at which the applicant seeks to operate  
66 slot machines is:

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67 1. A licensed pari-mutuel facility located in Miami-Dade  
68 County or Broward County existing at the time of adoption of s.  
69 23, Art. X of the State Constitution which conducted live racing  
70 or games during calendar years 2002 and 2003, if such  
71 permitholder pays the required license fee and meets the other  
72 requirements of this chapter; or

73 2. A licensed pari-mutuel facility in any county in which  
74 a majority of voters have approved slot machines in a countywide  
75 referendum before January 1, 2019, if such permitholder has  
76 conducted a full schedule of live racing or games as defined in  
77 s. 550.002(11) for 2 consecutive calendar years immediately  
78 preceding its application for a slot machine license, pays the  
79 required license fee, and meets the other requirements of this  
80 chapter.

81 (b) after The voters of the county where the applicant's  
82 facility is located have authorized by referendum slot machines  
83 within pari-mutuel facilities in that county ~~as specified in s.~~  
84 ~~23, Art. X of the State Constitution.~~

85 (4) As a condition of licensure and to maintain continued  
86 authority for the conduct of slot machine gaming, a ~~the~~ slot  
87 machine licensee shall:

88 (c) Conduct no fewer than a full schedule of live racing  
89 or games as defined in s. 550.002(11). A permitholder's  
90 responsibility to conduct such a schedule ~~such number of live~~  
91 ~~races or games~~ shall be reduced by the number of races or games

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92 that could not be conducted due to the direct result of fire,  
93 war, hurricane, or other disaster or event beyond the control of  
94 the permitholder. A permitholder may conduct live races or games  
95 at another pari-mutuel facility pursuant to s. 550.475 if such  
96 permitholder has operated live races or games by lease for at  
97 least 5 consecutive years immediately preceding the  
98 permitholder's application for a slot machine license.

99 Section 12. Subsection (4) of section 551.114, Florida  
100 Statutes, is amended to read:

101 551.114 Slot machine gaming areas.—

102 (4) Designated slot machine gaming areas shall ~~may~~ be  
103 located anywhere within the property described in a slot machine  
104 licensee's pari-mutuel permit ~~within the current live gaming~~  
105 ~~facility or in an existing building that must be contiguous and~~  
106 ~~connected to the live gaming facility. If a designated slot~~  
107 ~~machine gaming area is to be located in a building that is to be~~  
108 ~~constructed, that new building must be contiguous and connected~~  
109 ~~to the live gaming facility.~~

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Remove lines 51-56 and insert:

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horse racing permit; amending s. 551.101, F.S.;

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conforming provisions; amending s. 551.102, F.S.;

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revising definitions; amending s. 551.104, F.S.;

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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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117 providing conditions for division approval of an  
118 application for a license to conduct slot machine  
119 gaming; revising conditions for licensure and  
120 continued authority for the conduct of slot machine  
121 gaming; amending s. 551.114, F.S.; requiring that  
122 designated slot machine gaming areas be located within  
123 a certain area described in a slot machine licensee's  
124 pari-mutuel permit; amending s. 849.086, F.S.;;  
125 revising definitions;

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