



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 6287

January Session, 2009

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING CASH PRIZES FOR BLOWER BALL GAMES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 7-177 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) All prizes given at any bazaar or raffle shall be merchandise,
4 tangible personal property or a ticket, coupon or gift certificate,
5 entitling the winner to merchandise, tangible personal property,
6 services, transportation on a common carrier by land, water or air and
7 to any tour facilities provided in connection therewith, or to
8 participation in a lottery conducted under chapter 226. Such ticket,
9 coupon or gift certificate shall not be refundable or transferable. No
10 cash prizes or prizes consisting of alcoholic liquor shall be given,
11 except as provided in subsection (b) of this section and section 7-177a,
12 and no prize shall be redeemed or redeemable for cash, except tickets
13 for a lottery conducted under chapter 226. For the purposes of this
14 section, coins whose trading value exceeds their face value and coins
15 not commonly in circulation shall not be deemed a cash prize.

16 (b) Any sponsoring organization authorized to conduct a bazaar
17 pursuant to section 7-172 may award cash prizes not to exceed fifty
18 dollars each in connection with the playing of a blower ball game.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	7-177
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PS *Joint Favorable Subst.-LCO*

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