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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:  
(PS)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF GAMING AND THE  
AUTHORIZATION OF A CASINO GAMING FACILITY IN THE STATE.***

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

1 Section 1. Section 12-557b of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 As used in this chapter, sections 12-579 and 12-580, [and] chapter  
4 226b, and sections 2 to 5, inclusive, of this act, and section 53-278g, as  
5 amended by this act, unless the context otherwise requires:

6 (1) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Consumer  
7 Protection;

8 (2) "Department" means the Department of Consumer Protection;

9 (3) "Business organization" means a partnership, incorporated or  
10 unincorporated association, firm, corporation, trust or other form of  
11 business or legal entity, other than a financial institution regulated by a  
12 state or federal agency which is not exercising control over an  
13 association licensee, but does not mean any governmental or sovereign

14 entity; [and]

15 (4) "Control" means the power to exercise authority over or direct  
16 the management and policies of a person or business organization; [.]

17 (5) "Casino gaming facility" means any casino gaming facility  
18 authorized by the General Assembly to conduct authorized games on  
19 its premises, but does not include any casino gaming facility located on  
20 the reservations of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe or the Mohegan  
21 Tribe of Indians of Connecticut;

22 (6) "Authorized game" means any game of chance specifically  
23 authorized by the General Assembly to be conducted at a casino  
24 gaming facility; and

25 (7) "Gross gaming revenue" means the total of all sums actually  
26 received by a casino gaming facility from gaming operations less the  
27 total of all sums paid as winnings to patrons of the casino gaming  
28 facility, provided the total of all sums paid as winnings to such patrons  
29 shall not include the cash equivalent value of any merchandise or  
30 thing of value included in a jackpot or payout, and provided further  
31 the issuance to or wagering by such patrons of any promotional  
32 gaming credit shall not be included in the total of all sums actually  
33 received by a casino gaming facility for the purposes of determining  
34 gross gaming revenue.

35 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Within twelve months of the  
36 authorization of any casino gaming facility by the General Assembly,  
37 the commissioner shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the  
38 provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes, for the administration  
39 of casino gaming facilities. Such regulations shall include provisions to  
40 protect the public interest in the integrity of gaming operations and  
41 reduce the dangers of unsuitable, unfair or illegal practices, methods  
42 and activities in the conduct of gaming. Such regulations shall include,  
43 but need not be limited to:

- 44 (1) Minimum accounting standards for a casino gaming facility;
- 45 (2) Minimum security procedures including the video monitoring of  
46 casino gaming facilities;
- 47 (3) Approved hours of operation for gaming and nongaming  
48 activities at casino gaming facilities;
- 49 (4) Procedures governing the manufacture, sale, lease and  
50 distribution of gaming devices and equipment for use in casino  
51 gaming facilities;
- 52 (5) Procedures for the recovery of winnings by patrons of casino  
53 gaming facilities;
- 54 (6) Procedures governing how gross gaming revenue are calculated  
55 and reported by a casino gaming facility;
- 56 (7) Requirements for regular auditing of the financial statements of a  
57 casino gaming facility;
- 58 (8) Procedures to be followed by any casino gaming facility for cash  
59 transactions;
- 60 (9) Procedures regarding the maintenance of lists of persons banned  
61 from any casino gaming facility and security measures to enforce such  
62 bans;
- 63 (10) Standards for the provision of complimentary goods and  
64 services to casino gaming facility patrons;
- 65 (11) Minimum standards of training for persons employed in a  
66 casino gaming facility;
- 67 (12) Procedures governing the submission of standards of operation  
68 and management of gaming operations by casino gaming facilities to  
69 the commissioner; and

70 (13) Requirements for information and reports from casino gaming  
71 facilities as prescribed by the commissioner to enable effective auditing  
72 of casino gaming operations.

73 (b) Until such regulations are adopted and in effect, a casino gaming  
74 facility may operate pursuant to its standards of operation and  
75 management, provided such standards are approved by the  
76 commissioner pursuant to section 3 of this act.

77 Sec. 3. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Each casino gaming facility  
78 shall submit to the commissioner a description of its standards of  
79 operation and management of all gaming operations. The description  
80 shall include: (1) Accounting controls to be used in casino gaming  
81 operations, (2) job descriptions for all positions involved in casino  
82 gaming operations, (3) procedures for the security of chips, cash and  
83 other cash equivalents used in authorized games, (4) procedures for  
84 the safety and security of patrons of the casino gaming facility, (5)  
85 procedures and rules governing the conduct of any authorized games  
86 conducted at the casino gaming facility, (6) a certification by the  
87 attorney of the casino gaming facility that the submitted standards of  
88 operation and management conform to state law and regulations  
89 governing casino gaming operations, (7) a certification by the chief  
90 financial officer of the casino gaming facility or an independent  
91 auditor that the submitted standards of operation and management  
92 provide adequate and effective controls, establish a consistent overall  
93 system of procedures and administrative and accounting controls and  
94 conform to generally accepted accounting principles, and (8) any other  
95 standards required by the commissioner.

96 (b) The commissioner shall approve or reject a submission of  
97 standards of operation and management required under subsection (a)  
98 of this section not later than sixty days after the date on which the  
99 commissioner received such standards. No casino gaming facility may  
100 commence casino gaming operations unless such standards of  
101 operation and management are approved by the commissioner.

102 (c) No casino gaming facility shall revise any standards of operation  
103 and management that have been approved by the commissioner  
104 pursuant to subsection (b) of this section unless the revision has been  
105 approved by the commissioner. If the commissioner fails to approve or  
106 reject a submitted revision not later than sixty days after the date on  
107 which the commissioner received such revision, such revision shall be  
108 deemed approved.

109 (d) A casino gaming facility aggrieved by an action of the  
110 commissioner under the provisions of this section may request in  
111 writing a hearing before the commissioner. Such hearing shall be held  
112 in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes.  
113 The casino gaming facility may appeal from the final decision in  
114 accordance with the provisions of section 4-183 of the general statutes.

115 (e) The commissioner shall periodically review a casino gaming  
116 facility's compliance with state law and regulations governing casino  
117 gaming facilities.

118 Sec. 4. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) No person may commence  
119 or continue employment on the gaming floor or in a gaming-related  
120 position in a casino gaming facility unless such person holds a gaming  
121 employee license issued by the commissioner.

122 (b) No person or business organization may provide more than  
123 twenty-five thousand dollars of nongaming goods or services per year  
124 in a casino gaming facility unless such person or business organization  
125 holds a nongaming vendor license issued by the commissioner.

126 (c) No person or business organization may provide gaming  
127 services or gaming equipment to a casino gaming facility unless such  
128 person or business organization holds a gaming services license issued  
129 by the commissioner.

130 (d) No business organization, other than a shareholder in a publicly  
131 traded corporation, may exercise control in or over a licensee licensed

132 pursuant to this section unless such business organization holds a  
133 gaming affiliate license issued by the commissioner.

134 (e) Each applicant for a license issued pursuant to this section shall  
135 submit a completed application on forms prescribed by the  
136 commissioner. Such application forms may require the applicant to  
137 submit information as to: (1) Financial standing and credit; (2) moral  
138 character; (3) criminal record, if any; (4) previous employment; (5)  
139 corporate, partnership or association affiliations; (6) ownership of  
140 personal assets; and (7) any other information as the commissioner  
141 deems pertinent to the issuance of such license.

142 (f) The commissioner shall, as soon as practicable after the receipt of  
143 a completed license application, grant or deny the license application.  
144 Any license issued by the commissioner pursuant to this section shall  
145 be effective for not more than one year from the date of issuance.  
146 Applications for renewal of any such license shall be in such form as  
147 prescribed by the commissioner. Any holder of a license issued  
148 pursuant to this section who submits an application to renew such  
149 license may continue to be employed by a casino gaming facility or  
150 provide services to a casino gaming facility until the commissioner  
151 grants or denies such renewal application.

152 (g) The commissioner may issue a temporary license at the request  
153 of any person who has submitted an application for a license under  
154 this section. The commissioner shall require such applicant to submit  
155 to state and national criminal history records checks before receiving a  
156 temporary license. The criminal history records checks shall be  
157 conducted in accordance with section 29-17a of the general statutes. A  
158 temporary license shall expire when the commissioner grants or denies  
159 the application for a license under this section.

160 (h) The commissioner may investigate any person or business  
161 organization that holds a license pursuant to this section at any time  
162 and may suspend or revoke such license for good cause after a hearing

163 held in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general  
164 statutes. Any person or business organization whose license is  
165 suspended or revoked, or any applicant aggrieved by the action of the  
166 commissioner concerning an application for a license or renewal  
167 application, may appeal pursuant to section 4-183 of the general  
168 statutes.

169 Sec. 5. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) For the purposes of this  
170 section, "alcoholic liquor" has the same meaning as provided in section  
171 30-1 of the general statutes.

172 (b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, no person  
173 under the minimum age for purchase of alcoholic liquor under the  
174 provisions of chapter 545 of the general statutes shall be admitted onto  
175 the gaming floor of any casino gaming facility nor be permitted to  
176 participate in any authorized games.

177 (c) A person eighteen years of age or older but under the minimum  
178 age for the purchase of alcoholic liquor may be employed in a casino  
179 gaming facility provided such person is licensed by the commissioner  
180 pursuant to section 4 of this act and such employment does not involve  
181 handling or serving alcoholic liquor.

182 Sec. 6. Section 12-561 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
183 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

184 No commissioner or unit head or employee of the department shall  
185 directly or indirectly, individually or as a member of a partnership or  
186 as a shareholder of a corporation, have any interest whatsoever in  
187 dealing in any lottery, racing, fronton, [or] betting enterprise or casino  
188 gaming facility or in the ownership or leasing of any property or  
189 premises used by or for any lottery, racing, fronton, [or] betting  
190 enterprise or casino gaming facility. No commissioner or unit head  
191 shall, directly or indirectly, wager at any off-track betting facility, race  
192 track, [or] fronton or casino gaming facility authorized under this  
193 chapter or purchase lottery tickets issued under this chapter. The

194 commissioner may adopt regulations in accordance with the  
195 provisions of chapter 54 to prohibit any employee of the department  
196 from engaging, directly or indirectly, in any form of legalized  
197 gambling activity in which such employee is involved because of his or  
198 her employment with the department. For purposes of this section,  
199 "unit head" means a managerial employee with direct oversight of a  
200 legalized gambling activity.

201 Sec. 7. Subsection (a) of section 12-562 of the general statutes is  
202 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
203 *passage*):

204 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the  
205 commissioner shall have power to enforce the provisions of this  
206 chapter and chapter 226b, and shall adopt all necessary regulations for  
207 that purpose and for carrying out, enforcing and preventing violation  
208 of any of the provisions of this chapter, for the inspection of licensed  
209 premises, [or] enterprises or casino gaming facilities, for insuring  
210 proper, safe and orderly conduct of licensed premises, [or] enterprises  
211 or casino gaming facilities and for protecting the public against fraud  
212 or overcharge. The commissioner shall have power generally to do  
213 whatever is reasonably necessary for the carrying out of the intent of  
214 this chapter; and may call upon other administrative departments of  
215 the state government and of municipal governments for such  
216 information and assistance as he or she deems necessary to the  
217 performance of his or her duties. The commissioner shall set racing  
218 and jai alai meeting dates, except that the commissioner may delegate  
219 to designated staff the authority for setting make-up performance  
220 dates. The commissioner shall, as far as practicable, avoid conflicts in  
221 the dates assigned for racing or the exhibition of the game of jai alai in  
222 the state.

223 Sec. 8. Section 12-563a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
224 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):



225 The Commissioner of Consumer Protection shall, within available  
226 resources, prepare and distribute informational materials designed to  
227 inform the public of the programs available for the prevention,  
228 treatment and rehabilitation of compulsive gamblers in this state. The  
229 commissioner shall require any casino gaming facility and any person  
230 or business organization which is licensed to sell lottery tickets,  
231 operate an off-track betting system or conduct wagering on racing  
232 events or jai alai games, to display such informational materials at the  
233 casino gaming facility and each licensed premise.

234 Sec. 9. Section 12-577 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
235 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

236 The commissioner shall annually cause to be made by some  
237 competent person or persons in the department a thorough audit of  
238 the books and records of each association licensee under this chapter  
239 and each casino gaming facility and the commissioner may, from time  
240 to time, cause to be made by some competent person in the  
241 department a thorough audit of the books and records of any other  
242 person or business organization licensed under this chapter. All such  
243 audit records shall be kept on file in the commissioner's office at all  
244 times. Each licensee and casino gaming facility shall permit access to  
245 its books and records for the purpose of having such audit made, and  
246 shall produce, upon written order of the commissioner, any documents  
247 and information required for such purpose.

248 Sec. 10. Section 12-578 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
249 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

250 (a) The commissioner shall adopt regulations, in accordance with  
251 the provisions of chapter 54, governing registration and the issuance  
252 and annual renewal of licenses and payment of annual nonrefundable  
253 application fees for the same in accordance with the following  
254 schedule:

255 (1) Registration: (A) Stable name, one hundred dollars; (B)

256 partnership name, one hundred dollars; (C) colors, twenty dollars; (D)  
257 kennel name, one hundred dollars.

258 (2) Licenses: (A) Owner, one hundred dollars; (B) trainer, one  
259 hundred dollars; (C) assistant trainer, one hundred dollars; (D) jockey,  
260 forty dollars; (E) jockey agent, for each jockey, one hundred dollars; (F)  
261 stable employees, including exercise boy, groom, stable foreman, hot  
262 walker, outrider, twenty dollars; (G) veterinarian, one hundred dollars;  
263 (H) jockey apprentice, forty dollars; (I) driver, one hundred dollars; (J)  
264 valet, twenty dollars; (K) blacksmith, twenty dollars; (L) plater, twenty  
265 dollars; (M) concessionaire, for each concession, two hundred fifty  
266 dollars; (N) concessionaire affiliate, for each concession of the  
267 concessionaire, two hundred fifty dollars; (O) concession employees,  
268 twenty dollars; (P) jai alai players, one hundred dollars; (Q) officials  
269 and supervisors, one hundred dollars; (R) pari-mutuel employees,  
270 forty dollars; (S) other personnel engaged in activities regulated under  
271 this chapter, twenty dollars; (T) vendor, for each contract, two hundred  
272 fifty dollars; (U) totalizator, for each contract, two hundred fifty  
273 dollars; (V) vendor and totalizator affiliates, for each contract of the  
274 vendor or totalizator, two hundred fifty dollars; (W) gaming employee,  
275 forty dollars; (X) nongaming vendor, two hundred fifty dollars; (Y)  
276 gaming services, five hundred dollars; and (Z) gaming affiliate, two  
277 hundred fifty dollars. For the purposes of this subdivision,  
278 "concessionaire affiliate" means a business organization, other than a  
279 shareholder in a publicly traded corporation, that may exercise control  
280 in or over a concessionaire; and "concessionaire" means any individual  
281 or business organization granted the right to operate an activity at a  
282 dog race track or off-track betting facility for the purpose of making a  
283 profit that receives or, in the exercise of reasonable business judgment,  
284 can be expected to receive more than twenty-five thousand dollars or  
285 twenty-five per cent of its gross annual receipts from such activity at  
286 such track or facility.

287 (b) The commissioner shall require each applicant for a license  
288 under subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of this section to submit to state

289 and national criminal history records checks before such license is  
290 issued. The criminal history records checks required pursuant to this  
291 subsection shall be conducted in accordance with section 29-17a.

292 Sec. 11. Section 53-278g of the general statutes is repealed and the  
293 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

294 (a) Nothing in sections 53-278a to [53-278g] 53-278f, inclusive, shall  
295 be construed to prohibit the publication of an advertisement of, or the  
296 operation of, or participation in, a state lottery, pari-mutuel betting at  
297 race tracks licensed by the state, off-track betting conducted by the  
298 state or a licensee authorized to operate the off-track betting system,  
299 authorized games at a casino gaming facility, a promotional drawing  
300 for a prize or prizes, conducted for advertising purposes by any  
301 person, firm or corporation other than a retail grocer or retail grocery  
302 chain, wherein members of the general public may participate without  
303 making any purchase or otherwise paying or risking credit, money, or  
304 any other tangible thing of value or a sweepstakes conducted pursuant  
305 to sections 42-295 to 42-301, inclusive.

306 (b) The Mashantucket Pequot tribe and the Mohegan Tribe of  
307 Indians of Connecticut, or their agents, may use and possess at any  
308 location within the state, solely for the purpose of training individuals  
309 in skills required for employment by the tribe or testing a gambling  
310 device, any gambling device which the tribes are authorized to utilize  
311 on their reservations pursuant to the federal Indian Gaming  
312 Regulatory Act; provided no money or other thing of value shall be  
313 paid to any person as a result of the operation of such gambling device  
314 in the course of such training or testing at locations outside of the  
315 reservation of the tribe. Any person receiving such training or testing  
316 such device may use any such device in the course of such training or  
317 testing. Whenever either of said tribes intends to use and possess at  
318 any location within the state any such gambling device for the purpose  
319 of testing such device, the tribe shall give prior notice of such testing to  
320 the Department of Consumer Protection.

321 (c) Any casino gaming facility, or its agents, may use and possess at  
322 any location within the state, solely for the purpose of training  
323 individuals in skills required for employment by the casino gaming  
324 facility or testing a gambling facility, any gambling device which the  
325 casino gaming facility may use for conducting authorized games at the  
326 casino gaming facility, provided no money or other thing of value shall  
327 be paid to any person as a result of the operation of such gambling  
328 device in the course of such training or testing at locations outside of  
329 the casino gaming facility. Any person receiving such training or  
330 testing such device may use any such device in the course of such  
331 training or testing. Whenever a casino gaming facility intends to use  
332 and possess at any location within the state any such gambling device  
333 for the purpose of testing such device, the casino gambling facility  
334 shall give prior notice of such testing to the Department of Consumer  
335 Protection.

336 Sec. 12. Subsection (a) of section 30-37k of the general statutes is  
337 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
338 *passage*):

339 (a) As used in this section and subsection (a) of section 30-91: (1)  
340 "Casino" means the premises within which a gaming facility is  
341 operated with other facilities, including, but not limited to, restaurants,  
342 hotels, nightclubs, bingo halls or convention centers; and (2) "gaming  
343 facility" means a room or rooms within which class III gaming, as  
344 defined in the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, P.L. 100-497, 25 USC  
345 2701, et seq., or an authorized game, as defined in section 12-557b, as  
346 amended by this act, is legally conducted.

347 Sec. 13. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) For the purposes of this  
348 section and section 14 of this act:

349 (1) "Authorized games" means any game of chance, including, but  
350 not limited to, blackjack, poker, dice, money-wheels, roulette, baccarat,  
351 chuck-a-luck, pan game, over and under, horse race game, acey-deucey,

352 beat the dealer, bouncing ball, video slot machines and any other game  
353 of chance authorized by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection;

354 (2) "Mashantucket Pequot compact" means the Tribal-State Compact  
355 between the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the state of Connecticut,  
356 as incorporated and amended in the Final Mashantucket Pequot  
357 Gaming Procedures prescribed by the Secretary of the United States  
358 Department of the Interior pursuant to Section 2710(d)(7)(B)(vii) of  
359 Title 25 of the United States Code and published in 56 Federal Register  
360 24996 (May 31, 1991);

361 (3) "MMCT Venture, LLC" means a limited liability company  
362 described in subsection (d) of this section; and

363 (4) "Mohegan compact" means the Tribal-State Compact between  
364 the Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut and the state of  
365 Connecticut, dated May 17, 1994.

366 (b) MMCT Venture, LLC, is authorized to conduct authorized  
367 games at a casino gaming facility at 171 Bridge Street, East Windsor,  
368 Connecticut.

369 (c) Such authorization shall not be effective until the Governor  
370 enters into an amendment to the Mashantucket Pequot compact with  
371 the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and an amendment to the Mohegan  
372 compact with the Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut concerning  
373 the operation of a casino gaming facility in the state and each  
374 amendment is approved by the General Assembly pursuant to section  
375 3-6c of the general statutes and by the Secretary of the United States  
376 Department of the Interior pursuant to 25 CFR 291.14 and 25 CFR  
377 293.4, respectively.

378 (d) Such authorization shall apply to MMCT Venture, LLC,  
379 provided MMCT Venture, LLC, is a limited liability company jointly  
380 and exclusively owned by the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the  
381 Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut. No other person or business

382 organization may hold an equity interest in MMCT Venture, LLC.  
383 Each tribe shall hold at least a twenty-five per cent equity interest in  
384 MMCT Venture, LLC. Such authorization may not be transferred to  
385 any other person or business organization except with the approval of  
386 the General Assembly. Any purported transfer of such authorization  
387 shall not permit the transferee to operate a casino gaming facility. If  
388 MMCT Venture, LLC, ceases to be a limited liability company jointly  
389 and exclusively owned by the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the  
390 Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut, such authorization shall  
391 become void.

392       Sec. 14. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) For the purposes of this  
393 section, "gross gaming revenue" has the same meaning as provided in  
394 section 12-557b of the general statutes, as amended by this act.

395       (b) Within thirty days of the effective date of the authorization of  
396 MMCT Venture, LLC, to conduct authorized games at a casino gaming  
397 facility pursuant to section 13 of this act, MMCT Venture, LLC, shall  
398 pay to the state one million dollars to provide for the costs to be  
399 incurred by the state to regulate the casino gaming facility. Such  
400 money shall be credited against unpaid required payments pursuant to  
401 subsection (c) of this section for the first full calendar year in which the  
402 casino gaming facility is conducting authorized games.

403       (c) Not later than one month after the casino gaming facility is  
404 operational and on a monthly basis thereafter, MMCT Venture, LLC,  
405 shall pay to the state (1) twenty-five per cent of the gross gaming  
406 revenue from the operation of video slot machines at the casino  
407 gaming facility, and (2) twenty-five per cent of the gross gaming  
408 revenue from the operation of all other authorized games at the casino  
409 gaming facility, fifteen per cent of which shall be deposited into the  
410 state-wide tourism marketing account, established pursuant to section  
411 10-395a of the general statutes.

412       (d) Not later than the date the casino gaming facility is operational

413 and on an annual basis thereafter, MMCT Venture, LLC, shall  
414 contribute three hundred thousand dollars to the Connecticut Council  
415 on Problem Gambling.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	12-557b
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 3	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 4	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 5	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 6	<i>from passage</i>	12-561
Sec. 7	<i>from passage</i>	12-562(a)
Sec. 8	<i>from passage</i>	12-563a
Sec. 9	<i>from passage</i>	12-577
Sec. 10	<i>from passage</i>	12-578
Sec. 11	<i>from passage</i>	53-278g
Sec. 12	<i>from passage</i>	30-37k(a)
Sec. 13	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 14	<i>from passage</i>	New section

**Statement of Purpose:**

To (1) regulate the operation of a casino gaming facility in Connecticut, and (2) authorize MMCT Venture, LLC, to operate a casino gaming facility in Connecticut subject to certain conditions.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*