



General Assembly

**Substitute Bill No. 140**

February Session, 2022



**AN ACT CONCERNING STUDIES OF THE EFFECT OF LEGALIZED GAMBLING IN THE STATE.**

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

1 Section 1. Section 12-564 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) The commissioner shall make an annual report in writing to the  
4 Governor as provided in section 4-60 and shall make such additional  
5 reports as the Governor may from time to time reasonably request. The  
6 annual report shall include a statement of the receipts and  
7 disbursements of the department, a statement of the costs of  
8 administering the department, a summary of [its] the department's  
9 activities, and any additional information and recommendations which  
10 the commissioner may deem of value or which the Governor may  
11 request.

12 (b) [The] Not later than February 1, 2023, and every ten years  
13 thereafter, and at such other times as the commissioner deems  
14 necessary, the commissioner shall conduct [studies] a study concerning  
15 the effect of legalized gambling on the citizens of this state. [including,]  
16 The study shall include, but need not be limited to, [studies to  
17 determine] an examination of the types of gambling activity engaged in  
18 by the public and the desirability of expanding, maintaining or reducing

