HOUSE BILL NO. 17

INTRODUCED BY D. BROWN

IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 9, 1992 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS. FIRST READING. JANUARY 10, 1992 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED. PRINTING REPORT. SECOND READING, DO PASS AS AMENDED. ENGROSSING REPORT. THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 77; NOES, 20. JANUARY 13, 1992 TRANSMITTED TO SENATE. IN THE SENATE JANUARY 13, 1992 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & CLAIMS. FIRST READING. JANUARY 14, 1992 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED. SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN. THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 33; NOES, 16.

IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 15, 1992 RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SECOND READING, AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN.

RETURNED TO HOUSE WITH AMENDMENTS.

THIRD READING, AMENDMENTS

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SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 23-5-306, MCA, is amended to read:

disposition of fees. (1) A person who has been granted an operator's license under 23-5-177 and a license to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises may be granted an annual permit for the placement of live card game tables. If one or more live card game tables were legally operated on a premises on January 15, 1989, and the premises were not on that date licensed under 16-4-401(2) but were licensed on that date to sell food, cigarettes, or any other consumable product, an operator's license and an annual permit for the placement of live card game tables may be granted to the person who legally operated the premises on January 15, 1989.

(2) The annual permit fee in lieu of taxes for each live card game table operated in a licensed operator's

premises may not be prorated and must be:

- (a) \$250 for the first table; and
- 3 (b) \$500 for each additional table.
- (3) The department shall retain for administrative purposes \$100 of the fee collected under this part for each live card game table.
- (4) The Except as provided in subsection (5), the department shall forward on a quarterly basis the remaining balance of the fee collected under subsection (2) to the 10 treasurer of the county or the clerk, finance officer, or 11 treasurer of the city or town in which the live card game 12 table is located for deposit to the county or municipal 13 treasury. A county is not entitled to proceeds from fees 14 assessed on live card game tables located in incorporated 15 cities and towns within the county. The local government 16 portion of this fee is statutorily appropriated to the 17 department, as provided in 17-7-502, for deposit to the 18 county or municipal treasury.
- 19 (5) On or before June 30, 1992, the department shall
 20 transfer \$190,000 to the general fund from the account
 21 funded by this section."
- NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date -- termination.
- 23 [This act] is effective on passage and approval and
- 24 terminates July 1, 1992.

-End-



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STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for HB0017, as introduced.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

An act transferring to the general fund \$190,000 from the gambling license fee account; and providing an immediate effective date and a termination date.

FISCAL IMPACT:

- 1. The proposal transfers \$190,000 in FY92 to the general fund from the gambling license fee account.
- 2. Current appropriated expenditures exceed the revenue into this account. The transfer will leave a projected FY93 ending balance of \$3,700 and will result in a need to either increase gambling license fees or cut current level operations during the 1993 Legislative Session.

STEVE YEAKEL, BUDGET DIRECTOR DAT

Office of Budget and Program Planning

DAVE BROWN, PRIMARY SPONSOR

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Fiscal Note for HB0017, as introduced

HB 17

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

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- 20 (5) On or-before-June--307--1992 JUNE 30, 1993, the
 21 department shall transfer \$1907000 to the general fund THE
 22 REMAINING CASH BALANCE from the account funded by this
 23 section."
- NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date -- termination.
- 5 [This act] is effective on passage and approval and

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terminates July 1, 1992.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Page 1 of 1 January 14, 1992

MR. PRESIDENT:

We, your committee on Finance and Claims having had under consideration House Bill No. 17 (third reading copy -- blue), respectfully report that House Bill No. 17 be amended and as so amended be concurred in:

1. Title, line 5.
Following: "Remaining"
Strike: "Cash"
Insert: "Fund"

2. Page 2, line 22..
Following: "Remaining"
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Insert: "Fund"

Signed:

Judy H. Jacobson, Chair

md. Coord.

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