



RACING AND GAMING AMENDMENT ACT 1987

No. 39 of 1987

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AN ACT to amend the Racing and Gaming Act 1952.

[Royal Assent 8 May 1987]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—This Act may be cited as the *Racing and Gaming* Short title.
Amendment Act 1987.

2—This Act shall be deemed to have commenced on 6th Commencement.
April 1987.

Principal Act.

3—In this Act, the *Racing and Gaming Act 1952** is referred to as the Principal Act.

Amendment of
section 3 of
Principal Act
(Interpretation).

4—Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting the following definition after the definition of “horse-racing club”:
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“lottery” means a scheme or device for the distribution of prizes by way of sale, gift, or otherwise where—

(a) the prizes consist of a right to a benefit or thing, whether the benefit or thing is real or personal; and

(b) the distribution involves an element of chance for which a payment or other consideration is made or given,

but excludes such a scheme or device for the promotion of business in which the payment or other consideration is, in the opinion of the Commission, equivalent to the prevailing market price for the right to a benefit or thing the purchase of which is the consideration for the opportunity to participate in such a distribution;

*No. 98 of 1952. For this Act, as amended to 1975, see Appendix D to the Annual Volume of Statutes for 1974. Subsequently amended by No. 71 of 1975, No. 85 of 1976, No. 104 of 1977, No. 54 of 1978, Nos. 19 and 73 of 1979, No. 90 of 1980, Nos. 9, 10, and 99 of 1982, Nos. 40 and 83 of 1983, Nos. 29 and 36 of 1984, Nos. 51, 89, and 123 of 1985, Nos. 13 and 31 of 1986, and S.R. 1983, No. 217.