

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0156

Simulcasting of pari-mutuel events.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Martin, Edwards, Gilmore,
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Semlek and Senator(s) Schiffer

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to pari-mutuel wagering; distinguishing
2 between live and simulcast racing in definitions;
3 redefining simulcasting; and providing for an effective
4 date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 11-25-102(a)(vi) and (vii)(intro) is
9 amended to read:

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11 **11-25-102. Definitions.**

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13 (a) As used in this act:

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15 (vi) "Pari-mutuel wagering" means wagering on
16 the outcome of pari-mutuel events in which those who wager

1 purchase tickets of various denominations on entrants in
2 the events and all wagers for each event are pooled and
3 held by the permittee for distribution, and when the
4 outcome of the event has been decided, the permittee
5 distributes the total wagers comprising the pool, less an
6 amount not greater than twenty-five and nine-tenths percent
7 (25.90%) for live racing and not to exceed the percentage
8 allowed at the host track in the event of simulcasting and
9 less the amount for breakage to holders of tickets on the
10 winning entries;

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12 (vii) "Simulcasting" means the sale of pari-
13 mutuel pools on electronically transmitted live or historic
14 interstate or intrastate ~~televised~~ pari-mutuel events as
15 prescribed by the commission. The commission shall
16 authorize simulcasting subject to the following conditions:

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18 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon
19 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
20 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
21 Constitution.

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23 (END)