

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1192
(Representatives Frelich, Bahl, Grueneich, J. Johnson, Wagner)
(Senators Burckhard, Klein, Meyer)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subdivision a of subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the limitation on the value of a primary prize a permitted organization conducting gaming may award.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subdivision a of subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- a. An organization recognized as a public-spirited organization by the governing body of a city or county may apply for permits. A local permit may allow the organization to conduct only raffles, bingo, or sports pools. A restricted event permit may allow the organization to conduct only raffles, bingo, sports pools, paddlewheels, twenty-one, and poker. The organization or closely related organizations as a whole may only award a primary prize that does not exceed ~~eighty~~eighty-five thousand dollars and total prizes of all games do not exceed ~~forty~~fifty thousand dollars per year. These maximum prize amounts do not apply to raffles conducted under chapter 20.1-08. The determination of what is a "public-spirited organization" is within the sole discretion of the governing body. An organization shall disclose on the application its intended use of the net income from the gaming activity. A governing body may issue a permit for games to be held at designated times and places.

Rob Weig
Speaker of the House

Michelle Strieder
President of the Senate

Bruce F. Reich
Chief Clerk of the House

David Meyer
Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1192.

House Vote: Yeas 88 Nays 3 Absent 3

Senate Vote: Yeas 38 Nays 7 Absent 2

Bruce F. Reich
Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at 2:38 P M. on March 14, 2025.

Approved at 4:01 P M. on March 17, 2025.

[Signature]
Governor

Filed in this office this 18th day of March, 2025,

at 2:23 o'clock P M.

Michael Howe
Secretary of State