STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 25, 2021

Introduced by Sen. KENNEDY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Investigations and Government Operations

AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to the disposition of revenue from the lottery prize account

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Paragraphs 3 and 4 of subdivision a of section 1612 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 174 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as follows:

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- (3) [fifty five] forty-five percent of the total amount for which tickets have been sold for any joint, multi-jurisdiction, and out-of-state lottery except as otherwise provided in paragraph one of subdivision b of this section for any joint, multi-jurisdiction, out-of-state video lottery gaming; or
- 9 (4) [fifty] thirty-five percent of the total amount for which tickets 10 have been sold for games known as: (A) the "Daily Numbers Game" or "Win 4", discrete games in which the participants select no more than three 11 12 or four of their own numbers to match with three or four numbers drawn 13 by the division for purposes of determining winners of such games, (B) "Pick 10", offered no more than once daily, in which participants select from a specified field of numbers a subset of ten numbers to match against a subset of numbers to be drawn by the division from such field 16 of numbers for the purpose of determining winners of such game, (C) 17 "Take 5", offered no more than once daily, in which participants select 18 from a specified field of numbers a subset of five numbers to match 19 against a subset of five numbers to be drawn by the division from such 21 field of numbers for purposes of determining winners of such game; or
- § 2. The opening paragraph of paragraph 1 of subdivision b of section 1612 of the tax law, as amended by section 2 of subpart D of part DD of 24 chapter 59 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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Notwithstanding section one hundred twenty-one of the state finance law, on or before the twentieth day of each month, the commission shall pay into the state treasury, to the credit of the state lottery fund created by section ninety-two-c of the state finance law, not less than [forty five] fifty percent of the total amount for which tickets have been sold for games defined in paragraph five of subdivision a of this section during the preceding month, not less than $[\frac{forty-five}{fifty}]$ percent of the total amount for which tickets have be sold for games 9 defined in paragraph four of subdivision a of this section during the 10 preceding month, not less than thirty-five percent of the total amount 11 for which tickets have been sold for games defined in paragraph three of subdivision a of this section during the preceding month, not less than 12 13 [twenty and three-fourths] forty percent of the total amount for which 14 tickets have been sold for games defined in paragraph two of subdivision 15 a of this section during the preceding month, provided however that for 16 games with a prize payout of seventy-four and one-fourth percent of the 17 total amount for which tickets have been sold, the commission shall pay not less than ten and three-fourths percent of sales into the state 18 treasury and not less than twenty-five percent of the total amount for 19 20 which tickets have been sold for games defined in paragraph one of 21 subdivision a of this section during the preceding month; and the 22 balance of the total revenue after payout for prizes for games known as "video lottery gaming," including any joint, multi-jurisdiction, and 23 24 out-of-state video lottery gaming,

25 § 3. This act shall take effect on the first of October next succeed-26 ing the date on which it shall have become a law.