STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 4, 2023

Introduced by Sen. STEC -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Racing, Gaming and Wagering

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to allowing an authorized organization to receive a license to hold a game of chance on Easter Sunday and Christmas Day

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

Section 1. Section 195 of the general municipal law, as amended by chapter 461 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:

§ 195. Sunday; conduct of games on. Except as provided in section one hundred ninety-five-b of this article, no games of chance shall be conducted under any license issued under this article on the first day of the week, commonly known and designated as Sunday, unless it shall be otherwise provided in the license issued for the conducting thereof, pursuant to the provisions of a local law or an ordinance duly adopted by the governing body of the municipality wherein the license is issued, authorizing the conduct of games of chance under this article on that day [~~only between the hours of noon and midnight. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section no games of chance shall be conducted on Easter Sunday or Christmas Day~~].

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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