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6 SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, lotteries and gift enterprises are prohibited by Section 65 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901.

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9 This bill proposes an amendment to Section
10 65 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 to
11 establish an Alabama Lottery and the Alabama
12 Lottery Corporation; to authorize and regulate
13 gaming by the entities currently licensed to
14 conduct pari-mutuel wagering at the four existing
15 racetracks in Alabama where pari-mutuel wagering is
16 currently legal; to levy a state gross receipts tax
17 and a local gross receipts tax on gaming revenue of
18 the racetracks; to levy a tax on vendors of gaming
19 equipment; to provide for the disposition of
20 lottery proceeds and state gaming tax proceeds; to
21 create the Alabama Lottery and Gaming Commission to
22 implement, regulate, and administer gaming and
23 regulate and supervise the Alabama Lottery and
24 Alabama Lottery Corporation; to authorize the
25 Governor to negotiate a compact for gaming with the
26 Poarch Band of Creek Indians; and to require the
27 Legislature to pass general laws to implement the
28 amendment.
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