

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB3970

Introduced 1/8/2020, by Rep. Deb Conroy

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

230 ILCS 45/25-60

Amends the Sports Wagering Act. Provides that a supplier or vendor authorized by a sports governing body or sports league, organization, or association to distribute tier 2 official league data is not required to obtain a tier 2 official league data provider license if that supplier or vendor already holds a supplier license or if that supplier or vendor has been granted a temporary or conditional authorization to offer any of its services as a supplier licensee.

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1 AN ACT concerning gaming.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Sports Wagering Act is amended by changing
- 5 Section 25-60 as follows:
- 6 (230 ILCS 45/25-60)
- 7 Sec. 25-60. Tier 2 official league data provider license.
- 8 (a) A sports governing body or a sports league,
- 9 organization, or association or a vendor authorized by such
- 10 sports governing body or sports league, organization, or
- 11 association to distribute tier 2 official league data may apply
- 12 to the Board for a tier 2 official league data provider
- 13 license.
- 14 (b) A tier 2 official league data provider licensee may
- provide a master sports wagering licensee with official league
- data for tier 2 sports wagers. No sports governing body or
- 17 sports league, organization, or association or a vendor
- authorized by such sports governing body or sports league,
- organization, or association may provide tier 2 official league
- 20 data to a master sports wagering licensee without a tier 2
- 21 official league data provider license.
- 22 Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section, the
- 23 licensing and fee requirements of this Section shall not apply

- 1 if, under subsection (g) of Section 25-25, master sports
- 2 wagering licensees are not required to use official league data
- 3 to determine the results of tier 2 sports wagers.
- 4 (c) The initial license fee for a tier 2 official league
- 5 data provider license is payable to the Board at the end of the
- 6 first year of licensure based on the amount of data sold to
- 7 master sports wagering licensees as official league data as
- 8 follows:
- 9 (1) for data sales up to and including \$500,000, the
- 10 fee is \$30,000;
- 11 (2) for data sales in excess of \$500,000 and up to and
- 12 including \$750,000, the fee is \$60,000;
- 13 (3) for data sales in excess of \$750,000 and up to and
- 14 including \$1,000,000, the fee is \$125,000;
- 15 (4) for data sales in excess of \$1,000,000 and up to
- and including \$1,500,000, the fee is \$250,000;
- 17 (5) for data sales in excess of \$1,500,000 and up to
- 18 and including \$2,000,000, the fee is \$375,000; and
- 19 (6) for data sales in excess of \$2,000,000, the fee is
- 20 \$500,000.
- 21 The license is valid for 3 years.
- 22 (d) The tier 2 official league data provider licensee may
- renew the license for 3 years by paying a renewal fee to the
- 24 Board based on the amount of data sold to master sports
- 25 wagering licensees as official league data in the immediately
- 26 preceding year as provided in paragraphs (1) through (6) of

- 1 subsection (c).
- 2 (e) A supplier or vendor authorized by a sports governing
- 3 body or sports league, organization, or association to
- 4 distribute tier 2 official league data is not required to
- 5 obtain a tier 2 official league data provider license if that
- 6 supplier or vendor already holds a supplier license under
- 7 <u>Section 25-50 or if that supplier or vendor has been granted a</u>
- 8 temporary or conditional authorization to offer any of its
- 9 <u>services as a supplier licensee under Section 25-50.</u>
- 10 (Source: P.A. 101-31, eff. 6-28-19.)