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LEGISLATIVE BILL 979

Final Reading

Introduced by Lambert, 2. Read first time January 12, 2012 Committee: General Affairs

A BILL

1	FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Pickle Card Lottery Act; to amend
2	section 9-326, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to
3	change provisions relating to requirements for licensure;
4	and to repeal the original section.

5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 9-326, Reissue Revised Statutes of 2 Nebraska, is amended to read: 3 9-326 (1) Any nonprofit organization holding а certificate of exemption under section 501(c)(3), (c)(4), (c)(5), (c) 4 5 (7), (c)(8), (c)(10), or (c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code or any volunteer fire company or volunteer first-aid, rescue, ambulance, or б 7 emergency squad may apply for a license to conduct a lottery by the 8 sale of pickle cards. (2) Prior to applying for any license, an organization 9 10 shall: 11 (a) Be incorporated in this state as a not-for-profit 12 corporation or organized in this state as a religious or not-for-13 profit organization. For purposes of this subsection, a domesticated foreign corporation shall not be considered incorporated in this 14 state as a not-for-profit corporation; 15 (b) Conduct activities within this state in addition to 16 the conduct of lottery by the sale of pickle cards; 17 (c) Be authorized by its constitution, articles, charter, 18 19 or bylaws to further in this state a lawful purpose; 20 (d) Operate without profit to its members, and no part of the net earnings of such organization shall inure to the benefit of 21 any private shareholder or individual; and 22 23 (e) With the exception of a volunteer fire company, a or volunteer first-aid, rescue, ambulance, or emergency squad, or a not-24 for-profit corporation whose primary purpose is to support a 25

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volunteer fire company, first-aid squad, rescue squad, ambulance 1 2 squad, or emergency squad, have been in existence in this state for 3 five years immediately preceding its application for a license and 4 have had during that five-year period a bona fide membership actively 5 engaged in furthering a lawful purpose. A society defined in section б 21-608 which is chartered in Nebraska under a state, grand, supreme, 7 national, or other governing body may use the charter date of its 8 parent organization to satisfy such five-year requirement.

9 Sec. 2. Original section 9-326, Reissue Revised Statutes
10 of Nebraska, is repealed.