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HOUSE BILL 97: 2015 Appropriations Act, Sec. 5.2(c)-(e): Education Lottery Funds/Expenses of the Lottery/Limit on Regional Offices

Committee:

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Analysis of: Secs. 5.2(c) through (e) of S.L. 2015-241

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SUMMARY: *Secs 5.2(c) through (e) of S.L. 2015-241 make the following changes to the North Carolina State Lottery Act:*

- *Establishes an annual transfer of \$2.1 million to the Department of Public Safety, Alcohol Law Enforcement Branch for gambling enforcement activities, and classifies this transfer as an expense of the Lottery.*
- *Limits the number of regional offices operated by the Lottery Commission (Commission) to no more than seven.*
- *Prohibits the Commission and lottery game retailers from accepting any form of public assistance funds for ticket purchases or game play.*

This provision also directs the Commission to adopt any rules necessary to implement these changes.

These sections became effective July 1, 2015.

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