

HB 239 -- SWEEPSTAKES TERMINAL DEVICES

SPONSOR: Davis

This bill allows any charitable organization as specified in the bill to sponsor raffles and sweepstakes under Article III, Section 39(f) of the Missouri Constitution. A sweepstakes may be conducted by sweepstakes terminal devices if they are located on the premises of a charitable organization. A sweepstakes may offer chances to win in proportion to contributions made to the charity if an alternative method of entry is available where a person can obtain a chance to win without providing anything of value in return for the right to participate. The terminal device may display the prizes awarded by the sweepstakes through simulated casino-type games, but the simulations must be for entertainment purposes only and cannot have an effect on the chances to win.