

JAMAICA

No. 20 – 2017

I assent,

[L.S.]

Sgt P. L. Allen
Governor-General.

4th day of August 2017

AN ACT to Amend the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act.

[4th August 2017]

BE IT ENACTED by The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Representatives of Jamaica, and by the authority of the same as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries (Amendment) Act, 2017, and shall be read and construed as one with the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act (hereinafter referred to as the “principal Act”) and all amendments thereto.

Short title
and
construction

Amendment of sections 31A and 33 of principal Act

2. Sections 31A(2)(b) and 33(2)(b) of the principal Act are amended by deleting the words “CHASE FUND” and substituting therefor in each case the words “Collector of Taxes, by the 7th day of each month”.

Amendment of section 44A of principal Act

3. Section 44A of the principal Act is amended in subsection (4)(d) by deleting—

- (a) the words “to the Fund” and substituting therefor the words “to the Collector”;
- (b) the words “a contribution for the benefit of the Fund established under section 59F” and substituting therefor the words “a fee”.

Amendment of section 49 of principal Act

4. Section 49 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (3) by deleting the words “, for the benefit of the Fund established under section 59F, monetary contributions” and substituting therefor the words “to the Collector of Taxes a fee”.

Amendment of section 59F of principal Act

5. Section 59F of the principal Act is amended by deleting subsection (3) and substituting therefor the following—

- “ (3) The moneys of the Fund shall consist of such sums as may be provided by Parliament, for the Fund, in the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure.”.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 11th day of July, 2017.

PEARNEL CHARLES

Speaker.

Passed in the Senate this 20th day of July, 2017.

KAVAN A. GAYLE

Acting President.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the authenticated impression of the foregoing Act, and has been found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Act.

Valrie A. Curtis
Clerk to the Houses of Parliament.