

# **NATIONAL LOTTERY ACT 1999**

(Chapter 6)

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## **AN ACT**

**to authorize the promotion of the National Lottery in the Island; to enable the application to the Island of the National Lottery etc. Act 1993 (an Act of Parliament) and associated legislation; to amend legislation relating to lotteries; and for connected purposes.**

### **1 National lottery**

(1) A lottery that forms part of the National Lottery under the National Lottery etc. Act 1993 (an Act of Parliament) is not an unlawful lottery if it is designated in an order made by the Treasury.

(2) An order under subsection (1) may direct that a specified proportion of any excise duty received in respect of the taking in the Island of a ticket or chance in the National Lottery shall be paid to the Public Lottery Trust for the purposes of that trust.

(3) Where an order under subsection (1) includes a direction under subsection (2), section 11(1) of the Customs and Excise Management Act 1986 (excise, etc. duties to form part of the General Revenue) shall not apply in respect of the proportion of excise duty specified in the order.

(4) An order under subsection (1) shall not come into operation unless it is approved by Tynwald.

### **2 Application to the Island of enactments relating to the National Lottery**

(1) The Treasury may by order apply to the Island as part of the law of the Island, subject to such exceptions, adaptations and modifications as may be specified in the order, any provision of United Kingdom lotteries legislation.

(2) An order under this section may modify any enactment (other than an enactment in this Act) which is inconsistent with, or is unnecessary or requires modification in consequence of-

- (a) any United Kingdom lotteries legislation applied to the Island by the order;
- (b) the order.

(3) In this section 'United Kingdom lotteries legislation' means-

- (a) the National Lottery etc. Act 1993 (an Act of Parliament);
- (b) the National Lottery Act 1998 (an Act of Parliament);
- (c) any Act of Parliament, or instrument of a legislative character made under an Act of Parliament, replacing or modifying, directly or indirectly, the Acts specified in paragraphs (a) and (b);
- (d) any Act of Parliament, or instrument of a legislative character made under an Act of Parliament, relating to the National Lottery; or
- (e) any instrument of a legislative character made, or having effect as if made, under any of the Acts or instruments mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (d).

(4) An order under this section may do all or any of the following-

- (a) specify the exceptions, adaptations and modifications subject to which the United Kingdom lotteries legislation applies to the Island;
- (b) set out the United Kingdom lotteries legislation applied by the order, incorporating the exceptions, adaptations and modifications subject to which it applies to the Island;
- (c) in the case of an order applying United Kingdom lotteries legislation which amends previous legislation of the United Kingdom applied to the Island, set out the previous legislation so applied as amended, incorporating the exceptions, adaptations and modifications subject to which that legislation applies to the Island.

(5) An order under this section shall be laid before Tynwald as soon as is practicable after it is made (and in any case not later than the second sitting of Tynwald following the making of the order) and if at the sitting at which it is laid Tynwald fails to approve the order it shall cease to have effect.

(6) Subject to subsection (7), an order under this section shall have annexed to it a text of the legislation applied by the order, incorporating the exceptions, adaptations and modifications specified in the order.

(7) Subsection (6) shall not apply in respect of an order setting out the relevant United Kingdom lotteries legislation in accordance with subsection (4)(b) or (c).

**3 (1)(a) [Amends section 1(2)(a) of the Gaming, Betting and Lotteries Act 1988, by inserting 'or it is a lottery which is designated under section 1 of the National Lottery Act 1999' after '32,']**

(b) [Amends section 29(2) of the Gaming, Betting and Lotteries Act 1988, by inserting paragraph (aa).]

(2) [Amends section 37(2) of the Licensing Act 1995, by inserting paragraph (aa).]

#### **4 Short title and commencement**

(1) This Act may be cited as the National Lottery Act 1999.

(2) This Act shall come into force on such day as the Treasury may by order appoint and different days may be appointed for different provisions and for different purposes.

**[ADO (whole Act) 13/10/1999 (SD599/99).]**

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