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HOUSE BILL NO. 264

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MERIDETH.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 313.300, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to unclaimed lottery prizes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 313.300, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 313.300, to read as follows:

313.300. **1.** Unclaimed prize money shall be retained by the commission for the person entitled thereto for one hundred eighty days after the time at which the prize was awarded. If no claim is made for the prize within one hundred eighty days, the prize money shall be ~~reverted to the state lottery~~ **deposited into the after school programs special fund as provided in this section.**

2. (1) There is hereby created in the state treasury the "After School Programs Special Fund", which shall consist of moneys deposited under this section. The state treasurer shall be custodian of the fund. In accordance with sections 30.170 and 30.180, the state treasurer may approve disbursements. The fund shall be a dedicated fund and, upon appropriation, moneys in the fund shall be used solely as provided in this section.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 to the contrary, any moneys remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium shall not revert to the credit of the general revenue fund.

(3) The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the fund in the same manner as other funds are invested. Any interest and moneys earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

17 **3. Upon appropriation, moneys in the after school programs special fund shall be**
18 **used to supplement, not supplant, nonlottery educational resources for after-school**
19 **educational programs and purposes, and shall be distributed to eligible programs by the**
20 **department of elementary and secondary education. To be eligible for any moneys**
21 **distributed under this subsection, a program shall be a public or nonprofit after-school**
22 **program focused on academics that serves children five years of age or older and under**
23 **nineteen years of age. The department shall give priority to any program that serves**
24 **geographic areas of high need as described in section 161.215 or that enrolls high-need**
25 **children as described in section 162.974 if at least eighty percent of the children enrolled**
26 **in the program are high-need children.**

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