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99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 2/11/2015, by Sen. Julie A. Morrison

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/28-7	from Ch. 38, par. 28-7

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning gambling contracts.

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A BILL FOR

1   AN ACT concerning criminal law.

2   **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**

3   **represented in the General Assembly:**

4   Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by changing

5   Section 28-7 as follows:

6   (720 ILCS 5/28-7) (from Ch. 38, par. 28-7)

7   Sec. 28-7. Gambling contracts void.

8   (a) All promises, notes, bills, bonds, covenants,

9   contracts, agreements, judgments, mortgages, or other

10   securities or conveyances made, given, granted, drawn, or

11   entered into, or executed by any person whatsoever, where the

12   ~~the~~ whole or any part of the consideration thereof is for any

13   money or thing of value, won or obtained in violation of any

14   Section of this Article are null and void.

15   (b) Any obligation void under this Section may be set aside

16   and vacated by any court of competent jurisdiction, upon a

17   complaint filed for that purpose, by the person so granting,

18   giving, entering into, or executing the same, or by his

19   executors or administrators, or by any creditor, heir, legatee,

20   purchaser or other person interested therein; or if a judgment,

21   the same may be set aside on motion of any person stated above,

22   on due notice thereof given.

23   (c) No assignment of any obligation void under this Section

1   may in any manner affect the defense of the person giving,

2   granting, drawing, entering into or executing such obligation,

3   or the remedies of any person interested therein.

4   (d) This Section shall not prevent a licensed owner of a

5   riverboat gambling operation from instituting a cause of action

6   to collect any amount due and owing under an extension of

7   credit to a riverboat gambling patron as authorized under the

8   Riverboat Gambling Act.

9   (Source: P.A. 87-826.)