

Chapter 19

WESTERN CANADA LOTTERY ACT

(Assented to December 8, 2009)

The Commissioner of Nunavut, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly, enacts as follows:

INTERPRETATION

Definition

1. In this Act, "Western Canada Lottery Corporation" means the Western Canada Lottery Corporation, a non-profit corporation incorporated under Part II of the *Canada Corporations Act*, R.S.C. 1970, c. C-32, to conduct the Western Canada Lottery.

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Agreements

2. The Minister, on behalf of the Government of Nunavut, may, for the purpose of undertaking, organizing, conducting and managing the Western Canada Lottery in Nunavut, enter into agreements with one or more of the following:

- (a) the governments of the provinces and territories that conduct the Western Canada Lottery;
- (b) the Western Canada Lottery Corporation, or any other corporation established to conduct the Western Canada Lottery.

Implementing agreements

3. The Minister may do every act, exercise every power and carry out every duty for the purpose of implementing the obligations assumed by the Government of Nunavut under an agreement entered into under section 2.

Profits

4. The profits accruing to the Government of Nunavut from the Western Canada Lottery shall be used for the purpose of promoting sport and recreational opportunities for Nunavummiut.

Annual report

5. The Minister shall table an annual report before the Legislative Assembly

- (a) on the operation of the Western Canada Lottery in Nunavut; and
- (b) containing any prescribed information.

REGULATIONS

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- 6.** (1) The Commissioner, on the recommendation of the Minister, may make regulations
- (a) respecting the administration and operation of the Western Canada Lottery in Nunavut;
 - (b) designating a license holder that shall be
 - (i) the territorial marketing agency for the purposes of the Western Canada Lottery, and
 - (ii) eligible to receive a license as distributor from the Western Canada Lottery Corporation;
 - (c) respecting the financial management and auditing of the license holder;
 - (d) respecting the sale of lottery tickets;
 - (e) prescribing information for the purpose of paragraph 5(b);
 - (f) establishing a Code of Conduct for sport groups and sport associations in Nunavut; and
 - (g) respecting any matter necessary for carrying out the purposes and provisions of this Act.

Non statutory instruments

(2) The Western Canada Lottery Corporation may make regulations respecting the Western Canada Lottery, and these regulations are not statutory instruments for the purpose of the *Statutory Instruments Act*.

Western Canada Lottery Regulations

7. (1) The *Western Canada Lottery Regulations*, registered under the *Statutory Instruments Act* as regulation numbered R-009-2009, are deemed to have been made under this Act and to have come into force April 1, 1999.

Western Canada Lottery Regulations, amendment

(2) The *Western Canada Lottery Regulations*, amendment, registered under the *Statutory Instruments Act* as regulation numbered R-010-2009, is deemed to have been made under this Act and to have come into force April 1, 2009.

Former regulations

(3) The *Western Canada Lottery Regulations*, R.R.N.W.T. 1990, c.W-1, as duplicated for Nunavut by section 29 of the *Nunavut Act* (Canada), and the *Western Canada Lottery Regulations*, amendment, registered under the *Statutory Instruments Act* as regulation numbered R-043-99, are deemed to have been repealed effective April 1, 1999 and July 26, 1999, respectively.

REPEAL

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8. The *Western Canada Lottery Act*, S.N.W.T. 1988, c. W-3, as amended for Nunavut by section 76.05 of the *Nunavut Act* (Canada), is deemed to have been repealed effective April 1, 1999.

COMING INTO FORCE

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9. This Act is deemed to have come into force April 1, 1999.