

**HOUSE BILL No. 2650**

By Committee on Education

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1 AN ACT establishing the school district benefit lottery game.

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3 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

4 Section 1. (a) The Kansas lottery commission shall establish an  
5 instant lottery scratch-off game designated as the school district benefit  
6 game, which shall be conducted by the Kansas lottery. Tickets for the  
7 school district benefit game established by this section shall be offered for  
8 sale year-round. The tickets for the instant lottery game authorized by this  
9 section shall clearly and prominently state on the front of such tickets that  
10 the profits derived from the game shall be used to benefit school districts  
11 in this state. The Kansas lottery commission shall adopt rules and  
12 regulations governing the establishment of the school district benefit game  
13 pursuant to K.S.A. 74-8710, and amendments thereto.

14 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 79-4801 et seq. and 74-  
15 8711, and amendments thereto, all net profits received from the sale of the  
16 school district benefit game lottery tickets, materials and games, as  
17 prescribed by rules and regulations adopted pursuant to subsection (a) of  
18 this section, shall be deposited in the school district benefit game fund.

19 (c) K.S.A. 74-8710(b), and amendments thereto, shall not apply to the  
20 school district benefit game established by this section.

21 Sec. 2. (a) There is hereby established in the state treasury the school  
22 district benefit game fund which shall be administered by the department  
23 of education. On and after July 1, 2016, all net profits received pursuant to  
24 section 1, and amendments thereto, shall be remitted to the state treasurer  
25 in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments  
26 thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall  
27 deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the school  
28 district benefit game fund. All expenditures from the school district  
29 benefit game fund shall be made in accordance with appropriation acts  
30 upon warrants of the director of accounts and reports issued pursuant to  
31 vouchers approved by the commissioner of education or the designee of  
32 the commissioner.

33 (b) The state department of education shall ensure that all  
34 expenditures from the school district benefit game fund are disbursed to all  
35 school districts. At least annually, the state department of education shall  
36 disburse the funds in the school district benefit game fund to each school

- 1 district on the basis of a school district's enrollment in the immediately
- 2 preceding school year.
- 3     Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
- 4 publication in the statute book.