

KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT FORM
2023 REGULAR SESSION
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Amend printed copy of **HB 106**

On page 7, delete lines 24 to 27 and insert in lieu thereof:

"2. The remaining funds shall be used as follows:

- a. Five percent (5%) of the funds remaining after the expenses under subparagraph 1. of this paragraph shall be deposited in the Kentucky problem gambling assistance fund established in Section 40 of this Act;**
- b. The remaining funds shall be deposited in the Kentucky permanent pension fund established in KRS 42.205; and**
- c. Any interest accruing to the fund shall become a part of the fund and shall not lapse.";** and

On page 52 after line 8, insert the following:

"➔SECTION 40. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 239 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) (a) There is established in the State Treasury a revolving account to be known as the Kentucky problem gambling assistance fund.**
- (b) The fund shall be administered by the director of the Division of Behavioral Health of the Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities, and shall consist of moneys distributed to it under Section 4 of this Act.**
- (c) Notwithstanding KRS 45.229, moneys remaining in the account at the close of a**

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- fiscal year shall not lapse but shall carry forward into the succeeding fiscal year.*
- Interest earned on any moneys in the fund shall accrue to the fund.*
- (d) Except for administrative expenses of the Division of Behavioral Health relating to the fund, which shall be limited to fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) per year, all moneys in the fund are appropriated for, and shall be used exclusively for the purposes of:*
- 1. Providing support to agencies, groups, organizations, and persons that provide education, assistance, and counseling to persons and families experiencing difficulty as a result of addiction to alcohol or drugs or addictive or compulsive gambling;*
 - 2. Promoting public awareness of and providing education about addictions;*
 - 3. Establishing and funding programs to certify addiction counselors;*
 - 4. Promoting public awareness of assistance programs for addicts; and*
 - 5. Paying the costs and expenses associated with the treatment of addictions.*
- (2) The cabinet shall promulgate administrative regulations to establish criteria for the expenditure of funds from the Kentucky problem gambling assistance fund. The administrative regulations shall:*
- (a) Establish standards for the types of agencies, groups, organizations, and persons eligible to receive funding;*
 - (b) Establish standards for the types of activities eligible for funding;*
 - (c) Establish standards for the appropriate documentation of past performance and the activities of agencies, groups, organizations, and persons requesting funding;*
 - (d) Establish standards for the development of performance measures or other evidence of successful expenditure of awarded funds;*
 - (e) Set forth procedures for the submission, evaluation, and review of applications for*

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- funding:*
- (f) Set forth procedures for making funding awards to requesting entities who have demonstrated the capability to efficiently and effectively provide the necessary services;*
 - (g) Establish requirements and procedures for the monitoring of funds awarded, including requirements for the submission of reports and documentation supporting expenditures; and*
 - (h) Include any other provisions related to funding or the administration of the account as determined by the cabinet.*
- (3) On or before October 1, 2024, and every October 1 thereafter, the director of the Division of Behavioral Health, in cooperation with the commissioner of the Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities and the secretary, shall submit to the Governor and the Legislative Research Commission an annual report detailing activities and expenditures associated with the Kentucky problem gambling assistance account for the preceding fiscal year."*; and

Renumber subsequent section.