LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY ADOPTIONS

6. At the time of compilation of any of the annual Uniform Crime Report, a reporting agency that has not supplied the necessary information after being contacted by the UCR Unit, shall be noted as "DID NOT REPORT" in the annual publication; and

7. The Division of State Police UCR Unit shall make every effort to contact the head of the agency to ascertain the reasons for the delinquency and to assist with possible solutions to any identified problems.

(a)

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL Notice of Readoption Human Trafficking Survivor's Assistance Fund Readoption with Technical Changes: N.J.A.C. 13:77

Authority: N.J.S.A. 52:17B-238 and 2C:34-1.2

Authorized By: Matthew J. Platkin, Attorney General of New Jersey.

Effective Dates: November 21, 2022, Readoption; December 19, 2022, Technical Changes.

New Expiration Date: November 21, 2029.

Take notice that, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c, the Human Trafficking Survivor's Assistance Fund rules at N.J.A.C. 13:77 are readopted and shall continue in effect for a seven-year period. The rules were scheduled to expire on December 21, 2022. Attorney General Matthew J. Platkin has reviewed these rules and has determined that the rules should be readopted, with technical changes, to update the address to which applications should be submitted, because they are necessary, reasonable, and proper for the purpose for which they were originally promulgated. In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c(1), timely filing of this notice extended the expiration date of the chapter seven years from the date of filing.

The Human Trafficking Survivor's Assistance Fund rules at N.J.A.C. 13:77 provide the framework for administration of the Human Trafficking Survivor's Assistance Fund, established by P.L. 2013, c. 51. This chapter also governs the procedures and conditions for obtaining approval of a prostitution offender program course pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2C:34-1.2.

Full text of the technical changes follows (additions indicated in boldface **thus**; deletions indicated in brackets [thus]):

SUBCHAPTER 2. PROSTITUTION OFFENDER PROGRAM

13:77-2.1 Application procedure

(a) (No change.)

(b) The application shall be submitted to:

Office of the Attorney General Division of Criminal Justice

Attn: Prostitution Offender Program [c/o AAG Tracy Thompson]

Human Trafficking Task Force

25 W. Market St. [P.O.] **PO** Box 085 Trenton, NJ 08625-0085

TREASURY—GENERAL

(b)

DIVISION OF STATE LOTTERY
Notice of Readoption
Rules of the Lottery Commission
Readoption: N.J.A.C. 17:20

Authority: N.J.S.A. 5:9-7(a).

Authorized By: The New Jersey Lottery Commission, James A.

Carey, Executive Director.

Effective Date: November 21, 2022. New Expiration Date: November 21, 2029.

Take notice that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1, the rules at N.J.A.C. 17:20 were scheduled to expire on December 29, 2022. The rules in this chapter were promulgated to implement the statutory requirements at Title 5:9 of the New Jersey Statutes. This chapter includes rules concerning the operation of the State Lottery and includes the following subchapters:

Subchapter 1, General Provisions, including scope and interpretation, persons prohibited from purchasing tickets, and requirements of employment by the Division of State Lottery (Division);

Subchapter 2, Definitions, including words and terms relevant and pertinent in the context of the operation of the State Lottery;

Subchapter 3, Director, including disputes over ownership or validity of winning tickets;

Subchapter 4, Lottery Agent Application and License, including agent application forms, application review, issuance, and renewal processes, as well as bonding requirements;

Subchapter 5, Denial, Revocation, or Suspension of Agent License or Courier Service Registration, including the basis for such denial, revocation, or renewal rejection and/or the imposition of civil penalties;

Subchapter 6, Agent Distribution and Sale of Tickets, and Deposit of Lottery Monies, including the responsibility for lost/stolen tickets and the distribution of agent promotional items;

Subchapter 7, Payment of Prizes, including the award of prizes, the manner of payment, and information required of claimants;

Subchapter 8, Lottery Vendors' Code of Ethics, which is intended to augment existing administrative orders and pertinent codes of ethics;

Subchapter 9, Civil Penalties and Sanctions for Agents and Courier Services, including the penalties imposed for violations of N.J.S.A. 5:9-12.1(a);

Subchapter 10, Division of State Lottery Mission, Organization, and Public Information, including the Division's website address, as well as the Division's address and telephone number;

Subchapter 11, Public Notice and Public Comments Regarding Division Rulemaking; Calendars; Additional Opportunities to be Heard; and Petitions for Rulemaking, including the process for rulemaking and the public's notice of, and participation in, rulemaking by the Division; and

Subchapter 12, Courier Services, regulating courier services, including the requirements of the Courier Services Act, as well as the general requirements for application and operation of a courier service.

The Amendment to Article IV, Section VII, paragraph 2 of the Constitution of New Jersey established the lottery, which is operated by the State, pursuant to Title 5 of the New Jersey Statutes. The rules in this chapter were promulgated to implement the statutory requirements at Title 5 and serve two general purposes. First, they protect consumers and participants in the lottery through regulation and licensing of the agents and operators of the lottery games. Second, they provide guidance to the New Jersey lottery industry by setting standards in the industry for those who conduct lottery business in this State.

The New Jersey Lottery Commission (Commission) in the Department of the Treasury, has undertaken a review of these rules at several levels to determine their current effectiveness and viability. These rules continue to provide the New Jersey lottery industry and consumers with vital information and useful standards concerning the operations of the State Lottery and the licensure of agents and operators of the lottery industry.

The Commission has reviewed N.J.A.C. 17:20 and has determined that the existing rules continue to be necessary, reasonable, and proper for the purpose for which they were originally promulgated. Accordingly, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c(1), these rules are readopted and shall continue in effect for a seven-year period.