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**CHAPTER 52**

(Bill No. 64)

**An Act to Amend the Lotteries Commission Act**

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(Assented to December 3, 2008)

BE IT ENACTED by the Lieutenant Governor and the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Prince Edward Island as follows:

**1. Section 15 of the *Lotteries Commission Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-17* is amended by the addition of the following after clause (e):**

(e.1) prescribing the forms of identification acceptable as proof of the age of a person;

**2. The Act is amended by the addition of the following after section 16:**

**17.** (1) No person shall sell or offer to sell a lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket to a person under the age of 19 years.

Sale of lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket to person under 19

(2) No person shall purchase or attempt to purchase a lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket on behalf of, or for the purpose of resale to, a person under the age of 19 years.

Purchase of lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket for person under 19

(3) It is not a defence to a prosecution for a contravention of this section for the defendant to show that the person under the age of 19 years appeared to be 19 years of age or older.

Defence-person appearing to be over 19

(4) No person shall sell or supply a lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket to a person who appears to be under the age of 19 years unless that person first produces, as proof that he or she is 19 years of age or older, a prescribed form of identification that shows his or her age and that contains a photograph of the person.

Sale or supply to person appearing to be under 19

(5) No person shall sell or supply a lottery ticket or pari-mutuel ticket to a person who produces, as proof of his or her age, a document that is a prescribed form of identification if it appears that the document has been altered or is not authentic.

Alteration of prescribed form of identification

**18.** Every person who contravenes a provision of this Act or the regulations is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction

Offences and penalties

- (a) for a first offence, to a fine not exceeding \$2,000;
- (b) for a second offence, to a fine not exceeding \$5,000; and
- (c) for a third or subsequent offence, to a fine not exceeding \$10,000.

**3. This Act comes into force on a date that may be fixed by proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor in Council.**

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