

A bill for an act

relating to gambling; clarifying the definitions of gambling device and video game of chance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 609.75, by adding a subdivision.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 609.75, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 14. **What are not gambling devices or video games of chance.** A device is not a "gambling device" or a "video game of chance" if it:

(1) is used primarily for entertainment;

(2) only awards replays or prizes contained within the device, excluding cash, coins, currency, money, or any similar medium of exchange; and

(3) does not include a knockoff switch, a remote key, or a wireless device for the purpose of erasing credits.

For purposes of this subdivision, "entertainment" means activity undertaken for the purpose of amusement and enjoyment of the activity itself and not as a means of betting or gambling.