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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO.

Pari-mutuel wagering-breakage.

Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to pari-mutuel wagering; requiring
2 distribution of historic pari-mutuel event breakage amounts
3 as specified; creating a definition; and providing for an
4 effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 11-25-102(a) by creating a new
9 paragraph (xxiii) and 11-25-201(b)(ii) are amended to read:

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11 **11-25-102. Definitions.**

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13 (a) As used in this act:

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(xxiii) "Breakage" means the odd cents on any sum otherwise distributable in a pari-mutuel pool.

11-25-201. Pari-mutuel permits; fees and reports; disposition of funds; enforcement of provisions.

(b) Every Wednesday following any pari-mutuel event, the permittee shall:

(ii) Pay an amount equal to one-quarter percent (1/4%) of the total amount wagered attributable to historic pari-mutuel events and one and one-half percent (1 1/2%) of the total amount wagered attributable to live pari-mutuel events, shown by the report to the commission, and an amount equal to the breakage on historic pari-mutuel events retained under subsection (c) of this section, to be credited by the state treasurer to a separate account, in the manner indicated in subsection (d) of this section;

Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2025.

(END)