

State of Arizona  
Senate  
Fifty-fourth Legislature  
Second Regular Session  
2020

**CHAPTER 36**  
**SENATE BILL 1275**

AN ACT

REPEALING SECTION 41-3020.16, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 27, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-3026.04; RELATING TO GAMING.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Repeal

3 Section ~~41-3020.16~~, Arizona Revised Statutes, is repealed.

4 Sec. 2. Title 41, chapter 27, article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes,  
5 is amended by adding section 41-3026.04, to read:

6 ~~41-3026.04. Department of gaming; termination July 1, 2026~~

7 A. THE DEPARTMENT OF GAMING TERMINATES ON JULY 1, 2026.

8 B. SECTIONS 5-601, 5-602, 5-602.01, 5-603, 5-604 AND THIS SECTION  
9 ARE REPEALED ON JANUARY 1, 2027.

10 Sec. 3. Purpose

11 Pursuant to section 41-2955, subsection B, Arizona Revised Statutes,  
12 the legislature continues the department of gaming to carry out the  
13 responsibilities of the state gaming agency in compacts executed by the  
14 state and Indian tribes of this state pursuant to the Indian gaming  
15 regulatory act of 1988 (25 United States Code sections 2701 through 2721  
16 and 18 United States Code sections 1166 through 1168).

17 Sec. 4. Retroactivity

18 Sections 1 and 2 of this act apply retroactively to from and after  
19 July 1, 2020.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MARCH 24, 2020.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MARCH 24, 2020.