



# Gambling Act 2005

## 2005 CHAPTER 19

### PART 10

#### GAMING MACHINES

##### *Exceptions*

#### **248 No prize**

- (1) A person does not commit an offence under section 37 or 242 if—
  - (a) he makes a gaming machine available for use by an individual, and
  - (b) the individual does not, by using the machine, acquire an opportunity to win a prize.
- (2) The Secretary of State may make regulations creating exceptions from the offence under section 243 in connection with machines which, by virtue of their nature or any other specified matter, are not designed or expected to be used to provide an opportunity to win a prize.

#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 248(1) in force at 1.9.2007 by S.I. 2006/3272, art. 2(4)(5), **Sch. 3B** (with arts. 7-11, 7-12, Sch. 4) (as inserted by S.I. 2007/2169, arts. 3, 6, Sch.)
- I2** S. 248(2) in force at 1.1.2007 by S.I. 2006/3272, art. 2(1), **Sch. 1** (with arts. 7-11, 7-12, Sch. 4)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Gambling Act 2005, Section 248.