

# Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1963

## **1963 CHAPTER 2**

#### **PART IV**

## **AMUSEMENTS WITH PRIZES**

### 48 Provisions of amusements with prizes at certain noncommercial entertainments

- (1) The provisions of this section shall have effect for the purpose of permitting the provision at any entertainment to which section 43 of this Act applies of amusements with prizes.
- (2) Nothing in section 32, 33, 34, 41 or 42 of this Act shall apply in relation to amusements with prizes provided as an incident of such an entertainment as aforesaid; but, in relation to any such amusement to which any of those sections would apply but for this subsection, the conditions set out in subsection (3) of this section shall be observed, and if either of those conditions is contravened every person concerned in the provision or conduct of that amusement shall be guilty of an offence unless he proves that the contravention occurred without his consent or connivance and that he exercised all due diligence to prevent it
- (3) The conditions referred to in the last foregoing subsection are—
  - (a) that the whole proceeds of the entertainment (including the proceeds of any amusements to which this subsection applies) after deducting—
    - (i) the expenses of the entertainment, including any expenses incurred in connection with any such amusements and the provision of prizes thereat; and
    - (ii) any other amounts authorised to be deducted by section 43 (2) (a) of this Act will be devoted to purposes other than private gain; and
  - (b) that the opportunity to win prizes at amusements to which this subsection applies, or that opportunity together with facilities offered by virtue of section 43 of this Act for participating in a lottery or by virtue of section 37 of this Act for taking part in gaming, is not the only, or the only substantial, inducement to persons to attend the entertainment