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House Bill 4447 (as reported without amendment)

Sponsor: Representative David Robertson

House Committee: Regulatory Reform

Senate Committee: Economic Development, Small Business and Regulatory Reform

CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Boxing Regulatory Act to do the following:

- Limit the good moral character requirement to applicants for a promoter's license.
- Exclude a venue from the definition of "promoter", unless the venue contracted to be a co-promoter.
- Provide that a promoter's license would be subject to revocation unless at least 10% of a purse were withheld until the results of a postcontest drug test were available, and provide for a formal complaint and hearing process if the results did not show compliance with the Act.
- Delete requirements that applicants for a promoter's license disclose Federal income tax returns and financial information, and that the Department of Labor and Economic Growth (DLEG) use the information to determine the applicants' financial stability.
- Require DLEG to take action against an applicant or a license for fraud or deceit in obtaining a license.
- Require a person seeking a license as a professional judge to score at least 200 rounds of professional (rather than amateur) boxing.

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Legislative Analyst: J.P. Finet

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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