

Title 36 MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY AND GAMING CONTROL AGENCY
Subtitle 07 INSTANT BINGO MACHINES IN ANNE ARUNDEL AND CALVERT
COUNTIES

Chapter 01 General

Authority: State Government Article, §9-110; Criminal Law Article, §§12-301.1 and 12-308; Annotated Code of Maryland

.03 Repair and Replacement.

A. A facility license holder may repair and replace its instant bingo machines provided that documentation has been submitted to the Commission that evidences, to the satisfaction of the Commission, that:

(1) The machines:

(a) Operate in the same manner as any that were in operation by that licensee on July 1, 2017; or
(b) Have been approved by the Commission for use by any other entity authorized to operate an instant bingo machine; and

(2) The licensee does not operate more than the number of instant bingo machines the licensee had in operation on February 28, 2008.

B. Documentation submitted under §A of this regulation may consist of:

(1) Manufacturer invoices;
(2) Independent testing laboratory reports;
(3) Records from county licensing authorities; or
(4) Other records deemed acceptable by the Commission.

C. A determination by the Commission on the sufficiency of documentation provided under §B of this regulation is final and not appealable.

D. Instant bingo machines that are repaired or serve as a replacement;

For August 27, 2026 Commission.

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~~(1) shall~~ **Shall** comply with the technical standards as provided under COMAR 36.07.06; **and**

(2) May be configured to:

(a) Print a paper ticket for each game of instant bingo played; or

(b) Allow a player to elect whether to receive a printed ticket.

E. An instant bingo machine serving as a replacement under §A of this regulation may operate in the same manner as any instant bingo machine that was in operation by the licensee on February 28, 2008.

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