

Tennessee



Sports Betting

Authorized Operators: Tennessee was the first state without casino gaming to pass a sports betting bill, only authorizing wagers to be placed online or via a mobile app.

Mobile/Online: Wagering on sports is allowed anywhere within the state's borders. There is no requirement for in-person registration.

Operator Taxes & Fees: The sports wagering revenue tax imposed in Tennessee is 20 percent.

Operators will be obligated to pay a nonrefundable application fee of \$50,000 and annual license fee of \$750,000.

Tax revenue from sports betting will be allocated to the Lottery fund.

Amateur Restrictions: Prop betting on all NCAA football and basketball games is banned under Tennessee law. Otherwise, betting on collegiate games is allowed, including on in-state collegiate teams.

Leagues are not given the power to unilaterally restrict types of wager, however, they can petition the regulatory authority to prohibit a specific type or form of wagering and, upon a showing of good cause, the Lottery Corporation is to grant the request.

Official Data Mandate & Integrity Fee: The use of official league data is mandatory to settle in-play bets. The law requires leagues to sell official data under "commercially reasonable terms."