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Voters, not Politicians, Should Decide Casino Gambling

(Tallahassee) – Like most states in America, here in Florida the final say on casino-style gambling has traditionally been with voters. Unfortunately, the Florida Supreme Court today upheld a lower court ruling that gives the legislature the authority to legalize forms of high-stakes casino-style gambling without voter approval.

“Florida voters have overwhelmingly rejected casino gambling in three separate statewide votes,” said No Casinos President John Sowinski. “Perhaps it is time for a constitutional amendment to ensure that voters will continue to have the final say on whether they want more crime, more addiction, and higher social costs for taxpayers.”

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