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Meeting Notification

Massachusetts Gaming Commission to Hold Open Public Meeting

Topics include Alcohol Regulations, Wynn Design Update, Responsible Gaming and Region C

WHO: Members of the Massachusetts Gaming Commission including Chairman Steve Crosby,

Commissioner Gayle Cameron, Commissioner James McHugh, Commissioner

Bruce Stebbins and Commissioner Enrique Zuniga

WHAT: The Massachusetts Gaming Commission will hold its 147th open public meeting on

Thursday, March 19th.

The Commission will begin the meeting with a discussion on a series of administrative issues including Springfield office space and the quarterly budget report. The Commission is then expected to vote on Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission regulations and a conditional certification for an independent gaming lab.

The Commission will receive an update from Wynn Everett on its Supplemental Final Environmental Impact Report (SFEIR) and on project design.

As part of MGC's ongoing recognition of March as National Problem Gambling Awareness Month, the Commission will receive a briefing on a Responsible Gaming Evaluation Plan from MGC's Director of Research and Responsible Gaming Mark Vander Linden.

The Commission will then discuss a series of racing-related matters including Plainridge race days and requests for promotional funds.

Lastly, the Commission will discuss the status of the resort-casino licensing process in Region C (Southeastern Mass).

For a complete list of agenda items, please visit the **Meeting Notifications & Agenda** page at <u>MassGaming.com</u>. A **LIVE STREAM** will be available on the MassGaming homepage. In addition, community members are invited to follow along with live meeting updates by connecting with the Commission on Twitter, @MassGamingComm.

WHERE: Boston Convention and Exhibition Center

415 Summer Street, Room 102B

WHEN: THURSDAY, March 19, 2015 at 10:30 a.m.