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<u>Media Advisory/Photo Opportunity</u> Massachusetts Gaming Commission Chairman Steve Crosby To Address Asian American Civic Association

Gaming Chairman to Discuss Licensing Process and MGC's Commitment to Introduce Responsible Expanded Gaming to the Commonwealth

- **WHO:** *Massachusetts Gaming Commission* **Chairman Steve Crosby,** members of the *Asian American Civic Association*
- WHAT: As part of the Commission's ongoing commitment to engaging the community and increasing awareness of the Commission's roles and responsibilities, Chairman Crosby will address members of the Asian American Civic Association. Chairman Crosby is expected to address a number of topics relative to expanded gaming and also take questions from the audience. Through the establishment of MGC's Speakers Bureau, the Commission is participating in numerous statewide speaking engagements to keep the public informed of the schedule and process, increase community awareness of the roles and responsibilities of the Commission, encourage community involvement and solicit valuable feedback to facilitate an all-inclusive, decision-making process.
- WHERE: 87 Tyler Street, 5th Floor Boston, MA
- WHEN: Thursday, October 18, 2012 12:00pm
- WHY: As the Commission strives to ensure that its decision-making and regulatory systems engender the confidence of the public and participants, MGC established a Speakers Bureau to provide important face-to-face opportunities to communicate directly and facilitate a dialogue with MGC's vast constituency. The Speakers Bureau provides MGC with an opportunity to communicate its roles and responsibilities as well as the Commission's dedication to reducing to the maximum extent possible the potentially unintended consequences of expanded gaming. To facilitate a Speakers Bureau request, the speaker request form is easily accessible on MGC's website.