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**Meeting Notification**

**The Massachusetts Gaming Commission to hold Public Meeting**

*Topics include Enhanced Code of Ethics, Play Management System, MGM Springfield Opening, Service Employee Registration and Gaming Economic Development Fund White Paper*

**WHO:** Members of the *Massachusetts Gaming Commission* including **Chairman Steve Crosby,** **Commissioner Gayle Cameron**, **Commissioner Lloyd MacDonald**, **Commissioner Bruce Stebbins** and **Commissioner Enrique Zuniga**

**WHAT:** The Massachusetts Gaming Commission (MGC) will hold its 233rd open public meeting on **THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2018**.

 The Commission is expected to vote on matters pertaining to MGC’s Enhanced Code of Ethics.

 Research and Responsible Gaming Director Mark Vander Linden will lead a discussion about the adoption of a play management system or “PlayMyWay” for the Category 1 casinos. The Commission is expected to vote on the recommendations made by Director Vander Linden.

 Executive Director Ed Bedrosian will brief the Commission on regulatory preparations in anticipation of MGM Springfield’s opening.

 The Commission will have a preliminary discussion about new guidelines for service employee registration. The Legal Division will present a series of regulations for review and will request several votes. Lastly, the Commission is expected to vote on the Gaming Economic Development Fund white paper.

For a complete list of agenda items and anticipated votes, view the official [Meeting Notification and Agenda.](https://massgaming.com/wp-content/uploads/Meeting-Notification-and-Agenda-1-18-18-UPDATE.pdf)

A **LIVE STREAM** will be available on the MassGaming homepage. Also, community members are invited to follow along with live meeting updates by connecting with the Commission on Twitter, [@MassGamingComm](https://twitter.com/massgamingcomm).

**WHERE:** Massachusetts Gaming Commission

101 Federal Street, 12th Floor, Boston, MA

**WHEN:          THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.**