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### **Meeting Notification**

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

*Topics include Department Reports, Legislative Activities Report,  
MGC Budget, Springfield Lottery Impact Study*

**WHO:** Members of the *Massachusetts Gaming Commission* including **Chair Cathy Judd-Stein** and **Commissioners Gayle Cameron, Eileen O'Brien, Bruce Stebbins, and Enrique Zuniga**

**WHAT:** The Massachusetts Gaming Commission will hold public meeting #297 on **Thursday, April 9, 2020.**

After an approval of minutes, Interim Executive Director Karen Wells will provide an Administrative Update, which will include department reports and a Legislative Activities Report from Construction Project Oversight Manager Joe Delaney and Director of Workforce, Supplier and Diversity Development Jill Griffin.

Members from the MGC's Finance Division and Commissioner Zuniga will provide updates on the MGC's budget. A vote on this matter is anticipated.

Director of Research and Responsible Gaming Mark Vander Linden, alongside Dr. Mark Nichols from the SEIGMA Research Team, will present on the Springfield Lottery Impact Study.

Chief Enforcement Counsel and Investigations and Enforcement Bureau Deputy Director Loretta Lillios will request that the Commission vote on two qualifiers related to MGM Springfield and Encore Boston Harbor.

Interim General Counsel Todd Grossman will request that the Commission vote on the following:

- Initial review for emergency adoption and commencement of promulgation process: **205 CMR 138.68: Expiration of Gaming-related Obligations Owed to Patrons; Payment to the Gaming Revenue Fund –** addressing the calculation of 1-year time period – **VOTE**

For a complete list of agenda items and anticipated votes, [view the official Meeting Notification and Agenda.](#)



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**PLEASE NOTE:** Given the unprecedented circumstances resulting from the global Coronavirus pandemic, Governor Charles Baker issued an order to provide limited relief from certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law to protect the health and safety of individuals interested in attending public meetings. In keeping with the guidance provided, the Commission will conduct a public meeting utilizing remote collaboration technology. If there is any technical problem with our remote connection, an alternative conference line will be noticed immediately on our website: [MassGaming.com](http://MassGaming.com).

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**WHERE:** Conference Call Number: 1-646-741-5293, Meeting ID: 111 512 4467

**WHEN:** **Thursday, April 9, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.**



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