

## **Notice of Public Hearing**

Notice is hereby provided that in accordance with G.L. c. 30A, § 2, the Massachusetts Gaming Commission ("Commission") will convene a public hearing for purposes of gathering comments, ideas, and information relative to the proposed adoption of regulations. The regulations were promulgated pursuant to G.L. chs. 23N, § 4, and 23K, §§ 2, 4(37), and 5, as part of the Commission's regulatory process, and concern the following regulations:

205 CMR 238.00: Additional Uniform Standards of Accounting Procedures and Internal Controls for Sports Wagering, specifically 205 CMR 238.48: Expiration of Sports Wagering Tickets and Vouchers; Payment to the Sports Wagering Control Fund

Sections within this regulation are being amended by the Commission to provide additional methods of payment to the Sports Wagering Control Fund.

205 CMR 146.00: Gaming Equipment, specifically 205 CMR 146.13: Blackjack Table; Card Reader Device; Physical Characteristics; Inspections

Sections within this regulation are being amended by the Commission to increase clarity of the table game rules of blackjack for casino personnel and patrons.

## Scheduled hearing date and time:

## Tuesday, October 28, 2025, at 9:30 AM EST

Given the unprecedented circumstances, 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 the public and individuals interested in attending public meetings during the global Coronavirus pandemic. In keeping with the guidance provided, the Commission will conduct this hearing utilizing remote collaboration technology.

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A complete copy of the draft regulations referenced above may be downloaded by visiting <a href="www.massgaming.com">www.massgaming.com</a>, clicking on 'Regulations and Compliance' and selecting the 'Proposed <a href="Rulemaking">Rulemaking</a>' Section. Anyone wishing to offer comments can email <a href="Autumn.Birarelli@massgaming.gov">Autumn.Birarelli@massgaming.gov</a> and requesting the virtual hearing link to appear and speak. Alternatively, written comments may also be submitted to the same email address with 'Regulation Comment' in the subject line.

Comments must be received by 5:00 PM EST on October 27, 2025.