

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 a regulation within 205 CMR. The proposal was developed pursuant to G.L. and G.L. c. 23N § 4, as part of the Commission's regulation promulgation process, and concerns the following regulations:

205 CMR 256.00: SPORTS WAGERING ADVERTISING

Specifically, 205 CMR 256.02: Application, and 256.04: False or Misleading Advertising

This regulation governs the requirements with respect to sports wagering advertising and is being amended for clarity purposes. The change to 205 CMR 256.02(1) is a minor language change to clarify the scope of the regulation. The change to 205 CMR 256.04 adds language requiring marketing and advertising disclosures

Monday June 16, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. 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 www.massgaming.com, clicking on 'Regulations and Compliance' and selecting the 'Proposed Rulemaking' section. Anyone wishing to offer comments on this regulation can email judith.young@massgaming.gov and request the virtual hearing link to appear and speak. Alternatively, written comments may also be submitted to that same email address with 'Regulation Comment' in the subject line. Comments must be received by 5 p.m. on Friday, June 13, 2025.