

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 205 CMR 202.00: *Sports Wagering Authority and Definitions*, and 205 CMR 234.00: *Sports Wagering Vendors*. The proposal was developed pursuant to G.L. c. 23N § 4, as part of the Commission's regulation promulgation process, and concerns the following regulations:

205 CMR 202: *Sports Wagering Authority and Definitions.* This is an administrative regulation that sets forth the Commission's applicable definitions for terms utilized in the licensing of Sports Wagering Operators.

205 CMR **234**: *Sports Wagering Vendors.* This regulation establishes the process for the Commission to regulate and license or register vendors as necessary; similar to the registration process set forth in 205 CMR 134.00

Scheduled hearing date and time: Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at 9:15 a.m.

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 <u>www.massgaming.com</u>, clicking on 'Regulations and Compliance' and selecting the '<u>Proposed</u> <u>Rulemaking</u>' section. Anyone wishing to offer comments on this regulation can email <u>judith.young@massgaming.gov</u> 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 **9:15 a.m.** on **Tuesday, November 22, 2022.**

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