

Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Agency

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SUBJECT: Gaming Division Report for the June 2024 Commission Meeting

A Skills-Based Amusement Device Registrations

The tables below reflect all Skills-Based registrations processed to date.

Skills-Based Amusement Device Program – as of 05/31/2024 2023/2024 Registrations began in December 2022 and are valid for 2 years							
Registered Owners		Registered Locations		Registered Devices		Illegal Electronic Gaming Device Tips	
May	2023-2024	May	2023-2024	May	2023-2024	May	2023-2024
0	17	0	353	0	1424	0	6

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Registered Owners		Registered Locations		Registered Devices		Illegal Electronic Gaming Device Tips	
May	2024-2025	May	2024-2025	May	2024-2025	May	2024-2025
0	8	0	21	0	1447	0	1

B Gaming Audit Department

Casino Audit			
Facility	Audit Area	Status	Periods Covered
Live! Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
Rocky Gap	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
Ocean Downs	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
Hollywood Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
Horseshoe Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
MGM NH Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	April
Live! Casino	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June
Rocky Gap	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June
Ocean Downs	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June
Hollywood Casino	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June

Horseshoe Casino	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June
MGM NH Casino	Compliance & Operations	In process	May – June

Instant Bingo Hall Financial Statements				
Facility	F/S Year End	F/S Due Dates	F/S Submitted	2024 Audit Status
Rod 'N' Reel	December 31, 2023	April 30, 2024	April 30, 2024	April
Bingo World	December 31, 2023	April 30, 2024	March 31, 2024	April
Traders	December 31, 2023	April 30, 2024	April 18, 2024	April
Abners Crab House & Restaurant	December 31, 2023	April 30, 2024	February 2, 2024	April
Delta Bingo – Laurel	March 31, 2024	July 31, 2024	N/A	April
Delta Bingo – Waysons	March 31, 2024	July 31, 2024	N/A	April
American Legion Post #206	December 31, 2023	N/A	N/A	April
American Legion Post #7	December 31, 2023	N/A	N/A	April
Laurel Elks #2283	March 31, 2024	N/A	N/A	April
Annapolis Elks (#622)	March 31, 2024	N/A	N/A	April
Annapolis Moose (#296)	April 30, 2024	N/A	N/A	April
Mayo American Legion #226	June 30, 2024	N/A	N/A	April
Severna Park American Legion (#175)	June 30, 2024	N/A	N/A	April

Sports Wagering Audit			
Facility	Audit Area	Complete	In Progress
Live! – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Horseshoe – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
MGM – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Hollywood – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Ocean Downs - Retail	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Bingo World – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Long Shots – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Riverboat – Retail	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Greenmount – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
DraftKings – Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Fanatics (MSS) – Retail & Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Superbook – Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Crab Sports – Mobile	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Canton Gaming – Canton - Retail	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June

Canton Gaming – Towson – Retail	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June
Whitman Gaming – Retail	Compliance & Operations	April	May – June

- 1) Next Audit Committee meeting scheduled for June 20, 2024, immediately following the monthly Commission meeting.
- 2) Standard Table Game Rules
 - a. Craps - Updating rules to allow facility operators to use security measures to prevent dice sliding.
- 3) Annual regulatory review – Agency recommendations reviewed with AGA and Maryland Operators on 6/6/24.

C Electronic Gaming Device Operations

	Hollywood	Ocean Downs	Live!	Rocky Gap	Horseshoe	MGM-NH	Bingo Halls
VLT Installs	4	0	0	0	24	43	10
VLT Removals	14	0	0	0	24	51	10
Floor Moves	10	0	0	0	24	63	0
Game Changes	0	0	15	7	11	29	446
Change Requests	4	3	3	2	4	18	10

- 1) ITLM Update - As of 05/31/2024, 407 ITLMs in 92 unique Veterans' Posts are currently operational.
- 2) Monthly ITLM net sales in May 2024 (\$1,458,105) increased by 6.7% compared to May 2023 (\$1,366,855).

D Sports Wagering

- 1) VSC, with their platform provider Bee-Fee, completed their controlled demonstration on May 24th and are planning to go live, July 1st.
- 2) Bally's is expected to be the next mobile sports operator to go live, in July.
- 3) Longshot's, retail and mobile platform provider Betfred, notified MLGCA staff that they are ceasing retail and mobile operations on 6/30/24 and 7/31/24, respectively.

E Responsible Gambling

- 1) Voluntary Exclusion Program (VEP)
 - a) 26 new participants joined the casino VEP in May. The current number of active participants is 3,066.
 - b) There were 20 removals from the VEP in May for a total of 1,259.
 - c) To date, 2,574 violations have occurred since the casino VEP began. All violators are subject to criminal trespass charges.
 - d) There were 10 additional enrollments in the lottery VEP in May with 6 removals; the total number of participants is 701.
 - e) There are currently 494 participants in the bingo hall VEP.
 - f) There are currently 292 participants in the sports wagering VEP.

g) There are currently 268 participants in the fantasy competition VEP.