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STAFF AGENDA MEMORANDUM

TO: Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Commission
John Martin, Director

PRESENTER: Craig Lindsey, Deputy Director, COO

DATE OF MEETING: June 25, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Exercise of a 4-year Contract Renewal Option
Random Number Generator (RNG) System, Contract #2022-15

ISSUE SUMMARY:

The Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Agency (“Agency”) entered into Contract #2022-15 “Random Number Generator (RNG) System” with Smartplay International, LLC on December 11, 2022 to provide all hardware, software and related services necessary to install, implement, operate, and maintain an RNG System to conduct Agency lottery drawings (the “Contract”). The base term of the Contract is 4-years (ending December 12, 2026) with a not-to-exceed amount of \$382,170. There is one Contract renewal option for 4-years for an additional \$150,000.

The Agency’s exercise of its option to renew the Contract is in the best interest of the State. The RNG System provided by Smartplay International, LLC ensures reliable operation of the Agency’s Draw game program. The system ensures every RNG drawing is random, secure, auditable and conducted in a manner that instills and maintains a high-level of player confidence in the integrity of the drawing process and the Lottery.

If the Commission provides approval, the Contract will be submitted for signature to the Agency director for its final approval.

COMMISSION ACTION REQUIRED/REQUESTED:

Discussion, consideration, and possible approval of the 4-year renewal option for Contract #2022-15 for Random Number Generator System.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the renewal option with a term of 4 years and a not-to-exceed amount of \$150,000.