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TO: Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Commission
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DIVISION: Executive, Gaming

DATE: March 19, 2014

SUBJECT: Report for the March 27 Commission Meeting

1. Gaming Division

- a. Instant Bingo Operations in Anne Arundel and Calvert Counties – Staff continues to receive and review regulatory plans for the Instant Bingo Halls.
- b. Caesars Horseshoe – Staff continues to meet multiple times on a weekly basis with Horseshoe staff on the development of their property.

2. VLT Audit Department

Audit Summary			
Video Lottery Facility	Audit Area	Status	Periods Covered
Hollywood Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	Jan
Ocean Downs	Compliance & Operations	Completed	Jan
Maryland Live Casino	Compliance & Operations	Completed	Jan
Rocky Gap	Compliance & Operations	Completed	Jan
Hollywood Casino	Compliance & Operations	In Process	Feb & Mar
Ocean Downs	Compliance & Operations	In Process	Feb & Mar
Maryland Live Casino	Compliance & Operations	In Process	Feb & Mar
Rocky Gap	Compliance & Operations	In Process	Feb & Mar

a. Staffing Update

1. Audit Manager – In recruitment.
2. Staff Auditor HQ Based – Michael Blackwell-Gorham scheduled to start on April 2.
3. Staff Auditor Ocean Downs – In recruitment.

3. Electronic Gaming Device Operations

	Hollywood	Ocean Downs	MD Live	Rocky Gap
VLT Installs	0	2	52	0
VLT Removals	0	7	52	0
Floor Moves	0	2	212	0
Game Conversions	36	14	303	11
Change Requests	2	8	20	1

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- a. Maryland Live
 1. Of the 71 VLTs that were temporarily removed to facilitate the construction of the Noodle Bar, 52 have been returned to the floor. The remaining 19 VLTs will be transferred to Rock Gap.
 - b. Bingo Halls
 1. We are receiving slot files and floor plans from the bingo halls.
 2. Site visits are being planned to verify slot file and place certification tags.
4. Responsible Gambling
- a. Voluntary Exclusion Stats
 1. The VLT Voluntary Exclusion Program added 15 new participants bringing our total to 430. See attached charts for additional information.
 2. The Lottery Voluntary Exclusion Program added 2 new participant bringing our total to 41. See attached charts for additional information.
 3. There were 2 VEP violators found on properties and cited for criminal trespass, court pending.
 4. We have one VEP request for removal from the program pending.
 - b. Staff is working on an online training program for instant bingo hall employees on responsible gaming.