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## NOTICE OF MEETING AND AGENDA Amended

Pursuant to the Massachusetts Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §§ 18-25, and Section 20 of Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the **Massachusetts Gaming Commission**. The meeting will take place:

**Thursday | December 16, 2021 | 10:00 a.m.**  
**VIA CONFERENCE CALL NUMBER: 1-646-741-5292**  
**MEETING ID/ PARTICIPANT CODE: 111 639 6781**

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### **PUBLIC MEETING - #363**

1. Call to Order
2. Administrative Update - Karen Wells, Executive Director
  - a. On-site Casino Updates – Bruce Band, Assistant Director, Gaming Agents Division Chief
  - b. Update of the Voluntary Self Exclusion Program – Mark Vander Linden, Director of Research and Responsible Gaming; Katrina Jagroop-Gomes, Chief Information Officer
3. Flex and Remote Hybrid Work Model Policy Adoption – Commissioner Gayle Cameron; Commissioner Eileen O'Brien; Karen Wells, Executive Director **VOTE**
4. Gaming Policy Advisory Committee and Subcommittee Update – Meg Mainzer Cohen, GPAC Chair; Commissioner Brad Hill; Mark Vander Linden, Director of Research and Responsible Gaming; Commissioner O'Brien, Crystal Howard, Chief Administrative Officer to the Chair and Special Projects Manager
5. Racing Division– Dr. Alexandra Lightbown, Director of Racing and Chief Veterinarian
  - a. Plainridge Park Request for Revised 2022 Racing Schedule - Steve O'Toole, Director of Racing, Plainridge Park Casino **VOTE**



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- b. Suffolk Downs Requests - Chip Tuttle, Chief Operating Officer, Suffolk Downs
    - I. Request for 2021 Premium Free Period **VOTE**
    - II. Request for 2022 Premium Free Period **VOTE**
    - III. Request for Approval of Simulcast Import Locations **VOTE**
    - IV. Request for Approval of Account Wagering Providers **VOTE**
  
- 6. Licensing Division- Nakisha Skinner, Chief of Licensing
  - a. MGM Springfield Service Employee Exemption Request **VOTE**
  - b. Encore Boston Harbor Gaming Beverage License Amendment **VOTE**
  
- 7. Community Affairs – Joe Delaney, Chief of Community Affairs
  - a. Request from Everett for Usage of Transportation Planning Grant Funds **VOTE**
  
- 8. Legal Division- Todd Grossman, General Counsel; Carrie Torrisi, Associate General Counsel
  - a. Final draft of amendments to 205 CMR 134.01: Key Gaming Employees and 205 CMR 134.02: Gaming Employees and Amended Small Business Impact Statement; Adopt and finalize the promulgation process **VOTE**
  
- 9. Legislative Update – Crystal Howard, Chief Administrative Officer to the Chair and Special Projects Manager; Commissioner Brad Hill; Todd Grossman, General Counsel
  
- 10. Regulations Review Process –Karen Wells, Executive Director; Crystal Howard, Chief Administrative Officer to the Chair and Special Projects Manager
  
- 11. Commissioner Updates
  
- 12. Other Business - Reserved for matters the Chair did not reasonably anticipate at the time of posting.
  
- 13. The Commission anticipates that it will meet in executive session in accordance with G.L. c. 30A, §21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to litigation related to the confidentiality of certain documents and information as discussion of the subject matter at an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the Commission, and in accordance with G.L. c. 30A, §21(a)(7) to evaluate a matter relative to the Nondisclosure Agreement between the Commission and Wynn MA, LLC pursuant to G.L. c. 23K, §21(a)(7) and 205 CMR 139.02 as discussion of the matter in a public forum would frustrate the purpose of the statute, the regulation, and agreement. The public session of the Commission meeting will not reconvene at the conclusion of the executive session. **VOTE**

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December 13, 2021

*Cathy Judd-Stein*

Chair

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