

Gaming Control Board State Documents

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Summary Information

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Scope and Contents

The Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board works to license and regulate the casino industry in Pennsylvania under the provisions of Act 71, the Pennsylvania Horse Racing Development Gaming Act. The Board is charged with overseeing casino gaming in the Commonwealth, including approving licenses for gaming entities, suppliers, and manufacturers; occupation permits for employees of those entities, suppliers, and manufacturers; and regulations necessary to ensure the integrity of gaming in Pennsylvania. It has general jurisdiction over all casino gaming activities in the Commonwealth. Revenue from gaming is earmarked for property tax relief and rebates, the horse racing industry, economic development and tourism, and as additional revenue for local governments where slots facilities are located.

The publications of the Gaming Control Board contain annual reports. Selected topics from these publications include diversity in gaming. The bulk of the current material is dated from 2014 to 2015.

Biographical / Historical

The Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board was created in 2004 by Act 71.

Other Finding Aids

For more information concerning the records of the Gaming Control Board at the Pennsylvania State Archives, please visit:

<https://gencat.eloquent-systems.com/pennsylvania-state-archives/permalink.html?key=class236>.

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