

### NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY

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# DGE Announces March 2019 Total Gaming Revenue Results

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#### Industry:

Based upon filings with the Division of Gaming Enforcement, Total Gaming Revenue for March was \$294.0 million compared to \$218.5 million in March 2018, reflecting a 34.5% increase. Casino Win for March was \$223.2 million increasing 15.7% from the same month last year. Internet Gaming Win was \$39.1 million in March compared to \$25.6 million in the prior period, reflecting an increase of 53.0%. Sports Wagering Gross Revenue was \$31.7 million for the month.

For the first three months, the Industry's Total Gaming Revenue was \$764.8 million through March 2019 compared to \$594.9 million in the prior period, reflecting an increase of 28.6%. Casino Win was \$597.1 million reflecting a 13.7% increase over the prior period. Internet Gaming Win increased 50.3% to \$104.5 million when compared to the prior period. Sports Wagering Gross Revenue was \$63.2 million.

#### Tax Information:

For the month of March 2019, total gaming taxes were \$25.5 million. Total gaming taxes reflect 8% of taxable casino gross revenue, 15% of Internet gaming gross revenue, 8.5% tax on casino and racetrack sports wagering gross revenue and 13% tax on casino and racetrack sports wagering Internet gross revenue. In addition, the casino industry incurred \$3.9 million in 1.25% Additional Tax on sports wagering gross revenue and Investment Alternative Tax Obligations (which reflects 1.25% of casino gross revenue and 2.5% of Internet gaming gross revenue). For the month of March 2019, the Racetrack Economic Development Tax of 1.25% of racetrack sports wagering gross revenue was \$253,125.

FOOTNOTES:

- Total Gaming Revenue consists of Casino Win, Internet Gaming Win and Sports Wagering Gross Revenue. Specific launch date information is located on the statistical comparison pages and sports wagering statistical information page of this press release.

Additional Information:

Gross Revenue Reports (DGE website): Internet Gross Revenue Reports (DGE website): Sports Wagering Revenue Reports (DGE website): Tourism Data (CRDA website):

http://www.nj.gov/oag/ge/mgrtaxreturns.html http://www.nj.gov/oag/ge/igrtaxreturns.html http://www.nj.gov/oag/ge/swrtaxreturns.html http://www.atlanticcitynj.com/about/stats.aspx

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# **MARCH 2019 STATISTICS**

MARCH						Increase (Decre	ase)
		2019		2018		\$	%
	\$	162,649,025	\$	137,262,774	\$	25,386,251	18.5
Table Game Win		60,514,902		55,654,631		4,860,271	8.7
Casino Win		223,163,927		192,917,405		30,246,522	15.7
Peer-to-Peer		1,903,790		1,966,366		(62,576)	(3.2)
Other Authorized Games		37,230,590		23,613,844		13,616,746	57.7
nternet Gaming Win		39,134,380		25,580,210		13,554,170	53.0
Sports Wagering Revenue		31,669,387		-		31,669,387	N/A
Total Gaming Revenue	\$	293,967,694	\$	218,497,615	\$	75,470,079	34.5
MARCH YEAR-TO-DATE	<u> </u>		•		•		
Slot Machine Win	\$	428,298,342	\$	370,943,195	\$	57,355,147	15.5
Table Game Win		168,830,909		154,389,477		14,441,432	9.4
Casino Win		597,129,251		525,332,672		71,796,579	13.7
Peer-to-Peer		5,597,277		5,690,050		(92,773)	(1.6)
Other Authorized Games		98,880,220		63,844,625		35,035,595	54.9
nternet Gaming Win		104,477,497		69,534,675		34,942,822	50.3
Sports Wagering Revenue		63,177,065				63,177,065	N/A
Total Gaming Revenue	\$	764,783,813	\$	594,867,347	\$	169,916,466	28.6

(a) Casino IAT Obligations reflect 1.25% of casino gross revenue and 2.5% of Internet gross revenue. Also,

there is a 1.25% Additional Tax on Retail sports wagering gross revenue and Internet sports wagering gross revenue.

(b) Economic Development Tax reflects 1.25% of racetrack licensees' sports wagering gross revenue and Internet sports wagering gross revenue.

CASINO WIN			INTERNET GAMING WIN				 SPORTS WAGERING REVENUE (a)				 TOTAL GAMING REVENUE						
Casino Licensees		2019	 2018	% Change		2019		2018	% Change	 2019		2018	% Change	 2019		2018	% Change
Bally's AC	\$	14,808,648	\$ 15,785,895	(6.2)	\$	-	\$	-	n/a	570,857	\$	-	n/a	15,379,505	\$	15,785,895	(2.6)
Borgata		59,443,719	60,290,786	(1.4)		5,442,418		4,583,234	18.7	853,293		-	n/a	65,739,430		64,874,020	1.3
Caesars		22,847,474	21,906,471	4.3		-		-	n/a	-		-	n/a	22,847,474		21,906,471	4.3
Caesars Interactive NJ		-	-	n/a		5,135,793		4,412,034	16.4	-		-	n/a	5,135,793		4,412,034	16.4
Golden Nugget		17,637,932	19,455,105	(9.3)		14,227,820		8,655,240	64.4	191,875		-	n/a	32,057,627		28,110,345	14.0
Hard Rock (b)		24,586,874	-	n/a		1,630,845		-	n/a	82,254		-	n/a	26,299,973		-	n/a
Harrah's		26,430,569	31,658,322	(16.5)		-		-	n/a	127,644		-	n/a	26,558,213		31,658,322	(16.1)
Ocean Resort (c)		15,177,458	-	n/a		497,541		-	n/a	1,957,780		-	n/a	17,632,779		-	n/a
Resorts		14,922,817	14,831,510	0.6		-		-	n/a	85,105		-	n/a	15,007,922		14,831,510	1.2
Resorts Digital		-	-	n/a		8,472,091		4,234,904	100.1	7,278,126		-	n/a	15,750,217		4,234,904	271.9
Tropicana		27,308,436	28,989,316	(5.8)		3,727,872		3,694,798	0.9	272,479		-	n/a	31,308,787		32,684,114	(4.2)
Total: Casino Industry	\$	223,163,927	\$ 192,917,405	15.7	\$ :	39,134,380	\$	25,580,210	53.0	\$ 5 11,419,413	\$	-	n/a	\$ 273,717,720	\$	218,497,615	25.3
Racetrack Licensees	-																
Meadowlands		-	-	n/a		-		-	n/a	17,593,973		-	n/a	17,593,973		-	n/a
Monmouth Park		-	-	n/a		-		-	n/a	2,656,001		-	n/a	2,656,001		-	n/a
Grand Total	\$	223,163,927	\$ 192,917,405	15.7	\$ 3	39,134,380	\$	25,580,210	53.0	\$ 31,669,387	\$	-	n/a	\$ 293,967,694	\$	218,497,615	34.5

#### MONTHLY COMPARISON FOR THE MONTH ENDED MARCH 2019 VERSUS 2018

(a) Sports Wagering commenced on June 14, 2018.

(b) Hard Rock commenced operations (soft play period on June 25, 2018). Hard Rock opened to the public June 27, 2018. Internet gaming operations commenced on June 28, 2018.
(c) Ocean Resort commenced operations (soft play period on June 25, 2018). Ocean Resort opened to the public June 27, 2018. Internet gaming operations commenced on June 28, 2018.

#### YEAR-TO-DATE COMPARISON FOR THE YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED MARCH 2019 VERSUS 2018

CASINO WIN			INTER	NET GAMING W	SPORTS WAGERING REVENUE (a)				TOTAL GAMING REVENUE						
Casino Licensees		2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	% Change		2019		2018	% Change
Bally's AC	\$	39,695,246	\$ 42,776,974	(7.2)	\$-	\$ -	n/a	1,250,007	\$ -	n/a	\$	40,945,253	\$	42,776,974	(4.3)
Borgata		160,442,701	168,884,462	(5.0)	14,691,630	12,528,780	) 17.3	774,762	-	n/a		175,909,093		181,413,242	(3.0)
Caesars		59,420,082	61,243,059	(3.0)	-	-	n/a	-	-	n/a		59,420,082		61,243,059	(3.0)
Caesars Interactive NJ		-	-	n/a	13,991,247	10,956,417	27.7	-	-	n/a		13,991,247		10,956,417	27.7
Golden Nugget		48,177,715	52,786,222	(8.7)	37,109,125	23,840,704	4 55.7	93,891	-	n/a		85,380,731		76,626,926	11.4
Hard Rock (b)		61,265,895	-	n/a	4,922,729	-	n/a	230,065	-	n/a		66,418,689		-	n/a
Harrah's		72,078,738	83,421,950	(13.6)	-	-	n/a	52,641	-	n/a		72,131,379		83,421,950	(13.5)
Ocean Resort (c)		41,320,049	-	n/a	1,511,865	-	n/a	3,975,086	-	n/a		46,807,000		-	n/a
Resorts		42,312,860	38,408,490	10.2	-	-	n/a	470,587	-	n/a		42,783,447		38,408,490	11.4
Resorts Digital		-	-	n/a	21,576,281	11,897,98	5 81.3	17,888,717	-	n/a		39,464,998		11,897,985	231.7
Tropicana		72,415,965	77,811,515	(6.9)	10,674,620	10,310,789	3.5	312,748	-	n/a		83,403,333		88,122,304	(5.4)
Total: Casino Industry	\$	597,129,251	\$ 525,332,672	13.7	\$ 104,477,497	\$ 69,534,67	5 50.3	\$ 25,048,504	\$-	n/a	\$	726,655,252	\$	594,867,347	22.2
Racetrack Licensees	-														
Meadowlands		-	-	n/a	-	-	n/a	32,695,479	-	n/a		32,695,479		-	n/a
Monmouth Park		-	-	n/a	-	-	n/a	5,433,082	-	n/a		5,433,082		-	n/a
Grand Total	\$	597,129,251	\$ 525,332,672	13.7	\$ 104,477,497	\$ 69,534,67	50.3	\$ 63,177,065	\$-	n/a	\$	764,783,813	\$	594,867,347	28.6

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	8% Gross	8.5% Sports Wager	15% Internet Gross	13% Internet		8% Gross	8.5% Sports Wager	15% Internet Gross	13% Internet				
	Revenue Tax	Tax	Revenue Tax	Sports Tax	TOTAL (a)	Revenue Tax	Tax	Revenue Tax	Sports Tax	TOTAL (a)			
Bally's AC	1,084,806	19,890	-	43,792	1,148,488	2,902,317	36,509	-	106,664	3,045,490			
Borgata	4,335,983	3,118	818,066	7,880	5,165,047	11,684,718	57,141	2,209,260	13,327	13,964,446			
Caesars	1,682,441	-	-	-	1,682,441	4,365,842	-	-	-	4,365,842			
Caesars Interactive NJ	-	-	751,760	-	751,760	-	-	2,101,590	-	2,101,590			
Golden Nugget	1,142,586	(5,570)	2,135,114	17,178	3,289,308	3,103,635	(3,251)	5,569,879	17,178	8,687,441			
Hard Rock	1,744,477	5,551	244,626	2,204	1,996,858	4,344,321	14,358	738,409	7,950	5,105,038			
Harrah's	1,940,206	2,723	-	-	1,942,929	5,297,184	4,475	-	-	5,301,659			
Ocean Resort	1,053,696	20,929	74,631	222,175	1,371,431	2,871,914	20,929	227,083	477,694	3,597,620			
Resorts	1,076,475	7,234	-	-	1,083,709	3,023,859	40,000	-	-	3,063,859			
Resorts Digital	-	-	1,276,579	946,156	2,222,735	-	-	3,242,208	2,325,860	5,568,068			
Tropicana	1,910,121	21,347	559,181	2,771	2,493,420	5,037,505	23,767	1,601,193	4,158	6,666,623			
Casino Total	\$ 15,970,791	\$ 75,222	\$ 5,859,957	\$ 1,242,156	\$ 23,148,126	\$ 42,631,295	\$ 193,928	\$ 15,689,622	\$ 2,952,831	\$ 61,467,676			
Meadowlands	-	363,233	-	1,735,051	2,098,284	-	590,084	-	3,358,890	3,948,974			
Monmouth Park		83,731		202,608	286,339	-	109,879		534,491	644,370			
Racetrack Total	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ 446,964	<u>\$-</u>	\$ 1,937,659	\$ 2,384,623	\$-	\$ 699,963	<u>\$-</u>	\$ 3,893,381	\$ 4,593,344			
Grand Total	\$ 15,970,791	\$ 522,186	\$ 5,859,957	\$ 3,179,815	\$ 25,532,749	\$ 42,631,295	\$ 893,891	\$ 15,689,622	\$ 6,846,212	\$ 66,061,020			

#### Gross Revenue Tax, Internet Gross Revenue Tax and Sports Wagering Gross Revenue Tax Information

(a) Total Gross Revenue Taxes reflect: (1) 8% tax on Casino Gross Revenue, (2) 15% tax on Internet gaming gross revenue, (3) 8.5% tax on casino and racetrack sports wagering gross revenue, and (4) 13% tax on casino and racetrack Internet sports wagering gross revenue. Total Gross Revenue Taxes includes the tax impact of eligible promotional gaming credits. Total Gross Revenue Taxes are unaudited and subject to adjustment.

# March 2019 Sports Wagering Information

Property/Licensee	Sports Wagering Lounge/On-Site Opening Date:	Internet Start Date:
Casino Hotels:		
Ballys AC (CIENJ as affiliate)	July 30, 2018	September 6, 2018
Borgata	June 14, 2018	August 22, 2018
Golden Nugget	August 15, 2018	August 23, 2018
Harrahs	August 1, 2018	
Hard Rock	January 29, 2019	January 26, 2019
Resorts	August 15, 2018	
Ocean Resort	June 28, 2018	September 2, 2018
Resorts Digital		August 1, 2018
Tropicana	October 25, 2018	January 25, 2019
Racetrack:		
Meadowlands	July 14, 2018	September 1, 2018
Monmouth Park	June 14, 2018	September 4, 2018

# Sports Wagering Launch Dates

# Industry Month and Year-to-Date Total Handle Statistics\*

Sports Wagering Handle	Monthly Handle	YTD Handle
On-site (Retail) Sports Wagering	74,169,188	215,971,354
Internet (On-Line) Sports Wagering	298,282,154	862,088,474
Total Sports Wagering Handle	372,451,342	1,078,059,828

\* Industry Handle includes wagers on future events and will differ from Completed Events Handle.

# Industry Completed Events and Win Statistics Breakdown by Sport

Category	Completed Events YTD Sports Wagering Win	YTD Completed Events Handle	Win %
Football	5,095,483	113,817,039	4.5%
Basketball	24,976,581	492,896,145	5.1%
Baseball	58,442	12,742,714	0.5%
Parlay	24,453,672	194,670,478	12.6%
Other	12,310,352	262,295,185	4.7%
Total	66,894,530	1,076,421,561	6.2%

NOTE: YTD figures may not calculate due to prior months' amendments to Handle and Gross Revenue.