



NOTICE 1 OF 2021

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE PROMOTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE JUSTICE ACT 3 OF 2000:

INVITATION FOR COMMENTS ON THE ROLL-OUT OF TYPE B; C AND D LIMITED PAY-OUT MACHINE ("LPM") SITE AND ROUTE OPERATOR LICENCES IN THE WESTERN CAPE

- The Board hereby invites interested parties to furnish comments or any representations they wish to make with regards to the considerations contained in this Notice.
- Considerations:
 - The Board is inviting public comments on the viability and desirability of rolling out three new categories of LPM Site licences, viz. Type B; Type C and Independent Site Operator (Type D LPM Site licences) licences and the award of a third Route Operator licence, in the Province of the Western Cape.
 - The characteristics of these gambling licences are outlined below:

Type A Site	A Site that is licensed to expose a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 5 LPMs for play (all premises are linked to Route Operator). These are currently operational in the Province and no comment is required in respect hereof.
Type B Site	A Site that is licensed to expose a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 20 LPMs for play (linked to Route Operator)
Type C Site	A Site that is licensed to expose a minimum of 21 and a maximum of 40 LPMs for play (linked to Route Operator).
Type D Site	Independent Site Operator licence, where a site is licensed to expose a minimum of 21 and a maximum of 40 LPMs for play (not linked to Route Operator).
Route Operator	Route Operator means a company registered in terms of the Companies Act, 1973 (Act No. 61 of 1973), which is - (a) licensed to own and operate limited payout machines; (b) responsible for maintaining limited payout machines; and (c) responsible for effecting the collection of money and paying the provincial taxes and levies in respect of any limited payout machine under its licence.

- The economic and social benefits to the Province in rolling out the categories of licences specified in this Notice includes:
 - The payment of increased Operator fees to the Provincial Fiscus;
 - Taxes on the gambling revenue generated accruing to the Provincial Fiscus;
 - Additional corporate social investment initiative contributions to uplift communities in which they operate and the Province as a whole;
 - Bringing informal small businesses into the formal economy, through partnering with small and medium enterprises to acquire LPM premises licences; and
 - Facilitating further transformation imperatives of the industry through the promotion of Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment ("BBBEE").
- Should a determination be made to roll-out Type B; C and D licences, the relevant applications will be advertised for comments in respect of the suitability of the premises and persons holding a financial interest of 5% or more in terms of the prescripts in the Western Cape Gambling and Racing Act, 1996, the Rules and Regulations.
- This Notice is not an indication that the Board will roll-out these categories of licences but rather inviting comments in terms of the viability and desirability of these categories of licences being licensed by the Board.
- The Board reserves the right to not award any of the categories of licences espoused in this Notice. The Board's final determination will be made upon conclusion of the public participation processes.
- Written comments and representations must be forwarded to the following address and contact details:

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- Comments should reach the Office of the Board within 30 (thirty) calendar days from the date of publication in the Government Gazette. Comments received after the closing date may be disregarded.
- Persons lodging comments or representations should provide clear contact details and personal particulars, i.e. name, telephone number, facsimile number or email address.
- Please note that a more detailed Notice concerning the proposed administrative action appears in the Government Gazette of 5 November 2021, under the Board Notices section.
- For enquiries, please contact:

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