



ILLINOIS GAMING BOARD

Press Advisory

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Illinois Gaming Board Seeks Public and Industry Comment on Recently Enacted Sports Wagering Act

CHICAGO – The Illinois Gaming Board (“IGB”), is seeking input from the public, the sports wagering industry, and other stakeholders regarding proposed rules and other comments relevant to the Illinois Sports Wagering Act rulemaking process. The IGB will open this 30 day public comment period on August 27, 2019 and close the comment period on September 27, 2019. Follow the hyper link at the bottom of this press advisory to submit an email comment, proposed rule or other response regarding rulemaking for the Illinois Sports Wagering Act.

“The Sports Wagering Act was signed on June 28, 2019. This public comment period is an important step in a process to ethically and expeditiously establish a regulatory framework to allow sports wagering in Illinois,” said IGB Administrator Marcus Fruchter. “In order to make the process of rule creation as transparent and independent as possible, it is important that the public and various stakeholders have an equal opportunity to submit comments about the Sports Wagering Act contained in P.A 101-0031.”

The sports wagering public comment period will be open for 30 days from August 27, 2019 to September 27, 2019. Once all comments are submitted, the IGB will post all sports wagering comments on the IGB website in a timely manner. Please utilize the following email address for comment submission:

igb.sportsrulecomments@igb.illinois.gov

Follow this link for more information:

<http://www.igb.illinois.gov/SportsLaw.aspx>