

# Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Agency

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SUBJECT: Report for the October 2024 Commission Meeting

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Following is the status update of ongoing efforts in Government Relations and Human Resources for October.

## **I. GOVERNMENT RELATIONS MATTERS**

The next Sports Wagering Application Review Commission (SWARC) meeting is scheduled for November 20, 2024. At this time, it is uncertain when MLGCC will schedule the next qualification hearing to determine whether one of the current applicants is qualified for a sports wagering license under the Maryland Sports Wagering Law.

## **II. REGULATORY MATTERS**

The proposed regulations that were approved by the Commission at its August and September Commission meetings should appear in the November 15 or December 2 editions of the *Maryland Register*.

## **III. HUMAN RESOURCES MATTERS**

The Human Resources (HR) team continues to focus on recruiting for sports wagering positions and backfilling other positions around the Agency. Currently, the Agency has seven (7) active recruitment for October and twelve (12) vacant positions, mainly in our Regulatory Oversight Division, and our Accounting, Finance and Operations Division. On October 22, we will be meeting with representatives of the Department of Budget and Management and one of the collective bargaining units for a negotiations meeting.