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**Press Release**

**Subject: Monthly Win and Percentage  
Fee Tax Collections**

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**May 2006  
Nevada Gaming Revenues and Collections**

**Win Revenue Summary – May 2006**

Nevada’s nonrestricted gaming licensees reported a total “gaming win” of \$1,126,598,109 for the month of May 2006. This amounts to a 9.04% increase compared to May 2005, when licensees reported a gaming win of \$1,033,193,333. For the fiscal year (July 1, 2005 through May 31, 2006), gaming win has increased 12.15%.

Regional Gaming Win - Monthly Revenue						
Area	Current Period			Fiscal Year-to Date		
	5/1/06 to 5/31/06	5/1/05 to 5/31/05	% Change	7/1/05 to 5/31/06	7/1/04 to 5/31/05	% Change
Statewide	1,126,598,109	1,033,193,333	9.04%	11,272,029,977	10,051,208,505	12.15%
Clark County	962,616,273	869,739,132	10.68%	9,455,644,991	8,340,953,324	13.36%
LV Strip	603,752,646	543,078,913	11.17%	5,936,563,597	5,089,319,191	16.65%
Downtown	58,321,290	58,075,828	0.42%	603,254,294	608,377,116	-0.84%
North Las Vegas	29,995,404	29,357,213	2.17%	289,843,075	256,710,286	12.91%
Laughlin	55,113,313	51,352,353	7.32%	582,005,339	562,323,238	3.50%
Boulder Strip	83,040,022	82,437,205	0.73%	848,880,449	777,238,436	9.22%
Mesquite	12,753,882	11,385,010	12.02%	138,361,724	120,349,105	14.97%
Balance of County	119,639,715	94,052,611	27.21%	1,056,736,513	926,635,951	14.04%
Washoe County	91,187,227	88,425,509	3.12%	983,751,773	930,263,125	5.75%
Reno	67,176,403	64,994,051	3.36%	710,622,022	669,048,673	6.21%
Sparks	14,203,499	13,480,340	5.36%	156,624,221	148,500,448	5.47%
North Lake Tahoe	3,104,730	2,681,516	15.78%	39,175,511	38,604,083	1.48%
Balance of County	6,702,595	7,269,602	-7.80%	77,330,019	74,109,921	4.35%
South Lake Tahoe	25,828,374	27,959,527	-7.62%	315,886,113	304,521,437	3.73%
Elko County	21,987,682	22,031,907	-0.20%	242,139,334	226,085,031	7.10%
Wendover	13,808,909	12,941,723	6.70%	147,086,116	132,960,002	10.62%
Balance of County	8,178,773	9,090,184	-10.03%	95,053,217	93,125,029	2.07%
Carson Valley Area	9,628,991	10,644,338	-9.54%	113,529,347	108,989,985	4.16%
Other	15,349,562	14,392,920	6.65%	161,078,419	140,395,604	14.73%

\* Carson Valley Area includes Carson City, Gardnerville, Minden and all other areas of Douglas County except South Lake Tahoe.

Win totals reflect the most recent data available and are subject to revision.

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**Percentage Fee Collections for the Month of June 2006**

The State collected \$71,605,361 in percentage fees during the month of June 2006, based upon the taxable revenues generated in May 2006. This represents a 1.16% (or \$819,451) increase compared to the prior year's June, when percentage fee collections were \$70,785,910.

Statewide Percentage Fee Collections					
Business Period	Collection Period	Current Year FY06	Prior Year FY05	% Change	Year-to-Date % Change
JUNE	JULY	54,555,662	54,436,245	0.22%	0.22%
JULY	AUGUST	64,714,393	49,241,575	31.42%	15.04%
AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	61,884,762	59,535,581	3.95%	10.99%
SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	68,064,245	61,472,972	10.72%	10.92%
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	71,001,381	63,071,579	12.57%	11.28%
NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	63,294,947	54,622,877	15.88%	12.01%
DECEMBER	JANUARY	43,403,588	40,986,909	5.90%	11.36%
JANUARY	FEBRUARY	76,230,377	66,247,615	15.07%	11.91%
FEBRUARY	MARCH	70,033,300	52,155,343	34.28%	14.23%
MARCH	APRIL	92,767,201	88,630,001	4.67%	12.80%
APRIL	MAY	52,875,759	48,746,442	8.47%	12.47%
MAY	JUNE	71,605,361	70,785,910	1.16%	11.34%
		790,430,976	709,933,049		11.34%

**Fiscal Year 2006 Forecast**

Compared to the May 2005 Economic Forum's projections, percentage fee collections for the twelve months of fiscal year 2006 were 5.56% (or \$41,663,972) above their forecast. Collections for the current month were 4.09% below their forecast.

	Forecast FY06	Actual FY06	\$ Difference	% Difference
JULY	57,413,955	54,555,662	-\$2,858,293	-4.98%
AUGUST	51,935,132	64,714,393	\$12,779,261	24.61%
SEPTEMBER	62,792,229	61,884,762	-\$907,467	-1.45%
OCTOBER	64,835,597	68,064,245	\$3,228,648	4.98%
NOVEMBER	66,521,649	71,001,381	\$4,479,732	6.73%
DECEMBER	57,610,796	63,294,947	\$5,684,151	9.87%
JANUARY	43,228,929	43,403,588	\$174,659	0.40%
FEBRUARY	69,871,417	76,230,377	\$6,358,960	9.10%
MARCH	55,008,286	70,033,300	\$15,025,014	27.31%
APRIL	93,478,139	92,767,201	-\$710,938	-0.76%
MAY	51,412,915	52,875,759	\$1,462,844	2.85%
JUNE	74,657,961	71,605,361	-\$3,052,600	-4.09%
Fiscal Year To Date	748,767,004	790,430,976	\$41,663,972	5.56%

**Governor Kenny Guinn's Comments**

"Nevada's gaming industry continues to be a magnet for visitors and locals seeking world class venues featuring the very best in hospitality and gaming attractions."