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Press Release

Subject: Monthly Win and Percentage
Fee Tax Collections

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May 1998
Nevada Gaming Revenues and Collections

Win Revenue Summary - May 1998

Nevada's nonrestricted gaming licensees reported a total "gaming win" of \$690,469,401 for the month of May 1998. This amounts to a 1.12% increase compared to May 1997, when licensees reported a gaming win of \$682,811,793.

Regional Gaming Win - Monthly Revenue						
Area	Current Period			Fiscal Year-to Date		
	5/1/98 to 5/31/98	5/1/97 to 5/31/97	% Change	7/1/97 to 5/31/98	7/1/96 to 5/31/97	% Change
Statewide	690,469,401	682,811,793	1.12%	7,250,389,328	6,953,743,823	4.27%
Clark	536,918,844	537,519,783	-0.11%	5,728,265,415	5,454,734,792	5.01%
LV Strip	318,419,586	337,532,033	-5.66%	3,481,454,730	3,373,090,679	3.21%
Downtown	58,798,512	58,433,401	0.62%	630,970,459	631,744,450	-0.12%
North Las Vegas	15,152,509	13,999,409	8.24%	161,138,841	142,797,802	12.84%
Laughlin	42,231,065	41,115,801	2.71%	446,265,781	448,003,220	-0.39%
Boulder Strip	43,784,178	32,294,172	35.58%	434,758,261	341,106,599	27.46%
Balance of County	58,532,995	54,144,966	8.10%	573,677,342	517,992,042	10.75%
Washoe	94,462,800	89,725,303	5.28%	920,354,442	894,127,403	2.93%
South Lake Tahoe	27,493,319	25,362,043	8.40%	267,512,370	279,662,995	-4.34%
Elko	16,361,317	16,435,442	-0.45%	180,625,622	182,854,570	-1.22%
Carson Valley Area *	7,045,220	6,319,372	11.49%	69,341,956	66,037,660	5.00%
Other	8,187,901	7,449,850	9.91%	84,289,523	76,326,403	10.43%

* 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 Tax Collections for the Month of June 1998

The State collected \$46,829,173 in percentage fee taxes during the month of June 1998, based upon the taxable revenues generated in May 1998. This represents a 4.75% (or \$2,124,992) increase compared to the prior year's June (1997), when percentage fee collections were \$44,704,181.

On a fiscal year (July 1, 1997 through June 30, 1998) basis, the State of Nevada collected \$459,065,973 in percentage fee taxes. This represents a 3.17% increase from the prior fiscal year period when collections totaled \$444,975,675.

Statewide Percentage Fee Collections					
Business Period	Collection Period	Current Year FY98	Prior Year FY97	% Change	Year-to-Date % Change
JUNE	JULY	28,164,996	33,631,958	-16.26%	-16.26%
JULY	AUGUST	41,238,240	37,229,526	10.77%	-2.06%
AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	37,415,804	35,453,768	5.53%	0.47%
SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	42,514,078	38,739,947	9.74%	2.95%
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	38,343,082	39,307,211	-2.45%	1.80%
NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	31,455,734	33,765,123	-6.84%	0.46%
DECEMBER	JANUARY	26,949,588	23,799,409	13.24%	1.72%
JANUARY	FEBRUARY	40,878,686	39,557,876	3.34%	1.95%
FEBRUARY	MARCH	36,143,637	35,383,218	2.15%	1.97%
MARCH	APRIL	56,378,823	49,446,603	14.02%	3.59%
APRIL	MAY	32,754,132	33,956,855	-3.54%	2.99%
MAY	JUNE	<u>46,829,173</u>	<u>44,704,181</u>	4.75%	<u>3.17%</u>
		459,065,973	444,975,675		3.17%

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