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Fee Tax Collections

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August 1998 Nevada Gaming Revenues and Collections

Win Revenue Summary - August 1998

Nevada's nonrestricted gaming licensees reported a total "gaming win" of \$685,165,061 for the month of August 1998. This amounts to a 0.21% <u>increase</u> compared to August 1997, when licensees reported a gaming win of \$683,697,659.

Regional Gaming Win - Monthly Revenue									
	Current 1	Period	riod Fiscal Year-to Date		r-to Date				
Area	8/1/98 to 8/31/98	8/1/97 to 8/31/97	% Change	7/1/98 to 8/31/98	7/1/97 to 8/31/97	% Change			
Statewide	685,165,061	683,697,659	0.21%	1,385,336,142	1,354,914,662	2.25%			
Clark	519,546,420	524,092,842	-0.87%	1,054,663,426	1,037,221,379	1.68%			
LV Strip	318,132,774	324,475,696	-1.95%	644,991,606	647,996,406	-0.46%			
Downtown	52,836,877	59,563,964	-11.29%	108,270,810	113,552,918	-4.65%			
North Las Vegas	15,340,035	13,888,527	10.45%	30,738,278	26,797,420	14.71%			
Laughlin	35,860,955	37,812,398	-5.16%	74,860,106	75,044,806	-0.25%			
Boulder Strip	41,136,190	36,208,446	13.61%	83,078,168	72,452,803	14.67%			
Balance of County	56,239,588	52,143,812	7.85%	112,724,458	101,377,025	11.19%			
Washoe	94,993,571	97,789,706	-2.86%	187,480,660	188,842,893	-0.72%			
South Lake Tahoe	37,515,564	30,522,604	22.91%	76,872,034	66,250,405	16.03%			
Elko	17,398,728	16,529,219	5.26%	34,941,342	33,531,826	4.20%			
Carson Valley Area *	7,665,052	6,960,704	10.12%	15,321,897	13,751,798	11.42%			
Other	8,045,727	7,802,583	3.12%	16,056,784	15,316,362	4.83%			

^{*} 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 September 1998

The State collected \$37,285,981 in percentage fee taxes during the month of September 1998, based upon the taxable revenues generated in August 1998. This represents a 0.35% (or -\$129,823) decrease compared to the prior year's September (1997), when percentage fee collections were \$37,415,804.

On a three-month fiscal-year-to-date (July 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998), the State of Nevada collected \$114,787,525 in percentage fee taxes. This represents a 7.46% <u>increase</u> from the prior fiscal year three-month period when collections totaled \$106,819,040.

Statewide Percentage Fee Collections										
Business Period	Collection Period	Current Year FY99	Prior Year FY98	% Change	Year-to-Date % Change					
JUNE	JULY	35,122,890	28,164,996	24.70%	24.70%					
JULY	AUGUST	42,378,654	41,238,240	2.77%	11.67%					
AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	37,285,981	37,415,804	-0.35%	7.46%					
		114,787,525	106,819,040		7.46%					

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