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Subject: Monthly Win and Percentage Fee Tax Collections Release: March 9, 2000

January 2000 Nevada Gaming Revenues and Collections

Win Revenue Summary – January 2000

Nevada's nonrestricted gaming licensees reported a total "gaming win" of \$866,454,509 for the month of January 2000. This amounts to a 7.32% <u>increase</u> compared to January 1999, when licensees reported a gaming win of \$807,319,974.

Regional Gaming Win - Monthly Revenue								
	Current Period			Fiscal Year-to Date				
Area	1/1/00 to 1/31/00	1/1/99 to 1/31/99	% Change	7/1/99 to 1/31/00	7/1/98 to 1/31/99	% Change		
Statewide	866,454,509	807,319,974	7.32%	5,534,667,143	4,951,161,610	11.79%		
Clark County	720,579,277	670,381,200	7.49%	4,431,148,906	3,904,941,027	13.48%		
LV Strip	465,880,325	432,477,134	7.72%	2,817,827,604	2,414,431,934	16.71%		
Downtown	60,107,765	63,090,069	-4.73%	387,383,192	392,423,755	-1.28%		
North Las Vegas	22,374,121	18,070,605	23.82%	134,526,732	112,504,188	19.57%		
Laughlin	49,733,438	48,334,309	2.89%	306,754,867	283,835,365	8.07%		
Boulder Strip	52,371,764	47,194,590	10.97%	334,469,965	304,521,207	9.83%		
Mesquite	8,937,653	8,330,710	7.29%	54,501,605	48,520,708	12.33%		
Balance of County	61,174,210	52,883,783	15.68%	395,684,941	348,703,870	13.47%		
Washoe County	84,716,809	78,821,375	7.48%	652,253,478	611,617,498	6.64%		
Reno	63,684,341	59,306,170	7.38%	488,807,358	460,147,112	6.23%		
Sparks	12,353,519	12,428,542	-0.60%	96,253,651	92,820,383	3.70%		
North Lake Tahoe	3,894,193	3,236,763	20.31%	27,788,472	25,846,742	7.51%		
Balance of County	4,784,756	3,849,900	24.28%	39,403,996	32,803,262	20.12%		
South Lake Tahoe	24,797,695	25,876,283	-4.17%	203,388,416	203,076,868	0.15%		
Elko County	19,986,007	17,567,586	13.77%	131,355,625	124,762,070	5.28%		
Wendover	11,808,167	9,582,814	23.22%	70,209,198	67,680,439	3.74%		
Balance of County	8,177,841	7,984,772	2.42%	61,146,427	57,081,631	7.12%		
Carson Valley Area *	7,238,479	6,741,521	7.37%	53,702,122	49,837,222	7.76%		
Other	9,136,243	7,932,009	15.18%	62,818,597	56,926,924	10.35%		

* 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 February 2000

The State collected \$56,550,732 in percentage fee taxes during the month of February 2000, based upon the taxable revenues generated in January 2000. This represents a 9.65% (or \$4,976,330) <u>increase</u> compared to the prior year's February (1999), when percentage fee collections were \$51,574,402.

On an eight-month fiscal-year-to-date (July 1, 1999 through February 29, 2000), the State of Nevada collected \$365,975,960 in percentage fee taxes. This represents a 14.57% <u>increase</u> from the prior fiscal year eight-month period when collections totaled \$319,424,151.

Business	Collection	Current Year	Prior Year		Year-to-Date
Period	Period	FY00	FY99	% Change	% Change
JUNE	JULY	39,349,377	35,122,890	12.03%	12.03%
JULY	AUGUST	46,028,422	42,378,654	8.61%	10.16%
AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	42,217,645	37,285,914	13.23%	11.16%
SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	49,447,256	38,782,858	27.50%	15.28%
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	49,268,329	43,253,366	13.91%	14.98%
NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	48,498,599	39,383,760	23.14%	16.34%
DECEMBER	JANUARY	34,615,600	31,642,307	9.40%	15.52%
JANUARY	FEBRUARY	56,550,732	51,574,402	9.65%	14.57%
		365,975,960	319,424,151		14.57%

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