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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL HOUSE MEMBERS
FROM: REPRESENTATIVE PAUL I. CLYMER *Paul*
SUBJECT: REGULATORY OVERSIGHT/AUTHORITY OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
GAMING CONTROL BOARD -- MONTHLY STATEMENTS
(FORMER HOUSE BILL 553 OF 2009)
DATE: JANUARY 6, 2011

In the near future, I will be *reintroducing* legislation that would give the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board additional regulatory authority.

Former House Bill 553 would require licensed gaming entities to issue monthly statements to patrons who have total rewards cards. These cards track the amount of money and time spent gambling; and are used by the gaming industry to determine complimentary services for their patrons. The monthly statements would list the patrons' gambling winnings and losses.

With gambling addiction a serious social problem, warning other family members of the addiction is a responsibility that makes sense.

If you would like to cosponsor this important legislation that could prevent many patrons from spending all of their household savings, please contact Norma Aviles at 783-3154 or via GroupWise at naviles@pahousegop.com.

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