FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fair William J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [PENN]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify				
(1 act) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2019							below) below) EVP and CFO					
(Street) WYOMISSING PA 19610 (City) (State) (Zip)				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date				Transactio	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transactio Code (Inst	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	action (Instr.			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	Ownersh S Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.		Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$19.45	01/03/2019		A		86,218		01/03/2020 ⁽¹⁾	01/03/2029	Common Stock	86,218	\$0	86,21	8	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Vests over four years on the anniversary date of grant as follows: 21,555 shares on January 3, 2020; 21,555 shares on January 3, 2021; 21,554 shares on January 3, 2022; and 21,554 shares on January 3, 2023.

/s/ Christopher Rogers as

attorney-in-fact for William J. 01/07/2019

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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