#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

#### FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 7, 2024

#### PENN Entertainment, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Pennsylvania** (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-24206

(Commission File Number)

23-2234473 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

825 Berkshire Blvd., Suite 200 Wyomissing, PA 19610

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Zip Code)

610-373-2400

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- ☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ☐ Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

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Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share	PENN	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company  $\square$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 7, 2024, PENN Entertainment, Inc. (the "Company") provided an update to investors announcing certain select preliminary financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2024. A copy of the investor update is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.02.

The information required by this Item 2.02 set forth in Item 7.01, including in Exhibit 99.2, is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.02.

The Company's financial closing procedures for the third quarter ended September 30, 2024 are not yet complete. The select preliminary financial information presented in Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 furnished hereto are estimates based on information available to management as of the date of this filling, have not been reviewed by the Company's independent registered accounting firm, and are subject to change. It is possible that the final results may vary from these preliminary estimates upon completion of closing procedures and finalization of the unaudited interim consolidated financial statements. The select preliminary financial information presented does not present all information necessary for a complete understanding of the Company's results for the quarter ended September 30, 2024, and should not be viewed as a substitute for full financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP.

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

At 5:00 p.m. ET on October 7, 2024, the Company will host an investor event at the M Resort in Las Vegas, Nevada to update investors on the Company's business strategy, operations and other key developments (the "Investor Presentation"). A copy of the slide deck to be used in conjunction with the Investor Presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01. The Investor Presentation slide deck is also available on our website at pennentertainment.com/corp/investors.

The Investor Presentation slide deck contains forward-looking statements about the Company's strategic plans, goals, growth initiatives and outlook, certain preliminary estimates, and key performance indicators.

Pursuant to General Instruction B.2. to Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities thereof, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into future filings by the Company under the Exchange Act or under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except to the extent specifically provided in any such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits

<u>99.1</u>	Investor Update, dated October 7, 2024, of PENN Entertainment, Inc.
<u>99.2</u>	Investor Presentation slide deck, dated October 7, 2024.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PENN ENTERTAINMENT, INC. Date: October 7, 2024

/s/ Christopher Rogers

Christopher Rogers
Executive Vice President, Chief Strategy and Legal Officer and Secretary

Exhibit 99.1

#### PENN Entertainment, Inc. Investor Update as of October 7, 2024

PENN Entertainment, Inc. (Nasdaq: PENN) (the "Company") today announced select preliminary financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2024. The Company is providing an estimated range for Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR\* and is updating its Interactive Adjusted EBITDAR\* estimated range, each for the third quarter 2024, as set out below.

The Company expects third quarter 2024 Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR to be in the range of \$465 million to \$475 million. Estimated third quarter 2024 Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR was negatively impacted by approximately \$10 million due to unfavorable hold rates within our Northeast segment and volume declines in our South segment associated with severe weather disruptions and hotel remodeling. As disclosed in our Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2023, third quarter 2023 Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR was positively impacted by \$14 million in business interruption proceeds related to Hurricane Laura, which was recorded in the South segment.

The Company is raising its previously estimated Interactive Adjusted EBITDA range for the third quarter 2024 to \$(100) million, up from our previous guidance of \$(135) million to \$(115) million. Better than expected hold driven by a higher parlay mix from our improving product and lower promotional expenses accounted for the upside.

The third quarter 2024 estimates and guidance provided above are estimates based on information available to management as of the date of this investor update, are subject to change and are not a guarantee of future performance. The Company's financial closing procedures for the third quarter 2024 are not yet complete. It is possible that the final results for the third quarter 2024 may vary from these preliminary estimates upon completion of closing procedures and finalization of the unaudited interim consolidated financial statements. As the Company completes its quarter-end financial close process and finalizes its unaudited interim consolidated financial statements for the third quarter 2024, it is possible that the Company may identify items that require it to adjust the preliminary financial information set forth above, and that such changes could be material. The Company does not intend to update such financial information prior to the release of its full third quarter 2024 financial results, which, as described below, is currently scheduled for November 7, 2024.

#### Third Quarter 2024 Earnings Conference Call

The Company will release full financial results for its third quarter ended September 30, 2024, on Thursday November 7, 2024, and will host a conference call that morning at 9:00 a.m. ET.

\* Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR and Interactive Adjusted EBITDAR as the Company's reportable segment GAAP measures. Management utilizes Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR as the primary profit measure for its Northeast, South, West, and Midwest segments. Management utilizes Interactive Adjusted EBITDA as the primary profit measure for its Interactive segment. We define Adjusted EBITDA as earnings before interest expense, net; interest income; income taxes; depreciation and amortization; stock-based compensation; debt extinguishment charges; impairment losses; insurance recoveries, net of deductible charges; changes in the estimated fair value of our contingent purchase price obligations; gain or loss on disposal of assets; the difference between budget and actual expense for cash-settled stock-based awards; pre-opening expenses; loss on disposal of a business; non-cash gains/losses associated with partial and step acquisitions as measured in accordance with ASC 805 "Business Combinations;" and other. We define Adjusted EBITDAR as Adjusted EBITDAR as Adjusted EBITDAR as defined above) plus rent expense associated with triple net operating leases (which is a normal, recurring cash operating expense necessary to operate our business).

#### **About PENN Entertainment**

PENN Entertainment, Inc. is North America's leading provider of integrated entertainment, sports content, and casino gaming experiences. The Company operates 43 properties in 20 states, online sports betting in 20 jurisdictions and iCasino in five jurisdictions, under a portfolio of well-recognized brands including Hollywood Casino®, L'Auberge®, ESPN BET™ and theScore BET Sportsbook and Casino®. In August 2023, the Company entered into a transformative, exclusive long-term strategic alliance with ESPN, Inc. and ESPN Enterprises, Inc. (together, "ESPN") relating to online sports betting within the United States. The Company's ability to leverage the leading sports media brands in the United States (ESPN) and Canada (theScore) is central to our highly differentiated strategy to expand our footprint and efficiently grow our customer ecosystem. The Company's focus on organic cross-sell opportunities is reinforced by our market-leading retail casinos, sports media assets, and technology, including a proprietary state-of-the-art, fully integrated digital sports and iCasino betting platform and an in-house iCasino content studio. The Company's portfolio is further bolstered by our industry-leading PENN Play™ customer loyalty program, which offers our 31 million members a unique set of rewards and experiences across business channels.

#### Forward Looking Statements

This Investor Update contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "expects," "believes," "estimates," "projects," "intends," "glans," "goal," "seeks," "may," "will," "should," or "anticipates" or the negative or other variations of these or similar words, or by discussions of future events, strategies or risks and uncertainties. Specifically, forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements regarding: future revenue, Interactive Adjusted EBITDA and Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR; the Company's expectations of future results of operations and financial condition; and the assumptions provided regarding the guidance, including the scale and timing of the Company's product and technology investments.

Such statements are all subject to risks, uncertainties and changes in circumstances that could significantly affect the Company's future financial results and business. Accordingly, the Company cautions that forward looking statements contained herein are qualified by important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those reflected by such statements. Such factors include: the effects of economic and market conditions in the markets in which the Company operates or otherwise, including the impact of global supply chain disruptions, price inflation, rising interest rates, slowing economic growth, and geopolitical uncertainty; competition with other entertainment, sports content, and casino gaming experience; the timing, cost and expected impact of product and technology investments; risks relating to operations, permits, licenses, financings, approvals and other contingencies in connection with growth in new or existing jurisdictions; our ability to achieve the anticipated financial returns from the Sportsbook Agreement with ESPN, including due to fees, costs, taxes, or circumstances beyond the Company's or ESPN's control; our ability to successfully acquire and integrate new properties and operations and achieve expected synergies from acquisitions; our ability to maintain our gaming licenses and concessions and comply with applicable gaming law; changes in current laws, regulations, rules or other industry standards; and additional risks and uncertainties described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023, subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, each as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company does not intend to update publicly any forward-looking statements except as required by law. Considering these risks, uncertainties and assumptions, the forward-looking events discussed in this Investor Update may not occur.



# **INVESTOR EVENT**

**G2E Conference** October 7, 2024

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# **AGENDA**



#### 1. Company Strategy

Jay Snowden, CEO

#### 2. Retail & Omni-Channel

> Todd George, EVP of Operations

#### 3. Interactive

- Aaron LaBerge, CTO
- > Jason Birney, Head of Interactive Operations

#### 4. Financials

> Felicia Hendrix, CFO

#### 5. Closing Remarks

> Jay Snowden, CEO









# **SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM**





Jay Snowden Chief Executive Officer



**Todd George** EVP, Operations



**Felicia Hendrix** EVP, Chief Financial Officer



**Aaron LaBerge**EVP, Chief Technology Officer



**Chris Rogers**EVP, Chief Strategy & Legal Officer



Eric Schippers SVP, Public Affairs



Wendy Hamilton SVP, Chief Human Resources Officer

# STRONG, DIVERSIFIED GAMING BUSINESS

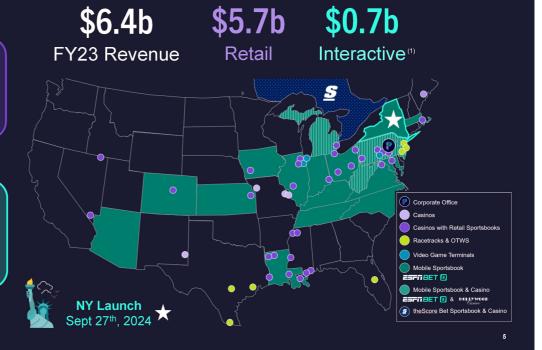


#### Retail

43 Properties (20 States) 4 New Growth Projects

#### Interactive

OSB (20 Jurisdictions) iCasino (5 Jurisdictions)



(1) Interactive revenue includes a tax gross-up of \$390.4 million.

# LEADING BRANDS, ASSETS AND REACH







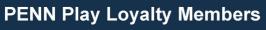


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31M

3.9M

TOTAL

DIGITAL



### **OUR VISION FOR ESPN BET**



- Provide a home for the everyday sports fan and mass-market bettor
- Create the leading media & betting ecosystem experience with ESPN
- Develop a best-in-class product to improve monetization
- Cross-sell our growing database to iCasino and our retail properties



### **RECENT PROGRESS REINFORCES OUR VISION**



Improved ESPN BET Product Offering



Over-Indexing with Mass-Market
Higher Parlay Mix & Hold
More Predictable Revenue
Higher Conversion of Handle to NGR
Better Unit Economics



## **PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS**





**September 2024 Year-Over-Year Growth** 



+161%

Users

Monthly Unique

+211%

Parlay Users
Monthly Unique

+608<sub>bps</sub>
Parlay Mix

of Handle



9.1% 1 4.8%

+430<sub>bps</sub>
% Hold Rate

+151%

+403% NGR

Note: All results are preliminary September 2024 vs. September 2023 for our U.S. online sports betting operations

## **OUR PRODUCT HAS IMPROVED DRAMATICALLY...**







# **Refreshed Home Page**

**Parlay Lounge** 

**Profit Boosts** 

**Enhanced SGP Offering** 

and more...

### ...AND OUR ESPN INTEGRATIONS ARE DEEPENING





- ➤ ESPN BET is becoming omnipresent within the ESPN ecosystem, including Fantasy
- ➤ Deeper integrations are on the way with **Account Linking in Q4**



# STRATEGY HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN ONTARIO...





**SPORTSBOOK & CASINO** 



**Double-Digit** 

1H24 OSB Market Share in Ontario







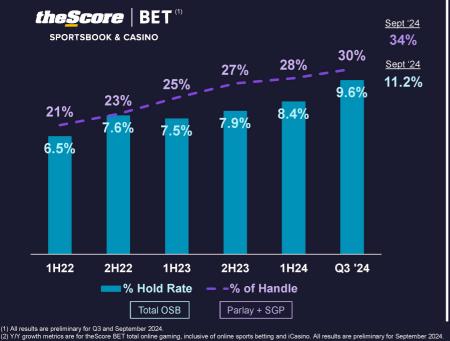


Note: Reflects GGR market share of online sports betting in Ontario through June 2024

### ...WITH STRONG RESULTS IN YEAR 3



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the Score | BET Y/Y Growth (Sep '24 LTM) (2) **Gross Profit** Revenue +227% **Contribution Profit** 

### A PROVEN STRATEGY IN THE UK







Sky Bet Market Share of Total UK Online Gaming Market

2014 6%

2017 12%

Today >20%

Powerful brand and media integrations with Sky Sports helped Sky Bet grow over time into one of the largest operators in the UK







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Note: Market share estimates based on publicly available information and internal company estimate

### **BRAND STRENGTH IS ALREADY EVIDENT IN YEAR 1**



The ESPN BET brand is resonating with bettors, with significant upside as monetization continues to improve



**Weekly Average Users** 

#3
Sportsbook

16%
User Share





tote. The Sensor Tower data shown represents the week beginning September 23, 2024 through September 29, 2024, and is across the top available unified sportsbook & daily fantasy competitor apps including our top six market hare competitors in OSB and two of the largest Daily Fantasy Sports apps. Sensor Tower policies.

## RECENT NY LAUNCH FURTHER EXPANDS OUR REACH PERN





**ESPITEET** is now live in 19 U.S. States



46% of U.S.





of Canadian





(1) Sept. '23 to Jan '24 average visitors per month across ESPN App, ESPN Fantasy, and ESPN.com in the state of New York

## SPORTS BETTING FUELS OMNI-CHANNEL STRATEGY



**ESPNBET** 

**Sports Betting** 

the**Score** | BET





## **RETAIL GROWTH PROJECTS ON THE HORIZON**



#### **Hollywood Joliet (IL) Relocation**



#### **Hollywood Columbus (OH) Hotel Tower**



#### **Hollywood Aurora (IL) Relocation**



#### M Resort (NV) Hotel Tower



### **LOOKING AHEAD**



2024

**INVEST** 

- Peak Interactive Losses
- Key Upgrades to Digital Products
- Interactive Losses Narrow Toward Breakeven and Balance Sheet De-Levers **EXECUTE** 
  - > Transformational Digital Product / ESPN Integrations + Standalone iCasino Product
  - Opening of Hollywood Joliet 2H25

**ACCELERATE** 

- Interactive Inflect to Profitability
- Remaining Growth Projects Open 1H26



# **RETAIL & OMNI-CHANNEL**

**Todd George, EVP of Operations** 



### **RETAIL GROWTH STRATEGY**

PENN

- Focus on a growth mindset through strategic partnerships and differentiated offerings
- Drive greater loyalty through our PENN Play program and omni-channel offerings
- Reinvest in our properties to enhance the guest experience and evolve entertainment offerings
- Maintain leading margin profile through new technology and advanced marketing strategies
- Create and grow our destination offerings to enhance our omni-channel impact







## **WE ARE TAKING MARKET SHARE**





Hollywood Casino Columbus, OH



M Resort Las Vegas, NV



Hollywood Casino Kansas Speedway, KS



Plainridge Park
Plainville, MA

Share Growth in

Regional

Markets

**YTD Market** 



Ameristar Casino Black Hawk, CO



Hollywood Greektown Detroit, MI

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Note: Year-to-date market share through August 2024.

# **BROADENING OUR REACH VIA PARTNERSHIPS**









Norwegian Cruise Line®

**F&B CONCEPTS** 











## **INDUSTRY-LEADING RETAIL MARGINS**



2019 Margins ~32%



+200 bps



2024E Margins ~34%

**Payroll** 

Cost of Goods

Marketing

**Gaming Tax** 

G&A

Labor Efficiencies Enhanced Procurement

More efficient communication and promo offers

Change in Revenue Mix to higher tax markets Increased costs for insurance, utilities, and other

### A LEADER IN RETAIL SPORTS BETTING



#### **Retail Sports Betting GGR Market Share**



**Recent Retail Sportsbook** 



Hollywood Greektown (MI)

Hollywood Kansas Speedway (KS)

L'Auberge Baton Rouge (LA)

Margaritaville Bossier City (LA)

Hollywood Columbus (OH)

Hollywood Perryville (MD)

Hollywood Toledo (OH)

L'Auberge Lake Charles (LA)

Retail Sports Betting GGR Market Share shown above is for the period 1H24 using publicly reported state and internal co

# **CASE STUDY: RETAIL SPORTSBOOKS**



Ohio

(4 Properties)



**GGR Growth** 

+2.4%

**GGR Share Growth** 

+70 bps

Kansas

(Kansas Speedway)



**GGR Growth** 

+4.8%

**GGR Share Growth** 

+106 bps

ote: All GGR dollars growth and GGR share growth are Y.V. changes from state reported data during January-August 2024 vs. January-August 2023

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# **CASE STUDY: RETAIL SPORTSBOOKS**



Colorado

(Black Hawk)



**GGR Growth** 

+4.1%

**GGR Share Growth** 

+49 bps

Massachusetts

(Plainridge Park)



**GGR Growth** 

+6.7%

**GGR Share Growth** 

+69 bps

Note: All GGR dollars growth and GGR share growth are Y/Y changes from state reported data during January-August 2024 vs. January-August 2023

# **GROWTH PROJECTS REMAIN ON-TRACK**



Hollywood Joliet (IL)



Hollywood Aurora (IL)



Hollywood Columbus (OH)



M Resort (NV)



Relocation



Relocation



**Hotel Tower** 



**Hotel Tower** 



2H 2025

1H 2026

1H 2026

1H 2026

# **HOLLYWOOD CASINO JOLIET**





## **SUPERIOR LOCATION — HOLLYWOOD JOLIET**



#### **Hollywood Casino Joliet**

- Hollywood Casino Joliet is moving to Rock Run Collection, a new mixed-use development to include hotels, retail, food & beverage, and entertainment offerings
- ➤ The new site is located at the intersection of I-80 & I-55, with 240,000 daily vehicles (vs. only 10,000 at current location)





### **HOLLYWOOD CASINO AURORA**





### **SUPERIOR LOCATION — HOLLYWOOD AURORA**



#### **Hollywood Casino Aurora**

- > Hollywood Aurora is relocating to a prime location in Chicagoland, adjacent to Chicago Premium Outlets
- ➤ New location at I-88 and Farnsworth interchange: 100,000+ daily vehicles (compared to 8,000 at current location), 8 million annual shoppers









### **RECENT RELOCATION COMPS ARE ENCOURAGING**





July 2024 Y/Y Revenue Growth

+88%

The Queen Casino (Baton Rouge, Louisiana) - Opened August 24, 2023

July 2024 Y/Y Revenue Growth

+76%



Treasure Chest (Kenner, Louisiana) - Opened June 6, 2024

Note: Data based on publicly reported info.

### **HOTEL EXPANSIONS**



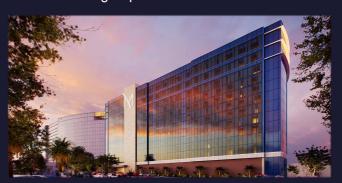
#### **Hollywood Casino Columbus (OH)**

- > 205 luxury hotel rooms
- Creates regional destination at one of PENN's most successful properties
- Bolsters the property's competitive positioning in the Columbus market



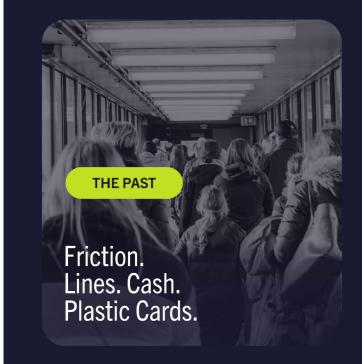
#### M Resort (NV)

- > 2<sup>nd</sup> tower with 375 luxury rooms, lifting total to 765
- Enhanced offerings to solidify the M's position as a premier resort and destination
- Provides much needed capacity to capture strong demand for group business



### **TECHNOLOGY DRIVEN EFFICIENCIES**







### **PENNPLAY & PENN WALLET VALUE**



**PENN Play App** 

**PENN Wallet** 

App Store Ratings

1.3m

350k

4.64

App Registrations

Downloads

Apple ★★★★★

367k

3X

4.40

Mo. Active Customers Customer Value Increase (1)

Google ★★★★★



Note: The data above is as of August 2024.
(1) Pre vs. post analysis of customers in the 90 days before and after wallet enrollment

### **BENEFITS OF DIGITAL EXPERIENCES**



- Driving customer engagement
- Delivering margin enhancing efficiencies
- Creating a frictionless digital experiences



### **KEY DIGITAL APPLICATIONS** — 3C's & Beyond





- > Enhanced digital communications
- > Real time promotions
- More efficient hospitality
- Cutting edge cashless capabilities

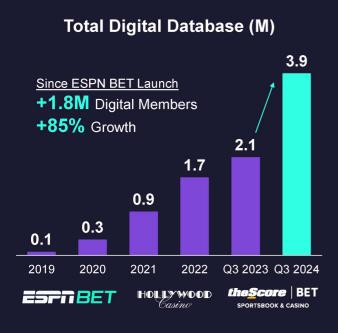


### **Omni-Channel**

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### ONLINE HAS DRIVEN COMPANY DATABASE GROWTH







Note: All Q3 2024 data is preliminary.

### ONLINE REACH EXPANDS OUR RETAIL FUNNEL



Average age of our 12-month active database

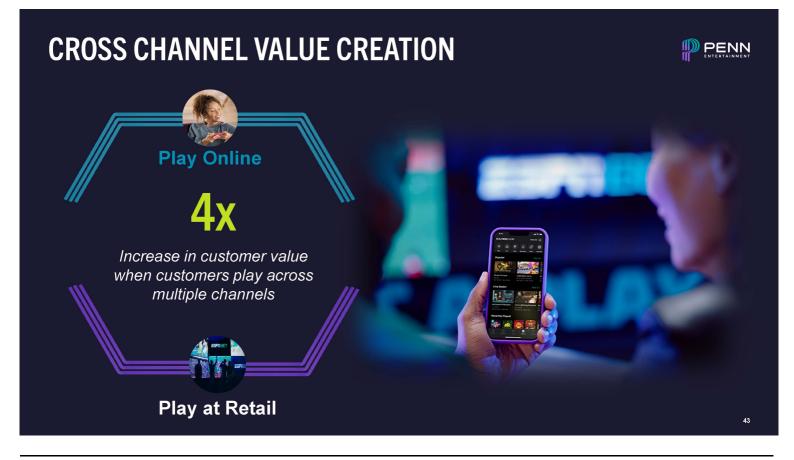
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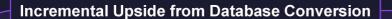
#### **Distance from a Retail Property**





### POTENTIAL FOR OMNI-CHANNEL





**Increase in Database** % Conversion to **Omni-Channel** 







**Potential Annual GGR Lift**<sup>(1)</sup>



### **INTERACTIVE**

Aaron LaBerge, CTO

Jason Birney, Head of Interactive Operations









Average Monthly Unique Visitors



Unique Fantasy Football Users





MARKET-LEADING SPORTS MEDIA BRANDS



PROPRIETARY TECHNOLOGY STACK



OMNI-CHANNEL ECOSYSTEM



### MARKET-LEADING SPORTS MEDIA BRANDS













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# PROPRIETARY IN-HOUSE TECHNOLOGY STACK











Player Account Management

**Promotional Engine** 

Risk & Trading
Platform

In-House Game Studio Retail Sportsbook Technology



# OMNI-CHANNEL ECOSYSTEM











SPORTSBOOK & CASINO

HOLLYWOOD

Grains



### **DIGITAL SUCCESS IN ONTARIO**



the Score | BET SPORTSBOOK & CASINO

**Online Sports Betting** 

#### **DOUBLE DIGIT**

Market Share of GGR in 1H24

+29% Y/Y Growth in NGR (Sept - YTD)

60% Cross-Play OSB into iCasino +1,182BPS Y/Y



Y/Y Growth in Contribution Profit (Sept - YTD) Online Casino

### **HIGH-SINGLE DIGIT**

Market Share of GGR in 1H24

+32% Y/Y Growth in NGR (Sept - YTD)

Note: All performance metrics shown include preliminary estimates for September 2024. 1H24 Market Share estimates are based on iGo publicly available total market results and internal company data.



### **ALBERTA OPPORTUNITY**

# 12% OF THE CANADIAN POPULATION **POPULATION**

51% of Canadian Population (Ontario + Alberta) Post-Launch

Launch Timing TBD

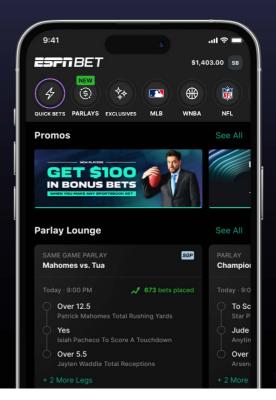


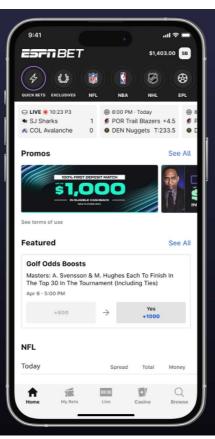
# ESTIBET

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# Product Updates





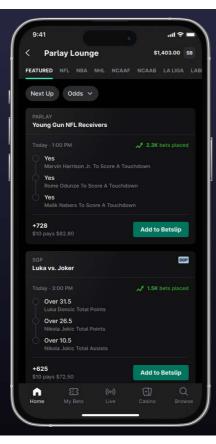
### LAUNCH VERSION

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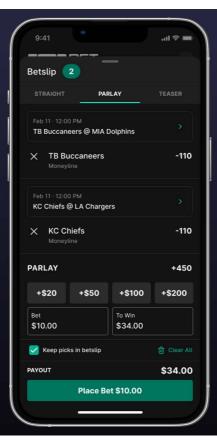
# HOME SCREEN

- Dark Mode
- Improved Navigation
- Expanded Promo Carousel
- Elevated Offer Discovery
- Trending Bets
- Layout Optimizations



# PARLAY LOUNGE

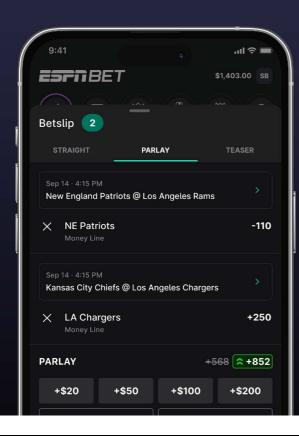
- Dedicated Experience
- Featured Market Popularity Transparency
- Shows trending bets
- 100+ more markets available for Same Game Parlay, including player milestone markets



## BETSLIP

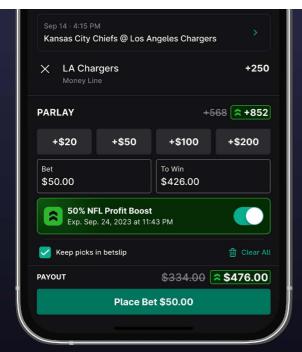
- "Keep picks in betslip" checkbox that allows users to choose to keep selections after placing a bet
- Making it easier to place bets with a large number of selections

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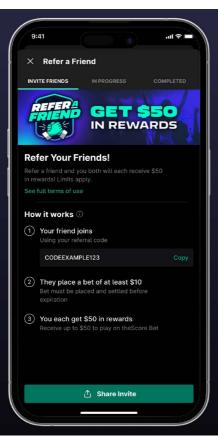
## SETTLED

- Result selections that meet specified criteria before the natural milestone of an event or market
- Issue winnings to a patron's wallet as soon as possible
- Supported scenarios include:
  - Early payout
  - Goodwill gestures
  - Isolated voiding for past posting and venue changes



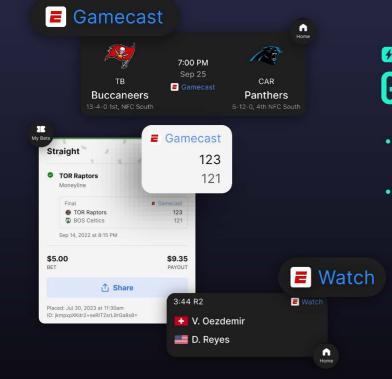
# PROFIT BOOSTS

- Top tier promotional tool that empowers customers to amplify their odds on a bet
- Unlocking potential for higher payout



## REFERRAL PROGRAM

- Patrons can share their unique referral codes to earn rewards on top of regular promotional offerings
- Drives acquisition and user growth natively, through lower cost channel
- Reward amounts are configurable



**♦ NEW - ECOSYSTEM INTEGRATIONS** 

### **GAMECAST & WATCH**

- ESPN Gamecast direct links on My Bets and Event Pages
- Watch Options to see what games are available on ESPN networks, with direct links to streams





♦ NEW - ECOSYSTEM INTEGRATIONS

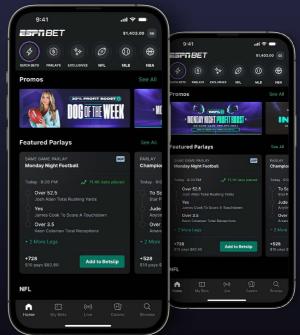
### **ESPN & FANTASY**

- Add to Betslip add market directly to betslip from ESPN or theScore app driving user acquisition and placed bets through tightly integrated experience
- ESPN Fantasy Native Activations Targeted offers based on Fantasy team members and odds link out from ESPN Fantasy apps

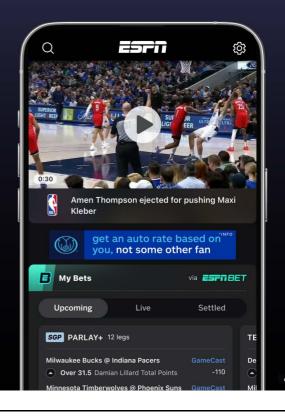


♦ NEW - ECOSYSTEM INTEGRATIONS

# MEDIA & PRODUCT PAIRINGS



# Coming Up Next





COMING UP

# SGP OFFERING ENHANCEMENTS

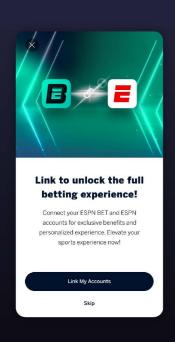
NFL Week 1 2024 - 2025

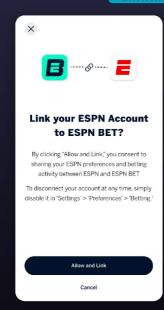
• 3x More SGP Markets

Continued improvement through NFL Season

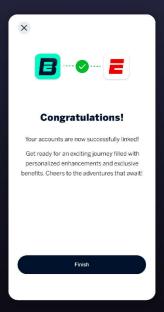
- Smart filtering in Parlay Lounge
- Player prop discovery
- Logos and branding imagery

#### *■* **Launching Before NBA**







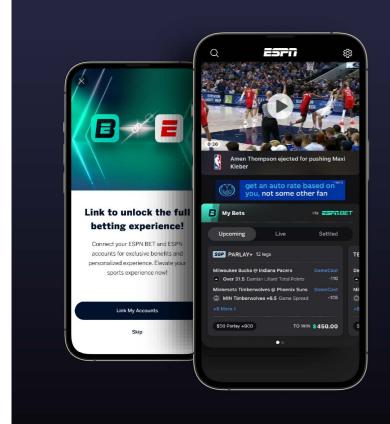


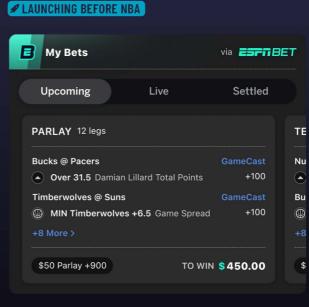


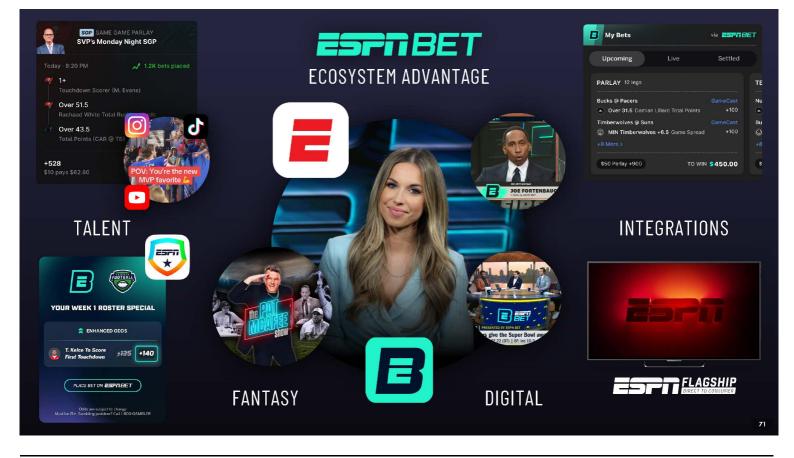
LAUNCHING BEFORE NBA

# ESPN - ESPN BET ACCOUNT LINKING

 Betslip and place bets are synced across apps for a seamless contextual user experience









## iCasino

### **ONLINE CASINO STRATEGY**



### **BRANDS**





### **STRATEGY**

- 1 Drive top-of-funnel via media assets and retail database
- 2 Cross-sell active online sports betting users into iCasino









### **Q3 PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS**

Y/Y Growth

**MAUs** 

**GGR** 

**NGR** 

HOLLYWOOD

In Year 1 of ESPN BET Launch

+233% +53%

+63%

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SPORTSBOOK & CASINO

In Year 3 of theScore BET Launch

+27% +16% +15%

Note: All Q3 2024 data is preliminary

### **INTRODUCTION TO PENN GAME STUDIOS**



Penn Game Studios is our in-house game design & development studio that creates a variety of original games for both our Hollywood Casino and theScore BET apps in North America



26%

of Total U.S. iCasino Handle<sup>(1)</sup>

4 of 5

Top iCasino Games









75

(1) Based on preliminary September 2024 results

### **BRAND EXPANSION**

COMING SOON Q1 2025

HOLLYWOOD Casino

**Initial Standalone iCasino** 

App Launch planned for Pennsylvania, with additional jurisdictions to follow



Note: Estimated launch is subject to regulatory approvals.



## **FINANCIALS**

Felicia Hendrix, CFO

### **3Q PRELIMINARY RESULTS**





- Expect third quarter 2024 Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR to be in the range of \$465 million to \$475 million
- Unfavorable hold rates within our Northeast segment and volume declines in our South segment associated with severe weather disruptions and hotel remodeling negatively impacted Adjusted EBITDAR by ~\$10M
- Consumer remains stable



- Raising previous third quarter 2024 Interactive Adjusted EBITDA range to \$(100) million to \$(90) million, up from our previous guidance of \$(135) million to \$(115) million
- Better than expected hold driven by a higher parlay mix from our improving product and lower promotional expenses accounted for the upside

Like Fetal Operations Adjusted EBITDAR and Interactive Adjusted EBITDAR and the Company's reportable segment. After Measures, Management, utilizes Retail Operations Adjusted EBITDAR as the primary profit measure for its Northeast, South, West, and Midwest segment. More designed interactive designed in the company of the

### **OMNI-CHANNEL EXECUTION DRIVES GROWTH**





- Geographically Diversified
- Industry-Leading Tax-Adjusted Margins
- Growth Opportunities Within Portfolio



### Interactive

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- High Growth TAM
- Identified Path to Podium Position
- Efficient Cost Structure
- Medium-Term Inflection to Profit

Omni-Channel Execution Expected to Lead to Above Average Long-Term Company-Wide Growth



### **DIVERSIFIED, GROWTH ORIENTED FOOTPRINT**



LTM 2Q 2024	Northeast	South	Midwest	West
Properties <sup>(1)</sup>	16	10	9	4
Adj. EBITDAR Mix	41%	24%	25%	10%
Adj. EBITDAR Margin	30%	40%	42%	38%
Tax Adjusted EBITDAR Margin <sup>(2)</sup>	70%	62%	68% (4)	56%
Blended Tax Rate <sup>(3)</sup>	40%	22%	26%(4)	18%
Current Projects	Columbus hotel	Margaritaville & Lake Charles hotel room renovations	Aurora & Joliet relocations	M Resort hotel expansion

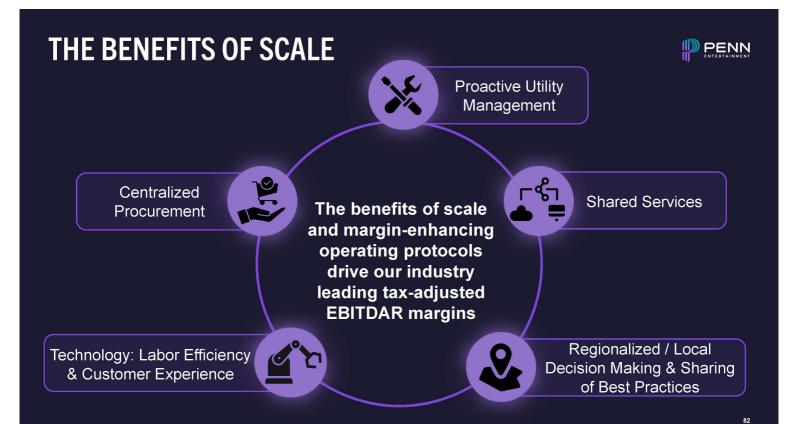
Note: All percentages above are approximates

EBITDAR adjusted to add back all gaming and admissions taxes.

<sup>(1)</sup> Properties exclude our 3 racing properties in 17, 1 racing property in NJ, 2 UTW facilities in NJ, and 1 UTW facility in FL (2) ERITDAP editieted to add body all gaming and admissions taxes

<sup>3)</sup> Blended tax rate reflects all gaming and admissions taxes as a percentage of revenue by segment.

<sup>(4)</sup> Midwest tax adjusted EBITDAR margin and blended tax rate exclude all gaming taxes and admissions taxes for our 50% investment in Kansas Entertainment, LLC, which owns Hollywood Casino at Kansas Speedway



### **INVESTING IN OUR BUSINESS TO DRIVE FCF**



(\$ in millions) Sources		Uses		
GLPI Commitment at 7.75% cap rate	\$225	Relocation of Hollywood Aurora	~\$360	
GLPI Commitment at variable cap rate <sup>(1)</sup>	\$350	Relocation of Hollywood Joliet	~\$185	
Funding from the City of Aurora	\$50	Hotel at Hollywood Columbus	~\$100	
Minimum expected funding from PENN	~\$225	2nd Tower at the M Resort	~\$205	
TOTAL	~\$850	TOTAL	~\$850	

\$104mTotal Spend to-date $^{(2)}$ 

GLPI Commitment is at variable cap rate and may be drawn at our discretion
 Total spend to-date through June 30th, 2024.



## Interactive

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### **COMPONENTS OF OUR INTERACTIVE BUSINESS**



**OSB & iCasino** 

(Gaming Segment)





HOLLYWOOD

Casino\*

(within ESPN BET &
Standalone iCasino coming)

75% of Revenues Today

**Retail Sports** 

(Non-Gaming Segment)







Media, Social, Races

(Non-Gaming Segment)



PENNPLAY DE CASINO



RACES

25% of Revenues Today

**Skins Market Access** 

(Non-Gaming Segment)







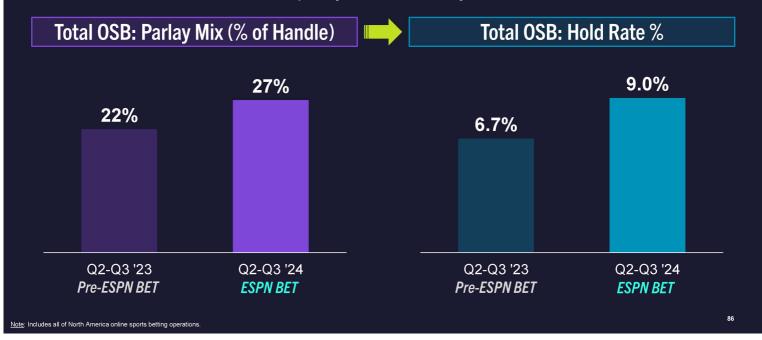


Note: Percentage of revenues today excludes skin tax gross-up revenues and is based on our 2024 net revenue forecast as of Q3 2024

### **DELIVERING UPON OUR VISION**



Our increased parlay mix has directly benefited hold



### ONLINE GAMING VARIABLE COST COMPONENTS



Our online gaming variable costs are a function of both volumes and revenues

### **Driven by Volumes**



Payment Processing (# of and % of transactions)



KYC / Geolocation (# of logins)



Federal Excise Taxes (% of handle)

### **Driven by Mix**



Data Fees
(% of handle and/or revenues)



League Fees
(% of handle and/or revenues)

#### **Driven by Revenues**



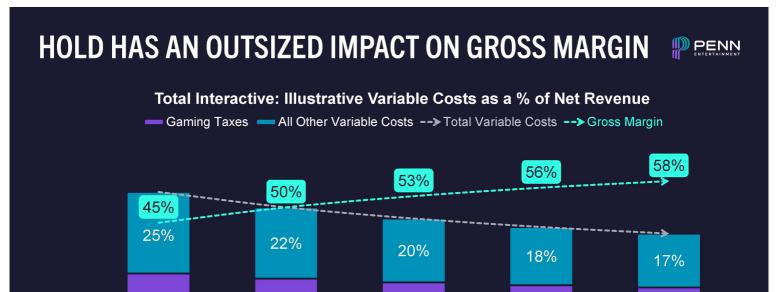
Gaming Taxes (% of revenues)



Third Party (% of revenues)



Market Access (% of revenues)



27%

10%

26%

12%

25%

14%

Note: Above is an illustrative example for 2006 based on 84. ILS IOSR handle market share and 6.4% ILS IOSE market share and excludes skin tax gross un revenue

28%

8%

29%

6%

U.S. OSB

**Hold Rate** 

### **LEVERAGING OUR FIXED COSTS**



**ESPN Marketing** & Warrants (Fixed)

ESPRIBET

Marketing: \$150M / year

Warrants: \$55M / year (non-cash)





Off-Channel Marketing (Discretionary)

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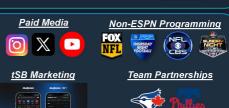
e**Score** | BET HOLLY WOOD

Paid Media: U.S. Gaming

Non-ESPN Programming: U.S. Gaming

theScore BET Marketing

Team Partnerships: U.S. & Canada



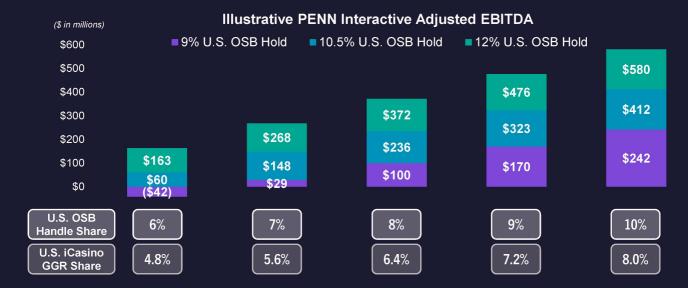
Payroll, Technology & Other (Fixed)

Includes all headcount and technology related costs

We gain leverage on our fixed costs as we increase our scale

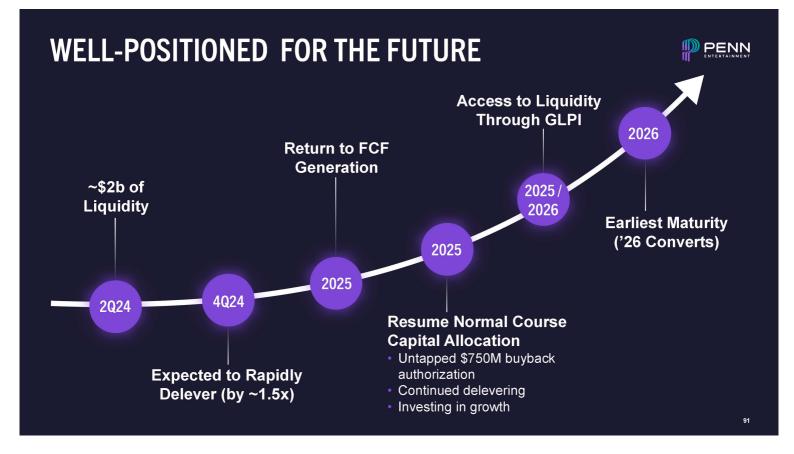
### **SIZING THE OPPORTUNITY - 2026 OUTLOOK**





Improvements in structural hold have lowered our break-even levels and bolstered our ability to create significant long-term shareholder value

Note: The above includes live PENN OSB and iCasino jurisdictions only (19 U.S. states + Ontario for OSB, 4 U.S. states + Ontario for iCasino) based on Eilers & Krejcik and internal 2026 TAM projection





### **CLOSING REMARKS**

Jay Snowden, CEO

### **PEOPLE & COMMUNITIES**

### PENN

### 2024 Awards and Accolades

- Time Magazine's World's Best Companies
- Newsweek's Greatest Workplaces for Diversity
- Best of the Best 2024 Top Diverse Employers
- Top 100 Internship Program
- Champion of Board Diversity

**\$8**m

Company-Wide Annual Charitable Contributions

9,000

Company-Wide Annual Volunteer Hours













# Q&A

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