FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HANDLER DAVID A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [ PENN ]									] (Cr	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 825 BER	,	irst) BLVD., SUITE 2	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transa 01/03/2021					saction (Month/Day/Year)						below)		X Other (s below)		specify	
(Street)	SSING PA	A	19610		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										e) X Form f Form f	Joint/Group Filin filed by One Rep filed by More tha		orting Perso	ı	
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													Persor	1				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curit	ies Ad	cqu	ired, I	Dis	posed o	of, or	Bene	eficial	ly Owned	i				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				· · ·		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		,	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			(A) or 3, 4 and	Benefici Owned I	es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								٧	Amount	()	A) or O)	Price		nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common	01/03	/2021					M		2,033	3	A	(1)	160	),939	D						
Common Stock 01/03/							:021			D		2,033	3	D	\$86.3	7 158,906		D			
Common Stock 01/04/						)21				M		4,432	4,432		(1)	163	163,338		D		
Common	Stock			01/04	/2021	1				D		4,432	2	D	\$86.3	158	3,906	D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Insti				Exp	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisable		xpiration ate	Title	OI N Of	umber						
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	01/03/2021			М			2,033	01/	/03/2021	0	1/03/2021	Comr		2,033	(1)	2,033		D		
Phantom Stock	(1)	01/04/2021		T	M			4,432	01/	/04/2021	1 0	1/04/2021	Comr		1,432	(1)	0		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The reporting person receives a cash payment for each phantom stock unit equal to the fair market value on the vesting date of one share of the Company's common stock.

## Remarks:

/s/ Elliot D. Hoops, Attorney-In-Fact for David A. Handler

01/05/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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