FORM 4

Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See

Instruction 1(b).

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     CRAMER HAROLD						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [ PENN ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2004								(give title		Other (below)	I	
(Street) WYOMISSING PA 19610					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(State) (Zip)											Person							
		Tal	ole I - No	on-Deri	ivativ	e Se	curi	ties Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)					Ex r) if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction D Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Benefici Owned	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/28/20						004			M		15,000	A	\$5.16	37	,500		D		
Common Stock 05/28/20						004			M		15,000	A	<b>\$14.84</b> 52		,500		D		
Common Stock 05/28/20						004		M		7,500	A	\$15.9 60		,000		D			
Common Stock 05/28/20						004		S		37,500	D	\$29.92	85 22	2,500		D			
		•	Table II								oosed of, converti			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	ned n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		5. Number on of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		isable and	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 an	d Amount ies g	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$5.16	05/28/2004			М			15,000	01/02/2	2004	01/02/2008	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	7,500	)	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.84	05/28/2004			М			15,000	01/02/2	2004	01/02/2009	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	15,000	0	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$15.9	05/28/2004			М			7,500	02/06/2	2004	02/06/2010	Common Stock	7,500	\$0	22,500	0	D		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/Robert S. Ippolito as attorney-in-fact for Harold

06/02/2004

<u>Cramer</u>

\*\* 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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