FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			of Section So(ii) of the investment Company Act of 1940						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Snyder Steven T.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC</u> [PENN]		ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
(Last) 825 BERKSHIR	5 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE 200 eet) YOMISSING PA 19610		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/09/2012	X	Officer (give title below) SR VP-Corp Deve	Other (specify below) elopment			
(Street) WYOMISSING (City)			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 Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/D		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	11/09/2012		F		1,426	D	\$38.62	89,803	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 8. Price of Derivative 1. Title of 7. Title and 9. Number of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 10. 11. Nature Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Conversion Execution Date Amount of derivative Ownership of Indirect Date (Month/Day/Year) of Derivative Securities Security (Instr. 5) or Exercise if anv Securities Form: Beneficial Beneficially Owned Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Underlying Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 4) Acquired (A) or Disposed or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Derivative Following Reported Security Security (Instr. 3 and 4) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Amount o Number Expiration Date of ν Code (A) (D) Exercisable Date Title Shares

Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/Robert S. Ippolito as</u> <u>attorney-in-fact for Steven T</u>

11/14/2012

<u>Snyder</u>

** 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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