PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

HANDLER DAVID A

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

[PENN]

PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 02/19/2014

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I. Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Reposicially Ou

Issuer

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	` ′		` ′	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	. 5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	02/19/2014		M	1,273	A	<u>(1)</u>	176,273	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2014		D	1,273	D	\$ 11.61	175,000	D	

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

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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/Year)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	02/19/2014		M	1,273	02/19/2014	02/19/2014	Common Stock	1,273

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
FG	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HANDLER DAVID A 825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 WYOMISSING, PA 19610	X					

Signatures

/s/Robert S Ippolito as attorney-in-fact for David A Handler

02/21/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations, See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The recipient receives a cash payment for each unit equal to the fair market value on the vesting date of one share of the Company's Common Stock.

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