harm minimisation: investigating gaming machines in licensed betting offices

Date: Wednesday 10 December 2014 Chair: Liz Barclay, broadcaster and journalist

08.30	Registration and Coffee	
09:00	Welcome	Liz Barclay
09:05	Introduction	Marc Etches, Chief Executive, Responsible Gambling Trust
09:10	A view from the Machines Research Oversight Panel	Dr Paul Delfabbro, University of Adelaide
09.40	Patterns of play	Eleanor Ireland and Heather Wardle, NatCen Social Research
10.10	Identifying harm? Potential markers of harm within industry data – a rapid evidence assessment	Heather Wardle, NatCen Social Research
10.30	Identifying problem gambling: Findings from a survey of loyalty card customers	Heather Wardle, NatCen Social Research
11.15	Coffee Break	
11:30	Predicting problem gamblers; analysis of industry data	Dave Excell, Featurespace Georgiy Bobashev, RTI
12:30	Geo-spatial analysis	Mark Thurstain-Goodwin, GeoFutures

13:00	Lunch	
13:45	An experimental investigation into the impact of stake size on 'control'	Dr. Adrian Parke, University of Lincoln
14:15	Understanding return- to-player messages	Debbie Collins, NatCen Social Research
14.35	Changes in machine gambling behaviour	Sally Bridges, NatCen Social Research
15:00	Coffee Break	
15:15	Panel discussion	Professor Jo Wolff Matthew Hill (Director, Regulatory Risk & Analysis, Gambling Commission) Richard Glynn (Chief Executive, Ladbrokes PLC) Dr Paul Delfabbro
16:15	Reflections and future directions	Professor Jo Wolff, Senior Independent Trustee and Chair of the Research Committee, Responsible Gambling Trust
16:30	Farewell and close	Liz Barclay