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Arizona Department of Gaming to Accept Applications for Event Wagering Licenses

PHOENIX – The Arizona Department of Gaming (ADG) is pleased to announce that it will begin accepting applications for event wagering licenses in February. Pursuant to <u>A.R.S. § 5-1304</u> and <u>A.A.C. R19-4-105 and</u> <u>106</u>, ADG will accept applications for one event wagering license reserved for Arizona Tribes and no less than one event wagering license reserved for Arizona Sports Franchises, as defined in <u>A.R.S. § 5-1301(7)</u>.

Prospective applicants are encouraged to review the provided materials on ADG's website carefully to understand the application process and requirements.

The application window for event wagering licenses will open on February 16, 2024, and will close on March 4, 2024 at 5 PM. Applicants must submit their completed applications within this timeframe in order to be considered for a license. ADG will thoroughly evaluate all applications received based on the established criteria pursuant to the State's event wagering rules and statutes.

Interested parties are encouraged to visit ADG's website for detailed information on eligibility requirements, application procedures, and relevant timelines: <u>LINK</u>

About ADG

Established by the Arizona State Legislature in 1995, ADG is the state regulatory agency for <u>tribal gaming</u>, <u>racing and pari-mutuel/simulcast wagering</u>, <u>event wagering/fantasy sports</u> and <u>unarmed combat sports</u>. ADG also provides and supports education, prevention and treatment programs for people and families affected by problem gambling through its <u>Division of Problem Gambling</u> and 24-hour confidential helpline, 1-800-NEXT-STEP.

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