HANDLER DAVID A

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HANDLER DAVID A

(First)

(Ctata)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol

PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

(Check all applicable)

[PENN]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director below)

10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 01/03/2019

(Middle)

(7:m)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	01/03/2019		Code V M	Amount 2,034	(D)	Price (1)	122,034	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2019		D	2,034	D	\$ 19.45	120,000	D	
Common Stock (2)	01/03/2019		A	15,938	A	\$ 0	135,938	D	
Common Stock (3)	01/04/2019		M	4,432	A	<u>(3)</u>	140,370	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2019		D	4,432	D	\$ 19.94	135,938	D	

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/03/2019		M	2,034	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,034	<u>(1</u>
Phantom Stock Units	(3)	01/04/2019		M	4,432	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,432	<u>(3</u>

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/Christopher Rogers as attorney-in-fact for David A
Handler

01/07/2019

Date

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

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The recipient receives a cash payment for each phantom stock unit equal to the fair market value on the vesting date of one share of the Company's common stock. Of the original award of phantom stock units, 2,034 units vested on January 3, 2019. The remaining phantom stock units are scheduled to vest as follows: 2,033 units on January 4, 2020; 2,033 units on January 3, 2021 and 2,033 units on January 3, 2022.

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- Restricted Stock Award with forfeiture restrictions lapsing in installments as follows: 5,313 shares on January 3, 2020; 5,313 shares on January 2, 2021 and 5,312 shares on January 3, 2022. The reporting person elected to receive payment of fees for 2019 board and committee service and the 2019 annual equity award to directors in the form of Restricted Stock.
- The recipient receives a cash payment for each phantom stock unit equal to the fair market value on the vesting date of one share of the Company's common stock. Of the original award of phantom stock units, 4,432 units vested on January 4, 2019. The remaining phantom stock units are scheduled to vest as follows: 4,433 units on January 4, 2020; and 4,432 units on January 4, 2021.

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