#### PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

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 \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading IPPOLITO ROBERT S Issuer Symbol PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC (Check all applicable) [PENN] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 03/22/2007 Vice President, Secretary/Trea (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WYOMISSING, PA 19610 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative Securitie	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/22/2007		M	6,476 A \$\frac{\$}{7}\$	\$ 7.42	40,876	D	
Common Stock	03/22/2007		M	3,524 A \$	\$ 7.95	44,400	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, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 7.42	03/22/2007		M	6,476	01/02/2006	01/02/2009	Common Stock	6,476
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 7.95	03/22/2007		M	3,524	02/06/2007	02/06/2010	Common Stock	3,524

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
IPPOLITO ROBERT S 825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 WYOMISSING, PA 19610			Vice President, Secretary/Trea				

### **Signatures**

/s/Robert S Ippolito	03/26/2007		
**Signature of	Date		

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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