PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WILMOTT TIMOTHY J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[PENN]

(Month/Day/Year)

02/24/2014

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

Director

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

President & CEO

825 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE

(Street)

200

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	f (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or tive Disposed of (D)		//Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)			
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numl Share
Non Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 11.61	02/24/2014		A	454,545	<u>(1)</u>	02/24/2021	Common Stock	454
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 11.61	02/24/2014		A	50,505	(2)	02/24/2021	Common Stock	50,
Phantom Stock Unit	(3)	02/24/2014		A	62,368	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	62,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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10% Owner Officer Director Other

WILMOTT TIMOTHY J 825 BERKSHIRE BLVD **SUITE 200** WYOMISSING, PA 19610

President & CEO

Signatures

/s/Robert S Ippolito as attorney-in-fact for Timothy J Wilmott

02/26/2014 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- The Non-Qualified Stock Option is scheduled to vest as follows: 113,637 options on February 24, 2015; 113,636 options on February 24, **(1)** 2016; 113,636 options on February 24, 2017 and 113,636 options on February 24, 2018.
- The Stock Appreciation Right is scheduled to vest as follows: 12,627 rights on February 24, 2015; 12,626 rights on February 24, 2016; 12,626 rights on February 24, 2017 and 12,626 on February 24, 2018.
- Upon vesting, the recipient is entitled to 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.
- (4) The Phantom Stock Unit is scheduled to vest over 4 years at 25% per year on the anniversary date of the grant.

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