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### NSGC Releases 2011-12 Report to Stakeholders

**July 12, 2012 – Halifax:** The Nova Scotia Gaming Corporation (NSGC) released its 2011-12 Report to Stakeholders today, outlining its business results, social mandates and community efforts.

Highlights include a \$152.8 million Payment to Province, including \$4 million in funding for amateur sport through the *Support4Sport* program. The Payment to Province is 7.9% higher than the previous year as a result of a one-time \$11.1 million HST credit related to the casinos.

“Social responsibility rests at the forefront of every decision that is made in Nova Scotia’s gaming industry,” said NSGC’s Acting President and CEO, Bob MacKinnon, “Whether it is through retailers completing extensive responsible gambling training or the My-Play System implementation, Nova Scotians can be confident the industry is responsible and sustainable.”

One hundred percent of gaming industry profits are directed back to Nova Scotia communities to support important government programs and services. Part of the contribution made by NSGC and its operators in 2011-12 includes \$1.6 million donated to community and charitable events, and \$6.7 million to responsible gambling programs, which includes \$4.1 million to the Department of Health and Wellness to deliver programs and services to ensure help is available for those who need it.

NSGC’s Report to Stakeholders and Financial Statements are available on its website at [www.nsgc.ca](http://www.nsgc.ca).

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Profits from gaming generated almost \$153 million to support government programs and services in 2011-12.

The Nova Scotia Gaming Corporation released its 2011-12 Report to Stakeholders today which shows gaming profits are up nearly eight percent from last year primarily as a result of a one-time HST tax credit that accounted for \$11.1 million dollars.

The corporation also continued to invest in responsible gambling programs as well as amateur sport through its *Support4Sport* program.

The Report to Stakeholders and Financial Statements are available at [w-w-w dot n-s-g-c dot c-a](http://www.nsgc.ca).

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