



# ***POLICY CONSIDERATION IN GAMBLING REGULATION***

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## MOTIVE FOR REGULATION

❑ WOULD ANYTHING GO WRONG IF GAMBLING WENT UNREGULATED?



❑ WOULD ANY TANGIBLE SOCIO-ECONOMIC BENEFITS ACCRUE FROM REGULATING GAMBLING?



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## PUBLIC POLICY

- CUSTOMS AND IDEALS ARE THE DICTATES OF PUBLIC POLICY AND ARE OF PARAMOUNT CONSIDERATION. AN EXAMPLE IS GAMBLING ITSELF:
  
- ◆ MORE OR LESS LIKE THE POPULAR TIME-IMEMORIAL OLDEST PROFESSION, GAMBLING WAS REGARDED AS CONTRARY TO PUBLIC POLICY. THEREFORE, ANY REGULATIONS OUGHT TO TAKE SHAPE THAT WAY - AS TO WHAT IS GOOD FOR THE GENERALITY OF SOCIETY
  
- ◆ PUT IN ANOTHER WAY, IT IS A MATTER OF ETHICAL VALUES WHICH OF COURSE MIGHT DIFFER BY TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES

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## GENERAL POLICY

### ◆ PROTECTION OF THE VULNERABLE

- ◆ INCOMPETENCY:
- ◆ LUNATICS
- ◆ MINORS
- ◆ INSOLVENT/BANKRUPT ETC

### ◆ PROTECTION OF THE DEPENDANTS

- ◆ PRODIGALS



# THULA MNTANAMI

THE GAMBLING REGULATORS ARE THERE TO PROTECT YOU FROM NEGLECT HARM

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## GENERAL POLICY Continued

### ◆ PROTECTION OF THE FUNS (PUNTERS)

#### ◆ PRIZES:



- ◆ FAIRNESS IS OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE, THEREFORE, A DECENT PAYOUT RATIO IS MANDATORY

#### ◆ BACKBONE OF THE GAMBLING BUSINESS, NEEDS TO BE LEGALLY PROTECTED:

FRATERNITY

-TAKE NOTHING FOR GRANTED OTHERWISE THE ENTIRE GAMBLING WILL BE PLUNGED INTO DISREPUTE AND SERIOUS JEORPARDY

-DESPITE INITIAL SOUND PROSPECTS BUSINESS MIGHT FAIL. MORAL SECURITY ALONE BECOMES WORTHLESS. REAL CORPOREAL/INCORPOREAL SECURITY TO MITIGATE DISHONOUR IS MANDATORY IN THE FORM OF DIRECT OR COLLATERAL SECURITY COMMENSURATE WITH THE LEVEL OF TRADING.

## GENERAL POLICY Continued

### ◆ PROTECTION OF THE FUNS (PUNTERS) Continued

- ◆ PRECISE TIME FRAMES FOR PAYOUTS ARE MANDATORY IN ORDER TO HANDICAP POTENTIAL PREDATORY OR LOOTING MALPRACTICES/RISKS NO MATTER EARLIER SOUND PROBITY.
- ◆ RESPONSIBLE GAMBLING (WINNERS TO KNOW WHEN TO STOP), IT IS WRONG TO IMPOVERISH MANKIND. PUNTERS MUST NOT GAMBLE USING BORROWED MONEY. ACTIVE DISSEMINATION OF RESPONSIBLE GAMBLING AWARENESS MUST BE MANDATORY.

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## GENERAL POLICY Continued

### ◆ PROTECTION OF THE FUNS (PUNTERS) Continued

#### ◆ EXPLOITATION/MANIPULATION

- ◆ GAMBLING DEVICES NEED TO BE APPROVED, CERTIFIED AND SEALED TO CURB COUNTERFEITS



- ◆ REGULAR INTERVALS FOR MONITORING AND RECALIBRATION OF GAMBLING DEVICES MANDATORY
- ◆ A MACHINE REGISTER MANDATORY TO COMBAT PIRATE GAMBLING

## GENERAL POLICY Continued

### ◆ ACCREDITATION OF OPERATORS AND SUPPLIERS

- ◆ MUST BE LEGAL ENTITIES AND MUST UNDERGO COMPREHENSIVE PROBITY TESTS
  - ◆ THOROUGH SCRUTINY OF SOURCES OF CAPITAL – **NO TO ILLGOTTEN MONEY**
  - ◆ INTEGRITY [INCLUDING BANK REPORTS AND COMBING OF CIVIL JUDGEMENTS]

### ◆ ACCREDITATION OF OPERATING PERSONNEL

- ◆ LICENSING:
  - PROVEN RECOGNISED TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT QUALIFICATIONS
  - PROVEN RECORD OF INTEGRITY AND DISCIPLINE



**GENERAL POLICY Continued**

◆ **GAMBLING BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

- ◆ **QUALIFIED TO PROFESSIONALLY EXECUTE DUTY WITH SOUND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND DISINTERESTED TO OBVIATE CONFLICT OF INTEREST**



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## EMPOWERMENT OF THE INDIGENT/LESS PRIVILEGED IN SOCIETY

### THE ULTIMATE TREASURE:

- A JURISDICTION THAT I AM ACCUSTOMED TO IS DOING THIS+



PIPED WATER AT A RUAL SCHOOL



OLD PEOPLES HOME BUS



BUILDING A RURAL VOCATIONAL TRAINING COLLEGE

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## CONCLUSION

- ❑ DEFICIENT POLICY = DEFICIENT REGULATION = GAMBLING JUNGLE. IF AFRICA HAD NOT WORKED ON SOUND POLICIES TO REGULATE GAMBLING AND ESTABLISHED THE GAMING REGULATORS AFRICA FORUM FOR CO-OPERATION THEN THE GAMBLING ATMOSPHERE WOULD HAVE BEEN:



WOLF



SNAKE



HYENA

WHAT A JUNGLE THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN? TAMED!

- ✓ THIS AUGUST GATHERING OF AFRICAN GAMBLING REGULATORS IS TESTIMONY THAT THE WILL AND SPIRIT FOR THE TOTAL ERADICATION OF ILLEGAL GAMBLING IN AFRICA IS IN FULL SWING.

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*Questions?*

***THANK YOU***