

## VISION

"To be a world-class organisation, providing a national regulatory framework in the gambling industry."

## Mission

Ensuring uniformity, harmonisation and integrity of the gambling industry in South Africa, by enforcing compliance with National Gambling Act and ensuring compliance with other relevant legislation, viz, Financial Intelligence Centre Act; Public Finance Management Act and provincial gambling Acts.

We do this through:

- a) the creation and establishment of uniform norms and standards;
- b) the creation and establishment of uniform (harmonised) rules and regulations;
- c) conducting oversight evaluations of the performance of provincial licensing authorities;
- d) evaluating the issuing of national licenses by provincial licensing authorities;
- e) evaluating the compliance monitoring of licensees by provincial licensing authorities;
- f) assisting provincial licensing authorities to ensure that unlicensed gambling activities are detected;
- g) monitoring socio-economic patterns of gambling activity in the Republic; and
- h) conducting research on addictive / compulsive gambling and the socio-economic impact of gambling.

## SIGNS OF PROBLEM GAMBLING

- Spending more time or money on gambling than intended
- Borrowing or stealing money to fund gambling
- Missing work or school or other commitments to gamble
- Gambling more to recover your losses
- Feeling worried, anxious and moody when you are not gambling
- Family relationships breaking down because of debt and dishonesty
- Hiding your gambling from others, but unable to stop gambling
- Gambling with ever bigger amounts to reach desired level of excitement.



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