#### CLIFFORD WILLIAM J

Form 4

February 08, 2013

## 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 * CLIFFORD WILLIAM J			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [PENN]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200			02/06/2013	Chief Financial Officer		
	(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		
WYOMISSING, PA 19610				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne		

(City)	(State) (2	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of		•	5. Amount of Securities		7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	• •	any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported		Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/06/2013		M	6,846	A	(1)	119,157	D	
Common Stock	02/06/2013		D	6,846	D	\$ 51.5	112,311	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities 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
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	02/06/2013		M	6,846	02/06/2013	02/06/2013	Common Stock	6,846

Relationships

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		remeronsinps				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe		
FFORD WILLIAM J			Chief			

CLIFFORD WILLIAM J Chief
825 BERKSHIRE BLVD SUITE 200 Financial
WYOMISSING, PA 19610 Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/Robert S Ippolito as attorney-in-fact for William J
Clifford 02/08/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **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).
- (1) The receives 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.

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