

## PointsBet Takes First Bet in Maryland

**9 September 2022 - Melbourne, Australia** – PointsBet Holdings Limited (ASX: PBH) (the "Company") today announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, PointsBet Maryland, LLC ("PointsBet") has taken its first retail sportsbook bet in Maryland.

On 18 May 2021, Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan signed legislation allowing both online and retails sports betting in the State. As announced in June 2021, PointsBet secured online and retail market access in Maryland via a partnership with the Riverboat on-the-Potomac, a licensed satellite simulcast facility for horseracing and minority owned small business located in Charles County, Maryland.

This retail launch represents the Company's 12<sup>th</sup> sportsbook operation in the United States, following successful launches in New Jersey, Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Colorado, Michigan, West Virginia, Virginia, New York, Pennsylvania and, most recently Kansas, with the Company taking its first online sportsbook bet on 1 September 2022.

"We are thrilled to be live in Maryland ahead of the commencement of the NFL season", commented PointsBet **US CEO Johnny Aitken**. "The first bet was taken on the Buffalo Bills, and we look forward to showcasing our product to the passionate, sports-loving community of Maryland."

PointsBet anticipates launching online sportsbook operations in Maryland in early Q3 FY23.

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## **About PointsBet**

PointsBet is a corporate bookmaker listed on the Australian Stock Exchange with operations in Australia, the United States, Canada and Ireland. PointsBet has developed a scalable cloud-based wagering platform through which it offers its clients innovative sports and racing wagering products, advance deposit wagering on racing (ADW) and iGaming.

## **About Riverboat on-the-Potomac**

The Riverboat on-the-Potomac has been a staple of the local community for 28 years and is one of Maryland's four Off-Track Betting facilities. Located in Colonial Beach on the Virginia side of the Maryland owned Potomac River, because of its unique location, many Marylanders are unaware of its contribution to the state and Charles County. The Riverboat is moored in Virginia, however, because the betting lounge, restaurant, liquor store, and other facilities are located over the Maryland state line, the Riverboat contributes to Maryland lottery revenue and pays other Maryland state taxes. A little- known fact about Riverboat (aka Little Reno) is that between 1950-1968, it was one of only a few locations in the country where slots machines were available. Visit www.riverboatonthepotomac.com for more information.



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