

## BOOKMAKERS ACT 1985

NO. 139 OF 1995

Pursuant to Section 39G (1) of the *Bookmakers Act 1985*, the criteria to which the Bookmakers Licensing Committee shall have regard in deciding whether to grant a sports betting licence to a suitable applicant shall be:

FINANCIAL	satisfactory financial position and backing for the sports betting service and satisfactory risk management strategies,
EXPERIENCE	acceptable level of experience and longevity in bookmaking, including experience in relation to betting on sporting events,
SCALE	acceptable scale of existing operation and structure proposed for future operations incorporating, but not limited to, the break-up between racing and other sports;
PERSONNEL	acceptability and suitability of the personnel who will be assisting in the delivery of the sports betting service;
OPERATIONAL	satisfactory proposed operational structure for the sports betting service,
POTENTIAL	acceptable plans of the applicant in regard to the sports betting service and satisfactory assessment of potential growth of the operation both nationally and internationally,
TECHNOLOGY	acceptable level of equipment, current or proposed, that may be utilised to assist in the delivery of the sports betting service, and
AUDIT	satisfactory reporting and accounting arrangements

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1995

  
BILL STEFANIAK  
Minister for Sport and Recreation