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#### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Snowden Jay A

(First) (Middle)

825 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE 200

(Street)

(State)

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [PENN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

01/03/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

3. (Month/Day/Year)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Securities Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of

Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

X\_ Officer (give title

(I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

7. Nature of

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

President and COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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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 Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and A Underlying S

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 30.74	01/03/2018		A	105,769	01/03/2019(1)	01/03/2025	Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Snowden Jay A 825 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE 200 WYOMISSING, PA 19610			President and COO			

### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher Rogers as attorney-in-fact for Jay A.
Snowden 01/05/2018

\*\*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).
- Vests over 4 years on the anniversary date of grant as follows: 26,443 shares on January 3, 2019; 26,442 shares on January 3, 2020; 26,442 shares on January 3, 2021; and 26,442 shares on January 3, 2022.

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