

# Independent Audit Report To The Members of St. George Workers Club Inc

We have audited the Community Benefit Statement ('Statement') of St. George Workers Club for the year ended 30 June 2012, which provides information about revenue contributed for community purposes by club and racing club venue operators with gaming machines.

### Committee's Responsibility for the Statement

The Committee is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the Community Benefit Statement (CBS). This form is to be completed on the basis of the new Ministerial Order of 8 February 2008 which sets out the activities and purposes that constitute community purposes, pursuant to section 3.6.9(2) (a) and (b) of the Gambling Regulation Act 2003 ('the Act'). CBS must be lodged by 30 September 2012. This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the Community Benefit Statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Community Benefit Statement based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the statement.

We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the statement to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.



## Auditor's opinion

In our opinion, the Community Benefit Statement for the St George Workers Club Inc presents fairly, in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in Australia, and, consistent with the auditor's understanding of Sections 3.6.9(2) (a) and (b), and section 3.6.9(3) of the Gambling Regulation Act 2003, for the financial year ended 30 June 2012.

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Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September 2012