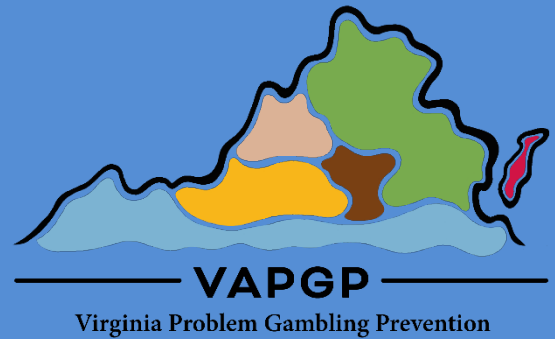


MERCHANT PLEDGE FORM



As a merchant and concerned community member, I am dedicated to protecting our children's health. I understand that in joining the Problem Gambling Prevention campaign, I must be committed to limiting gambling advertising in my store, and be in full compliance with all federal, state, and local laws pertaining to gambling sales to minors. Therefore, I agree to implement the following policies in my store:

- Check I.D. of anyone purchasing lottery tickets, scratch cards, or using gambling/gaming machines.
- Ensure all self-service gambling/gaming machines are within view of the clerk.
- Remove gambling/gaming advertising from places below three feet.
- Remove gambling/gaming advertising close to candy displays.
- Remove gambling/gaming advertising from counter tops and the surrounding areas.
- Post age restriction stickers/signs in store that buying Lottery products under the age of 18 is illegal.
- Ensure gambling helpline number is visible at all gambling/gaming point of sales.
- Train my employees to ask customers for I.D. and regularly remind them to do so.
- Train my employees to detect fake I.D.s and give them regular updates to changes to government issued I.D.s.
- Other: _____

I understand that upon signing the pledge, I may receive recognition in local newspapers and other local media, as well as from other community organizations, businesses, and individuals.

Owner/Manager Name

Store Name

Signature

Date