Prince Edward Island
Lotteries Commission
Annual Report
2012 - 2013



The Honourable H. Frank Lewis Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island PO Box 846 Charlottetown, PE C1A 7L9

May it Please Your Honour:

In accordance with the *Lotteries Commission Act* [R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-17], I am pleased to present to you the Annual Report of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

Wesley L. Sheridan

Minister of Finance, Energy and Municipal Affairs

Introduction

The Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission was established in 1976 under the *Lotteries Commission Act*. The Commission's mandate is to develop, organize, undertake, conduct and manage lottery schemes on behalf of the Province. The Commission has, in turn, delegated these duties to its agent, the Atlantic Lottery Corporation.

The Atlantic Lottery Corporation was incorporated in 1976 under the *Canada Business Corporations*Act. The Corporation is jointly owned by the four Atlantic Provinces. Each Province has lottery and gaming legislation in place, with supporting regulations, which must be complied with by the Atlantic Lottery Corporation in its operation of lottery games in each jurisdiction.

Introduction

En 1976, la Commission des loteries de l'Île-du-Prince-Édouard a été établie en vertu de la *Lotteries Commission Act* (Loi sur la Commission des loteries). Le mandat de la Commission est de développer, d'organiser, d'exploiter, de diriger et de gérer le système de loterie pour le compte de la province. À son tour, la Commission a délégué ces tâches à son agent, la Société des loteries de l'Atlantique.

En 1976, la Société des loteries de l'Atlantique a été constituée en société en vertu de la Loi canadienne sur les sociétés par actions. Les quatre provinces de l'Atlantique en sont copropriétaires. Chaque province possède des dispositions législatives portant sur les jeux de hasard et d'argent, y compris des règlements qui s'y appliquent. La Société des loteries de l'Atlantique se doit d'observer ces dispositions en ce qui concerne l'exploitation des jeux de loterie dans chaque province.

Commission Established

The Lotteries Commission Act enacted by the Legislative Assembly at its 1976 Session and given Royal Assent on April 22, 1976, provided for the establishment of a Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission (Commission). The Act was proclaimed via Order-In-Council No. EC 673/76 for effect on July 24, 1976.

Officers and Members

As of March 31, 2013, the members and officers of the Commission were the Honourable Wesley J. Sheridan, Chair, David Arsenault as Vice-Chair and Doug Clow, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mr. Doug Clow and Ms. Patricia A. Mella were Prince Edward Island's representatives as Directors on the Atlantic Lottery Corporation's Board of Directors.

Bylaws of the Commission

In addition to the requirements of the *Lotteries Commission Act*, the Commission is governed by Bylaws which were approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council on August 26, 1976, via EC 794/76.

Agreements

As provided in Section 7 of the *Lotteries Commission Act*, subsections (b) and (c), the Commission has recommended three agreements for consideration of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, all of which were approved and subsequently entered into by the Commission:

1. EC 796/76 of August 26, 1976: an agreement with the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Newfoundland to establish and operate a regional lottery.

- 2. EC 797/76 of August 26, 1976: an agreement for the establishment of the Atlantic Lottery Corporation.
- 3. EC 2007/380 of July 4, 2000: an agreement to amend and restate the Unanimous Shareholders' Agreement governing the conduct and management of lottery schemes in the Atlantic Provinces.

Gaming and Harness Racing

The Gaming Centres Control Regulations, 2009, set out the regulatory regime governing the operation of electronic gaming devices or video lottery terminals. Under this legislative framework, the Commission is responsible for overall leadership, direction and control of gaming in PEI. Gaming operations in PEI are under the responsibility of the Atlantic Lottery Corporation. They operate provincial gaming programs such as video lottery, Atlantic 6/49, and scratch and win games. Retailers across this Province are licensed to sell tickets and certain entertainment establishments are licensed to operate electronic gaming devices.

The Atlantic Lottery Corporation operates Red Shores Racetrack & Casino at the Charlottetown Driving Park and Red Shores at the Summerside Raceway. The Summerside facility is leased from the City of Summerside.

Financial Report

The Financial Statements of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission, as audited by the Auditor General's Office, follow as part of this report. This is the second year in which the Commission's financial statements were prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). Change in accounting standards required the recognition of a number of adjustments within the Atlantic Lottery Corporation including the variation in the employee future benefit liability. The initial change was made as part of the transition on April 1, 2010 as noted in the prior year's annual report.

The investment in the Atlantic Lottery Corporation is reported as a non-current liability and the Commission's portion of their undistributed loss is recognized in the statement of comprehensive income. The Commission's share of other comprehensive loss recorded in 2013 was \$1.6 million. The Commission's Shareholder Deficiency is \$12.3 million as at March 31, 2013. This will be funded by making monthly payments of \$158,208 from profit payments starting September 2013 until March 2019.

Financial Performance

Prince Edward Island's share of revenue generated through the operation of lottery, gaming and harness racing programs by the Atlantic Lottery Corporation was \$15,644,631 (2012 - \$14,871,243). Table 1 provides comparative information for Prince Edward Island profits. The lottery revenue received in Fiscal Year 2012-13 represents a 5.2% increase over the prior year. The increase is largely due to a \$1.0 million reduction in expenses among all categories which offsets a 0.5% (\$240,000) reduction of net revenues.

From the funds which the Atlantic Lottery Corporation generated, \$2,100,000 was used in 2013 and \$2,122,500 in 2012 to assist the PEI Harness Racing Industry Association. The Commission also provided financial assistance to support the harness racing industry in the form of grants related to sales taxes due from pari-mutual wagering in the amount of \$696,615 (2012 - \$695,912). The balance of these funds are placed in the Province's general revenues, where they are used to fund the many services Islanders require and expect from their Provincial Government.

Table 1

Atlantic Lottery Corporation

Prince Edward Island Profit by Program

(000's)

	Total	
	2013	2012
Revenues	\$	\$
Gross Ticket Sales	33,872	34,409
Net Video Lottery Receipts	17,093	17,566
Red Shores	16,549	16,464
Prizes on Ticket Sales	(19,224)	(19,909)
Net Revenues	48,290	48,530
Direct Expenses		
Commissions		
Tickets	2,437	2,545
Video Lottery	<u>3,291</u>	<u>3,365</u>
Total Commissions	5,728	5,910
Other		
Tickets	692	803
Video Lottery	168	256
Red Shores	<u>1,423</u>	1,341
Total Direct Expenses	<u>8,011</u>	8,310
Gross Profit	40,279	40,220
Expenses		
Operating		
Tickets	7,089	7,646
Video Lottery	3,072	3,239
Red Shores	<u>13,792</u>	13,682
Total Operating	23,953	24,567
Red Shores - Interest	681	782
Total Expenses	24,634	<u>25,349</u>
Net Profit	<u>\$15,645</u>	<u>\$14,871</u>
Profit Distribution		
Tickets	4,430	3,506
Video Lottery	10,562	10,706
Red Shores	653	659
	<u>\$15,645</u>	<u>\$14,871</u>

Appendix Audited Financial Statements 2012 - 2013

AUDITOR GENERAL

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MARCH 31, 2013

AUDITOR GENERAL

CHARLOTTETOWN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the **Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission** which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2013 and the statements of comprehensive income, changes in shareholder deficiency, and cash flow for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted the audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, 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 financial statements 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 significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Commission as at March 31, 2013, and the results of its operations and changes in cash flow for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

B. Jane MacAdam, CA Auditor General

Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island November 13, 2013

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LOTTERIES COMMISSION STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT MARCH 31, 2013

	<u>2013</u> \$	Restated <u>2012</u> \$	Restated April 1, 2011 \$
Assets			
Current Assets Accounts receivable (Note 10)			
Province of Prince Edward Island Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc.	100 960	212,712	573,009
Other	190,860 10,737 201,597	212,712	573,009
Non Current Assets Investment in Interprovincial Lottery Corporation	1	1	1
Total Assets	201,598	212,713	573,010
Liabilities and Shareholder Deficiency			
Current Liabilities			
Accounts payable Province of Prince Edward Island	101,597		, -
Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. City of Charlottetown	100,000	112,712 100,000	471,509 100,000
Other	201,597	212,712	<u>1,500</u> 573,009
Non Current Liabilities Investment in Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc.		AND CONTRACTOR	
(Notes 6, 18)	<u>12,283,000</u> 12,484,597	10,717,900 10,930,612	9,940,900 10,513,909
Shareholder Deficiency Contributed surplus (Note 3)	101	101	101
Accumulated other comprehensive loss (Note 18) Deficit (Note 18)	(1,329,000) (10,954,100) (12,282,999)	(1,603,000) (9,115,000) (10,717,899)	(1,235,000) (8,706,000) (9,940,899)
Total Liabilities and Shareholder Deficiency	201,598	212,713	<u>573,010</u>

(The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.)

APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LOTTERIES COMMISSION:

CHAIRMAN

MEMBER

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LOTTERIES COMMISSION STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2013

	<u>2013</u>	Restated 2012
Revenues		
Distributions of Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. net profit (Note 15)		
Lottery ticket sales	4,429,925	3,506,983
Video lottery sales	10,562,138	10,705,503
Entertainment centres net profit (loss)		
Red Shores Racetrack & Casino at Charlottetown		
Driving Park	769,663	597,505
Red Shores at Summerside Raceway	<u>(117,095</u>)	61,252
_	<u>15,644,631</u>	<u>14,871,243</u>
Expenses		
Financial assistance to the harness racing industry (Note 8)	2,993,319	3,189,836
Financial assistance in support of Bingo (Note 9)	139,278	168,074
Grant to the City of Charlottetown (Note 11)	400,000	400,000
Responsible Gaming Strategy (Note 12)	291,103	295,368
Professional services	68,972	8,12 <u>5</u>
	3,892,672	<u>4,061,403</u>
Net income	11,751,959	10,809,840
Other comprehensive loss Commission share of other comprehensive loss of Atlantic		
Lottery Corporation Inc. (Notes 6, 18)	(1,565,100)	<u>(777,000)</u>
Comprehensive income	<u>10,186,859</u>	10,032,840

(The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.)

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LOTTERIES COMMISSION STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDER DEFICIENCY FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2013

	Contributed Surplus	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	<u>Deficit</u> \$	2013 Shareholder <u>Deficiency</u> \$
Balance, beginning of year Restatement (Note 18)	101	(4 603 000)	(9,578,000)	(9,577,899)
Balance, beginning of year, restate	ed 101	<u>(1,603,000)</u> (1,603,000)	<u>463,000</u> (9,115,000)	<u>(1,140,000)</u> (10,717,899)
Net income Other comprehensive income (loss) Comprehensive income Distributions to the Province of	<u>-</u>	<u>274,000</u> 274,000	11,751,959 (1,839,100) 9,912,859	11,751,959 (1,565,100) 10,186,859
Prince Edward Island Balance, end of year	<u>101</u>	(1,329,000)	(11,751,959) (10,954,100)	(11,751,959) (12,282,999)
	Contributed Surplus	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Deficit \$	Restated 2012 Shareholder <u>Deficiency</u> \$
Balance, beginning of year Restatement (Note 18)	Surplus \$ 101	Other Comprehensive Loss \$ (1,235,000)	(8,706,000)	2012 Shareholder <u>Deficiency</u> \$ (8,705,899) <u>(1,235,000)</u>
	Surplus \$ 101	Other Comprehensive Loss	\$	2012 Shareholder Deficiency \$ (8,705,899)
Restatement (Note 18) Balance, beginning of year, restate Net income	Surplus \$ 101	Other Comprehensive Loss \$ (1,235,000) (1,235,000)	(8,706,000) (8,706,000) 10,809,840	2012 Shareholder Deficiency \$ (8,705,899) (1,235,000) (9,940,899) 10,809,840
Restatement (Note 18) Balance, beginning of year, restate	Surplus \$ 101	Other Comprehensive Loss \$ (1,235,000)	(8,706,000)	2012 Shareholder <u>Deficiency</u> \$ (8,705,899) (1,235,000) (9,940,899)

(The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.)

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LOTTERIES COMMISSION STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW MARCH 31, 2013

	<u>2013</u> \$	<u>2012</u> \$
Cash provided (used) by:		
Operating Activities Cash received from Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. Cash paid for professional services Cash paid to the harness racing industry Cash paid in support of bingo Cash paid to the City of Charlottetown Cash paid for the Responsible Gaming Strategy Cash provided by operating activities	15,341,059 (68,972) (2,993,319) (139,278) (400,000) (291,103) 11,448,387	14,512,446 (9,625) (3,189,836) (168,074) (400,000) (295,368) 10,449,543
Financing Activities Distributions to the Province of Prince Edward Island	(11,448,387)	<u>(10,449,543</u>)
Change in cash	-	-
Cash, beginning of year		
Cash, end of year		

(The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.)

1. Nature of Operations

The Government of Prince Edward Island operates no lotteries but the Province, through its ownership of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission (the Commission), is a shareholder in the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) and the Interprovincial Lottery Corporation (ILC). ALC is jointly owned by the four Atlantic Provinces or their lottery agency and is responsible to develop, organize, undertake, conduct, and manage lotteries in Atlantic Canada. ALC also markets, and handles regionally, the products of the ILC, which is jointly owned by the ten Canadian provinces. Net profits (losses) of ALC and ILC are distributed to the shareholders.

An agreement between the Commission and ALC provides for ALC to develop, organize, conduct, manage, and operate gaming entertainment centres as agent for and on behalf of the Commission. In the event this agreement is terminated, all assets held by ALC on behalf of the Commission shall be transferred to the Commission and any related loans or other liabilities shall be assumed by and become obligations of the Commission.

ALC's net profit is distributed to each of the four Atlantic Provinces or their lottery agency in accordance with the Amended and Restated Unanimous Shareholders' Agreement. Distributions during the year are based on the estimated net profit for each province with an adjustment subsequent to year-end to reflect the actual net profit for the year.

The Commission is owned by the Province of Prince Edward Island and is therefore a non-taxable entity under the provisions of the federal *Income Tax Act*. The head office of the Commission is located at:

Office of the Minister of Finance, Energy and Municipal Affairs Second Floor South, Shaw Building 95 Rochford Street, P.O. Box 2000 Charlottetown, PE, C1A 7N8

The financial statements were authorized for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Commissioners on November 13, 2013.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation and Statement of Compliance

The financial statements of the Commission have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and interpretations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued...)

Basis of Presentation and Statement of Compliance (continued...)

The financial statements of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission comply, in all material respects, with IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) in effect as at March 31, 2013.

Basis of Measurement

The financial statements of the Commission have been prepared on a historical cost basis. The Commission's functional currency is the Canadian dollar, which is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Commission operates, which is also the presentation currency of the financial statements.

a) Revenues and Expenses

Revenues and expenses are recorded on an accrual basis in the period in which the transaction or event that gave rise to the revenue or expense occurred.

b) Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Commission's risk management policies are part of the overall management of the entity's operations. Management's direct involvement in day-to-day operations identifies risks and variations from expectations leading to changes in risk management activities, requirements and actions. As part of the overall management of the entity's operations, management considers avoidance of undue concentrations of risk in managing the Commission's exposure.

c) Use of Estimates and Measurement Uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the use of judgments, assumptions, and estimates as at the date of the financial statements that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent liabilities and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods presented.

Measurement uncertainty exists when there is a variance between the recognized amount and another reasonable amount. Some accounting measurements require management's best estimate, based on assumptions as at the financial statement date that reflects the most probable set of economic conditions and planned courses of action.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued...)

c) Use of Estimates and Measurement Uncertainty (continued...)

Items requiring the use of significant estimates include provisions for doubtful accounts of \$102,042 (2012 - \$446,221) and amounts recorded in Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. financial statements such as the useful lives of tangible and intangible assets, impairment of non-financial assets, accrued liabilities, employee future benefits, development costs, fair value of financial instruments, liabilities for unclaimed prizes, and Player Loyalty Program which all impact the net distribution and allocation of undistributed income or loss to the Commission. Actual results could differ from the estimates made by management in these financial statements, and these differences, which may be material, could require adjustments in subsequent reporting periods.

d) Investments

Investment in the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) is an equity investment accounted for using the equity method. Under the equity method the investment is initially recognized at cost and subsequently the carrying amount is increased or decreased to recognize the Commission's share of income or losses from the investment and reduced by distributions received. Income and losses from the investment are recognized in the statement of comprehensive income.

Investment in the Interprovincial Lottery Corporation (ILC) is an equity investment with no quoted price on an active market whose fair value cannot be reliably measured. Investment in ILC is therefore carried at its cost.

e) Future Accounting Pronouncements

At the date of signing these statements certain new standards, amendments, and interpretations to existing standards have been published but are not yet in effect. The Commission has chosen not to adopt them early, as allowed by International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). Management anticipates that all relevant pronouncements shall be adopted as the Commission's policy in the first period following their effective date. A list of applicable pronouncements and their effective date is as follows.

In December 2010, the International Accounting Standard Board (IASB) issued Phase 1 of a three-phase redrafting of IAS 39 "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement". IFRS 9 Phase 1 "Financial Instruments" requires reporting entities to classify financial assets based on the objective of an entity's business model for managing its financial assets and the characteristics of the contractual cash flows. IFRS 9 permits two classifications for financial assets - fair value through profit or loss and amortized cost. IFRS 9 is effective for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2015, with early adoption permitted.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued...)

e) Future Accounting Pronouncements (continued...)

In June 2011 there were amendments to *IAS 1 "Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income"*. The effective date of the amendments is for annual periods beginning on or after July 1, 2012. These amendments have increased the options for presentation of items of other comprehensive income.

The IASB issued a new standard *IFRS 12 "Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities"* with an effective date for year-ends beginning on or after January 1, 2013. The objective of this new standard is to provide added disclosure in regards to the nature and risks associated with interests in other entities and the effects of those interests on the entity's financial position, performance, and cash flows.

The IASB has issued *IFRS 13 "Fair Value Measurement"* effective for year-ends beginning on or after January 1, 2013. The new standard explains how to measure fair value by providing a new definition and introducing a single set of requirements for almost all fair value measurements. The standard also clarifies how to measure fair value when a market becomes less active and improves transparency through additional disclosures.

The IASB has revised IAS 19 "Employee Benefits". The amendments are effective for year-ends beginning on or after January 1, 2013. The amended standard will result in immediate recognition of all estimated changes in the cost of providing defined benefits and all changes in the value of plan assets. The various methods which allow deferral of some of the gains or losses under the previous standard have been eliminated.

The IASB has revised IAS 28 to be known as "Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures" effective for year-ends starting after January 1, 2013. The revised standard will set out additional requirements for application of the equity method when accounting for investments in associates and joint ventures.

Management does not anticipate that these standards will have a material impact on its financial statements.

3. Contributed Surplus

Contributed surplus represents amounts paid by the Province of Prince Edward Island on behalf of the Commission to the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. and the Interprovincial Lottery Corporation in exchange for share capital.

4. Financial Instruments

Financial instruments reported on the Commission's statement of financial position are classified as follows:

Accounts receivable Accounts payable

Loans and receivables Other financial liabilities

All financial instruments are initially recognized at fair market value. Subsequent measurement of financial instruments is dependent on their classification.

Loans and receivables are financial assets with fixed or determinate payments that are not quoted on an active market. They are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method less a provision for any impairment. Due to their short-term nature, they are considered to be carried at amounts which approximate their fair value.

Other financial liabilities are financial liabilities that are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method. Due to their short-term nature, they are considered to be carried at amounts which approximate their fair value.

The Commission has adopted a policy of recognizing all transaction costs in comprehensive income.

5. Financial Risk Management

Credit risk management

The Commission is exposed to credit risk through its trade receivables. The Commission mitigates this risk through a regular monitoring process. Credit risk is also mitigated due to the fact that most of the non impaired receivables are due from the associate company Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. Allowance for doubtful accounts is reviewed at each financial statement date.

The Commission has an impaired receivable totalling \$102,042 (2012 - \$446,221) as described in Note 10. The Commission has reviewed this receivable for collectability and assessed that based on the lack of collectability to date, and the financial situation of the parties owing, that no funds will be collected.

Liquidity risk management

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Commission will not be able to meet all its cash outflow obligations as they come due. The Commission mitigates this risk by monitoring cash activities and expected outflows. The Commission does not have material liabilities that can be called unexpectedly at the demand of a lender or claimant. The Commission has no material commitments for capital expenditures and there is no need for such expenditures in the normal course of operations. All current liabilities are fully funded by the current assets of the Commission.

5. Financial Risk Management (continued...)

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures, and methods used to measure the risk.

6. Investment in Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc.

The Commission uses the equity method to account for its investment in the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) which involves recognizing its share of income and losses less distributions on its financial statements. ALC posted the following results in its financial statements:

	<u>2013</u> \$ (in thousands)	2012 \$ (in thousands)
Assets Liabilities	258,401 (<u>323,572</u>)	176,870 (223,662)
Shareholder deficiency	<u>(65,171</u>)	<u>(46,792</u>)
Commission portion of shareholder deficiency	<u>(12,283</u>)	<u>*(10,718)</u>
Revenues (net) Expenses Other losses Net income Other comprehensive loss Comprehensive income Income allocated to shareholders	680,330 (289,156) (28,548) 362,626 (18,310) 344,316 (362,695)	694,727 (296,600) (28,440) 369,687 (5,318) 364,369 (369,643)
Undistributed loss to shareholders	<u>(18,379</u>)	<u>(5,274</u>)
Commission portion of undistributed loss	<u>(1,565</u>)	<u>*(777</u>)

^{*}Restated

The shareholder deficiency on ALC's financial statements is a result of various adjustments related to the conversion of its accounting framework to International Financial Reporting Standards and the variation in the employee future benefit liability. ALC has recommended and received board approval that shareholders fund their portion of the deficit as a deduction of monthly profit payments which would reverse the deficit on the statement of financial position. An amount of \$158,208 will be withheld from the monthly profit distribution to the Commission to fund the deficit. This arrangement will commence effective September 15, 2013, and continue until March 31, 2019.

7. Gaming Entertainment Centres

The Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) constructed and operates Red Shores Racetrack & Casino at Charlottetown Driving Park. ALC's consolidated financial statements include capital assets related to the Charlottetown gaming entertainment centre having a net book value of \$16,602,369 as at March 31, 2013 (2012 - \$17,253,434).

ALC commenced operating Red Shores at Summerside Raceway in August 2009, occupying facilities which are being leased from the City of Summerside. ALC's consolidated financial statements include capital assets related to the Summerside gaming entertainment centre having a net book value of \$2,049,737 as at March 31, 2013 (2012 - \$2,258,879). This amount includes leasehold improvements of \$1,311,216 (2012 - \$1,442,348), but it does not include any amount for future lease payments. ALC's consolidated financial statements report the lease as an operating lease having future minimum lease payments of \$335,000 for each of the next five years and minimum future aggregate lease payments to the end of the 15 year lease term totalling \$3,824,582.

ALC is carrying a loan related to the Charlottetown and Summerside gaming entertainment centres in the amount of \$11,391,000 (2012 - \$12,243,000) maturing in August 2016, repayable in monthly installments of \$71,000 plus interest at variable interest rates and hedged by a fixed interest rate swap bearing interest at 5.13%.

ALC is recovering its debt amortization costs through depreciation charges which, along with the loan interest and Summerside centre lease charges, are included in the cost of operating the gaming entertainment centres. ALC's profit distributions to the Commission are adjusted to reflect any profit or loss resulting from its operation of the gaming entertainment centres.

8. Financial Assistance to the Harness Racing Industry

Financial assistance to the harness racing industry provided through the Commission consists of the following:

	<u>2013</u> \$	<u>2012</u> \$
Assistance to PEI Harness Racing Industry Association Assistance to Prince County Horsemen's Club (PCHC) Assistance to Harness Racing PEI Inc. and PCHC to cover liabilities Funding to Maritime Provinces Harness Racing Commission Grants - sales tax due from pari-mutuel wagering Other	2,100,000 77,500 - 113,069 696,615 <u>6,135</u> 2,993,319	2,122,500 80,000 156,337 135,087 695,912

Harness Racing PEI Inc. was dissolved during the current fiscal year.

9. Financial Assistance in Support of Bingo

Financial assistance in support of bingo provided through the Commission consists of the following:

	<u>2013</u> \$	<u>2012</u> \$
Bingo licensing fees to Department of Environment, Labour and Justice	139,278	146,129
Consulting fees regarding bingo revitalization	139,278	21,945 168,074

10. Accounts Receivable

The Commission received an assignment of judgment from Harness Racing PEI Inc. in the amount of \$102,042 during the prior fiscal period. A provision for the full amount has been recorded. An amount receivable for advances to Harness Racing PEI Inc. totalling \$344,179, outstanding in the prior year with an offsetting provision for the full amount, has been written-off as Harness Racing PEI Inc. was dissolved during the year.

11. Grant to the City of Charlottetown

The grant to the City of Charlottetown is pursuant to an arrangement between the City and the Province of Prince Edward Island, whereby the City will receive \$400,000 per annum for ten years beginning with the year ended December 31, 2005. This amount is subject to adjustment when the Charlottetown gaming entertainment centre operates less than 300 days in a given year.

12. Responsible Gaming Strategy

Implementation of the Province's Responsible Gaming Strategy began in 2010. The objective of the strategy is to prevent and reduce problems associated with gaming, while maximizing its potential social and economic aspects for Islanders.

The following is a summary of the Responsible Gaming Strategy costs incurred by the Commission:

	<u>2013</u> \$	<u>2012</u> \$
Gaming strategy project officer service contract	10,325	44,625
Activities carried out by Health PEI	280,045	249,229
Other	<u>733</u>	<u>1,514</u>
	<u>291,103</u>	295,368

13. Commitments and Contingencies

The Commission has committed \$300,000 on an annual basis to support the implementation of the Responsible Gaming Strategy.

14. Investment in Geonomics Global Games Limited (Formerly Roboreus Limited)

During the 2012 fiscal year the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) invested \$4.3 million for an equity interest in Geonomics Global Games Limited (formerly Roboreus Limited, a privately owned UK based internet gaming vendor). The investment was made on behalf of the Prince Edward Island Lotteries Commission and is held in ALC's subsidiary company 7865813 Canada Inc. The Commission is responsible for any interest costs on ALC's funding for the investment which is deducted by ALC from the net distribution paid to the Commission. Interest deducted from the Commission's net distribution for the year ending March 31, 2013 was \$78,800 (2012 - \$58,000). No income has been earned to date on this investment. Revenues and expenses related to this investment accrue to the Commission. The investment is classified as available for sale and is carried by 7865813 Canada Inc. at cost as there is no quoted price in an active market and fair value cannot be reliably measured.

15. Related Party Transactions

The Commission is owned by the Province of Prince Edward Island. Any excess revenues over expenses of the Commission are distributed to the Province of Prince Edward Island as shown on the statement of changes in shareholder deficiency. Other transactions with the Province of Prince Edward Island and its Crown corporations and agencies are recorded at rates as determined by the Province.

There are resources provided by the Province of Prince Edward Island such as office facilities, support services, salaries, and employee future benefits. These costs are assumed by the Province and not reflected in these financial statements.

The following is a summary of operations conducted by the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) on behalf of the Commission. Net profits are distributed to the Commission as follows:

	Lottery Ticket Sales \$	Video Lottery Sales \$	Red Shores Charlottetown \$	Red Shores Summerside \$	<u>2013</u>	2012 \$
Gross profit	11,518,858	13,633,884	12,966,766	2,159,540	40,279,048	40,219,608
Expenses	7,088,933	3,071,746	12,197,103	2,276,635	24,634,417	<u>25,348,365</u>
Net profit	4,429,925	10,562,138	769,663	(117,095)	15,644,631	14,871,243

These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of net profit attributable to the Commission as determined by the net profit of ALC in accordance with ALC's financial reporting framework.

16. Pensions and Employee Benefits

Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. participates in a multiple-employer defined benefit contributory pension plan. ALC also provides certain post-employment healthcare benefits, long service awards, extended health and dental benefits, life insurance, and ad-hoc supplementary pensions. The portion of expenditures allocated to the Commission through ALC's profit distributions related to pensions is \$822,277 (2012 - \$860,509) and \$176,145 (2012 - \$79,563) related to employee benefits.

In addition to the transactions above, ALC also made special pension payments during the year of \$7.7 million (2012 - \$7.7 million). The Commission's portion of these special payments will be funded through monthly withholdings from future profit distribution as stated in Note 6.

17. Capital Management

The Commission's capital is made up of its equity and long-term debt which consists primarily of the outstanding deficit and the long-term liability resulting from the investment in the Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. The objective when managing capital is to provide an adequate return to enable it to meet its funding obligations. The Commission sets the amount of capital in proportion to risk and manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Commission may reduce its funding contributions to the Province. The Commission is not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements or financial debt covenants and does not presently utilize any quantitative measures to maintain capital.

18. Restatement of Prior Period Amounts

In accordance with IFRS, adjustments to the carrying amount of an investment in an associate may be necessary for changes in investor's proportionate interest in the investee arising from changes in the investee's other comprehensive income. Atlantic Lottery Corporation Inc. (ALC) has undistributed amounts in its accumulated other comprehensive loss and deficit of which the Commission's portion is significantly different than originally calculated. As a result, prior period figures have been restated. The opening carrying value for fiscal year 2012 of the investment in ALC liability and accumulated other comprehensive loss increased by \$1,235,000. There was no change in the opening deficit balance. The other comprehensive loss for 2012 fiscal year increased by \$777,000, made up of \$872,000 reclassified from other loss less a \$95,000 net reduced allocation from undistributed deficit and accumulated other comprehensive loss of ALC. The net effect during the 2012 fiscal year was an increase in comprehensive income of \$95,000 and accumulated other comprehensive loss of \$368,000, and a decrease in accumulated deficit of \$463,000. The overall effect on the investment in ALC liability and shareholder deficiency at the end of 2012 fiscal year was an increase of \$1,140,000.

19. Subsequent Events

Subsequent to year-end the Commission approved funding of \$116,000 to implement suggestions and recommendations provided by the Bingo Revitalization Report and approved a contribution of \$150,000 towards funding for the new stabling barn at Red Shores Racetrack and Casino at the Charlottetown Driving Park.