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Dear Ms. Yocum:

Have you ever been to a casino (not racasino)? In today's world you are likely to be fairly young, busy and no time for little of real life's experiences.

I'm old (76), have a romance (passion) for good fair blackjack games. I play frequently and believe the only way to win is the following: the voice in the head tells a story that the body believes in and reacts to; these reactions are emotions with attitude - positive or negative. Positive attitudes are required in successes and this in turn is the math being shown that it works. You must have a good time and enjoy the experience!

When you walk into a casino you are amazed and you better take one step back and think 180%. They don't have all this because it's fair. There are no free lunches; everything has a price. How much is too much? Today's world is get all you can get.

Who out there isn't paid off; it sure is not the little guy because he can not afford the price.

You do have the possibility of positive input.

Understanding just how Pennsylvania moves forward by adding very bad rules of playing blackjack. H17-dealer, you should stand, 6-5 blackjack is the worst payout to come along to blackjack, it should be 3-2; late surrender is allowed on player's first two cards.

Do one for the little guy; throw one back at them. Allow splitting (4) times instead of three and RSA=player may split aces (usually to a maximum of four hand - at least three). It's really not that much of a disadvantage to the casino but they will know you know your stuff.

Thank you for listening.

Happy Days Ahead,

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P.S. Pennsylvania Gaming will never become number two destination unless they lead the way with fair gaming.