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Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to the review of the NSW Local Impacts Assessment (LIA) for poker machines.

Such a review and any process by which poker machines are introduced into communities needs to be the subject of totally independent assessment without any influence from interested groups other than through a transparent submission process.

Families have been destroyed by poker machine gambling, individuals have suffered great harm and communities have been damaged through the uncontrolled promotion of gambling by problem gamblers.

Governments and industry are addicted to the revenue from poker machines that are designed to extract the maximum amount of money from problem gamblers and others. They have no incentive to balance the community interest. Yet this is the role of government.

Yours sincerely,

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