



MPUMALANGA
ECONOMIC REGULATOR

BOOKMAKER LICENCE

A licence is hereby issued in terms of section 32B of the Mpumalanga Gambling Act, 1995 (Act No. 5 of 1995), as amended to:

World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd

(Registration Number: 2021/433554/07)

to conduct the business of a bookmaker, under the name:

World Sports Betting Mpumalanga

Licence Reference Number: 9-2-1-09606

Premises for land-based
bookmaking operations: *Not operational*

Approved URL: <https://mp.worldsportsbetting.co.za>

Administrative Premises: 11 Van Der Merwe Street,
Mbombela, Mbombela Local Municipality

Conditions Applicable: Version 1

This licence is valid from the “*Date of Issue*” to the expiry date in subsequent years (“*Annual Renewal Date*”), subject to the payment of prescribed fees and the submission of documents and information that the Mpumalanga Economic Regulator may require for purposes of renewal of the licence.

Signature and designation of authorised person: This licence was issued electronically without a signature on behalf of the Chief Executive Officer of the Mpumalanga Economic Regulator.

Date of Issue: 2021-12-14

Annual Renewal Date: 30 Sep **with an application for renewal to be submitted by:** 30 Jun

Validation Code: 9618172554

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For more information contact the MER on (013) 750-8000.



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LICENCE CONDITIONS

The granting of this licence is subject to the following conditions:

1. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd must have legal possession of all premises specified in this licence, including the URL. Furthermore, all online and land-based facilities must be kept safe, secure and in good working order.
2. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd shall on a continuous basis, satisfy the Mpumalanga Economic Regulator (MER) of sufficient measures taken to ensure that no persons under the age of 18 years have access to any online and land-based betting facilities authorised in terms of this licence.
3. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd shall ensure that all commitments contained in the licence bid, are adhered to and implemented, including the following:
 - a. Ownership of at least 46% by Mpumalanga residents who are black people as defined in the Codes of Good Practice of Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment with full voting rights and economic interest of which at least 30% are held by Mpumalanga residents who are black females and/or youth and/or persons with disabilities, with full voting rights and economic interest.
 - b. The composition of the Board of Directors of World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd shall, at least, be in proportion to the shareholding percentages of local BEE.
 - c. Fees for purposes of management shall accrue at a fixed monthly rental to the entity.
 - d. The total number of jobs for black Mpumalanga residents shall be at least 24 of the total jobs at the outlet, with 17 of those jobs reserved for females who are Mpumalanga residents.



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4. This licence is valid from date of issue to the Annual Renewal Date, subject to submission of documents and information that the MER may require for purposes of renewal of the licence and payment of the prescribed fees.
5. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd shall implement risk management processes to ensure that does not bring the gambling industry into disrepute, as well as adherence to all applicable legislation and licence conditions.
6. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd must ensure that they have legal rights to conduct betting activities on sporting events or other contingencies, where applicable. Furthermore, all contingencies offered on online and land-based betting facilities authorised in terms of this licence must be approved by the MER.
7. World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd shall provide to the MER guarantees as determined by the MER from time to time, for liabilities of World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd in relation to betting levies payable and betting debt payable by World Sports Betting Mpumalanga (Pty) Ltd. The guarantees shall be maintained at such levels as may be determined by the MER from time to time.
8. All wagering or betting equipment, software, online links or feeds and data warehousing must be supplied and maintained by holders of certificates of suitability or licensed manufactures, suppliers and distributors, unless a bookmaker uses and maintain its own systems.
9. The approved URL must have a visible link on the landing page to a copy of this licence certificate, as approved by the MER from time to time.

Version 1

Effective from: 14 December 2021

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Our Reference: XWS006

Date: 07 October 2022

Dear Licensee,

RENEWAL OF LICENCE

We refer to the below mentioned applications for renewal of licences up to 30 September 2022 and hereby confirm that respective licences have been renewed for the period 01 October 2022 to 30 September 2023, as follows:

Customer No	Licence No	Licence Type	Trade Name
XWS006	9-2-1-09684	Bookmaker	World Sports Betting

Kindly note that licence certificates will not be issued for purposes of the above renewals and that the validity of licences can be verified according to the procedure indicated in the footer of the licence via SMS or on the MER licensing portal at: meronline.org.za.

We trust that you will find the above in order.

Yours faithfully,

André Otto
Executive Manager: Licensing

This letter was electronically issued without a signature and its validity can be confirmed with the offices of the Mpumalanga Economic Regulator at licensing@mer.org.za



Members: G Deiner (Acting Chairperson), PL Mhlongo (Deputy Chairperson), V Mtsweni (Acting CEO), TN Mzoneli, TE Mawelele, NF Mabuza, V Baloyi, LL Nkosi, LB Mabaso.