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Hi Lance

As requested, please find attached the meeting brief for the Assistant Treasurer's meeting with Mr Mark Coulton MP on problem gambling on 25 October 2010.

The hard copy will be in the rounds tomorrow morning.

Regards,

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Punters will stop coming to clubs and will go online to gamble

- The Government does not agree with the PC recommendation to liberalise online gambling.
- We are committed to continue to monitor the current ban on online gaming and are currently examining the impacts of such a ban in other countries, such as the United States.
- Possible substitution between different forms of gambling will be one of the issues that the independent study on revenue flows will examine.