FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CARLINO PETER M  (Last) (First) (Middle)  845 BERKSHIRE BOULEVARD  SUITE 200					3. Da 01/0	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     Gaming & Leisure Properties, Inc. [ GLPI ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     01/04/2017  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable)  X Director  X Officer (give title below)  Chairman				X 10% Owner Other (specify below) n & CEO	
(Street) WYOMISSING PA 19610 (City) (State) (Zip)					-										ine) X	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Date						Ex (ay/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Secu Bene		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					v	Amount				A) or D)	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			(			
Common stock 01/04						/2017					8,451		D	\$30.79		4,125,379			D	
Common stock														7,3		,380,900		I	By Trusts <sup>(1)</sup>	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					Transaction Code (Instr.		vative virities vired rosed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		estr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)				10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	or Nui of	ount mber ares						

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes: (i)436,701 shares owned by a residuary trust for the benefit of Peter D. Carlino and Peter D. Carlino's children, as to which Mr. Carlino has shared voting and investment power; and (ii) 7,246,187 shares held by the Carlino Family Trust, as to which Peter M. Carlino has sole voting power for certain matters. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by the trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report should not be deemed an admission the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

## Remarks:

Peter M. Carlino

01/06/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$ 

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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