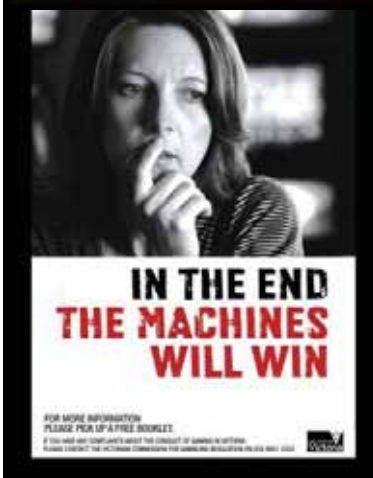


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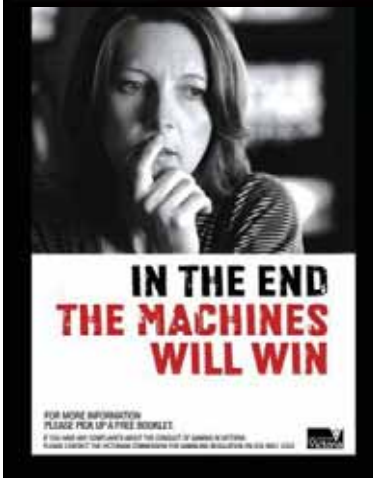
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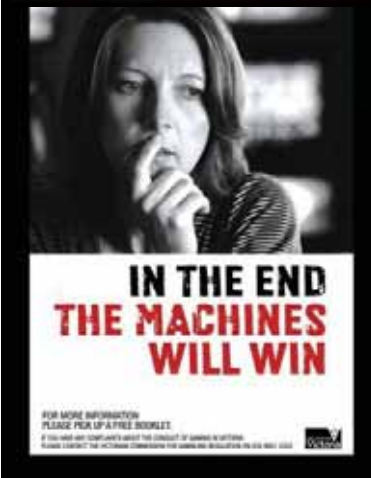
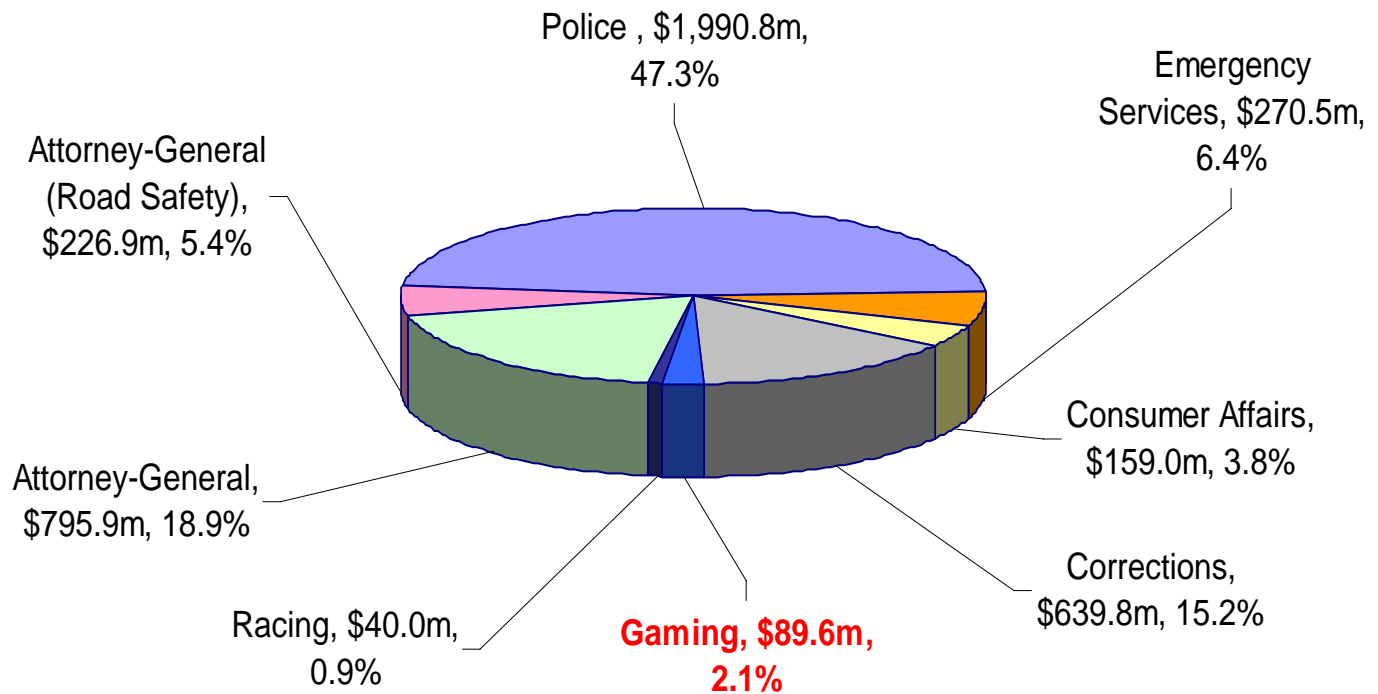


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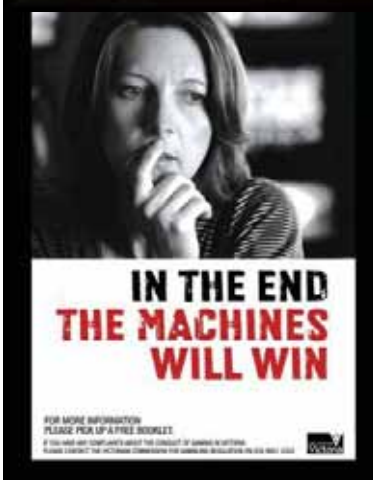


Justice Budget Breakdown



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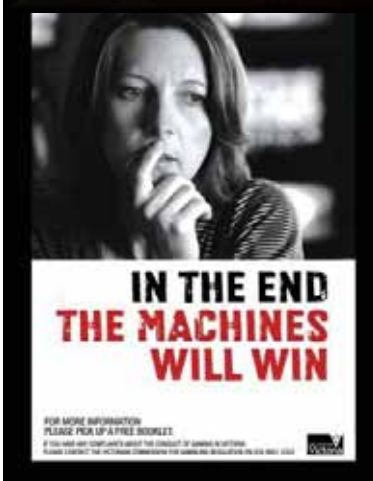
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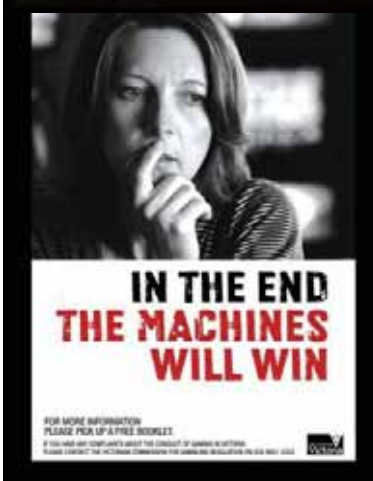
- Gambling Regulation Amendment (Licensing) Act 2009
- Pre-auction Club Offer
- Gaming Auction
- Keno licence – ‘invitation to apply’ phase
- Wagering and Betting, and Monitoring Licences



Major Achievements

Combating problem gambling

- *Taking Action on Problem Gambling* – total funding \$132.3m
- Community Awareness and Education Strategy - \$37.5m
- Treatment services - \$79m



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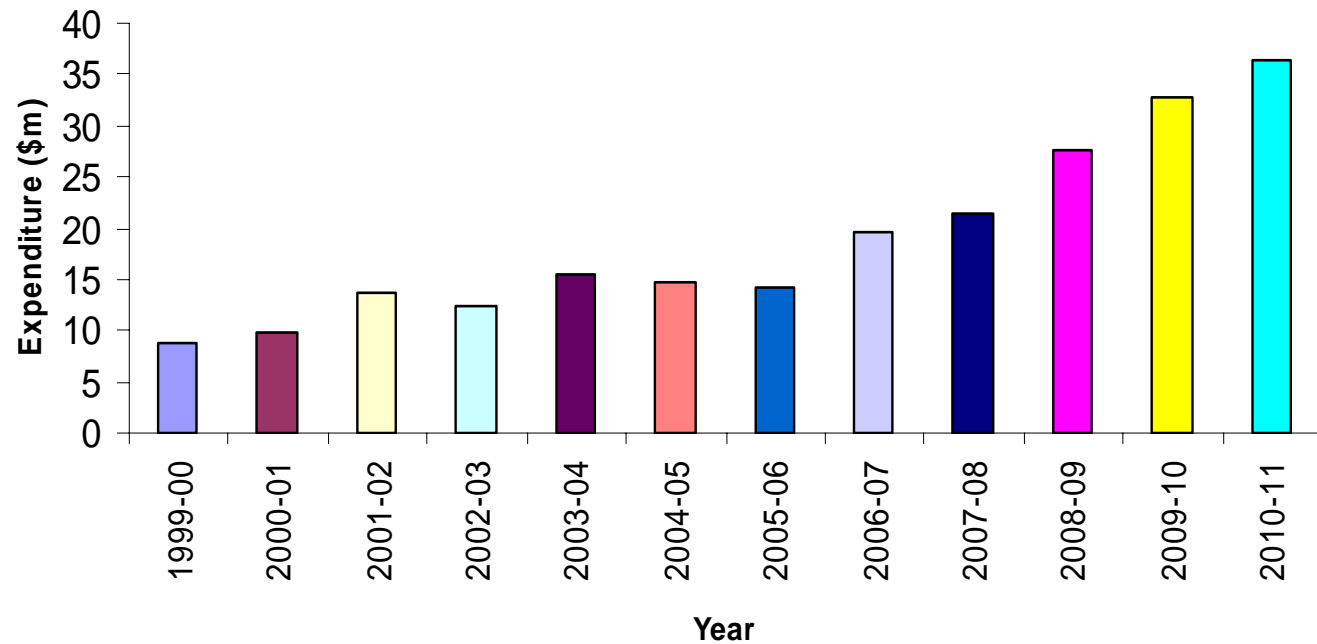


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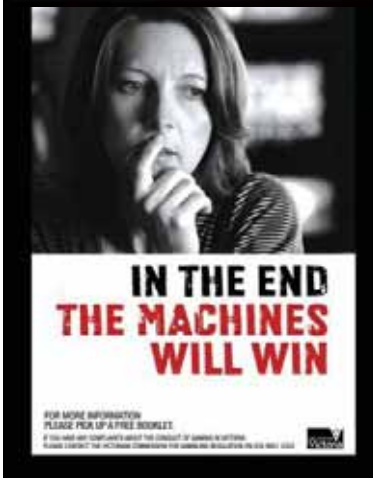


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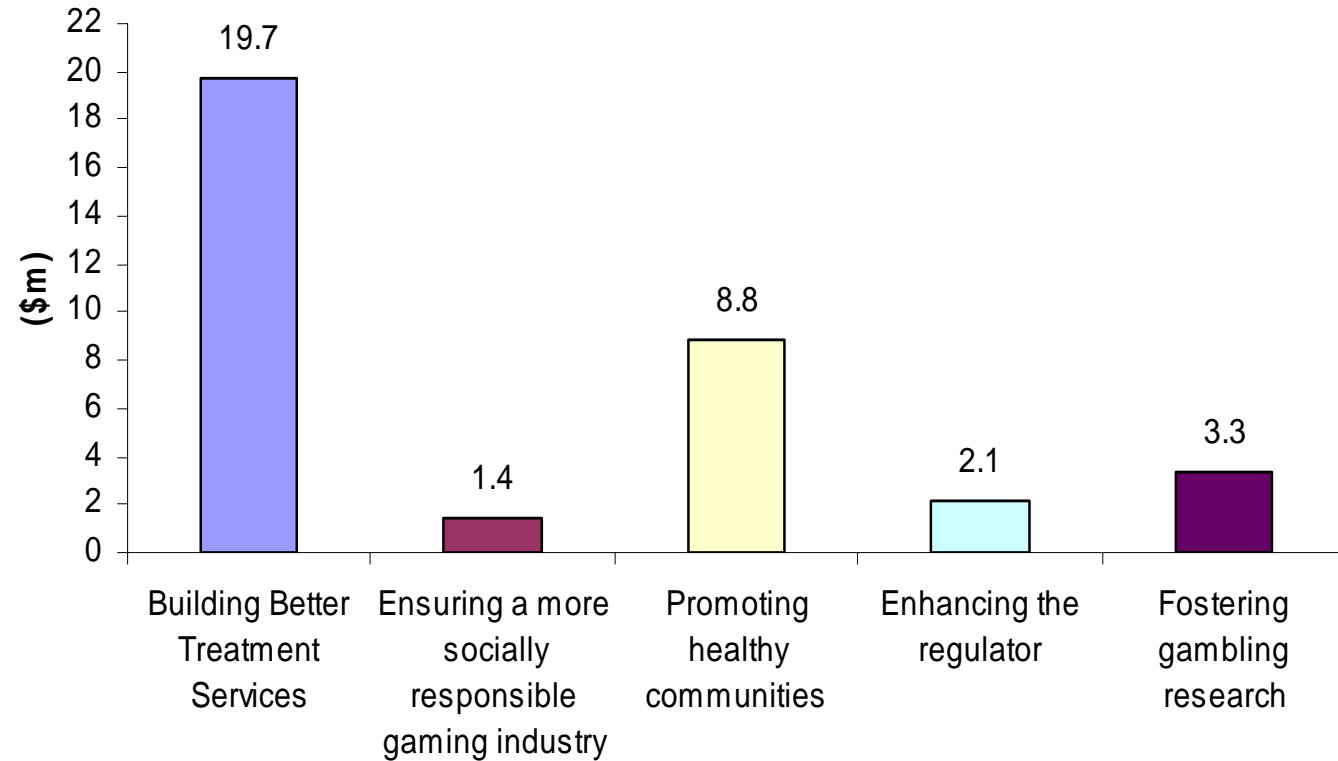
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Combating problem gambling & harm minimisation



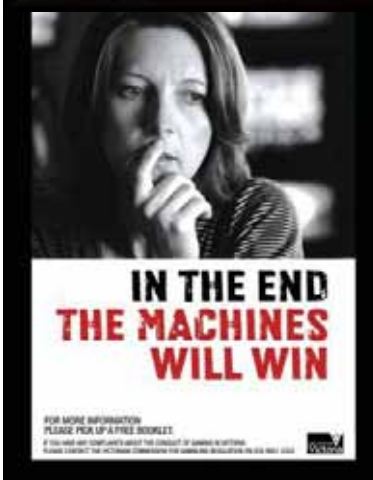
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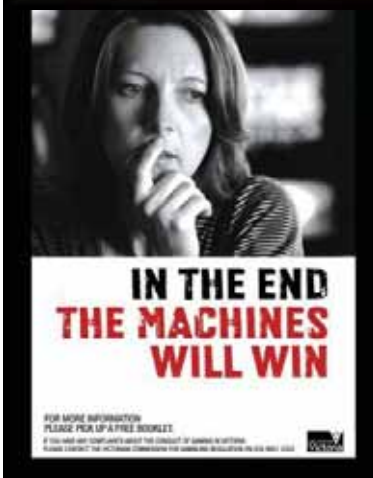
- *'Significant Others'* and *'At-Risk'* Campaigns
- National online counselling services
- Research: *A Study of Gambling in Victoria*
- Alfred Psychiatry and Bouverie Centre Partnerships – mental health needs of problem gamblers



Major Achievements

Harm Minimisation

- Strengthening ban on gaming machine advertising
- Power to ban a gambling product or practice
- Removal of ATMs
- Codes of Code / Self-exclusion programs
- Pre-commitment
- Increased penalties for allowing a minor to gamble

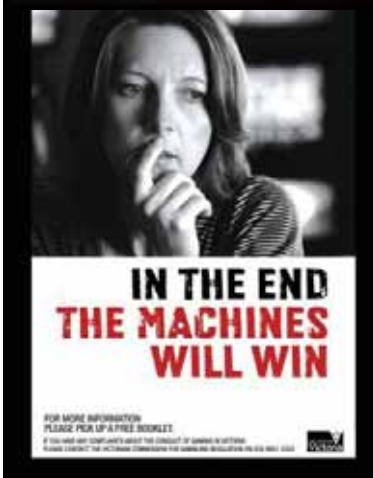


Major Achievements

Modernising the Gambling Regulatory Environment

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- Ongoing licensing, investigation and compliance
- Involvement in licence awarding processes for post 2012 licences
- Fostering responsible gambling



2010-11 Priorities

- Implementing the new gambling licensing arrangements
- Continuing the success of *Taking action on problem gambling*
- Implementing pre-commitment
- Increasing Gambler's Help service access and uptake
- Strengthening linkages between Gambler's Help and the mental health and drug and alcohol sectors



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