



# 2019 Annual General Meeting

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# **Today's Agenda**

- Financial Highlights
- Company Vision and Strategy
- State of the Industry
- 2018 Business Highlights
- Acquisitions
- Financial Update 2018 and Q1 2019
- Expectations for 2019





# **Financial Highlights**

(\$ Millions)	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
SALES	\$331.9	\$285.7	\$246.4	\$221.0	\$194.5
NET INCOME	\$14.9	\$16.8	\$12.3	\$7.5	\$8.7
ADJUSTED EBITDA	\$48.8	\$44.0	\$29.7	\$26.8	\$25.6
NET DEBT	\$104.6	\$79.0	\$63.4	\$65.7	\$62.9

Source: Pollard Banknote financial statements and MD&A









#### **COMPANY VISION AND STRATEGY**

### **Company Vision**

# DIGITAL

We will be the partner of choice in the lottery and charitable gaming market by offering retail and digital games and solutions that attract and engage players.

RETAIL EXCELLENCE

OUTSTANDING GAMES







# Facilities & Companies













#### **STATE OF THE INDUSTRY**

#### North American Instant Sales Growth







# **Charitable Gaming Market**

- Industry has historically consisted of mainly pull-tab tickets and bingo paper.
- Steady consumer demand over the past few years.
- Some key jurisdictions showed retail growth last year including Minnesota.
- Opportunity is seen in digital/electronic charitable gaming such as etabs and hand held electronic bingo devices.

Source: management estimates









#### **2018 BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS**

# **Key Wins in 2018**



















# **Key Wins in 2018**





























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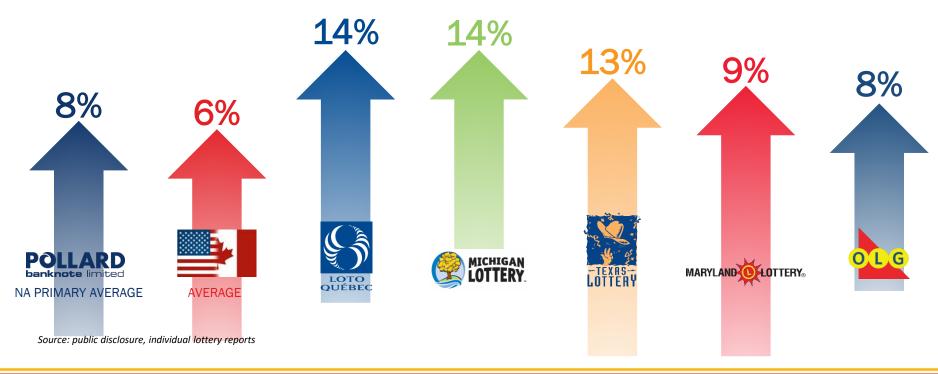






# **Pollard Primary Contract Retail Growth**

CY2017 vs. CY2018:
Our Clients Grew Their Sales Faster







# **Leading Print Innovation**







ClearPlay



Mini-Playbook





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# **Manufacturing Strength**

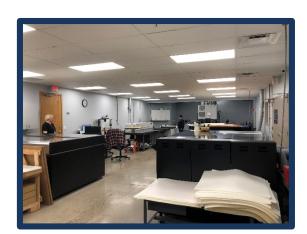
2018/2019 Commitment to improved efficiencies and greater capacity

Enhanced finishing equipment - Winnipeg





New Internal Plate Room - Ypsilanti



**Expanding Original Press - Ypsilanti** 







Monthly Per Capita iLottery Sales



\$0.3











4 months of sales for New Hampshire 8 months of sales for Pennsylvania





# **iLottery Portfolio**











Michigan

Virginia

**New Hampshire** 

**North Carolina** 





# **Digital Innovation**

PLAYON

xpressGAMES

scanACTIV

optiFORCE

sureTRACK 2.0







# **Digital Key Wins**













**Arizona** 

**Connecticut** 

**North Carolina** 





# **iLottery Regulatory Status**

- In 2011 the US Department of Justice ("DOJ") issued an interpretation indicating the Wire Act only applied to sports betting.
- Previously the belief was the Wire Act precluded all forms of internet gambling in the US.
- Based on the 2011 interpretation, many lotteries began instituting strategies to establish iLottery operations selling lottery products over the internet. Currently there are 8 US lotteries operating iLottery business with more evaluating.
- In January 2019, the DOJ issued a new interpretation reversing the 2011 view, now indicating the Wire Act applies to all forms of gambling, including potentially lotteries.
- On February 15, 2019, Pollard Banknote Limited and NeoPollard Interactive LLC. filed a
  motion with the United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire requesting
  a formal declatory judgement clarifying that the Wire Act only applies to sports betting.
- We believe the January 2019 DOJ interpretation is incorrect on a number of key issues and are confident a definitive ruling from the Court will reconfirm that iLottery and other gaming operations conducted by state lotteries are not subject to the Wire Act.
- Ruling is expected June 2019. The DOJ has agreed to not enforce the new interpretation until at least mid-July.

#### **Charitable Games**

- Approximately 17% of our current revenue
- Overall industry is steady but showing some signs of renewed growth
- Our business generates solid profits/cashflow
- Diamond Game products also address charitable game sector
- February 2018 purchase of International Gamco, Inc. significantly expands our market share
- Further opportunity for industry consolidation











**ACQUISITIONS** 























#### **Retail Transformation**



**Before** 



**After** 





# **Highlights Update**

- Schafer Systems acquired November 1, 2018.
- Industry leader in instant ticket retail merchandising, currently working with 42 of the 44 lotteries in the USA.
- Long history of providing innovative retail merchandising specializing exclusively in the lottery space.
- Early integration has been very smooth, innovation teams from across Pollard are working with the Schafer team.
- Market reaction has been very positive, with Schafer now owned by a lottery focused parent (Pollard).





# Fastrak RETAIL















# Fastrak Retail (UK) Limited

- On May 1, 2019, we acquired 100% of Fastrak Retail (UK) Limited.
- Fastrak is a leading provider of lottery ticket dispensers, lottery play points and other retail merchandising products.
- Based near Manchester, England, Fastrak was founded in 2000 and has approximately 25 employees.
- Currently supplies products and services to major lotteries including the Irish Lottery, the Illinois Lottery and the UK National Lottery.
- Acquisition price is £4 million plus working capital adjustment and future earn-outs based on specific targets.
- Fastrak will fit nicely with our recently acquired Schafer Systems operation to provide a comprehensive world leading world leading merchandising resource for lotteries.





# **Expanding Product Portfolio**









































# **Highlights Update**

- International Gamco acquired February 1, 2018.
- Combined with our existing American Games operation, integration going very well.
- Market has reacted very positively to the business combination, now strong #2 manufacturer.
- Operation generates in excess of \$55 million in revenue (17% of our 2018 total).
- Opportunities for longer term synergies including facility optimization.
- Significant operational synergies achieved with Gamco's machine division, Oasis, and Diamond Game.





# **Acquisition Strategy**

- Key component of our overall strategy for profitable growth.
- Dedicated senior resources are focused on our acquisition strategy.
- Areas of interest include: ancillary lottery products; digital and iLottery; charitable gaming and other services to the lottery market.
- Four deals completed in the last 21 months.
- Several actionable opportunities have been identified and are being pursued.
- Operating results of all of our recent deals have met or exceeded our expectations.





# **Capital Strategy**

- Sufficient available capital to support our strategy.
- 3-year committed senior debt facility, approximately \$200 million including accordion feature.
- Close to \$70 million available liquidity at December 31, 2018 (excluding accordion).
- Successful \$35 million equity raise February 2018.
- Significant free cash flow available to fund investments in product development, CAPEX, dividend and future acquisitions.
- Low leverage ratio of 1.89 at December 31, 2018, focused on maintaining a conservative leverage profile.
- Increased dividend 33% in Q1 2019.
- Committed over the long term to increasing public float of shares.









# FINANCIAL UPDATE 2018 Annual Results

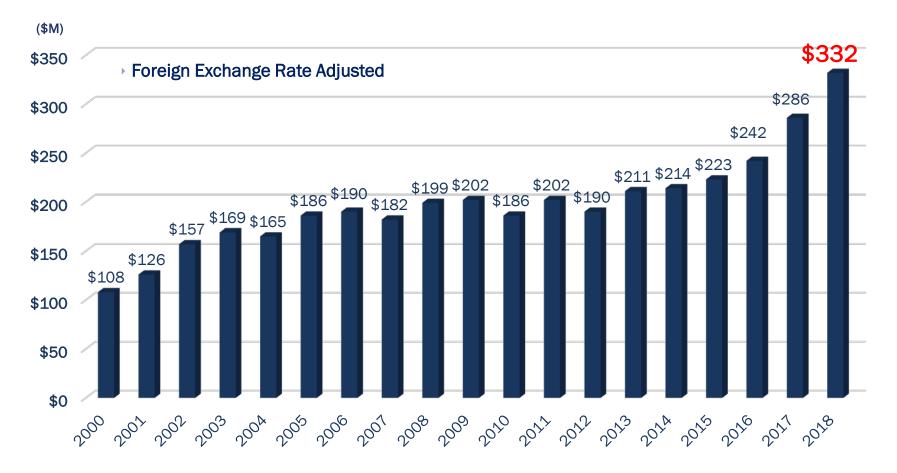
#### **2018 HIGHLIGHTS**

(\$M)	2018	2017
Sales	\$331.9	\$285.7
Gross Margin	\$75.7	\$65.7
Gross Margin %	22.8%	23.0%
SG + A	\$45.4	\$38.0
<b>Income from Operations</b>	\$29.7	\$27.0
Adjusted EBITDA	\$48.8	\$44.0
Net Income	\$14.9	\$16.8





#### Fiscal Sales



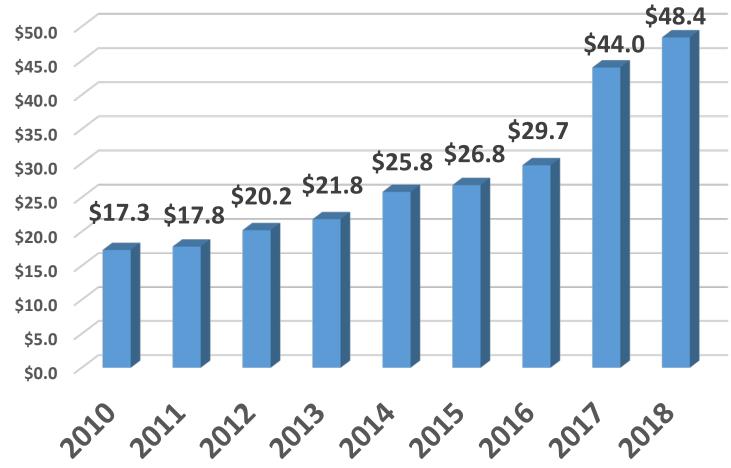
Annual sales adjusted to 2018 average rate of \$1.30 CDN per USD





#### **Adjusted EBITDA**





See definition of Adjusted EBITDA on slide 2 and reconciliation to Net Income in the Appendix





# **Strong CASHFLOW**

(\$M)	2018	2017
Cash Flow before CAPEX & W/C	\$35.7	\$30.2
Change in Working Capital	<u>4.0</u>	<u>(\$2.9)</u>
<b>Net Cash Flow before CAPEX</b>	\$39.7	\$28.3
CAPEX	<u>(\$15.1)</u>	(\$6.9)
Net Cash Flow (b4 dividend, debt repayment & acquisitions)	<u>\$<b>24.6</b></u>	<u>\$21.4</u>
(source: 2018 PBL Statement of Cash Flow)		





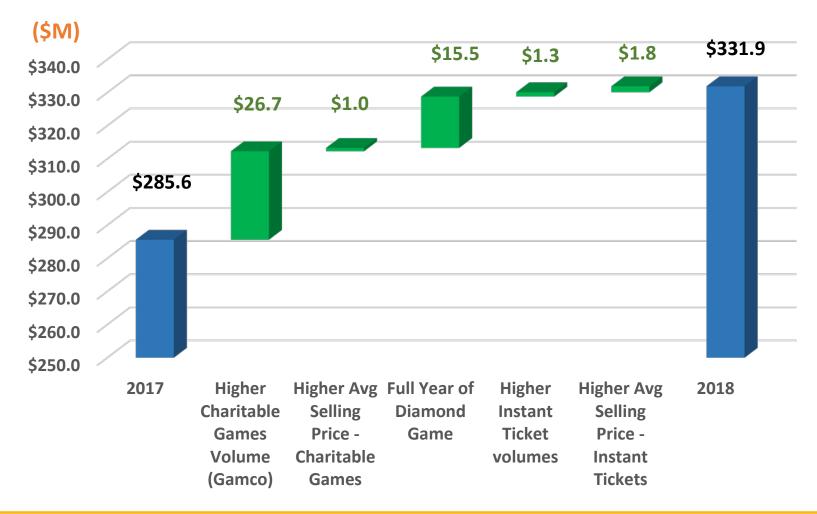
#### **2018** Highlights

- Record annual revenue.
- Strong average selling price due to continued success of value added premium product mix.
- Full year impact of Diamond Game exceeding expectations.
- Acquisition and integration of Gamco and Schafer.
- Strong positive free cash flow prior to W/C investment.
- Temporary lower orders in Q4 impacted results negatively.





#### Fiscal 2018 Sales







## Adjusted EBITDA











# **FINANCIAL UPDATE 2019 First Quarter Results**

# Q1 2019 Highlights

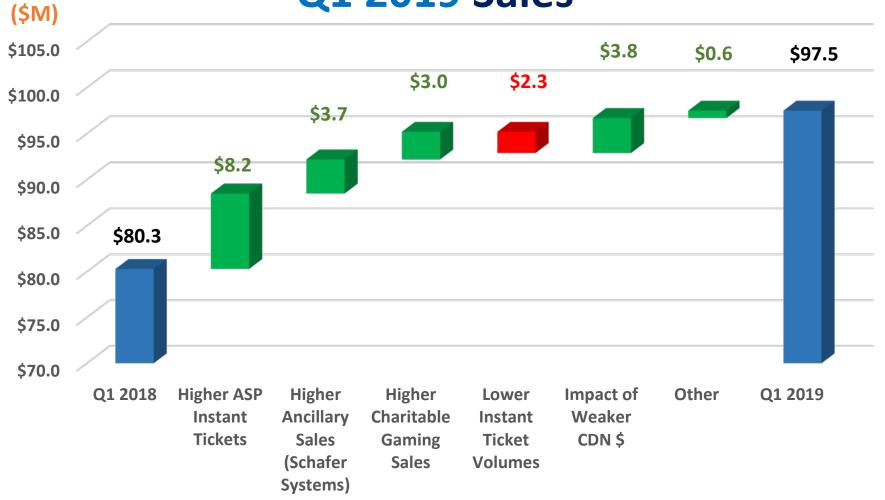
(\$M)	Q1 2019	Q1 2018		
Sales	\$97.6	\$80.3		
Gross Margin	\$22.9	\$19.4		
Gross Margin %	23.5%	24.1%		
SG + A	\$12.2	\$10.8		
<b>Income from Operations</b>	\$10.5	\$8.6		
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$15.1	\$13.0		
Net Income	\$8.0	\$4.5		

<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted EBITDA calculated excluding IFRS 16 impact in 2019





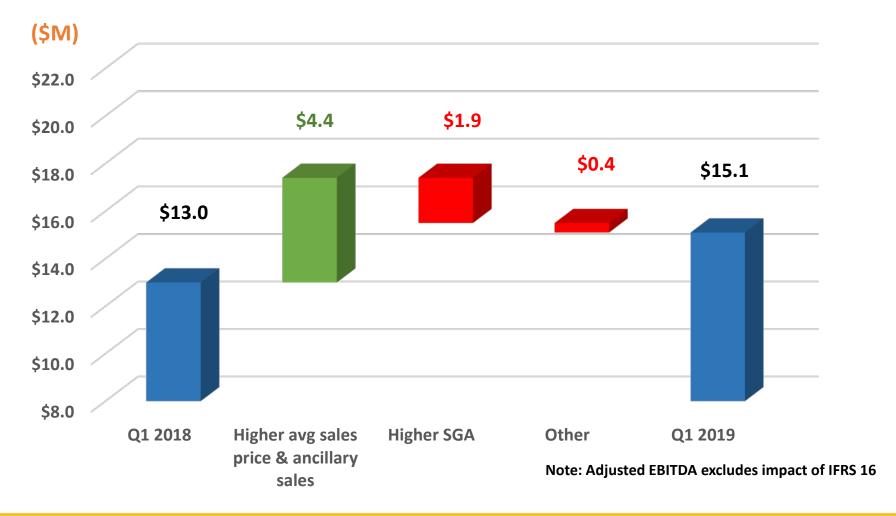
#### **Q1 2019 Sales**







## Q1 2019 Adjusted EBITDA

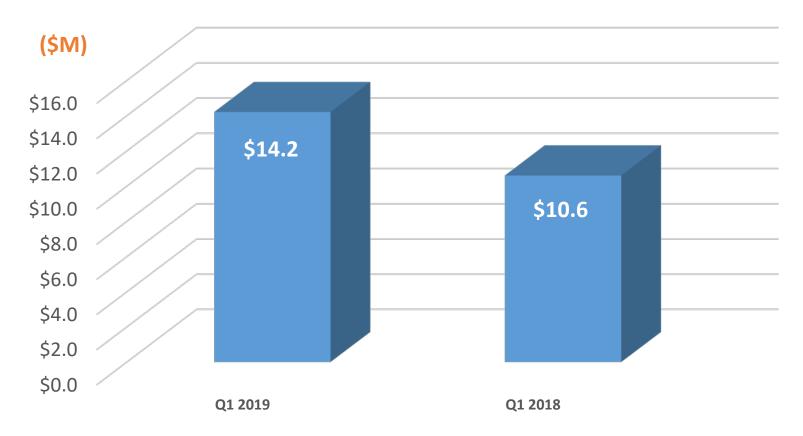






#### **Strong Q1 Cashflow**

Cash flow before CAPEX and W/C changes







#### **Q1** Highlights

- Return of orders and sales volume for instant tickets closer to levels experienced in the first three quarters of 2018.
- Strong mix of proprietary specialty products including Scratch FX, laminated and pouched products.
- 33% increase in Dividend in March.
- First full quarter of Schafer Systems results which continue to meet our expectations.
- Awarded first significant contract to manage instant ticket inventory and distribution for a major lottery (Arizona).
- Our NeoPollard iLottery joint venture won Lottery Supplier of the Year at the 6<sup>th</sup> annual 2019 EGR North American awards.
- On May 1 acquired Fastrak Retail (UK) Limited









#### **EXPECTATIONS FOR 2019**

#### **Looking Forward**



**Increasing Capacity** 



Increased Opportunities to Sell



**Decreased Costs** 



**Robust Industry** 





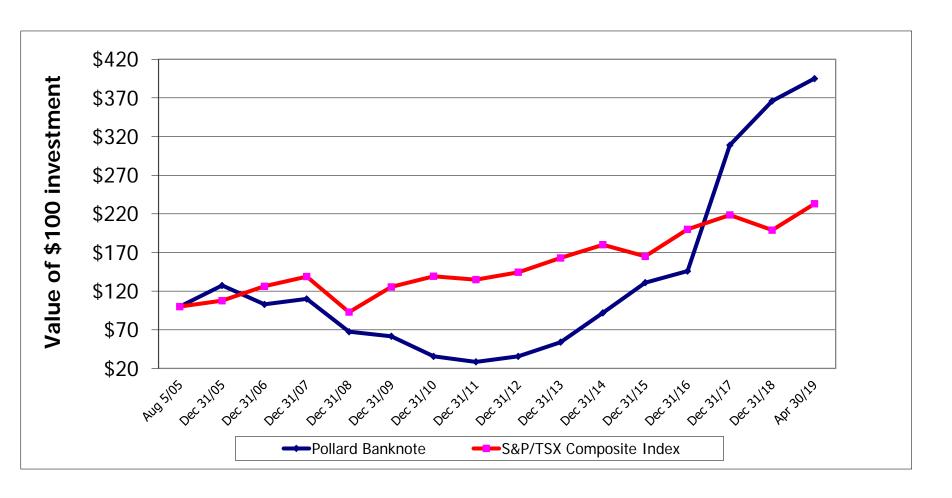
Continued M&A **Opportunities** 

#### **Partner of Choice**





#### Value of \$100 Investment in PBL Shares









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...it's why you choose us.







# Thank you for your time and your attention today

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#### **APPENDICES**

# **Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation**

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Net income	\$14.9	\$16.8	\$12.3	\$7.5	\$8.7	\$5.4	\$6.5	\$3.1	\$1.8
Adjustments:									
Amortization & depreciation	\$18.0	\$13.1	\$10.6	\$8.4	\$7.9	\$8.6	\$7.8	\$8.4	\$8.6
Interest	\$4.2	\$3.9	\$3.6	\$2.9	\$2.9	\$3.4	\$3.4	\$4.4	\$5.2
Income taxes	\$5.9	\$7.2	\$4.8	\$4.7	\$3.7	\$3.9	\$2.3	\$1.7	\$1.9
Unrealized foreign exchange	\$4.6	-\$1.4	<u>-\$1.6</u>	\$3.8	\$1.7	\$1.0	<u>-\$0.1</u>	\$3.8	-\$1.2
Acquisition costs	\$0.8	\$2.7							
Severance costs	<u>\$0.4</u>	<u>\$1.7</u>							
Other				<u>-\$0.5</u>	<u>\$0.7</u>	<u>\$0.4</u>		<u>\$1.2</u>	<u>\$1.9</u>
Adjusted EBITDA	<u>\$48.8</u>	\$44.0	<u>\$29.7</u>	<u>\$26.8</u>	<u>\$25.6</u>	\$22.7	<u>\$19.9</u>	<u>\$22.6</u>	<u>\$18.2</u>

#### **IFRS 16 New Lease Standard**

- New standard implemented from January 1, 2019.
- Majority of leases now set up as an asset and offsetting liability on the Statement of Financial Position.
- Charge to the Statement of Income is split between depreciation and interest versus historic rent expense.
- Under the new standard income before income tax and net income is not materially different than the previous accounting standard.
- EBITDA will increase by approximately \$5 million annually due to the increased interest and depreciation and reduce rent expense.
- We have provided disclosure identifying the impact of the new accounting standard for consistency.
- The Statement of Financial Position will include a right-to-use asset and corresponding lease liability on implementation which is expected to be approximately \$18 million.