

betting offices

The basic prerequisite for the granting of a licence to broker sports bets in a betting agency (betting office) is that the organiser of the sports bets has a licence in accordance with §§ 4a to 4e, § 10a of the State Treaty on Gambling (GlüStV).

Competent Department

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Basic information

With the most recent amendment to the State Treaty on Gambling, private sports betting providers have been granted the opportunity to obtain a licence pursuant to §§ 4a et seq. of the State Treaty on Gambling (GlüStV) for the organisation of sports betting on the Internet and terrestrially through betting agencies as of 1 January 2020. The mediation of sports betting in these betting agencies requires an additional mediation licence for the respective location in accordance with the country-specific requirements.

Requirements

In the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen it is possible to apply for this placement permit under the conditions listed in our information sheet or by submitting the documents mentioned therein.

Procedure

The application for a licence to broker sports bets at a betting brokerage office can be submitted to the competent gambling supervisory authority by any betting organiser who holds a licence (licence) pursuant to §§ 4a et seq. of the GlüStV. According to § 10 of the Bremen Gambling Act (BremGlüG), this is the Bremen public order office in the municipality of Bremen and the citizens' and public order office of the city of Bremerhaven in the municipality of Bremerhaven. The addressee of this personal permission is the operator of the betting office. If the operator changes, a new licence must be applied for.

More information

Further information is summarised in an information sheet on the "Requirements for the granting of a licence to broker sports betting in a betting agency".