

## **JERSEY GAMBLING COMMISSION**

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### **FAQ – Can I run a bingo event?**

#### **Is bingo allowed in Jersey?**

Commercial bingo (ie. bingo run for profit) is not currently allowed, but charitable bingo is. The commission is planning to consult the public on licensing commercial bingo in the same way that the UK has been doing for some time.

#### **What do I need?**

You will need bingo cards and a way of calling random numbers. Bingo cards can be found easily enough online, but you need to have a reliable way of generating random numbers – and because some people in Jersey might not be familiar with the rules, it might be a good idea to have a simple explanation. As with all gambling, the organisers need to keep clear financial records of expenses, prize money and income.

#### **How often can I run a bingo night?**

The threshold is three times per year. Beyond that, you will have to register with the commission.