



The Federation of Racecourse Bookmakers Limited

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GAMBLING COMMISSION

Industry Statistics for the year to 31/3/2011.

The Gambling Commission has just published industry statistics for the year to 31/3/2011.

'On-Course' Bookmakers ~ Horseracing : -

Turnover has fallen from £283m to £256m - a drop of £27m (9%)

'On-Course' gross win has fallen from £23.6m to £20.4m - a drop of £3.2m (14%)

Margins have fallen from 8.3% to 8%.

If business falls by as much in each of the proceeding years then it will be late 2017 before there is no gross win at all.

The figures for Greyhound Bookmakers are even worse.

There were 670 'On-Course' licence holders during the year.

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