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BETTING IN GREAT BRITAIN

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- Betting on any event (sporting or otherwise) is not illegal
- Private betting not regulated
- Commercial betting is regulated by Gambling Commission or FSA
- In run betting is permitted

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## Regulated Commercial Gambling

- Fixed odds betting against a bookmaker
- Pari-mutuel/pool betting
- Person to person betting through an exchange
- Spread betting

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## Regulation

- Proper levels of control by Gambling Commission or FSA
- Operator must be fit and proper
- Adherence to licensing objectives: -
  - Preventing criminal involvement
  - Ensuring fair and open betting
  - Protecting children and the vulnerable
- Betting taxation

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