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Mr. Jeffrey Thomas  
Chief, IT Services  
Division of Corporation Finance  
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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CERT NAS  
File No. 001-32161

Dear Mr. Thomas:

This is to certify that on December 31, 2012 The Nasdaq Stock Market (the "Exchange") received from Entertainment Gaming Asia Inc. (the "Registrant") a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 8-A 12(b) for the registration of the following security:

Common Stock, \$.001 par value

We further certify that the security described above have been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking immediate acceleration of the effective date of registration, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

*William Slattery*