This month was a pretty slow month for the IRC in general. I was in contact with one compulsive gambler in Iran who was struggling. Even though gambling, alcohol and drugs are illegal there, he managed to gamble on Line and created a big problem. I suggest he find AA or NA, which both do exist in Iran. He has been going to NA meetings on a regular basis and has abstained for a few weeks. We are in the process of helping him start a GA group there.

The only other person I have been in contact was with a guy in the Philippines who was trying to find a group that was accessible. He is going to try the one on Friday nights in Manila at a coffee shop.

We will see what December has in store for the IRC.

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