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SOUTHERN NEVADA LAW ENFORCEMENT ARRESTS INDIVIDUAL FROM LIST OF EXCLUDED PERSONS

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At approximately midnight on August 29, 2022, the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (LVMPD) arrested Tasia McDonald Musa, an individual listed on the Nevada Gaming Control Board's (Board) List of Excluded Persons.

On the night of August 29, Musa was recognized by casino security at the Paris Las Vegas Hotel & Casino as an individual from the List of Excluded Persons. Musa fled on foot when casino security attempted to apprehend him. LVMPD, on regular patrol of the Las Vegas Strip, spotted Musa crossing the street, and after a brief pursuit on foot, was arrested in front of the Bellagio fountains. LVMPD engaged the Board to assist in the investigation and arrest of the suspect. Pursuant to NRS 463.155, Musa was booked for unlawful entry by a person who has been placed on the List of Excluded Persons, which is categorized as a gross misdemeanor.

"The Board recognizes the security staff of the Paris Hotel & Casino and thanks the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department for their diligence in this matter, and for its continued partnership with the Board to ensure the safety of Nevada's residents and its guests," said James Taylor, Chief of the Board's Enforcement Division. "The Board will continue to work with all of its security and law enforcement partners throughout the state to ensure the integrity and strict regulation of licensed gaming."

Musa was placed on the List of Excluded Persons on [January 29, 2015](#) for various convictions of crimes of moral turpitude. The Nevada Legislature authorized the creation of the List of Excluded Persons in 1967, and declared it the policy of the State the exclusion of certain persons from licensed gaming establishments is necessary to effectively maintain the strict regulation of licensed gaming in Nevada.

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The Nevada Gaming Control Board governs Nevada's gaming industry through strict regulation of all persons, locations, practices, associations and related activities. The Board protects the integrity and stability of the industry through its investigative and licensing practices, and enforces laws and regulations, while holding gaming licensees to high standards. Through these practices, the Board is able to ensure the proper collection of taxes and fees that are an essential source of revenue for Nevada.