

NEVADA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

DISPOSITION JANUARY 2024 MEETING

NEVADA GAMING CONTROL BOARD MEETING
GAMING CONTROL BOARD OFFICES
MEETING ROOM 100
1919 COLLEGE PARKWAY
CARSON CITY, NV 89706

Wednesday, January 10, 2024

9:00 a.m. • Public Comments

Approval of Prior Month GCB Disposition and Workshop/Meeting Minutes

Nonrestricted Items #01-01-24 through #05-01-24

11:00 a.m. • Restricted Items #01-01-24 through #09-01-24

New Game – Final Approval

Excluded Person Nomination

Casino/Player Dispute Appeals Pursuant to NRS 463.363

Regulation Agenda

Division Report

Public Comments

Members Present:

Kirk D. Hendrick, Chairman Hon. George Assad (Ret.), Member Brittnie Watkins, Member

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DISPOSITION PUBLIC COMMENTS AGENDA JANUARY 2024 PAGE 1

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PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DISCUSSION:

Comments taken from members of the Culinary and Bartenders Unions regarding Station Casinos. Refer to Public Comments Attachment 1, Attachment 2, and Attachment 3.

DISPOSITION APPROVAL OF PRIOR MONTH GCB DISPOSITION AND WORKSHOP/MEETING MINUTES JANUARY 2024 PAGE 2

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

Pursuant to NRS 241.035, approval of:

Nevada Gaming Control Board Disposition for December 2023, and the Meeting Minutes for the workshop held on November 28, 2023.

GCB DISPOSITION: APPROVED.

01-01-24 N23-0437 Re: 30028-01

N24-0023 AINSWORTH GAME TECHNOLOGY LIMITED (PTC)

10 HOLKER ST

NEWINGTON, NSW 2127

AUSTRALIA

LI LYNN MAH

Chief Financial Officer

RYAN PATRICK COMSTOCK

Chief Operating Officer

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE AS AN OFFICER

Re: 33285-01

AINSWORTH GAME TECHNOLOGY, INC.

5800 RAFAEL RIVERA WY LAS VEGAS, NV 89118

LI LYNN MAH

Chief Financial Officer

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AS AN OFFICER

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

NGC DISPOSITION:

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

02-01-24 N23-0051 Re: 35538-01

FLUTTER ENTERTAINMENT PLC (PTC)

BELFIELD OFFICE PARK

BEECH HILL RD

CLONSKEAGH DUBLIN 4 IRELAND D04V972

HOLLY KELLER KOEPPEL Director/Audit Committee Chair

APPLICATION FOR FINDING OF SUITABILITY AS A DIRECTOR

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

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FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

03-01-24 N24-0064 Re: 30482-01

T. ROWE PRICE ASSOCIATES, INC.

100 E PRATT ST

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

and

36483-01

T. ROWE PRICE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, INC.

100 E PRATT ST

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

APPLICATIONS FOR A WAIVER, AS AN INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR, OF THE

REQUIREMENTS OF NRS 463.643(4) (WHICH REQUIRES A FINDING OF

SUITABILITY FOR THE BENEFICIAL OWNER OF VOTING SECURITIES) PURSUANT TO NGC REGULATIONS 16.010(14) AND 16.430(1), AS THE BENEFICIAL OWNER

OF VOTING SECURITIES OF THE PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATIONS

REGISTERED WITH THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

APPLICATIONS FOR A WAIVER OF THE TIME LIMITATION OF COMMISSION ACTION EFFECTIVENESS (NGC REGULATION 4.080), TO ACQUIRE BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF UP TO 25% OF THE VOTING SECURITIES OF PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATIONS REGISTERED WITH THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL, INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR WAIVER ORDER, DRAFT #1.

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FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

04-01-24 N24-0078 Re: 30414-01

INDIAN SPRINGS OPERATING COMPANY, LLC

(dba Terrible's Casino) 225 E US HWY 95 N

INDIAN SPRINGS, NV 89018

ESTATE OF ANDREW SCOTT FONFA 19.2860%

(38,572 Class A Units)

JODI HALE FONFA

Executor

APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY LICENSURE AS EXECUTOR

GCB RECOMMENDS:

APPROVAL, LIMITED LICENSE TO EXPIRE AT MIDNIGHT OF THE JANUARY 2027 NGC MEETING ON THE DAY THE ITEM IS HEARD.

NGC DISPOSITION:

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

05-01-24 N23-0578 Re: 32527-01

GOLD DUST RENO, LLC (dba Gold Dust West) 444 VINE ST RENO, NV 89503

MATTHEW RICHARD DENNING

General Manager

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AS A KEY EMPLOYEE

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

01-01-24 R23-0380 Re: 36287-01

16588-03

15 Machines MUCCI LIQUORS, LLC, dba

THE HIDEAWAY TAVERN

3369 THOM BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89130

KRISTIN D. BARTOLO GAMING PROPERTIES TRUST

100%

Member

KRISTIN DENE BARTOLO

Manager

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE AS A MEMBER OR MANAGER

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

02-01-24 R23-0192 Re: 36163-01

00567-14

15 Machines SUPER BAD, LLC, dba

HARD HAT LOUNGE 1675 INDUSTRIAL RD LAS VEGAS, NV 89102

FRANK CHRISTIAN SIDORIS 95%

Member/Manager

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AS A MEMBER AND MANAGER

GCB DISPOSITION: ROBERT MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM

Member/Manager

WITHDRAWAL GRANTED

WITHOUT PREJUDICE. APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AS A MEMBER AND MANAGER – REQUEST TO

WITHDRAW APPLICATION

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL, CONDITIONED:

(1) THE LICENSEES SHALL DEMONSTRATE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A REGULATORY COMPLIANCE SEMINAR FOR RESTRICTED LICENSEES WHICH IS DEEMED ACCEPTABLE TO THE NGCB CHAIR OR THE CHAIR'S DESIGNEE WITHIN 90 DAYS OF THE ISSUANCE OF THE STATE GAMING LICENSE. THIS CONDITION MAY BE ADMINISTRATIVELY EXTENDED BY THE NGCB CHAIR OR THE CHAIR'S DESIGNEE.

- (2) IF AN EQUITY OWNER IS NO LONGER FUNCTIONING AS A KEY EMPLOYEE FOR THIS LOCATION, A KEY EMPLOYEE APPLICATION MUST BE FILED WITHIN 60 DAYS, AND THEREAFTER BE REFILED WITHIN 60 DAYS OF ANY CHANGE IN THE PERSON OCCUPYING THAT POSITION.
- (3) THE SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AND/OR MIRROR(S) MUST BE INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE NGCB ENFORCEMENT DIVISION WITHIN 60 DAYS OF ISSUANCE OF THE STATE GAMING LICENSE AND THEREAFTER BE MAINTAINED AT OR ABOVE THE STANDARD THAT IS APPROVED.

NGC DISPOSITION:

FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION ONLY:

Q23-0194 Re: 36163-01

00567-14

SUPER BAD, LLC, dba HARD HAT LOUNGE 1675 INDUSTRIAL RD LAS VEGAS, NV 89102

MATTHEW DAN STABILE 2.5%

Member

ANGELA RENEE STABILE 2.5%

Member

APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION AS A MINORITY EQUITY INTEREST MEMBER

GCB DISPOSITION: APPROVED.

03-01-24 R23-0502 Re: 04789-01

11464-05

UNITED COIN MACHINE CO., dba

CENTURY GAMING TECHNOLOGIES, db at

7-11 STORE #36011 2202 PARADISE RD LAS VEGAS, NV 89104

PADDA INVESTMENTS, INC.

Business Operator

SATINDERPAL SINGH PADDA 100% President/Secretary/Treasurer/Director/Shareholder (5,000 Shares Common Stock)

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE OF PADDA INVESTMENTS, INC., TO RECEIVE A PERCENTAGE OF GAMING REVENUE FROM UNITED COIN MACHINE CO., DBA

CENTURY GAMING TECHNOLOGIES, DB AT 7-11 STORE #36011

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AS AN OFFICER, DIRECTOR, AND SHAREHOLDER

OF PADDA INVESTMENTS, INC.

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

NGC DISPOSITION:

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

04-01-24 R24-0257 Re: 18809-01

04355-03

15 Machines NEVADA RESTAURANT SERVICES, INC., dba

DOTTY'S #171

238 S RAINBOW BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89145

APPLICATION FOR A WAIVER OF THE PROVISIONS OF NGC REGULATION 4.080 (WHICH IMPOSES A SIX-MONTH TIME LIMITATION WITHIN WHICH COMMISSION ACTION IS EFFECTIVE), IN CONNECTION WITH APPROVAL FOR A RESTRICTED

GAMING LICENSE, AS GRANTED IN JULY 2023

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL, CONDITIONED:

(1) THE WAIVER OF THE PROVISIONS OF NGC REGULATION 4.080, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE APPROVAL GRANTED IN JULY 2023, SHALL EXPIRE ON THE DATE OF THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED NGC MEETING IN JULY 2024.

05-01-24 R23-0459 Re: 04902-01

36342-01

6 Machines DYNASTY GAMES, db at

ASIAN MART 115 E MOANA LN RENO, NV 89502

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

GCB DISPOSITION: REFERRED BACK TO STAFF.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

06-01-24 R23-0511 Re: 04789-01

36371-01

4 Machines UNITED COIN MACHINE CO., dba

CENTURY GAMING TECHNOLOGIES, db at

LIQUOR BOX

7161 N HUALAPAI WY STE 110

LAS VEGAS, NV 89166

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

GCB DISPOSITION: REFERRED BACK TO STAFF.

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FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

07-01-24 R23-0560 Re: 31072-01

12358-06

7 Machines JETT GAMING LLC, dba

TERRIBLE'S GAMING, db at

TERRIBLE'S #447 2401 N JONES BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89108

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL.

NGC DISPOSITION:

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

08-01-24 R23-0409 Re: 28185-01

36304-01

7 Machines SHORT LINE GAMING, L.L.C., dba

SHORT LINE GAMING, db at

US MARKET

7120 S JONES BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89118

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL, CONDITIONED:

(1) THE SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AND/OR MIRROR(S) MUST BE INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE NGCB ENFORCEMENT DIVISION WITHIN 60 DAYS OF ISSUANCE OF THE STATE GAMING LICENSE AND THEREAFTER BE MAINTAINED AT OR ABOVE THE STANDARD THAT IS APPROVED.

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FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

09-01-24 R23-0408 Re: 28185-01

36303-01

7 Machines SHORT LINE GAMING, L.L.C., dba

SHORT LINE GAMING, db at

US MARKET

8880 S RAINBOW BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89139

APPLICATION FOR A RESTRICTED GAMING LICENSE

GCB RECOMMENDS: APPROVAL, CONDITIONED:

(1) THE SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AND/OR MIRROR(S) MUST BE INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE NGCB ENFORCEMENT DIVISION WITHIN 60 DAYS OF ISSUANCE OF THE STATE GAMING LICENSE AND THEREAFTER BE MAINTAINED AT OR ABOVE THE STANDARD THAT IS APPROVED.

DISPOSITION NEW GAME – FINAL APPROVAL JANUARY 2024 PAGE 12

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

NG01-01-24 D2023-0029 NEW GAME: "FREE MONEY BLACKJACK"

SUBMITTED BY: 32758-01

ACES UP GAMING, INC.

5855 W 38TH AVE

WHEATRIDGE, CO 80212

TRIAL LOCATION: N/A

REQUEST FOR FINAL APPROVAL

GCB RECOMMENDS: FINAL APPROVAL.

DISPOSITION EXCLUDED PERSONS NOMINATIONS JANUARY 2024 PAGE 13

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

CONSIDERATION OF: The nomination of **NEAL AHMED HEARNE** to the list of persons who are to be excluded or ejected from licensed gaming establishments, pursuant to NRS 463.151 through 463.155 and NGC Regulation 28.

GCB DISPOSITION:

NEAL AHMED HEARNE NOMINATED FOR THE INCLUSION ON THE LIST OF EXCLUDED PERSONS.

DISPOSITION CONSIDERATION OF CASINO/PLAYER DISPUTE APPEALS NRS 463.363 JANUARY 2024 PAGE 14

CONSIDERATION OF HEARING EXAMINER'S RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING:

1. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

Case # 23LV00219

Keith Austin

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Tuscany Las Vegas Race and Sports

HEARING EXAMINER RECOMMENDS (AMENDED):

Agent's decision denying a payment of \$1,200 be affirmed.

GCB DISPOSITION: PAYMENT DENIED, PER GCB ORDER.

2. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

Case # 23RN00063

Paul Haas

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Gold Dust West

HEARING EXAMINER RECOMMENDS:

Agent's decision denying a payment of \$1,824 be modified. The Petitioner should be awarded \$500 in "Bonus Comps Adjustment," a total of \$1,000 in "E-Cash," and 30% Restaurant Discount with Priority Seating to be used until January 31, 2024. Per Nevada Gaming Control Board meeting on December 6, 2023, this recommendation has been AMENDED with an attached Exhibit A.

GCB DISPOSITION: PAYMENT MODIFIED AND AWARDED, PER GCB ORDER.

DISPOSITION REGULATION AGENDA JANUARY 2024 PAGE 15

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 25.040

<u>PURPOSE</u>: To reduce the reporting requirements regarding currently active and terminated independent agents; to update the record keeping requirements in line with the reduction in reporting requirements; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

GCB DISPOSITION:

DRAFT DATED NOVEMBER 13, 2023, RECOMMENDED TO NGC FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION AND ACTION. TO BE EFFECTIVE UPON ADOPTION AND APPROVAL BY THE COMMISSION.

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DIVISION REPORT

This item is placed on the agenda to allow the various divisions of the Nevada Gaming Control Board the opportunity to update the public regarding matters relevant to the respective division. A different division will provide an update each month. This month's division is:

TECHNOLOGY DIVISION: Presentation and update provided regarding the NGCB Technology Division.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

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PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DISCUSSION:

Comments taken from Member Assad in gratitude of the Investigations Division. Chair Hendrick echoed Member Assad's comments, and thanked his daughter for the tie he wore today.

Good morning and happy New Year to you all. My name is Diamante Asberry, and I'm here on behalf of the Culinary Union.

Culinary Union members just won a record breaking contract. The Culinary Union's new contract at 23+ properties on the Strip guarantees \$9.21 in an economic package increase over five years.

Every worker will be getting a 10% wage increase in the first year retroactive to June 2023 and a total of 32% in raises over the life of the new contract.

Culinary Union members on the Strip have once again fought and won a first-class standard for themselves and their families.

Meanwhile, Station Casinos workers are still being treated like second-class workers.

Station Casinos does not provide benefits equally to all workers—providing some employees benefits about life, death, and money while denying the same benefits to other employees. Station Casinos could have stopped its discrimination against workers any day in 2023, but they refused. Over the course of workers unionizing and fighting discrimination, Station Casinos has implemented enhanced benefits because workers have stood up, organized, and demanded better.

Station Casinos management created MUD lists, tracking which workers were promanagement, pro-union, or "don't know." Station Casinos property directors used these MUD lists to decide which workers to rehire during the pandemic. These MUD Lists caused damage to Stations workers and their families.

Workers at Station Casinos properties voted for the union and won elections by large margins despite the company fighting their organizing efforts. These workers are *still* fighting for the company to respect their voices and bargain a fair collective bargaining agreement with the Culinary Union.

Station Casinos workers deserve first-class standards like other hospitality workers throughout the city. They deserve dignity and respect.

Thank you.

Hello, my name is Kathleen Penna, I'm a cocktail server at Red Rock Casino.

I started working with Station casinos in 1997, opening with Sunset Station as a cocktail server.

In the 9 years working at Sunset, we had three rebids. Three opportunities to change our hours, days off, and our entire shift to better suit our lives.

I transferred to open the Red Rock Casino in 2006 to be closer to my home, so I wouldn't have to drive 27 miles one way. I opened Red Rock cocktailing in the bingo room. I remember that we were told by our hiring manager in a few years we would have a rebid and get to change our shifts.

After several years there was a rebid. Only the bartenders and the slot cocktail servers were included.

While the bartenders' classifications were abolished, many of the cocktail servers were stuck in these classifications. Meaning no movement for any cocktail server other than slots. Bingo, poker, race and sports, and the pit were not allowed to bid anywhere.

I was not given any reason why bartenders were able to leave the classifications and cocktail servers were not. I went through the proper channels of my beverage department, human resources, the General manager, and corporate, and no one could or would give me a reason why we were all stuck in these classifications and not allowed to bid anywhere else.

Now it is going on 18 years and I am in the same position: same days off with the same hours. My children were in elementary school when I started at Red Rock. My husband and I worked opposite schedules, so one of us would be home at all times for our girls. Now our girls are adults. For me to change my schedule at all, I have to take a massive pay cut or work graveyard to get out of this classification.

I have worked for Station Casinos for nearly 28 years, and I feel that no one is listening. We are now a union property and have been fighting for a fair contract. But again, no one from Stations is listening to our voices.

I only hope someone is listening now.

Hello everyone.

My name is Dan Serwinowski. I wanted to tell you a little bit about my story. I had been a banquet server at Red Rock Casino for 14 years before the pandemic. I started out as an on-call banquet server and worked very hard working my way up to full-time A-list. I knew this was where I wanted to be full time, so I turned down opportunities at other casinos for that reason.

Because I was full-time at Red Rock, I had an opportunity to sign a contract for a new construction home. They started to build my home in January 2020. In March 2020 the pandemic hit, and Red Rock let me go and separated me from the company. Heartless, all because of pandemic!

I did not know what to do, so I continued on as if I was still going to be able to purchase the home. I watched my home being built from the ground up and worked with the superintendent to make sure everything that I had ordered was installed correctly. I devoted my time and effort to my dream. Then about a week before closing, the mortgage company went through my finances and concluded that I no longer qualified to purchase my dream home because I did not have a job. My only income was unemployment. I was devastated, depressed and disappointed because I lost my home. My American dream of owning a home was taken away from me, shattered.

A year later Red Rock hired me back, one day before the new SB386: Right to Return to work law went into effect. They rehired me as an on-call server, with no seniority. Before I was let go, I had been fighting for a union at Red Rock, wearing my union button at work and representing my coworkers.

During the time I was gone Red Rock decided to hire new employees and put them on the parttime list, a position above what I was rehired as. My 14 years of seniority meant nothing to them. I was like dirt tossed to the curb.

Red Rock and Stations talk about how they're one of the only casino companies that paid their workers throughout the pandemic. I also work at The Wynn and their union employees were never let go and had been paid almost their full wages, including gratuity, throughout the pandemic, according to the amount of hours we worked two months prior. That's the union difference.

I had represented my coworkers at Red Rock since October 2018. I knew back then that we needed a union contract at Red Rock to protect our jobs with dignity and respect.

What has happened to me has only made me want to fight even harder for a union contract with job security so they will never be able to do this again to anyone.

Thank you for your time.

1ST PUBLIC COMMENT - ATTACHMENT 3 JANUARY 10, 2024