



## NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

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June 6, 2005

**TO: ALL LICENSEES, AND INTERESTED PERSONS**

### **NOTICE OF HEARING FOR ADOPTION OF REGULATION(S) OF THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION AND STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD**

The Nevada Gaming Commission will hold a public hearing on or about the hour of 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 28, 2005 in Conference Room 2450, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada for the purpose of considering adoption of the following proposed regulation and regulation amendments:

- **NGC REGULATION 1.141, "LIQUOR STORE DEFINED."**

**PURPOSE OF REGULATION:** To provide for and add a definition of "liquor store" and "alcoholic liquors" to the definitions within the regulations of the State Gaming Control Board and Nevada Gaming Commission; to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

- **NGC REGULATION 3.015, "APPLICATIONS FOR RESTRICTED LICENSES."**

**PURPOSE OF THE AMENDMENT:** To add "liquor stores" to the list of establishments suitable for the conduct of gaming pursuant to a restricted gaming license; to establish that unless the commission determines otherwise, the operation of slot machines at a "liquor store" is presumed to be incidental to the primary business, provided that no more than 4 slot machines are operated at a "liquor store"; to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

- **NGC REGULATION 5.160, "SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS AND THE ADOPTION OF SURVEILLANCE STANDARDS FOR NONRESTRICTED LICENSEES."**

**PURPOSE OF AMENDMENTS:** To change the adoption process applicable to Surveillance Standards, but not change the current Surveillance Standards, to allow the Chairman of the State Gaming Control Board (Board) to quickly respond to changing technologies; to establish an adoption process applicable to the adoption or revision of Surveillance Standards that is materially similar to the process set forth within NRS 463.145 for the Nevada Gaming Commission (Commission) to adopt, amend or repeal regulations; to require that the Chairman of the Board must give notice and publish proposed Surveillance Standards or revisions thirty (30) days before they become effective; to allow a licensee to file an objection to the Surveillance Standards or revisions with the Commission; to establish that Surveillance Standards will become effective on the date established by the Chairman of the Board if a licensee does not file an objection thereto with the Commission; to establish that if an objection is filed with the Commission, the Commission must consider the objection and the Surveillance Standard may be amended and shall become effective as ordered by the Commission; to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

- **NGC REGULATION 14.180, "APPROVAL TO DISTRIBUTE GAMING DEVICES OUT OF NEVADA; APPLICATIONS AND PROCEDURES."**

**PURPOSE OF THE AMENDMENT:** To provide that applications must be filed 5 days prior to shipment of the devices, unless the purchaser is licensed to expose games for play, or for further distribution, in the state of destination or by a tribal gaming authority, in which case, certain information must be filed on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month following the month of distribution; to establish that manufacturers and distributors shall obtain and thereafter maintain, a statement by the purchaser under penalty of perjury that each device will be used only for lawful purposes, unless the purchaser is currently licensed by the commission or a comparable agency of another state or tribal gaming agency or the destination is outside the United States; to clarify that an agent of the board may inspect the premises of manufacturers and distributors and all gaming devices located therein, and that an agent of the board may inspect all gaming devices for which an application has been filed pursuant to regulation 14.180 prior to distribution out of this state; to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

The proposed regulations will be considered by the Commission in accordance with the provisions of NRS 463.145 which allows that on the date and at the time and place designated, any interested person, or their duly authorized representative, or both, shall be afforded the opportunity to present statements, arguments or contentions in writing, with or without the opportunity to present the same orally.

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In addition, these regulations are agendaed for discussion at the Nevada Gaming Commission meeting on Thursday, June 23, 2005 in Conference Room 100, 1919 East College Parkway, Carson City, Nevada, on or about the hour of 9:30 a.m.

To obtain a copy of the proposed regulation and amendments, please call the Executive Secretary's office at (775) 684-7750, or submit a written request addressed to the Executive Secretary, Nevada Gaming Commission, PO Box 8003, Carson City, Nevada 89702-8003. The above notice and regulations are also available on the Commission's web site at <http://gaming.nv.gov>.

Very truly yours,

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