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#### TO: ALL NONRESTRICTED LICENSEES, DISSEMINATORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS

- NOTICE AND AGENDA OF A PUBLIC WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS RE: AND AMEND NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATIONS 20, 21, 22, 26A **AND 26C** 
  - Ι. NOTICE OF WORKSHOP
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### I. NOTICE OF WORKSHOP

The State Gaming Control Board (Board) will hold a public workshop to receive public input on proposed amendments to NGC Regulations 20.010, 20.020, 20.030, 20.040, 20.050, 20.060, 20.070, 21.005, 21.010, 21.020, 21.030, 21.039, 21.040, 21.045, 21.046, 21.047, 21.050, 21.053, 21.055, 21.060, 21.070, 21.080, 21.090, 21.100, 22.150, 22.200, 26A.010, 26A.020, 26A.040, 26A.100, 26A.140, 26A.170, 26A.190, 26A.200, 26C.160, 26C.180, and 26C.220 and propose new NGC Regulations 20.005, 21.034, 21.120, 22.195 and 26C.005. The public workshop is scheduled as follows:

### Wednesday, October 27, 2010 at 10:30 AM **Gaming Control Board Offices Grant Sawyer Building** Hearing Room 2450 555 East Washington Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

All interested parties will have the opportunity to comment and present their ideas for suggested language at the meeting. Written comments will be accepted before the workshop, but should be received no later than October 22, 2010. Comments may be submitted to Audit Manager Kelly Colvin via e-mail to "kcolvin@gcb.nv.gov" or by regular mail to:

> Nevada Gaming Control Board Audit Division – Attention Kelly Colvin 555 E. Washington Avenue Suite 2600 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

\* This Notice and Agenda Posted for Public Inspection in the Following Locations:

1919 COLLEGE PARKWAY, CARSON CITY, NEVADA 885 EAST MUSSER STREET, CARSON CITY, NEVADA 209 EAST MUSSER STREET, CARSON CITY, NEVADA **100 STEWART STREET, CARSON CITY, NEVADA** 555 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE, CONFERENCE ROOM 2450, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

THE AGENDA OF THIS PUBLIC WORKSHOP HAS BEEN POSTED ON THE BOARD'S WEBSITE (www.gaming.nv.gov).

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 241.020(2)(C)(2) OF THE NEVADA REVISED STATUTES, ALL OF THE AGENDAED ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO ACTION AND DISPOSITION BY THE STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD OR NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION, OR BOTH.

WE ARE PLEASED TO MAKE REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO ARE DISABLED AND WISH TO ATTEND THE MEETING. IF SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MEETING ARE NECESSARY, PLEASE NOTIFY THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S OFFICE IN WRITING AT THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION, P.O. BOX 8003, CARSON CITY, NEVADA 89702-8003, OR CALL THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S OFFICE AT (775) 684-7750 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

### II. WORKSHOP AGENDA

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 20.010, 20.020, 20.030, 20.040,20.050, 20.060, AND 20.070; PROPOSED NEW REGULATION 20.005

Purpose: To allow the Chairman of the State Gaming Control Board to grant administrative waivers of one or more of the requirements found in this regulation; to replace gender specific pronouns with the noun the gender specific pronoun referenced; to clarify that the term "buyer" does not refer to a person who receives racing information concerning motor vehicle or human races; to add additional, relevant definitions; to update this regulation with regard to the March 2006 update of Nevada Gaming Commission Regulation 4.030 that indicated a disseminator's license is not a gaming license; to specifically include applications for findings of suitability pursuant to NRS 463.168 as covered by this regulation; to formalize reporting gross revenue under this regulation; to update this regulation with regard to a previously omitted article; to change required reporting of certain information to a requirement that the information be maintained, but not reported; to reflect that Nevada Gaming Commission Regulation 6 does not require specific recording and reporting requirements with regard to disseminators, but Nevada Gaming Commission Regulation 21 does have specific recording and reporting requirements with regard to disseminators; to delete certain information requirements that are no longer significant to the State Gaming Control Board; to update requirements regarding accountants in line with the changes that the Nevada Gaming Commission recently adopted to Regulation 6.080; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

# PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 21.005, 21.010, 21.020, 21.030, 21.039, 21.040, 21.045, 21.046, 21.047, 21.050, 21.053, 21.055, 21.060, 21.070, 21.080, 21.090, 21.100; PROPOSED NEW REGULATIONS 21.034 AND 21.120

**Purpose:** To allow the Board Chairman to administratively waive certain provisions of Regulation 21 if consistent with state policy and statute: to replace gender specific pronouns with the word to which the gender specific pronoun referred; to add additional definitions; to cross reference new section 21.046 and the authorizations allowed thereunder; to make changes to more clearly reflect the Board's regulatory concerns; to update the regulation of audio-only transmissions; to add a new section substantially similar to current Regulation 21.039(2) for the purposes of keeping intent notification separate from proposal submissions and hearings; to renumber several sections for more logical flow; to update filing requirements and deadlines concerning notices of intent and proposals; to clarify and update certain portions of the regulation; to require submission of a proposed dissemination agreement; to require a statement that all production requirements will be met; to allow modification of proposals under certain conditions; to set out the process for approval of live broadcast proposals; to update cross references; to allow the Board Chairman to make some determinations necessary for the Board to decide whether or not to withdraw authorization for a live broadcast; to change the time in which an executed rights contract is submitted; to delete a subsection no longer required based on the inclusion of disseminator employees within NRS 463.0157; to change the reporting and record keeping requirements; to delete a section of the regulation in line with the changes herein; to encourage compliance with filing deadlines specified in this regulation; to reflect technological changes; to consider foreign meets that do not display pools and payoff prices in United States currency; to consider the difficulty in removing extraneous information from the broadcasts; to remove chairman control and approval of dissemination equipment due to reasons of impracticality; to make the user, in addition to the disseminator, responsible for making sure a dissemination agreement is in place before the user may use the live broadcast; to reflect provisions contained in statute; to set out permissible notification procedures for this regulation; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 22.150 AND 22.200; PROPOSED NEW REGULATION 22.195

**Purpose:** To remove gender specific pronouns; to cross reference certain reporting requirements; to change the word choice in this section to more accurately reflect the duties of the books; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 26A.010, 26A.020, 26A.040, 26A.100, 26A.140, 26A.170, 26A.190, AND 26A.200

**Purpose:** To cross reference the applicability or Regulation 26C; to add to, change, and/or update the definitions; to remove gender specific pronouns; to update this regulation with regard to the changes to Regulation 6.080; to increase the information required to be in an agreement between pari-mutuel books; to increase the due diligence requirement of a track with regard to applicable laws; to allow this regulation to contemplate tracks operating in foreign countries; to require assurances from tracks with regard to disseminators; to add deadlines for submission of pari-mutuel agreements; to reflect that no reports are required to be filed on a monthly basis; to allow the Board Chairman to waive certain requirements, rather than requiring waiver by the full Commission; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION 26C.160, 26C.180, AND 26C.220; PROPOSED NEW REGULATION 26C.005

**Purpose:** To specify that, when not in conflict, the provisions of Regulation 26A and NRS Chapter 463 shall fill in the details not set out in NRS Chapter 464 and Regulation 26C; to require house rules to be submitted to the Board Chairman for approval; to clarify record keeping requirements; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

### III. PUBLIC COMMENT AGENDA

This public comment agenda item is provided in accordance with NRS 241.020(2)(c)(3) which requires an agenda provide for a period devoted to comments by the general public, if any, and discussion of those comments. No action maybe taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.

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