

BEFORE THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION  
AND THE STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of

AZTAR CORPORATION  
AND  
RAMADA EXPRESS, INC.  
AND  
HOTEL RAMADA OF NEVADA, INC.

(Registration)

ORDER OF REGISTRATION (AZTAR CORPORATION) AND ORDER OF REGISTRATION (RAMADA EXPRESS) AND ORDER OF REGISTRATION (HOTEL RAMADA OF NEVADA)

THIS MATTER came on regularly for hearing before the State Gaming Control Board on August 9, 1989, and before the Nevada Gaming Commission on August 24, 1989, at Carson City, Nevada; and

THE BOARD AND COMMISSION having considered all information pertinent hereto;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD:

1. THAT the following applications, as amended and supplemented, are hereby accepted as filed:

- a) Aztar Corporation for registration as a publicly traded corporation;
- b) Aztar Corporation for approval of public offerings of first

mortgage notes, senior subordinated notes and senior subordinated extendible reset notes pursuant to Regulation 16.110;

c) Aztar Corporation for approval to participate in foreign gaming in New Jersey;

d) Ramada Express, Inc. for approval of an agreement not to encumber stock, pursuant to Regulation 15.510-4, and to pledge its common stock;

e) Hotel Ramada of Nevada, Inc. for approval of an agreement not to encumber stock, pursuant to Regulation 15.510-4, and to pledge its common stock;

f) Ramada Express, Inc. for a waiver of Regulation 16.100 (1) and registration as a publicly traded corporation;

g) Hotel Ramada of Nevada, Inc. for a waiver of Regulation 16.100(1) and registration as a publicly traded corporation.

2. THAT Aztar Corporation is registered as a publicly traded corporation and is found suitable to be the sole shareholder of Hotel Ramada of Nevada, Inc. and Ramada Express, Inc.

3. THAT Hotel Ramada of Nevada, Inc. is licensed to conduct gaming at the following locations:

Tropicana Hotel and Country Club  
(nonrestricted gaming and sports pool)  
3801 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas

and

Tropicana Hotel and Country Club  
(restricted gaming license to operate not  
more than 15 slot machines)  
66 East Tropicana Avenue, Las Vegas