



Notice and Agenda of Commission Meeting
California Gambling Control Commission

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10:00 a.m. Thursday October 21, 2021

Notice: The order of business reflected in the Notice and Agenda is subject to change by the Commission at the meeting

OPEN SESSION:

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call of Commissioners.
3. Approval of Commission Meeting Minutes for:
August 26, 2021 – Commission Meeting
4. Revenue Sharing Trust Fund Final Report for Distribution to Eligible Recipient Indian Tribes for Quarter Ending September 30, 2021 - Quarterly License Revenue Received and Shortfall (Pursuant to Government Code section 12012.75)
5. Consideration of Renewal of Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code sections 19850, 19852, and 19876; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Bruce's Bar and Casino: John Gallo, Sole Proprietor
 - B. Magnolia House Casino: Rancho's Club Casino, Inc.
Thomas Sheridan, President, Chief Executive Officer, Secretary, Chief Financial Officer, Director
Blanca Marquez, Shareholder
Ruben Marquez, Shareholder
Four Leaf Clover Investments, LLC, Shareholder
Thomas Sheridan, Managing Member, Director
6. Consideration of Initial Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Terrance Seglem
 - B. Blake Vantrease
7. Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
Juanita Wright
8. Consideration of Initial Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
Empire Sportsmen's Association: i) Kristin Dixon ii) Sarah Raya-Anderson

9. Consideration of Renewal Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
Empire Sportsmen's Association: Hai Nguyen
10. Consideration of Initial Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:
Worker: Richard Garcia
 - B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
Worker: David Lee
 - C. Progressive Gaming, LLC:
Worker: Hui Liu
 - D. Workers: i) Cody Daun ii) Mai Anh Nguyen
11. Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Blackstone Gaming, LLC:
Workers: i) Vanessa Bin ii) Angel Rocha Campuzano
 - B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
Worker: Sara Sutton
12. Consideration of Initial Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):
 - A. Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians of California:
Esteban Chavez Hernandez
 - B. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:
Waleed Shorees
 - C. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:
Robin Mathus

CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS:

(Items on the consent calendar will be taken up and voted on as a group. A Commissioner may request that an item be discussed, in which case it will be discussed separately at a later point in the meeting.)

13. Consideration of Tribal-State Compact Renewal Finding of Suitability as a Gaming Resource Supplier (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):
JCM American Corporation
dba JCM Global: (JAC): Japan Cash Machine Co., Ltd, Parent Company (JCM)
Koichiro Kamihigashi, Chairman and Shareholder of JCM
Yojiro Kamihigashi, Chairman of JAC, President and Shareholder of JCM
14. Consideration of Initial Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
Amber McKee
15. Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Paul-Josef Batoon
 - B. David Levine
 - C. Sandy Vongthongkham

16. Consideration of Initial Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
- A. Casino Merced: Yer Silva
 - B. Empire Sportsmen's Association: Peter Jacobs
 - C. Napa Valley Casino: Joshua Bergquist
17. Consideration of Initial Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
- A. 2 Kings Gaming, Inc.:
Worker: Marina Vindum
 - B. Halcyon Gaming, LLC:
Workers: Sesar Gonzales Kimberly Martinez
 - C. KB Ventures:
Worker: Michael Gutierrez
 - D. KBCH Consultants, Inc.:
Workers: Michael Lawrence, Jr. Ruben Macias Martinez
 - E. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
Supervisor: Chantra Khut
Workers: Joseph Alcala Aaron Barrientos Maribel Bellozo
Keanu Czech Lifang Gregorio Matthew Lamendola
Leslio McKeown Peter James Minoc Carlos Munoz
Isiah Porter Larry Porter III Joshua Tomlin
Yan Zhang
 - F. Progressive Gaming, LLC:
Worker: Fengchun Huang
 - G. PT Gaming, LLC:
Workers: Cary Callison Alayzia Keo David Nguyen
18. Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
- A. Blackstone Gaming, LLC:
Worker: Tuoc De Anda
 - B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
Workers: Janett Miramontes Joseph Padilla Gallo Kevin Perez Pelcastre
 - C. Majesty Partners, LLC:
Supervisor: Mayra Resendiz
19. Consideration of Initial Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact):
- A. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:
Pilar Olivarez
 - B. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:
Sonny Pangilinan Abel Rocha Becerra
 - C. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:
Noli Bardoles Jeanette Elkins Joy Fernandez
Matthew Finnegan Vincent Saechao Be Yang
 - D. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:
Emill Garcia
 - E. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:
Estevan Negrete
 - F. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:
Timothe Le Michael Ma
 - G. Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians:
Alexis Alpizar

H. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation:
Brandon Aleman

20. Consideration of Renewal Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact):

- A. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:
Jennifer Birmingham William Caronna Kyle Haas
Ricarte Agbayani Mayra Carmona Engelbert Leano
Alberto Lopez Gutierrez
- B. Barona Resort and Casino - Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians:
Monica Aldama Rafael Alvarez Brian Doerr
Tyler Dollick Linda Jordan Susan Liptak
Liliana Madrigal Karter McMurry Mike Ngo
Najeeb Shorees Somphong Souksavath Zachary Wessel Sr.
Tiffany Winchester
- C. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:
Kevin Fox Melissa Hurtado
- D. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:
Monique Ayers Jewelana Bowlan
- E. Chumash Casino Resort - Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez Reservation:
Jeremy Barnett Cynthia Bloxham Michael Fonseca
Desiree Hooper Johnny Jimenez Sylvia Martini
John Ormond Roberto Rodriguez
- F. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:
Subash Basnet Judy Huynh Heather Louie
Ambrosio Lumibao Jacob Martin Karla Romero Byers
Miyoung Shin Deborah Steele Andy Tung
Jonathan Viale
- G. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:
Sanjeeb Bhattarai Nguyen Vo
- H. Harrah's Resort Southern California - Rincon Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon Reservation:
Tony Azabo Uries Garcia Ertell San Luis
- I. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:
David Favela
- J. Konocti Vista Casino - Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians of the Big Valley Rancheria:
Lynn Mueck
- K. Lucky 7 Casino - Smith River Rancheria:
Terry Bray
- L. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:
Juan Alfaro Jeffrey Benson Stephen Cheek
Carlos Fajardo Mark Hevesy Myung Joo
Mona Lyons Shaun Miller Sandra Moncado
Ruben Negrete Suzanne Zimmer
- M. Pit River Casino - Pit River Tribe:
Raymond Sloan Hecker
- N. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:
Melissa McDonald Amanda Weaver
- O. Spotlight 29 Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:
Alejandra Aguilera Robledo Guadalupe Carranza Protacio Medina
- P. Sycuan Casino and Resort - Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation:
Linda Badal Ammar Dawod John Foster

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| | Mitchel Gusky | Sam La | Milagros Logan |
| | Tomas Mata | Jose Reveles | Alfred Romero |
| | Soyla Ruiz | Virginia Sanchez | Kianoosh Tehrani |
| | Marilou Tonnaer | Emerito Twano | |
| Q. | Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community: | | |
| | Juan Flores | Stephanie Henn | Michelle Lawrence |
| | Marta Maciel | | |
| R. | Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria: | | |
| | Kimberly Bradshaw | Abraham Carranza | Chamroeun Chheang |
| | Katherine Saechao | Kou Xiong | Mao Yang |
| S. | Tortoise Rock Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians: | | |
| | Desmond Brown | | |
| T. | Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians: | | |
| | Lauri Adams | Evia Badilla | Mark Caputto |
| | Rodelyn Sambo | | |
| U. | Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation: | | |
| | Chanhsamone Warren | | |

PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA:

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CLOSED SESSION:

- I. Litigation (Government Code section 11126(e)):
- A. Stand Up For California, et al. v. State of California, et al., Madera County Superior Court (MCV062850)
 - B. Eric G. Swallow v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2016-800002402)
 - C. Garden City, Inc. v. Eric Swallow, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2016-00198132)
 - D. Lucky Chances, Inc. v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2017-80002549)
 - E. California Valley Miwok Tribe v. California Gambling Control Commission et al.; San Diego County Superior Court (37-2017-00050038-MU-CO-CTL)
 - F. Yavapai-Apache Nation v. La Posta Band of Diegueno Mission Indians and California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento Superior Court (34-2018-00238711)
 - G. Manuel Corrales, Jr. v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Diego County Superior Court (37-2019-00019079-CU-MC-CTL)
 - H. Kris Kat, LLC and Steven C. Ayers v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2019-80003142)
 - I. Larry C. Flynt, et al., v. Kamala Harris, Jim Evans, et al.; United States District Court, Eastern District of California (16 CV 02831 JAM EFB)
 - J. Lucky Chances, Inc., VC Cardroom, et al. v. State of California, California Gambling Control Commission, et al. San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-20-517086)
 - K. Sutter's Place, Inc., dba Bay 101 v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-21-517433)
 - L. Harvey F. Souza v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2096-80003287)
 - M. Garden City, Inc. v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Francisco County Superior Court (PF-21-517466)

II. Hearing Deliberations Pursuant to Government Code section 11126(c)(3):

- A. In the Matter of the Accusation and Statement of Issues Against Lucky Chances, Inc., Rommel Medina, Ruell Medina, (OAH No.201511046)
- B. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Player license for Cindy Thuy Tran, (CGCC-2021-0311-14D)
- C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Supervisor License for Tony Yer Moua, (CGCC-2021-0121-9Ai)
- D. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Work Permit for Ivan Cruz, (CGCC-2021-0107-9D)
- E. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Supervisor License for Ricardo Gil Mendez, (CGCC-2020-1029-14Cii)
- F. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Work Permit for Vito Michael LoConte, (CGCC-220-1119-7Aii)

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1 301 715 8592 US	1 877 853 5257 US Toll-free	1 888 475 4499 US Toll-free	

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