



Notice and Agenda of Commission Meeting
California Gambling Control Commission

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10:00 a.m. Thursday June 24, 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. Consideration of Initial Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code sections 19850, 19851, and 19852; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
 - A. Artichoke Joe's Casino: Artichoke Joe's (A California Corporation)
Karen Sammut, Director
 - B. Commerce Casino: California Commerce Club, Inc.
Janice A. Pankey Trust dated September 12, 2012
Lora Eade, Successor Trustee, Contingent Beneficiary
4. 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. Casino Club: Casino Poker Club, Inc.
Ileana Harris, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary, Director, Sole Shareholder
 - B. St. Charles Place: Robert Bertges, Sole Proprietor
Lori Bertges, Community Property Interest Holder
 - C. Tommy's Casino & Saloon: Tommie Wayne Buck, Inc.
Tommie Wayne Buck, President, Secretary, Treasurer, Director, Shareholder
Alicia Gomez Buck, Community Property Interest Holder
5. Consideration of A) Approval of New Interim Renewal License; and B) Renewal of Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code sections 19850, 19852, and 19876; CCR, Title 4, sections 12035(b)(2) and 12054):
 - A. Club One Casino: Club One Casino, Inc.
Kyle Kirkland, President, Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer, Secretary, Director, Shareholder
Dana Messina, Shareholder

- B. Club One Casino: Club One Casino, Inc.
William Zender, Director
6. Consideration of Approval of New Interim Renewal License (Pursuant to CCR, Title 4, section 12035(b)(2)):
The Deuce Lounge & Casino: GLCR, Inc.
Kyle Kirkland, President, Director, Shareholder
Dana Messina, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary,
Director, Shareholder
7. Consideration of Initial Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
A. Matthew Baldwin D. Nina Rojas
B. Arthur Blackinton E. Jessica Silva
C. Davis Her
8. Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
Robert Stewart
9. Consideration of Approval of New Interim Renewal Third-Party Provider of Proposition Player Services License (Pursuant to CCR, Title 4, section 12035(b)(2)):
Arise, LLC: Darrell Miers, Sole Owner, Managing Member
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. Commerce Group, Inc.:
Worker: Melissa Lester
B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
Supervisors: i) David Cook ii) David Smith
C. Majesty Partners, LLC:
Supervisor: Nicholas Chin
D. PT Gaming, LLC:
Supervisor: i) Lanesa Jones
Worker: ii) Michelle Deanda
11. 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):
A. Connections IT, Inc.: Connections IT, Inc.
Victoria Carlson, Director, Chief Executive Officer,
President, Secretary, Shareholder
Brody Carlson, Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer,
Chief Information Officer, Director, Shareholder
B. The United States Playing Card Company: The United States Playing Card Company (USPCC)
USPC Holding, Inc. (USPC), Holding Company
Bicycle Holding, Inc., Holding Company
Michael Slaughter, President, Chief Executive Officer
of USPCC, USPC, Bicycle Holding, Inc.

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. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:
 - i) Joey Bertzyk
 - ii) Samantha Nguyen
 - iii) Renato Pineda
 - B. Havasu Landing Resort & Casino - Chemehuevi Indian Tribe of the Chemehuevi Reservation:
 - i) Michael Moore
 - ii) Tyler Moore
 - C. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village of California:
 - Melvyn McGowan
 - D. Morongo Casino Resort & Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:
 - Leanne Moell
 - E. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:
 - Sabrina Mason
 - F. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:
 - Starla Davis
 - G. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:
 - i) Ryan Molsberry
 - ii) Tom Phu
 - H. River Rock Casino - Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians:
 - Tony Corkhill
 - I. San Manuel Casino - San Manuel Band of Mission Indians:
 - i) Kristopher Gerleman
 - ii) Rafael Llamas
 - iii) Peachy Anne Melad
 - J. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation:
 - i) Donald Edwards
 - ii) Miaad Vahidi
13. Consideration of Renewal Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):
 - A. Bear River Casino - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:
 - Kari Anaya
 - B. Win-River Casino - Redding Rancheria:
 - Nicholas Allegretto

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.)

14. Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

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| A. John LaRosa | D. Eugene Shinozaki |
| B. Chandra Nuno | E. John Tibbetts III |
| C. Javier Rosario | |
15. Consideration of Renewal Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

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| A. Empire Sportsmen's Association: | Alyssa Oth |
| B. The Nineteenth Hole: | Michelle Smiley |
16. Consideration of Initial Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

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| A. Arise, LLC: | |
| Worker: | Damian Pitkanen |
| B. F2 TPS, LLC: | |
| Worker: | Kimhorn Chhaim |

- C. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:
 - Workers: Bien Tran Simon Wong
- D. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
 - Supervisor: Collin McKeown-Hickel
 - Workers: Melisa Aquino Kyle Bengzon Jhonnatan Copto Flores
 - Rakim Edwards Cheryl Flores Tylor Gilreath
 - Ngan Huynh Sopha Khut Leonardo Maltos
 - Louiemar Marcelo Salvador Martinez Cruz Jolann Marzan
 - Anthony Monsalvo Happy Ngo Hong Nguyen
 - Quoc Nguyen Jessica Taylor Tyler Wallace
 - Justin Wan Chi Wa Young
- E. PT Gaming, LLC:
 - Workers: Kim Hoang Tilak Satyal Veronica Williams
- F. Qualified Player Services, LLC:
 - Worker: Adryan De Las Alas

17. 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. 2 Kings Gaming, Inc.:
 - Worker: Diana Garcia
- B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
 - Workers: Gabriela Castro Rordara Chhorn Cindy Meza-Ojeda
 - Nelson Prasad Elizardo Valdez
- C. Progressive Gaming, LLC:
 - Workers: Yongquan An Thearat Ban Kung Bun
 - Lisa Cao Kin Chan Phillip Chan
 - Manh Chau Lixin Chen Yulan Chen
 - Fang Fang Mei Fang Andy Gunawan
 - Meng Hong Meici Hu Xiaoping Huang
 - Ying Huang Lin Jiang Elis Ken
 - Martin Li Fu Lin XiangBao Liu
 - Yanxia Lu Elysia McGourty David Peterson
 - Tony Phung Jiying Shen Zhi Ping Su
 - Annie Taing Helen Tan Gongda Tang
 - Yan Wu Feng Ying Xie Jianxiong Xie
 - Weixin Xu Cai Ye Gwo Liang Yu
 - Monica Yue Nelson Zeng Chao Ying Zhang
 - Ping Zhang Wei Xin Zhang Yuan Qi Zhang
 - Jingxin Zhou Jinlou Zhou Hongyu Zou

18. Consideration of Initial Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):

- A. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:
 - Cameron Lambert Jesus Landazuri Michael Facenda
 - Alexis Lepe Dillon Lopez Spencer McQuinn
 - George Zemitis
- B. Chicken Ranch Casino - Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:
 - Jesus Rodriguez Vargas
- C. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:
 - Scott Benning Jr.
- D. Desert Rose Casino - Alturas Indian Rancheria:
 - Amber Mandel
- E. Eagle Mountain Casino - Tule River Indian Tribe of the Tule River Reservation:
 - Tawnya Short
- F. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:
 - Paulo Flores

- G. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:
 - Holly Boulch Johnny Cai Wayne Foley Jr.
 - Long Nguyen Ryan Joseph Tiburcio Jerri Wright
- H. Jackson Rancheria Casino Resort - Jackson Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:
 - Pamela Hendricks
- I. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:
 - Vanessa Jackson Jessica Leon Ana Moreno-Garcia
- J. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:
 - Claudio Sebastian
- K. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:
 - Jessica Bingabing Carlos Torres Jr
- L. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:
 - Brian Osuna
- M. San Manuel Casino - San Manuel Band of Mission Indians:
 - Tracy Amezquita-Beltran Frank Dona Tommy Nguyen
- N. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:
 - Janphet Phattavong
- O. Twin Pine Casino & Hotel - Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians:
 - Donna Crofoot

19. Consideration of Renewal Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):

- A. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:
 - Heather Brown Thomas Hochwarth David Do
 - Cherie Ringer
- B. Augustine Casino - Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians:
 - Jorge Carrillo Martha Hernandez Mark Mohrmann
- C. Barona Resort and Casino - Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians:
 - William Allen Bewar Alzakholy Luis Barragan
 - Truong Bui John Chen Brian Ferguson
 - Josue Gonzalez-Marchena Sovandara Heang Pamela Henson
 - Donald Hooper Bruce Lowder Lirim Lushi
 - Cuauhtemoc Rivera II Jessica Roberts Elena Rubalcaba
 - Christian Sarmiento Jeffrey Shannon Graciela Soto
 - Marina Valdez Carlos Vidal
- D. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:
 - George Claus Jr Jordan Grace-Reyna-Sanchez
- E. Blue Lake Casino and Hotel - Blue Lake Rancheria:
 - James Fausphoul Jr. Stephanie Pena
- F. Cache Creek Casino Resort - Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation:
 - Sushil Acharya Gloria Barrios-Quinones Crystal Corbin
 - Vanthan Khiev Richard Lechner Ying Li
 - Mi Mills Ankur Panta Stephanie Thao
- G. Chicken Ranch Casino - Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:
 - Brian Dumas Richard Harris Justin Russell
- H. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:
 - Peter Beckett Glenn Bowman Jr. Marcku Domingo
 - Stephanie Granado Billy Her Ananda Keomany
 - Nicholas Matthewson Chiela Moreno Christie Petrie
 - Dora Rodriguez Der Thao Ben Valverde
 - Yia Xiong
- I. Chumash Casino Resort - Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez Reservation:
 - Keela Gregg Amy Paquet Joshua Reagan

- J. Colusa Casino Resort - Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community of the Colusa Rancheria:
Gabrielle Osgood
- K. Diamond Mountain Casino & Hotel - Susanville Indian Rancheria:
Jacqueline Frank
- L. Eagle Mountain Casino - Tule River Indian Tribe of the Tule River Reservation:
Clinton Gibson Deborah Villa
- M. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:
Dinesh Bista Evania Hoang Jing Huang
Anna Nichols Linda Saeteurn Phally Say
- N. Harrah's Resort Southern California - Rincon Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon Reservation:
Yu Gao Wenyan Lu Beau Swanson
- O. Jackson Rancheria Casino Resort - Jackson Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:
Donald Helmig Steven Munson
- P. Konocti Vista Casino - Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians of the Big Valley Rancheria:
Jorge Garcia
- Q. Lucky 7 Casino - Smith River Rancheria:
Carl James
- R. Mono Wind Casino - Big Sandy Rancheria Band of Western Mono Indians:
Ricky Boothby Victoria Johnson
- S. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:
Robert Aguilar Edgardo Cabural Kathleen Roland
Mengheang Sok Ana Maria Taduran
- T. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:
David Ron Abille Ghous Askarzoi Joel Askvig
Abdul Bazemjow Christian Corpuz Alfonso Cuevas
Marcel Ecalnir Craig Nelson Calvin Phung
Shane Rhodes Douglas Rosson Gina Scripcariu
Richard Sicher Vuthy Thang
- U. Red Earth Casino - Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians:
Jose Leon
- V. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:
Lukas Fletcher Julianne Lam Sou Saechao
Hau Vo
- W. San Manuel Casino - San Manuel Band of Mission Indians:
Elisa Gan
- X. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:
Timothy Eyler II John Farrance Su Lee
- Y. Spotlight 29 Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:
Joe Carrillo Evelyn Ramirez
- Z. Sycuan Casino and Resort - Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation:
Dawna Andersen Juan Baca Paul Chant
Qi Chen Kelly Clouse Rene De Ocampo
Daniela Gonzalez Sherry Hibbitt Roberto Jardimiano
Joshua Mull Allyssa Joy Muncal Thang Nguyen
Chean Nouth Lela Sandoval Michael To
Daniel Tse Lourdes Wilder
- AA. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:
Veronica Grijalva Krystle Hollingsworth Victor Young Jr.
- BB. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community:
Zenaida Bautista Eric Morales Veronica Reynoso
Frelen Soliman

CC. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:
 Brandon Baker Michael Breuer Scott Doke
 Kyle Fisher Caelen Klopson Son Le
 Maidor Lee Feuy Saetern Phia Xiong
 Pa Nhia Yang

DD. Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians:
 Donella Aumondreaux Tammy Cowing Maria Martinez
 Estrella Zapata

EE. Win-River Casino - Redding Rancheria:
 Charles Hawes Jr.

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)

- 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 State Gambling License for Robert Russell Harris, Jr., (CGCC-2020-00827-5B)
 - C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Initial Work Permit for Susan Corine Hooker, (CGCC-2020-1119-7B)
 - D. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Key Employee License, (CGCC-2020-1029-12A), and Work Permit Renewal, (CGCC-2020-1029-12B) for David Adam Whatley
 - E. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Player License for Jolyn Cabais Garrido, (CGCC-2020-1015-6Civ)

- F. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Hector Andrade, (CGCC-2020-1015-7A)
- G. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Alan Richard Erickson, (GCADS-TRKE-020582)
- H. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Gambling Establishment Key Employee License for Rosanne Kim Tran, (CGCC-2021-0107-7)
- I. In the Matter of the First Amended Accusation Against: Delta C, LP dba Kings Card Club; Delta CM, Inc., General Partner; Tigran Marcarian, President/Shareholder; Richard Shindle, Director/Shareholder; Tracey Kennedy, Shareholder; James Mullins, Secretary/Shareholder; Kerry Mullins, Shareholder; Delta Fore, LLC; Richard Shindle, Managing Member; Tracey Kennedy, Member; James Mullins, Member; Kerry Mullins, Member; Tigran Marcarian, Limited Partner; Chant Manoukian, Limited Partner, (OAH No. 2020110130)
- J. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Player License for John Calderon Martinez, (CGCC-2020-1029-14Cii)

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