



Notice and Agenda of Commission Meeting  
California Gambling Control Commission

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10:00 a.m. Thursday March 24, 2022

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**OPEN SESSION:**

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call of Commissioners.
3. Approval of Commission Meeting Minutes for:  
February 22, 2022 – GCA Hearing
4. California Problem Gambling Treatment Services Program, Overview & Update: Presenter:  
Robin Christensen, Acting Chief, Office of Problem Gambling, California Department of Public Health
5. Consideration of A) Business Purchase Agreement; and, B) Approval of Request for Temporary Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code sections 19824(c) and 19824(f), CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

A. Casino Marysville:	Sau Cung Phong, Inc. (Seller) EMZE, LLC (Buyer)
B. Casino Marysville:	EMZE, LLC Myrna Zhang, Managing Member
6. Consideration of A) Asset Purchase Agreement; and, B) Initial Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19824(c), 19850, 19851, and 19852; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

A. The Bicycle Hotel and Casino:	Bicycle Casino, LP (Seller) Parkwest Bicycle Casino, LLC (Buyer)
B. Parkwest Bicycle Casino:	Parkwest Bicycle Casino, LLC*
7. Consideration of Initial Cardroom Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code sections 19850, 19851, and 19852; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):  
Hawaiian Gardens Casino: Hawaiian Gardens Casino (a California Corporation)\*
8. 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. Capitol Casino:	Capitol Casino, Inc. Clarke Rosa, President, Chief Executive Officer, Director Sandra Rosa, Secretary, Chief Financial Officer, Director
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- B. Oceana Cardroom: LEB Holdings, Inc.  
Michael LeBlanc, Chief Executive Officer, Director,  
Shareholder  
Mark English, Secretary, Director, Shareholder  
Richard Barclay, Chief Financial Officer, Director,  
Shareholder
- C. Rogelio's: Rogelio's, Inc.  
Rogelio Garcia, President, Director, Shareholder  
Mew Ha Garcia, Secretary, Treasurer, Director,  
Shareholder
- D. Westlane Card Room: Delta C, LP\*
9. Consideration of Initial Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):  
Napa Valley Casino: Bunny Heng
10. Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):  
Pacific Gaming Services, LLC: Pacific Gaming Services, LLC  
Lori Suson, Managing Member
11. 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. F2 TPS, LLC:  
Supervisor: Cynthia Gomez
- B. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:  
Supervisor: Hector Ruvalcaba
- C. Knighted Ventures, LLC:  
Workers: i) George Hakata ii) Leo Romero
- D. L.E. Gaming, Inc.:  
Workers: i) Victoria Castro ii) Jennie Nguyen
12. Consideration of Tribal-State Compact Initial Finding of Suitability as a Gaming Resource Supplier (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):
- A. IGT: Luke Orchard, Secretary, Vice President, Chief  
Compliance and Risk Management Officer
- B. Graphic Controls Acquisition Corp.: Graphic Controls Acquisition Corp.\*
13. Consideration of Proposed Surrender of State Gambling License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19824; CCR, Title 4, section 12142):  
Kelly's Cardroom: Albert Cianfichi, Sole Proprietor

**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 Initial Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):  
James Kirkham II

15. Consideration of Initial Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
- A. Casino Merced: Jerry Lee
  - B. Napa Valley Casino: Weinan Li
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):
- A. 2 Kings Gaming, Inc.:
    - Workers: Kayla Baro-Ortiz Anais Lobato
  - B. Commerce Group, Inc.:
    - Worker: Colin Halal II
  - C. F2 TPS, LLC:
    - Workers: Sheron Chan Osvaldo Juarez Adriana Leang
    - Kin Sok Jose Vargas Kenneth Wong
  - D. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:
    - Workers: Joshua Arevalo Chaihua Liang Garrett Turner
  - E. Fortune Players Group, Inc.:
    - Worker: Hiu Wong
  - F. Global Player Services, Inc.:
    - Supervisors: Justin Dimalanta Martin Fletcher
  - G. Halcyon Gaming, LLC:
    - Workers: Raul Espinoza Shawn Kinsey Marlene Marquez
    - Rafael Rialson
  - H. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
    - Workers: Vianey Alonso Victor Angel Nashynda Brandon
    - Andrew Brochu Hoang Chau Sender De La Roca
    - Branden Edwards Gregory Graves Sarah Hoang
    - Leon Kelly-Armbruster Anthony Menjivar Tina Murray
    - Joshua Peregrina Oswald Ponce Eric Stevens
    - Jasmine Thompson
  - I. L.E. Gaming, Inc.:
    - Workers: Valeria Casillas Martinez Pengu Liu Jessica Oh
  - J. Players Edge Services:
    - Workers: Thomas Ho WeiJie Liu Pao Narez
    - Staresha Williams
  - K. Progressive Gaming, LLC:
    - Workers: Chunping Li Shijing Li Evelyn Moreno
    - Ping Sun JiaQing Yu
  - L. Worker: Bryan Tatenco
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. Blackstone Gaming, LLC:
    - Worker: Tanya Najar
  - B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:
    - Supervisors: Joseph Eckerdt Melanie Garcia Isaac Trumbo
  - C. Progressive Gaming, LLC:
    - Worker: Yong Yi Chen
18. 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):
- Konami Gaming, Inc.: Konami Gaming, Inc.\*

19. 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:  
Kevin Ferry                      Cheyenne Luis Juan
  - B. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:  
Matthew Shunkamolah
  - C. Cache Creek Casino Resort - Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation:  
David Plunkett
  - D. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:  
Jerry Mor                      Bee Vang                      Yang Vue
  - E. Eagle Mountain Casino - Tule River Indian Tribe of the Tule River Reservation:  
Alexandria Balangue
  - F. Golden Acorn Casino & Travel Center - Campo Band of Diegueno Mission Indians of the Campo Indian Reservation:  
Thomas Bischel                      Lorraine Ferrin                      Armando Gallardo
  - G. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:  
Tai Duong
  - H. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:  
Robert Acha                      Raffi Beliossian                      I-Ju Chou  
Josue Muralles
  - I. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:  
Tyrone Lewis Jr.                      Cristina Smolen                      Leo Xiao
  - J. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:  
Maria De Los Angeles Maqueda Ocampo                      Alvin Monzon
  - K. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:  
Aaron Hunter                      Jose Villarta Jr.
  - L. River Rock Casino - Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians:  
Jacob Mason                      Maia Sturtevant
  - M. Sycuan Casino and Resort - Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation:  
Jimmy Valle
  - N. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community:  
Bianca Munoz                      Chu Vang
  - O. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:  
Marlon Laigo                      Desiree Sherman                      Socovia Smith  
Benjamin Tarango III
  - P. Tortoise Rock Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:  
Heather Lebeda
  - Q. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation:  
Nanci Carrasco                      Jessica Ruiz
  - R. Yaamava' Resort & Casino at San Manuel - Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation:  
Johnny Lay                      Lauren Whitley
20. 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 Cathedral City - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:  
Sheryl Lake                      Geraldine Baltazar
  - B. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:  
Jesse Reeves
  - C. Blue Lake Casino and Hotel - Blue Lake Rancheria:  
George Corder                      Denice Jensen-Larkins
  - D. Cache Creek Casino Resort - Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation:  
Priscilla Grace Bagalay                      Matthew Bingham                      Ebony Black  
Jezeca Cuambot                      Kevin Fung                      Michael Geving

- Jason Ihli                      Maureen McManus                      Rogelio Mendoza  
Ngoc-Minh To                      Nicole Vang
- E. Cher-Ae Heights Casino - Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community of the Trinidad Rancheria:  
Cynthia Stockham
- F. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:  
Hue Yang
- G. Colusa Casino Resort - Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community of  
the Colusa Rancheria:  
Rhonda Moore
- H. Coyote Valley Casino - Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians:  
Raven Bodell                      Ashley Ricci
- I. Fantasy Springs Resort Casino - Cabazon Band of Mission Indians:  
Lizbeth Reyes                      Lisa White
- J. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:  
Juan Rivera                      Subash Tiwari
- K. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians  
of California:  
Cory Laird                      Songhe Liang
- L. Harrah's Resort Southern California - Rincon Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon  
Reservation:  
Vincent Murillo                      Lance Nguyen                      Angelica Tolentino  
Anthony Wenger
- M. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:  
Marcus Lucero                      Brian Luong                      Jared Rusk
- N. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:  
Betty Carter-Valentin                      Ernest Wayne Freeman Jr.                      Ahmad Jamalpoor  
Yoa Tuy
- O. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:  
David Barton                      Brittany Harper                      Bobby Murray  
Chip Thom
- P. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:  
Holly Harris
- Q. Redwood Hotel and Casino - Yurok Tribe of the Yurok Reservation:  
Raymond Bacon Jr
- R. River Rock Casino - Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians:  
Veronica Casillas
- S. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:  
Loida Cesar                      Ruby Gomez Madrigal                      Pao Xiong
- T. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community:  
Adrian Bella                      Victor Flores                      Raul Hernandez Jr  
Steven Mayo
- U. Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians:  
Danilo Mangilinan
- V. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas  
Reservation:  
Ivan Meneses
- W. Yaamava' Resort & Casino at San Manuel - Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation:  
Robert Diaz

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA:**

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*respond briefly to statements made or questions posed during public comment; request clarification; or refer the item to staff.*

**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. Elizabeth Flynt, et al., v. Rob Bonta, Nathan DaValle, Paula D. LaBrie, 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.2015110463)
  - B. In the Matter of the Application for Renewal of Gambling Establishment Key Employee License for Naseem Adel Salem, (GCADS-GEKE-001211)
  - C. In the Matter of the Applications for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Supervisor License for Selah Lee Gavin Davis, (CGCC-2021-0408-7B & CGCC-2021-0408-7C)
  - D. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Melvyn Douglas McGowan, (CGCC-2021-0624-12C)
  - E. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Gambling Establishment Key Employee License for Nicole Dominique Seiuli, (CGCC-2021-0506-5)
  - F. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of State Gambling License for Joanne M. Williams, (CGCC-2021-0325-5B)
  - G. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Jonathen David Frankson, (CGCC-2021-0708-11G)
  - H. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services License for East Sea Investment Group, Inc., Jiahua Yu, and Wanchun Huang, (CGCC-2021-0107-11)
  - I. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services Player License for Ryan Dale LaFountain, (CGCC-2021-0909-8A)
  - J. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Employee Category License for Traci Killingsworth Preston, (CGCC-2021-1118-9Cii)

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