#### GAMBLING CONTROL COMMISSION

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# Notice and Agenda of Commission Meeting California Gambling Control Commission

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10:00 a.m. Thursday March 21, 2024

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. <u>California Problem Gambling Treatment Services Program, Overview & Update: Presenter:</u>
  Sosha Marasigan-Quintero, Principal, Behavioral Health Promotion Section, California Department of Public Health
- 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. Capitol Casino: Capitol Casino, Inc.

Clarke Rosa, President, Chief Executive Officer, Director,

Shareholder

Sandra Rosa, Secretary, Chief Financial Officer, Director,

Shareholder

B. Lucky Chances Casino: Lucky Chances, Inc.

Rommel Medina, Chief Executive Officer, Director, Shareholder

Ruell Medina, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary, Director,

Shareholder

Rene and Mila Medina 2009 Irrevocable Blind Trust

Agreement, Financial Interest Holder

Marino Gueco, Trustee

C. Oceana Cardroom: LEB Holdings, Inc.

Michael LeBlanc, President, Chief Executive Officer, Director,

Shareholder

Mark English, Secretary, Director, Shareholder

Richard Barclay, Chief Financial Officer, Director, Shareholder

D. Parkwest Bicycle Casino: Parkwest Bicycle Casino, LLC\*

E. Rogelio's: Rogelio's Inc.

Rogelio Garcia, President, Director, Shareholder

Mew Ha Garcia, Treasurer, Secretary, Director, Shareholder

F. Seven Mile Casino: Stones South Bay Corp.\*

G. Westlane Card Room: Delta C, LP \*

5. Consideration of Initial Key and Temporary Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):

Belen Garcia

6. Consideration of Request for Temporary Third-Party Proposition Player Services Owner Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19824(f); CCR, Title 4 section 12054):

A. F2 TPS, LLC: F2 TPS, LLC

Linyi Feng, Sole Managing Member

B. Progressive Gaming, LLC: Progressive Gaming, LLC

David Moskowitz, Managing Member

Ron Sarabi, Member Keith Sharp, Member

7. Consideration of Initial and Temporary Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):

2 Kings Gaming, Inc.:

Worker: Nicholas Rouse

8. Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

Knighted Ventures, LLC:

Worker: Leo Romero

- 9. <u>Consideration of Initial Tribal-State Compact Key Employee Finding of Suitability (Pursuant to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact; CCR, Title 4, section 12120):</u>
  - A. Augustine Casino Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians:

Francisco Maldonado

- B. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians of California: Jessica Canales
- C. Graton Resort & Casino Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:

Jimmy Payne II

D. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:

Scott Forbes

E. Harrah's Northern California - Buena Vista Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California: Andrew White

F. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:

Edgardo Sanchez Aguillon

G. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:

Aaron Rose

H. Sky River Casino - Wilton Rancheria:

Florita McClymonds

I. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:

Lux Bo

J. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria of California:

Armando Delgado

K. Win-River Casino - Redding Rancheria:

Jasmine Coleman

L. Yaamava' Resort and Casino at San Manuel - Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation: Richard Tenorio

# **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.

- 10. <u>Consideration of Initial and Temporary Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions</u> Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):
  - A. Kristian Navarrete
  - B. Arlene Yusi
- Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):
   Lo Saetern
- 12. Consideration of Initial and Temporary Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):

  Casino Merced: Michael Phaphon
- 13. <u>Consideration of Renewal Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):</u>

Empire Sportsmen's Association: Rathkaya Koy-Klok

14. <u>Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Owner Type License (Pursuant to</u> Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

Pacific Gaming Services, LLC: Pacific Gaming Services, LLC Lori Suson, Managing Member

- 15. Consideration of Initial and Temporary Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, sections 12054 and 12128):
  - A. Blackstone Gaming, LLC:

Supervisors: Melissa Garcia Unique Porter

Workers: Alex Arrieta Corte Peter Collins Ruby Coria Martinez

Jerry Dehoyos Isaak DiSalvo Carlos Gothan Angelica Hercules Natalia Lewis Manahari Thakuri

Christopher Unger Ethan Villalobos

B. F2 TPS, LLC:

Worker: Pramesh Jalath

C. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:

Worker: Raythel Brown

D. Global Player Services, Inc.:

Supervisor: David Bustamante

E. Halcyon Gaming, LLC:

Worker: Carleah Coston

F. Knighted Ventures, LLC:

Supervisor: Nohemi Garcia

Workers: Jose Flores Jr. Leslie Hernandez Vides George Hinojosa
Jose Javier Martinez Keegan Jones Michael Krumenacker

Ching Lin Wang Eric Martinez Ethan Pham Huy Tran Shuyun Yang Junjie Zhao

G. Players Edge Services:

Worker: Admilson Amado

H. Progressive Gaming, LLC:

Workers: Hoa Chau Yanfeng Hu Elizabeth Ramirez

16. <u>Consideration of Renewal Third-Party Proposition Player Services Employee Type License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19984; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):</u>

A. F2 TPS, LLC:

Worker: Sheron Chan

B. Knighted Ventures, LLC:

Supervisors: Daniel Christensen Eric Lorono

Workers: Byron Martinez Alex Sarkissian Ping Sun

Khai Vuong

17. 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. Graphic Controls Acquisition Corp.: Graphic Controls Acquisition Corp.\*

B. Konami Gaming, Inc.: Konami Gaming, Inc.\*

C. Reliable Business Concerns, Inc. dba William Miller, Jr., President, Treasurer, Reliable Security Sound & Data: Secretary, Director, Sole Shareholder

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 Cathedral City - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:

Irene Fierro

B. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs – Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:

Keyla Alston Eligio Diaz

C. Barona Resort and Casino - Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians: Steven Rayborn

D. Cahuilla Casino - Cahuilla Band of Mission Indians:

Susel Onzures

E. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:

Alex Phommahasay

F. Coyote Valley Casino - Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians:

Angel Meza

G. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:

Natalie Miranda

H. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:

Bryan Ridgway

I. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:

Soukkha Kirkendall Gustavo Lopez

J. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:

Stephanie Orcutt

K. Red Earth Casino - Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians:

Miguel Beltran

L. Rolling Hills Casino - Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians:

Carissa Simmons

M. Sky River Casino - Wilton Rancheria:

Frank Lambrecht IV Dy Phon Mey Saephanh

N. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:

Kristian Formantes

O. Spotlight 29 Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:

Jaime Hernandez Brian Kinder

P. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:

Jose Batres Jr.

Q. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community:

Fidel Solorio

R. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:

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

Akram Philips

T. Win-River Casino - Redding Rancheria:

Clover White

U. Yaamava' Resort and Casino at San Manuel - Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation:

Daniel Lopez Kayden Nguyen

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

A. Augustine Casino - Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians:

Melissa Perea

B. Barona Resort and Casino - Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians:

Michaela Dimapan Dennis Glover Robert James Jr

Manuel Pena

C. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:

Jesse Reeves

D. Black Oak Casino - Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians of the Tuolumne Rancheria:

Jeffrey Tracy

E. Casino Pauma - Pauma Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pauma & Yuima Reservation:

Jorge Gandara

F. Chumash Casino Resort - Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez Reservation:

Donald Ast Josie Flores Kathleen Jackson

Kerry-Anne Lombrana Gregory Lowe Larry Palato

Jonathan Schaub

G. Colusa Casino Resort - Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community of the Colusa Rancheria:

Rhonda Moore

H. Desert Rose Casino - Alturas Indian Rancheria:

Rachael Safford

I. Elk Valley Casino - Elk Valley Rancheria:

Steven Lewis

J. Feather Falls Casino & Lodge - Mooretown Rancheria of Maidu Indians:

Emily Somppi

K. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:

Daniel Jolly Juan Rivera Subash Tiwari

L. Jackson Rancheria Casino Resort - Jackson Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:

Cody Marshall

M. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:

Roberto Saucedo Amara Torres Anthony Ventura

N. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:

Sabrina Benitez Julius Caesar Cabalo Marcel Huerta

Ivan Maznokov Jose Torres Jr.

O. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:
Anh-Thu Agapay

P. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:

ReNae Brouillette Frank Butrus Kiley Carlson Veronica Fetalvo Connie Makepeace Muykim Nguon

Christine Partello Huong Pham Chaiyaporn Pundhsingh

Alex Rodriguez Joseph Spousta Janise Uhde

Jesus Villalobos Evelyn Wheelock

Q. Rain Rock Casino - Karuk Tribe:

Cheryl Pollard Brenda Sanchez Marilyn Yawnick
R. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:
Holly Harris

S. River Rock Casino - Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians:

Maria Gregor

T. Spotlight 29 Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:

Iris Marrero

U. Sycuan Casino and Resort - Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation:

Shawn Baldi Samuel Bonner Romeo Buensuceso Jr. Mylinne Burgos-Hensley Elmer Caintic Dylan Connell Chelsea Do Troy Fuller Jayson Hizon Ketkeo Inthavong Javier Jacobo Ignacio Jauregui Steven Kabrel Mittaphone Khansourivong Neil Lambert Dorothy Madsen Mary Meier Eric Lisowski Ricardo Orosco III Tramayne Oakley Christopher Niss Benedict Albert Panado Jonathan Papin David Penn Joyce Christine Ray Souksamay Sengthong Douglas Vogelei Dena Webber Stacey Wheeler Michael Wylie

Richard Wyllie Jr.

V. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:
David Segovia Jr. Matilda Villafan

W. Tortoise Rock Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:

Venus Hull

X. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas

Reservation:

Aaron Leffler John Webb

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#### **CLOSED SESSION:**

- I. <u>Litigation (Government Code section 11126(e)):</u>
  - A. Eric G. Swallow v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2016-800002402)
  - B. Lucky Chances, Inc. v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2017-80002549)
  - C. Kris Kat, LLC and Steven C. Ayers v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2019-80003142)

- D. 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)
- E. Lucky Chances, Inc., VC Cardroom, et al. v. State of California, California Gambling Control Commission, et al. Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2020-80003510-CU-MW-GDS)
- F. Manuel Corrales, Jr. v. California Valley Miwok Tribe, et al. and the California Gambling Control Commission; San Diego County Superior Court (37-2022-00012884-CU-BC-CTL)
- G. Sutter's Place, Inc., dba Bay 101 Casino v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-23-51809)
- H. Club One Casino, Inc.; Kyle Kirkland; Dana Messina; KMGI, Inc. v. Yolanda Morrow and the California Gambling Control Commission; Sacramento County Superior Court (23WM000018)
- I. California Gaming Association v. California Gambling Control Commission, Bureau of Gambling Control, and Does 1-10, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-23-518185)
- J. Knighted Ventures, LLC, Roy Choi & Jieho Lee v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (23WM000051)
- K. Fortiss, LLC, et al. v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (23WM000050)
- L. Dora Christina Brown v. California Gambling Control Commission, Bureau of Gambling Control, and Does 1-10, Sacramento County Superior Court (23WM000039)
- M. California Gaming Association and David Shindle v. California Gambling Control Commission, Bureau of Gambling Control, and Does 1-10, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-23-518317)

# 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 Approval of Initial Work Permit for Joel Michael Brown
- C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Key Employee License for Christopher Gary Mossman, (CGCC-2023-0907-4)

# III. Personnel Matters (Government Code Section 11126(a)(1))

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