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**MINUTES OF MARCH 8, 2016
COMMISSION HEARING**

OPEN SESSION

1. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Evans called the meeting to order on February 29, 2016, at 10:00 a.m., and asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Roll Call of Commissioners.

Roll Call of Commissioners was taken, with Chairman Jim Evans and Commissioners Tiffany Conklin, Roger Dunstan, Lauren Hammond, and Trang To present.

3. Hearing Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Sections 19870 and 19871 and CCR, Title 4, section 12060:
In the Matter of the Application for Renewal of Key employee License for Darren Furtado, (CGCC-2013-0523-2)

Presiding Officer: Jason Pope

For Applicant: Jarhett Blonien, Attorney

For Bureau of Gambling Control: William Torngren, Deputy Attorney General

Witnesses: Darren Furtado

The Commission met in open session to hear testimony concerning Darren Furtado's suitability for licensure. Deputy Attorney General Torngren offered a package of exhibits 1-17, and 17A. Both sides presented an opening statement. Darren Furtado was sworn in and provided testimony and Mr. Blonien gave closing arguments. The Commission left the record open and requested additional information from the San Jose Police Department's Division of Gambling Control concerning their investigation of Darren Furtado.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

CLOSED SESSION

1. Hearing Deliberations Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126(c)(3):
 - A. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services License for Vanessa Garcia, (CGCC-2015-0429-8)
 - B. In the Matter of the Accusation Against Garden City Inc., Jeanine Lunardi, Peter Lunardi, III, The Lunardi Family Living Trust, and Eric G. Swallow, (OAH No. 2014060129)
 - C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Third-Party Proposition Player Services License for Brianna Montegrando-Klingenberg, (GCADS-TPPL-014337)
 - D. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Work Permit for Kannitha Phonn, (GCADS-GEWP-002096)
 - E. In the Matter of the Application for Renewal of Third Party Proposition Players Services License for Dog Named Blue, Inc. dba California Gaming Consultants, (CGCC-2013-0627-7B)
 - F. In the Matter of the Application for Renewal of Key Employee License for Darren Furtado, (CGCC-2013-0523-2)

The Commission adjourned to closed session at 11:00 a.m.

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

The Commission did not reconvene to open session following closed session deliberations.