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| <p align="center"><b><u>Northern California (Sac)</u></b><br/> California Gambling Control Commission<br/> 2399 Gateway Oaks Drive<br/> Hearing Room 100 (first floor)<br/> Sacramento, CA 95833</p> | <p align="center"><b><u>Northern California (SR)</u></b><br/> Justice Joseph A. Rattigan Building<br/> 50 D Street<br/> Conference Room 410<br/> Santa Rosa, CA 95404</p> | <p align="center"><b><u>Southern California (LA)</u></b><br/> Carolyn Owens Community Center<br/> 13201 Central Avenue<br/> Chino, CA 91710</p> |

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**MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 10, 2023  
COMMISSION MEETING**

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**OPEN SESSION:**

1. Call to Order.

Chair Paula LaBrie called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

2. Roll Call of Commissioners.

Roll Call of Commissioners was taken with Chair Paula LaBrie, Commissioner Cathleen Galgiani, Commissioner Eric Heins, Commissioner William Liu, and Commissioner Edward Yee present.

Licensing Manager Efren Zuniga gave ZOOM participation instructions.

3. Approval of Commission Meeting Minutes for:
  - A. June 1, 2023 – GCA Hearing
  - B. June 2, 2023 – GCA Hearing

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Yee, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes, and Commissioner Heins abstaining; the Commission approved the GCA Hearing Minutes for June 1, 2023, and for June 2, 2023.

- C. June 8, 2023 – Commission Meeting

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Heins, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Commission Meeting Minutes for June 8, 2023.

- D. June 13, 2023 – GCA Hearing
- E. June 22, 2023 – Commission Meeting

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes, and Commissioner Yee abstaining; the Commission approved the GCA Hearing Minutes for June 13, 2023, and the Commission Meeting Minute for June 22, 2023.

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

L.E. Gaming, Inc.:

Worker:           Natasha Johnson

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Heins, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission referred the application to an evidentiary hearing.

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

L.E. Gaming, Inc.:

Worker:           Cheng Vang

Comments Received From:

Cheng Vang

Brian Gilleland, Staff Services Manager II, Bureau of Gambling Control

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Third-Party Worker License through August 31, 2025, with the following condition:

*Beginning October 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Cheng Vang must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control a status update regarding proof of ongoing efforts regarding the completion of their court-mandated classes and resolution of fine(s) until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

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

A. Agustine Casino - Agustine Band of Cahuilla Indians:

Lorena Rodriguez

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Yee, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through August 9, 2025.

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

Mary Sarim

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Heins, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through June 10, 2025, with the following condition:

*Beginning October 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Mary Sarim must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control proof of ongoing efforts to resolve their Failure to Appear and civil judgment until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

C. Eagle Mountain Casino - Tule River Indian Tribe of the Tule River Reservation:

Luz Andrade

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Yee, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through February 23, 2025, with the following condition:

*Beginning October 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Luz Andrade must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control with proof of their efforts to satisfy their judgement until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

D. Elk Valley Casino - Elk Valley Rancheria:

Kimberly Krokodilos

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins,

Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through July 12, 2025, with the following condition:

*Beginning October 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Kimberly Krokodilos must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control with updates regarding the status of their State and Federal tax liens until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

E. Rolling Hills Casino - Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians:  
Andrew Porcayo

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Liu, seconded by Commissioner Yee, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission deemed the Initial Finding of Suitability abandoned.

F. Sky River Casino - Wilton Rancheria:  
Pete Lakamsan

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Liu, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through August 30, 2024.

G. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:  
i) Phu Nguyen

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Heins, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability through May 9, 2024.

By concurrence of the Commissioners, Items 6Gii and 6H were heard as a group.

ii) Michael Prignano

H. Twin Pine Casino & Hotel - Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California:  
Hunter Ables

Comments Received From:  
Michael Prignano

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Yee, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Initial Finding of Suitability for Michael Prignano through October 22, 2024 and for Hunter Ables through July 26, 2024.

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

A. Cache Creek Casino Resort - Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation:  
Diem Khanh Vu

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Liu, seconded by Commissioner Heins, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through December 1, 2024, removing the following condition:

~~*Beginning May 1, 2020, and every 180 days thereafter, Diem Khanh Vu must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control with proof of ongoing efforts to satisfy their Chapter 13 Bankruptcy until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*~~

B. Diamond Mountain Casino & Hotel - Susanville Indian Rancheria:  
Jr William

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through November 5, 2024, maintaining the following condition:

*Beginning August 1, 2022, and every 90 days thereafter, Jr William must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control with proof of ongoing efforts to satisfy the fine until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

C. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:  
Jeffrey Lee

Comments Received From:

Jeffrey Lee

Mysty Trejo, Staff Services Manager II, Bureau of Gambling Control

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Liu, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through October 11, 2024, with the following amended conditions:

- ~~1. Beginning January 1, 2021 October 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Jeffrey Lee must submit updates to provide the Bureau of Gambling Control regarding the status of their probation until completed and a status update regarding proof of their efforts to satisfy regarding the resolution of their outstanding court fines until repaid resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.~~
- ~~2. Beginning January 1, 2021, and every 90 days thereafter, Jeffrey Lee must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control with proof of efforts to satisfy their civil judgment until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.~~

D. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village of California:  
Isaias Rodas Reyes

Comments Received From:  
Isaias Rodas Reyes

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through April 18, 2025, maintaining the following condition:

*Beginning January 1, 2023, and every 90 days thereafter, Isaias Rodas must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control proof of ongoing efforts to resolve their Failure to Appear until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

E. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:  
Mirabel Mariela Concepcion

Comments Received From:  
Mirabel Mariela Concepcion  
Dolores Olivarez, Deputy Director, Gambling Control Commission  
Mysty Trejo, Staff Services Manager II, Bureau of Gambling Control

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Chair LaBrie, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins,

Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through December 1, 2024.

- F. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation:
- i) Angela Thornton

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Yee, seconded by Commissioner Galgiani, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through November 30, 2024, maintaining the following condition:

*Beginning July 1, 2022, and every 180 days thereafter, Angela Thornton must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control proof of efforts to satisfy their Chapter 13 Bankruptcy until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

- ii) Christopher Thornton

Comments Received From:

Christopher Thornton

Mysty Trejo, Staff Services Manager II, Bureau of Gambling Control

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Yee, seconded by Commissioner Heins, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Renewal Finding of Suitability through November 30, 2024, maintaining the following condition:

*Beginning July 1, 2022, and every 180 days thereafter, Christopher Thornton must provide the Bureau of Gambling Control proof of efforts to satisfy their Chapter 13 Bankruptcy until resolved and proof of resolution is provided to the Bureau.*

8. Consideration of Retraction of APA Evidentiary Hearing Referral and Referral to GCA Hearing. (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19824; Title 4, sections, 12054, and 12056):  
Team View Player Services, LLC

Comments Received From:

Lisa Freund, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Galgiani, seconded by Commissioner Heins, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Retraction of APA Evidentiary Hearing Referral and Referral to GCA Hearing.

**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.*

9. Tribal Scholarship Deposit Fund for Deposit into California Native American Education and Scholarship Fund – Pursuant to Section 5.4 of the Pechanga Band of Luiseño Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation 2016 Tribal-State Compact.
10. Consideration of Initial Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):
  - A. Stephanie Nguyen
  - B. Maribel Sandoval
11. Consideration of Renewal Key Employee License (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19854; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

|                          |                     |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| A. Marco Azzi            | L. David Lam        |
| B. Rothea Cabunoc        | M. Danell Lydon     |
| C. Jeremy Clayton        | N. Than-Xuan Nguyen |
| D. Jordan Conner         | O. Wellson Nguyen   |
| E. Steven Dadaian        | P. Sakarin Onsaeng  |
| F. Donald Everitt        | Q. Jason Orabuena   |
| G. James Griffo          | R. Michael Rock     |
| H. Christopher Henderson | S. Milton Talisman  |
| I. Ivan Huang            | T. Carolyn Uzeta    |
| J. Kenneth Jones         | U. Su Vargas        |
| K. Patrick Kielty        | V. Ryan Wolf        |
12. Consideration of Renewal Commission Work Permit (Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19912; CCR, Title 4, section 12054):

|                                    |              |                   |            |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|
| A. Casino Merced:                  | Irene Curiel | Kelly Vongphackdy |            |
| B. Empire Sportsmen's Association: | Michael Duff | Lisa Gilman       |            |
| C. Napa Valley Casino:             | Manet Liv    | Bill Phy          | Von Roemun |
| D. Towers Casino:                  | James Willis |                   |            |



13. 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: Miguel Rivera                      Isael Sanchez
- B. Blackstone Gaming, LLC:  
Supervisors: Farshid Farhadi              Hermar Gonzalez  
Workers: Danny Arias                      David Brumfield Jr.      Kreshora Bryant  
                    Arash Ghabussi                      Rosie Gomez              Adriana Olmos
- C. Commerce Group, Inc.:  
Workers: Anthony Boatner                  Jason Harris                  Ryan Owens  
                    Octavio Perez Jr.                      Adrian Ramirez
- D. F2 TPS, LLC:  
Workers: JianJun Ding                      Bunpheng Loa
- E. Fortune Players Group, Inc.:  
Worker: Hong Su
- F. Global Player Services, Inc.:  
Supervisor: Alberto Tellez
- G. Halcyon Gaming, LLC:  
Supervisor: Yulizette Ojeda
- H. KBCH Consultants, Inc.:  
Worker: Alissa Xiong
- I. Knighted Ventures, LLC:  
Supervisor: Kent Shapiro  
Workers: Meko Allen                      Blake Baumann              Mamie Bayo  
                    Maria Beatrice Bay              Alejandra Cervantes      Jonathan Chiu  
                    Alec Dieken                      Andrué Dominguez      Orlando Flores Guillen  
                    Oscar Gonzalez Vargas              Ya Lan Ping      May Li  
                    Tyler Little                      Xinli Liu                      Jingfan Luo  
                    Jose Marin                      Richard Pen                      Gabriel Perez  
                    Jullissa Ramirez                      Stephanie Ramirez              Andreas Reed  
                    Jaime Rivas                      Mariza Rodriguez              Vincent Nathaniel Tan  
                    Mankirat Virk                      Elias Wood
- J. L.E. Gaming, Inc.:  
Workers: Christopher Michael              Brandon Smith              Cameron Voll  
                    Kevin Yang
- K. Players Edge Services:  
Workers: Lesley Chang                      Hem Dhami                      Laura Johnson  
                    Jessica Leiva                      Delaney Simpson
- L. Progressive Gaming, LLC:  
Workers: Yu Chen                      Siu Kwok                      Jianhe Li  
                    Peng Liu                      Qiu Yan Liu                      Yongjian Liu  
                    Juwei Pan                      LinLin Pang                      Hongwei Shen  
                    Dan Wang                      Liping Wang                      Wenbin Wu  
                    Zhengchun Xu                      Jianbin Zeng                      Yonglong Zhang  
                    Youzhi Zheng

M. Qualified Player Services, LLC:  
 Supervisor: Maria Vallejo  
 N. Workers: Shasty Bautista Zen Kent Fabian Ramirez  
 Phyllis Touy

14. 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: Maria Del Bolanos Mata Janis Encinas  
 Ellen Grace Mangundayao Valencia McCraw  
 Deolita Patterson Jonathan Wilson

B. F2 TPS, LLC:  
 Supervisor: Nip Chi

C. Faros Unlimited, Inc.:  
 Workers: A Sy Dinh Michael Morales Jimmy Trinh

D. Fortune Players Group, Inc.:  
 Supervisor: Roberta Masanque

E. KB Ventures:  
 Worker: Moussa Arabani

F. KBCH Consultants, Inc.:  
 Supervisor: Alex Amongol  
 Worker: Daniel Mendonca

G. Knighted Ventures, LLC:  
 Supervisors: Pamela Aquin Hien Dang Ky Thang  
 Workers: Maria Baltazar Orozco Justin Barnes  
 Sokhom Bun Horacio Campos Guzman  
 Va Chip Robert Coffey Michael Dawson  
 Lexter Fernandez Sheena Fontanilla Seth Harvey  
 Dung Hoang Nestor Jimenez-Martinez  
 Tommy Lam Arturo Loera, Jr. Cortland Lubke  
 Roberto Mendez Minh Nguyen Tiffany Nguyen  
 Maria Resendiz Ma Sarah Reyes Oscar Robledo  
 Michael Rosell Cynthia Ruiz Danice Sotto  
 Kenny Woo

H. L.E. Gaming, Inc.:  
 Supervisor: Vuthda Heng  
 Workers: Lucita Perez Terry Thao Houa Vang

I. Players Edge Services:  
 Supervisors: Joseph Castillo Anthony Pann Pao Saechao  
 Workers: Jose Cruz Veronica Jones Tiffany Ketsavong  
 Narisa Khumbanchat Marany Tea David Wiles

J. Progressive Gaming, LLC:  
 Workers: Baosheng Huang Truc Huynh Quy On  
 Alice Pe Brian Rule Jinfang Tao  
 Wenyu Wang Yanying Wen Peinong Wu

Li Xhang  
Zhuoxin Yu  
Jinhai Zhu

Hung Hang Yip  
Weiqiang Zhou

Xiying Yu  
Xia Yin Zhou

15. 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:  
Dillon Trollope
  - B. Agua Caliente Casino Rancho Mirage - Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians:  
Mario Hernandez III
  - C. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:  
Hailey Smith
  - D. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:  
Dora Rodriguez                      Kong Xiong
  - E. Chumash Casino Resort - Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez Reservation:  
Malia Arrayan
  - F. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:  
Junyin Lu                                  Benjamin Melgoza Gomez Samjhana Shrestha
  - G. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:  
Carl Noormaa
  - H. Harrah's Northern California - Buena Vista Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California:  
Katarina Jerrell Sosa
  - I. Jamul Casino - Jamul Indian Village:  
Charles Brown                      Michael Healu
  - J. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:  
Honeylet Giron                      Colleen Kurschinski                      John Michael Dave Villez
  - K. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:  
Collin Price                                  Meej Vang
  - L. Rolling Hills Casino - Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians:  
Christopher Butler                      Rita Chandra                                  Spencer Phillips
  - M. Running Creek Casino - Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake:  
Gerald Erickson Jr.                      Yuliana Gonzalez Lopez
  - N. Sky River Casino - Wilton Rancheria:  
Joshua Cartee                                  Paul Johnson Jr.                                  Rosario Maile  
Marshal Ranger                                  Brandon Roman                                  Dennis Santos Jr.
  - O. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:  
Alejandro Gomez
  - P. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:  
Stephen Wright

- Q. Tortoise Rock Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:  
Denise Lazarovitz
- R. Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians:  
Brian Vargas
- S. Yaamava' Resort and Casino at San Manuel - Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation:  
Touch Eang                      Claudia Felix                      Abdelali Khalloufi  
James Ortiz

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

- A. Augustine Casino - Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians:  
Xiomara Arteaga-Flores                      LaTanya Senegal
- B. Barona Resort and Casino - Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians:  
Dana Arthur                      Matthew Bernarde                      Benjamin Collins  
George Denny                      Christopher Dumas                      Hugo Enriquez  
Aurora Figueroa                      Kassandra Freiwilling                      Abran Ortiz  
Ricardo Salinas                      Ade Oba Whitney
- C. Bear River Casino Resort - Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria:  
Damon Johnson                      Kristopher Mendenhall                      Margaret Trujillo
- D. Black Oak Casino - Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians of the Tuolumne Rancheria:  
Melanie Garcia Radke                      Ruth Main
- E. Cache Creek Casino Resort - Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation:  
Pat Brandon III                      Basu Dhakal                      Guillermo Garcia Jr.  
Phong Hong                      Matthew House                      Norma Jacobo  
Jhuna Khatri                      Binod Manandhar                      Kevin Moreno  
Stephanie Travis                      Daniel Valencia Lievanos
- F. Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino - Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians:  
Nick Lee                      Ashley Noell                      Richard Royce  
Joel Saunders Jr.                      Sean Stevens                      Rebecca Thompson  
Joel Tiatco                      Theng Vang
- G. Chumash Casino Resort - Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez Reservation:  
Cora Antofie                      Lance Brown                      Maria Garcia  
Andrew Guardado                      Brian Hatter                      Richard Mepua  
Arturo Rios Garcia                      Miguel Valencia Jr.                      Gary Westerman Jr.
- H. Colusa Casino Resort - Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community of the Colusa Rancheria:  
Mark Call                      Letecia Garcia                      Marbella Juarez
- I. Fantasy Springs Resort Casino - Cabazon Band of Mission Indians:  
Michael Avila                      Nicole Kurowski                      Guadalupe Puga  
Carmen Salazar                      Elsie Viray

- J. Golden Acorn Casino & Travel Center - Campo Band of Diegueno Mission Indians of the Campo Indian Reservation:  
SeBriauxn Hardiman
- K. Graton Resort & Casino - Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria:  
Teknath Bhattarai      Maria Mercedes Albina Cabrera  
Beverly Carmichael      Ruby Cortes      Arjun Dangol  
Raoul Natividad Diez      Kelly Dudoit      Brian Green  
Reyma Hahn      Stacy Heagney      Michael Heinzmann  
Anthony Hernandez      Jose Hernandez      Rabin Khadgi  
Tha Lam      Nyta Lim      Kenneth Minor Jr.  
Holly Nydes      Lorena Orduna Flores      Sonny Pangilinan  
Dhruba Parajuli      Sushil Paudel      Ruth Rivera  
Jose Salas      Sokun Sam      Hari Shrestha  
Thomas Stevens      Christopher Trefcer      Aimee Yang  
James Ybarra
- L. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain - Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California:  
Jorge Bardales      Sanjeeb Bhattarai      Phanat Keo  
Tay Khorn      Anil Lama      Toshio Morgan  
Tavary Pham      Johnson Thanadabouth      Tracey Watson
- M. Jackson Rancheria Casino Resort - Jackson Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians:  
Donald Helmig      Steven Munson
- N. Konocti Vista Casino - Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians of the Big Valley Rancheria:  
Zachary Bassham      Raymond Stogner
- O. Mono Wind Casino - Big Sandy Rancheria Band of Western Mono Indians:  
Bruce Belden      Ricky Boothby
- P. Morongo Casino Resort and Spa - Morongo Band of Mission Indians:  
Cari Few      Darci Ortiz      Paul Reimers  
Nancy Silva      Robert Steele      Dominic Tovar  
Quang Trieu      Michelle Wood
- Q. Pala Casino Spa and Resort - Pala Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pala Reservation:  
Shannon Lawrence      Yung Feng Lee      Bing Liang
- R. Pechanga Resort & Casino - Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Pechanga Reservation:  
Jeremy Carlson      John Hathaway      Lea Huggins  
Brian Hulej      Robert Krauss      Jorge Lozano Jr.  
Son Nguyen      Thuy Nguyen      Jennifer Riddell  
Brandon Romero      Mengheang Sok      Christina White
- S. Red Earth Casino - Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians:  
Victor Gaspar
- T. Red Hawk Casino - Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria:  
Alyssa Bryan      Alina Cojocari      Robert Mackenberg

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|  | Sou Saechao       | Michael Vang       |                   |
| U. River Rock Casino - Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians:   | Raeleen Brown     | David Carrillo Jr. | Him Chan          |
| V. Soboba Casino Resort - Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians:  | Richard Carver    | Gonzalo Garcia     | Anthony Rodriguez |
|  | Andreanna Smith   |                    |                   |
| W. Spotlight 29 Casino - Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians:  | Maria Garcia      | Laurie Paluszczak  |                   |
| X. Table Mountain Casino - Table Mountain Rancheria:   | Trinidad Franco   |                    |                   |
| Y. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino - Santa Rosa Indian Community:  | Walter Gunn       | Annette Miller     | Gwen Peyegrin     |
|  | Hani Salamat      |                    |                   |
| Z. Thunder Valley Casino Resort - United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria:                        | John Gervais      | Kennitha Goss      | Hiep Hoang        |
|  | Justin Horn       | Anastasiya Naumova | Emily Richardson  |
|  | Michael Ronnebeck | Mey Saechao        | Amanda Seacrist   |
|  | David Triggs      |                    |                   |
| AA. Twin Pine Casino & Hotel - Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians:   | Joben Daughtery   |                    |                   |
| BB. Valley View Casino & Hotel - San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians:                                   | Bruce Howard      | Todd Jackson       | Anibal Sandoval   |
| CC. Viejas Casino and Resort - Viejas Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians of the Viejas Reservation: | Luis Barragan     | John Ngo           | Yohmary Rios      |

Action:

Upon motion of Commissioner Heins, seconded by Commissioner Liu, and carried in a vote by roll call with Chair LaBrie, Commissioner Galgiani, Commissioner Heins, Commissioner Liu, and Commissioner Yee, voting yes; the Commission approved the Consent Calendar items 9 through 16.

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

None

**CLOSED SESSION DISCLOSURE:**

Chair LaBrie disclosed the items below to be heard in Closed Session:

- II. Hearing Deliberations Pursuant to Government Code section 11126(c)(3):
- C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Arron Mitchell Norton, (CGCC-2022-0811-12H)
  - D. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Koua Xiong, (CGCC-2022-0811-12C)

**CLOSED SESSION:**

- I. Litigation (Government Code section 11126(e)):
  - 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. Yavapai-Apache Nation v. La Posta Band of Diegueno Mission Indians and California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento Superior Court (34-2018-00238711)
  - D. Manuel Corrales, Jr. v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Diego County Superior Court (37-2019-00019079-CU-MC-CTL)
  - E. Kris Kat, LLC and Steven C. Ayers v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2019-80003142)
  - F. 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)
  - G. 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)
  - H. Harvey F. Souza v. California Gambling Control Commission, Sacramento County Superior Court (34-2019-80003287)
  - I. 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)
  - J. Sutter's Place, Inc., dba Bay 101 Casino v. California Gambling Control Commission, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-23-51809)
  - K. Club One Casino, Inc.; Kyle Kirkland; Dana Messina; KMGI, Inc. v. Yolanda Morrow and the California Gambling Control Commission; Sacramento County Superior Court (23WM000018)
  - L. California Gaming Association v. California Gambling Control Commission, Bureau of Gambling Control, and Does 1-10, San Francisco County Superior Court (CPF-23-518185)
- 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 Third-Party Proposition Player Services Supervisor License for Matthew Patrick Stearns, (CGCC-2022-0721-7C)
  - C. In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Tribal Key Employee Finding of Suitability for Arron Mitchell Norton, (CGCC-2022-0811-12H)
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## **RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair LaBrie adjourned the Commission Meeting at approximately 11:02 a.m.