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NOTICE

Notice # 2012- 03 Issuing Division: Technology

DATE: JANUARY 5, 2012

TO: ALL LICENSEES AND INTERESTED PERSONS

SUBJECT: APPLICATIONS FOR INDEPENDENT TESTING LABORATORIES

Assembly Bill 279 (AB 279) from the 2011 Legislative Session was signed into law and requires the Nevada Gaming Commission adopt regulations prior to May 1, 2012 providing for, subject to certain limitations, the registration of independent testing laboratories to be utilized for the certification of any gaming device, associated equipment, cashless wagering system, mobile gaming system or interactive gaming system, or any components thereof.

The Gaming Control Board (GCB) is in the process of drafting regulations as required by AB 279. The GCB will publish these draft regulations on its website and through the GCB RSS feed in the coming weeks. Additionally, a regulatory public workshop is tentatively scheduled for **February 22**, **2012** in Las Vegas. The purpose of the workshop is for the GCB to receive input from the gaming industry and the public.

Due to an increasing level of interest, the GCB is accepting applications for registration of independent testing laboratories prior to the adoption of said regulations. The Applications for Registration as an Independent Testing Laboratory should be handled in the same fashion as a Nonrestricted Gaming License. Instructions for Nonrestricted Gaming Licenses and relevant forms can be found on the GCB website at the following link: http://gaming.nv.gov/agencyforms.htm#inv

Completed applications should be submitted to the GCB's Carson City office at the address shown above to the attention of the Coordinator of Applicant Services. Activation of these applications is at the discretion of the Chairman of the Gaming Control Board.

Any questions pertaining to the submission of these applications should be directed to:

Sally Elloyan, Coordinator, Applicant Services (775) 684-7840