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#### **NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION**

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# **NOTICE**

Notice #2019-65 Issuer: Executive Secretary

DATE: September 23, 2019

TO: ALL LICENSEES AND OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

SUBJECT: 2019-04R: NOTICE OF HEARING FOR CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION OF

AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATIONS 3, 4, 5, 5A,

AND 8 REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND

INTERACTIVE GAMING SERVICE PROVIDERS.

The Nevada Gaming Commission (NGC) will hold a public hearing for the purpose of considering adoption, amendment or repeal of the regulation(s) stated below.

The public hearing will be held on or about the hour of 10:00 a.m. on October 24, 2019 at the following locations:

Gaming Control Board Office 1919 College Parkway Carson City, Nevada 89706

and via video conference at the Gaming Control Board Office Grant Sawyer Building Hearing Room 2450 555 East Washington Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

# **For Possible Action**

2019-04R: CONSIDERATION AND RECOMMENDATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATION 3 REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, EMPLOYEE REPORTS.

<u>PURPOSE</u>: In accordance with NRS 463.145, NRS 463.150, and S.B. 46 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session, to amend Regulation 3.100 to remove service provider and replace with interactive gaming service provider as falling within the definition of "qualifying employee" and subject to the employee reporting requirements; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

#### For Possible Action:

2019-04R: CONSIDERATION AND RECOMMENDATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATION 4 REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, CLASSIFICATIONS OF LICENSES, AND APPLICATION AND INVESTIGATIVE FEES.

<u>PURPOSE</u>: In accordance with NRS 463.145, NRS 463.150, and S.B. 46 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session, to amend Regulation 4.030 to remove reference to a service provider license and replace it with interactive gaming service provider license; to amend Regulation 4.070 to remove provisions applicable to service provider application fees; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

# For Possible Action:

2019-04R: CONSIDERATION AND RECOMMENDATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATION 5 REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, WAGERING ACCOUNTS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS.

PURPOSE: In accordance with NRS 463.145, NRS 463.150, and S.B. 46 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session, to amend Regulation 5.225(4) to change licensed cash access and wagering instrument service provider to registered cash access and wagering instrument service provider; to amend Regulation 5.240 to delete the definitions of "assumes responsibility," "geolocation service provider," "patron identification service provider," and "payment processing service provider;" to amend the definitions of "information technology service provider" and "service provider;" to establish that the Board shall make a list available of all registered service providers; to no longer license service providers; to exempt certain manufacturers from service provider registration requirements; to establish a process to register service providers, including certain owners and principals of the service provider; to establish the length of time service provider registrations are valid; to establish the service provider registration and investigation fee; to establish a process for objecting to and cancelling the registration of a service provider; to establish a process for requiring an application for finding of suitability of any person owning, operating, or having a significant involvement with a service provider; to set forth what occurs with currently licensed service providers; to remove all provisions applicable to interactive gaming service providers; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

# **For Possible Action:**

2019-04R: CONSIDERATION AND RECOMMENDATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATION 5A REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, INTERACTIVE GAMING SERVICE PROVIDERS.

<u>PURPOSE</u>: In accordance with NRS 463.145, NRS 463.150, and S.B. 46 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session, to amend Regulation 5A.220 to incorporate provisions removed from Regulation 5.240 applicable to interactive gaming service providers; to include findings relative to interactive gaming service providers; to provide for licensing of interactive gaming service providers; and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

### For Possible Action:

2019-04R: CONSIDERATION AND RECOMMENDATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION REGULATION 8 REGARDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, TRANSACTION REPORTS.

<u>PURPOSE</u>: In accordance with NRS 463.145, NRS 463.150, and S.B. 46 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session, to amend Regulation 8.130 to remove *service provider* as "licensee" subject to transaction reports and replace it with *interactive gaming service provider*, and to take such additional action as may be necessary and proper to effectuate these stated purposes.

The proposed regulation changes will be considered by the NGC in accordance with the provisions of NRS 463.145, which provides that on the date and at the time and place designated, any interested person, or their duly authorized representative, or both, shall be afforded the opportunity to present statements, arguments or contentions in writing, with or without the opportunity to present the same orally.

These items will be heard by the NGC at the October 24, 2019 meeting, and may be continued and heard at subsequent meetings of the NGC as required to effectuate the above-stated purposes.

The proposed regulation language will be posted on the Nevada Gaming Control Board website "Regulation Activity" page at: <a href="http://gaming.nv.gov/index.aspx?page=52">http://gaming.nv.gov/index.aspx?page=52</a>. Any questions should be directed to Elijah Tredup at (702) 486-2137 or via email at etredup@gcb.nv.gov.