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STATE OF NEVADA

BEFORE THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD,

Complainant,

VS.

GITA INCORPORATED, dba QUICK STOP FOOD MART; and BHARAT VASANT PATEL, an individual

Respondents.

STIPULATION FOR SETTLEMENT AND ORDER

The State of Nevada, on relation of its GAMING CONTROL BOARD (BOARD), Complainant herein, filed and served a Complaint in NGC Case No. 14-06, against GITA INCORPORATED, dba QUICK STOP FOOD MART, and BHARAT VASANT PATEL, RESPONDENTS herein, alleging certain violations of the Nevada Gaming Control Act and Regulations of the Nevada Gaming Commission.

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED to by the BOARD and the RESPONDENTS that the Complaint, NGC Case No. 14-06, filed against the RESPONDENTS in the above-entitled case shall be settled on the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The RESPONDENTS do not admit nor deny that the factual allegations set forth in the Complaint, NGC Case No. 14-06, are true and correct. However, RESPONDENTS admit and acknowledge that the Nevada Gaming Commission could determine from the allegations set forth in the Complaint, NGC Case No. 14.06, that violations of the Nevada Gaming Control Act and/or the Nevada Gaming Commission Regulations occurred.
- 2. The RESPONDENTS fully understand and voluntarily waive the right to a public hearing on the charges and allegations set forth in the Complaint, the right to present and cross-examine witnesses, the right to a written decision on the merits of the Complaint, which must contain findings of fact and a determination of the issues presented, and the right to obtain judicial review of the Nevada Gaming Commission's decision.

a. RESPONDENT GITA INCORPORATED's restricted gaming license issued by the Nevada Gaming Commission to conduct gaming at QUICK STOP FOOD MART, located at 2083 East Fremont Street, Las Vegas, Nevada, is revoked; and

- b. RESPONDENT BHARAT VASANT PATEL's license issued by the Nevada Gaming Commission relating to his positions as officer, director, and 60% shareholder of RESPONDENT GITA INCORPORATED, dba QUICK STOP FOOD MART, is revoked.
- 4. In consideration for the execution of this Settlement Agreement, the RESPONDENTS, for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, hereby release and forever discharge the State of Nevada, the Nevada Gaming Commission, the Nevada Gaming Control Board, the Nevada Attorney General and each of their members, agents, and employees in their individual and representative capacities, from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, judgments, executions, claims, and demands whatsoever known or unknown, in law and equity, that the RESPONDENTS ever had, now have, may have, or claim to have against any and all of the persons or entities named in this paragraph arising out of, or by reason of, the investigation of the allegations in the Complaint, this disciplinary action, NGC Case No. 14-06, or any other matter relating thereto.
- 5. In consideration for the execution of this Settlement Agreement, the RESPONDENTS hereby indemnify and hold harmless the State of Nevada, the Nevada Gaming Commission, the State Gaming Control Board, the Nevada Attorney General, and each of their members, agents, and employees in their individual and representative capacities against any and all claims, suits and actions, brought against the persons named in this paragraph by reason of the investigation of the allegations in the Complaint, filed in this disciplinary action, NGC Case No. 14-06, and all other matters relating thereto, and against any and all expenses, damages, charges and costs, including court costs and attorney fees, which may be sustained by the persons and entities named in this paragraph as a result of said claims, suits and actions.

- 7. The RESPONDENTS affirmatively represents that if the RESPONDENTS, this Stipulation for Settlement and Order, and/or any amounts distributed under this Stipulation for Settlement and Order are subject to, or will become subject to, the jurisdiction of any bankruptcy court, the bankruptcy court's approval is not necessary for this Stipulation for Settlement and Order to become effective, or that the bankruptcy court has already approved this Stipulation for Settlement and Order.
- 8. The RESPONDENTS and the BOARD acknowledge that this Settlement is made to avoid litigation and economize resources. The parties agree and understand that this Stipulation for Settlement and Order is intended to operate as full and final settlement of the Complaint filed against the RESPONDENTS in the above-entitled disciplinary case, NGC Case No. 14-06.
- 9. The RESPONDENTS and the BOARD recognize and agree that the Nevada Gaming Commission has the sole and absolute discretion to determine whether to accept this Stipulated Settlement Agreement. The RESPONDENTS and the BOARD hereby waive any right they may have to challenge the impartiality of the Nevada Gaming Commission to hear the above-entitled case on the matters embraced in the Complaint if the Nevada Gaming Commission determines not to accept this Stipulated Settlement Agreement. If the Nevada Gaming Commission does not accept the Stipulation for Settlement and Order, it shall be withdrawn as null and void and the RESPONDENTS' admissions, if any, that certain violations of the Nevada Gaming Control Act and the Regulations of the Nevada Gaming Commission occurred shall be withdrawn.
- 10. The RESPONDENTS and the BOARD agree and understand that this Settlement Agreement is intended to operate as full and final settlement of the Complaint filed in NGC

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Case No. 14-06. The parties further agree and understand that any oral representations are superseded by this Settlement Agreement and that only those terms memorialized in writing herein shall be effective.

- 11. The RESPONDENTS agree and understand that although this Settlement, if approved by the Nevada Gaming Commission, will settle the Complaint filed in NGC Case No. 14-06 that the allegations contained in the Complaint filed in NGC Case No. 14-06 and the terms of this Settlement Agreement may be considered by the BOARD and/or the Nevada Gaming Commission, with regards to any and all applications by the RESPONDENTS that are currently pending before the BOARD or the Nevada Gaming Commission, or that are filed in the future with the BOARD.
- 12. The RESPONDENTS and the BOARD shall each bear their own costs incurred in this disciplinary action, NGC Case No. 14-06.
- 13. The RESPONDENTS fully understand and voluntarily waive the 21-day and the 5-day notice requirements found under NRS 241.033 and 241.034, including the content requirements of such notices, in relation to any hearing before the Nevada Gaming Commission on this Settlement Agreement that may be held.

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Attorney General's Office Garning Division 555 E. Washington Avc., Stc. 3900 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101	2	approval by the Nevada Gaming Commission.	
	3	DATED this $\frac{1}{2}$ day of November 2014	DATED this 19 day of November 2014
	4	GITA INCORPORATED, dba QUICK STOP FOOD MART; and BHARAT VASANT PATEL	STATE GAMING CONTROL BOARD
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	6	By: BHARAT VASANT PATEL Officer and Director	A.G. BURNETT, Chairman
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	13	Attorney for Respondents	
	14	Submitted by:	
	15	CATHERINE CORTEZ MASTO Attorney General	
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	17	By: EDWARD L. MAGAW	
	18	Deputy Attorney General Gaming Division	
	19	Attorneys for State Gaming Control Board	
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	21	<u>ORDER</u>	
	22	IT IS SO ORDERED in NGC Case No. 14-06.	
	23	DATED this day of November 2014.	
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	26	TONY	ALAMO, M.D., Chairman
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