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STATE OF NEVADA

BEFORE THE NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Exclusion of:

TASIA MCDONALD MUSA, a.k.a. Tasia Musa-McDonald, Tasia Musia, and Tasia David Musa.

From Licensed Gaming Establishments In the State of Nevada.

FINAL ORDER OF EXCLUSION

On November 6, 2014, the State Gaming Control Board (Board) entered its Order nominating TASIA MCDONALD MUSA as a candidate to the List of Excluded Persons pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 463.151 through 463.155 and Nevada Gaming Commission Regulation 28. After being personally served the Notice of Candidacy and Order of Nomination to List of Excluded Persons on November 19, 2014, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA failed to request a hearing before the Nevada Gaming Commission (Commission) pursuant to NRS 463.153(1). The Board filed a Bill of Particulars on January 9, 2014. This matter came before the Commission on January 29, 2015. JOHN S. MICHELA, Senior Deputy Attorney General, appeared on behalf of the Board.

Having reviewed and carefully considered the record together with all of the evidence presented, the Commission, believing it to be fully advised on the facts and issues before it, makes the following findings:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Pursuant to NRS 463.151(3)(a), TASIA MCDONALD MUSA has been convicted of crimes that are felonies in this state. Specifically:
 - a) On or about June 17, 2009, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Attempted Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 193.330, 205.220, and NRS 205.222, a Category D Felony, granted a suspended sentence, and placed

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on probation. Such probation was revoked on October 6, 2009, and TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was sentenced to twelve (12) to thirty-six (36) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.

- b) On or about October 9, 2013, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 205.220, and 205.222, a Category C Felony, and sentenced to twelve (12) to forty-eight (48) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- c) On or about October 14, 2013, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 205.220, and 205.222, a Category C Felony, and sentenced to twelve (12) to forty-eight (48) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- 2. Pursuant to NRS 463.151(3)(a), TASIA MCDONALD MUSA has been convicted of crimes involving moral turpitude. Specifically:
 - a) On or about June 17, 2009, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Attempted Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 193.330, 205.220, and NRS 205.222, a Category D Felony, granted a suspended sentence, and placed on probation. Such probation was revoked on October 6, 2009, and TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was sentenced to twelve (12) to thirty-six (36) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
 - b) On or about October 9, 2013, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 205.220, and 205.222, a Category C Felony, and sentenced to twelve (12) to forty-eight (48) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.

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- c) On or about October 14, 2013. TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 205.220, and 205.222, a Category C Felony, and sentenced to twelve (12) to forty-eight (48) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- d) On or about April 5, 2006, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA pled guilty to Petit Theft in violation of NRS 205.0832, was sentenced to thirty (30) days in jail, and fined \$500. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- e) On or about June 24, 2009, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was convicted in Nevada of Attempted Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 193.330, 205.220, and NRS 205.222, a Gross Misdemeanor, granted a suspended sentence, and placed on probation. Such probation was revoked on October 21, 2009, and TASIA MCDONALD MUSA was sentenced to twelve (12) to thirty-six (36) months in the Nevada Department of Corrections. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- f) On or about August 4, 2009, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA pled guilty to Petit Larceny in violation of NRS 205.220, was sentenced to sixty (60) days in jail. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- g) On or about June 22, 2011, TASIA MCDONALD MUSA pled guilty to Conspiracy to Commit Grand Larceny in violation of NRS 199.480, 205.220, and 205.222 and was sentenced to four (4) months in jail. The facts giving rise to this conviction occurred in a licensed gaming establishment.
- Pursuant to NRS 463.151(3)(d) TASIA MCDONALD MUSA is a person who has been excluded from a casino at which gaming or pari-mutuel wagering is conducted by a written order of a governmental agency. Specifically:

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- a) On June 17, 2009, in the Eighth Judicial District Court of Nevada, Judge David Wall ordered as a probation condition for TASIA MCDONALD MUSA that he could not enter any gaming establishment.
- b) On June 24, 2009, in the Eighth Judicial District Court of Nevada, Judge Elissa Cadish ordered as a probation condition for TASIA MCDONALD MUSA that he could not enter any gaming establishment.
- 4. TASIA MCDONALD MUSA continues to have contacts with the State of Nevada and poses a threat to the interests of the State of Nevada and to licensed gaming as demonstrated by the fact TASIA MCDONALD MUSA seems to be incapable of staying out of trouble in Nevada casinos. This is clearly demonstrated by the fact that TASIA MCDONALD MUSA, in addition to the seven casino-related convictions set out above, has been arrested on similar charges related to his activities in licensed gaming establishments at least nineteen (19) times.
- 5. The race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry or sex of TASIA MCDONALD MUSA is not and has not been considered for placing his name on the List of Excluded Persons.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 6. The Commission has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to NRS 463.153(1).
- 7. The procedural requirements of the Nevada Gaming Control Act and Nevada Gaming Commission Regulation 28 have been satisfied.
- 8. The sole issue before the Commission is whether at least one of the criteria set forth in NRS 463.151(3) to place TASIA MCDONALD MUSA on the List of Excluded Persons has been met.
- 9. The Nevada Legislature has provided that the Board may nominate and the Commission may so include a person on the List of Excluded Persons by reason of the fact that such person has a "[p]rior conviction of a crime which is a felony in this state or under the laws of the United States, a crime involving moral turpitude or a violation of the gaming laws of any state." NRS 463.151(3)(a).

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- 10. The Nevada Legislature has provided that the Board may nominate and the Commission may so include a person on the List of Excluded Persons by reason of the fact that such person has been the subject of a "[w]ritten order of a governmental agency which authorizes the exclusion or ejection of the person from an establishment at which gaming or pari-mutuel wagering is conducted." NRS 463.151(3)(d).
- 11. The Commission has also determined that a finding of any one of the criteria set forth in NRS 463.151(3) is sufficient to place the name of an individual on the List of Excluded Persons. See Nev. Gaming Comm'n Reg. 28.010(2).
- 12. Given the preceding findings of fact, the criteria of NRS 463.151(3)(a), that TASIA MCDONALD MUSA has been convicted of a crime which is a felony under the laws of this state, is met. The criteria of NRS 463.151(3)(a), that TASIA MCDONALD MUSA has been convicted of crimes involving moral turpitude, is met. The criteria of NRS 463.151(3)(d), that TASIA MUSA MCDONALD has been the subject of a written order of a governmental agency excluding him from an establishment at which gaming is conducted, is met. Each of these, standing on its own, is sufficient to place TASIA MCDONALD MUSA on the list of persons to be excluded or ejected from any licensed gaming establishment in the State of Nevada which conducts pari-mutuel wagering or operates any race book, sports pool, or games, other than slot machines only.
- 13. Should any of the foregoing Conclusions of Law be deemed Findings of Fact, they shall be so construed.

Accordingly, the Commission finds and concludes that TASIA MCDONALD MUSA is a person whose presence in licensed gaming establishments would pose a threat to the interests of this state or to licensed gaming, or both. Based on the foregoing, and good cause appearing:

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that TASIA MCDONALD MUSA be, and hereby is placed on the list of persons to be excluded or ejected from any licensed gaming establishment in the State of Nevada which conducts pari-mutuel wagering or operates any race book, sports pool or games, other than slot machines only. DATED this 29th day of January, 2015.

NEVADA GAMING COMMISSION

TONY ALAMO, M.D., Chairman

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I hereby certify that I am employed by the State Gaming Control Board as an Administrative Assistant to Marie Bell, Executive Secretary of the Nevada Gaming Commission and the State Gaming Control Board, and that on the date shown below, I deposited for Certified Mailing at Carson City, Nevada, a true copy of the attached FINAL ORDER OF EXCLUSION dated January 29, 2015, addressed to:

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And forwarded via email to:

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DATED this ______ day of February, 2015.

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