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**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2024**

**STRAWBERRY SQUARE COMPLEX  
2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA**

- RECOGNITION -  
20<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST PA GAMING CONTROL BOARD MEETING. . . . .Kevin O'Toole
- CALL TO ORDER . . . . . Chair Smyler
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE . . . . . Chair Smyler
- ANNOUNCEMENTS . . . . . Chair Smyler

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

- 1. MOUNTAINVIEW THOROUGHBRED RACING ASSOCIATION, LLC D/B/A HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT PENN NATIONAL RACE COURSE - Category 1 License Renewal Hearing (GID #1315-5)

**MINUTES AND TRANSCRIPT**

- 1. September 18, 2024 Meeting

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

- 1. Ratification of Insurance Contract

**OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES**

- 1. Agency Personnel – NEW HIRES

**OFFICE OF CHIEF COUNSEL**

- 1. PROPOSED REGULATION #125-250 – Self-Exclusion Update
- 2. SUGARHOUSE HSP GAMING, L.P. D/B/A RIVERS CASINO PHILADELPHIA – Petition For Approval of Consolidation/Financing Transactions (OHA #13108-2024)
- 3. GREENWOOD GAMING AND ENTERTAINMENT, INC. – Petition for Approval of Corporate Restructuring and Request for Expedited Consideration (OHA #13227-2024)
- 4. BALLY’S PENNSYLVANIA, LLC AND BALLY’S CORPORATION – Petition for Approval of Corporate Restructuring (OHA #13073-2024)
- 5. RSPORTS INTERACTIVE, INC. & SPORTSHUB PA, LLC – Joint Petition for Approval of Change of Control (OHA #11499-2024)

6. EVOLUTION US LLC AND NETENT AMERICAS, LLC – Petition for Approval of the Proposed Internal Reorganization, Surrender of Licenses and Any Other Required Relief (OHA #13150-2024, 13151-2024)
7. ZITRO USA INC. – Petition for Approval of the Proposed Internal Reorganization (OHA #13173-2024)
8. MICHAEL GROSS – Petition for Removal from Involuntary Exclusion List (OHA #4983-2016)
9. WITHDRAWALS AND SURRENDERS – Applications, Licenses, Registrations and Certifications
10. THERESA RATLIFF – Recommendation of Denial of Non-Gaming Employee Registration; (OHA #11759-2024)
11. JOSEPH ROMANO – Placement on the Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #11659-2024)
12. DENIS BONILLA – Petition for Removal from the Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #10173-2022)
13. LENG BUN – Petition for Removal from the Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #8946-2019)
14. DEMETRIUS JOHNSON – Petition for Removal from the Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #10732-2022)
15. D.S. – Petition for Removal from the Self-Exclusion List; (OHA #11748-2024)
16. B.W. – Petition for Recovery of Funds Confiscated While on the Self-Exclusion List; (OHA #11687-2024)
17. L.P. – Petition for Recovery of Funds Confiscated While on the Self-Exclusion List; (OHA #12859-2024)

#### **BUREAU OF LICENSING**

1. MOUNTAINVIEW THOROUGHBRED RACING ASSOCIATION, LLC D/B/A HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT PENN NATIONAL RACE COURSE – Category 1 License Renewal (GID #1315-5)
2. BETTER BETS VENTURES, LLC – Video Gaming Terminal Operator License (GID #113903-1)
3. H&H, INC. D/B/A HARDEEP BRAR CONVENIENCE STORE – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License (GID #159945-1)
4. C H R CORP., RUTTER’S STORE 4 – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License Renewal (GID #111770-2)
5. C H R CORP., RUTTER’S STORE 8 – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License Renewal (GID #111785-2)
6. C H R CORP., RUTTER’S STORE 15 – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License Renewal (GID #111786-2)
7. C H R CORP., RUTTER’S STORE 16 – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License Renewal (GID #111787-2)
8. C H R CORP., RUTTER’S STORE 69 – Video Gaming Terminal Establishment License Renewal (GID #111803-2)
9. PRINCIPAL AND KEY EMPLOYEE LICENSES
10. TEMPORARY PRINCIPAL AND KEY EMPLOYEE CREDENTIALS
11. GAMING EMPLOYEE OCCUPATION PERMITS and NON-GAMING EMPLOYEE REGISTRATIONS
12. DENIALS – Gaming and Non-Gaming Employee Applications
13. WITHDRAWALS – Key Employee, Gaming and Non-Gaming Employee Applications
14. GAMING SERVICE PROVIDER REGISTRATIONS

**OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT COUNSEL**

1. EVOLUTION US, LLC – Consent Agreement between the Office of Enforcement Counsel and Evolution US LLC  
*[Failure to Retain Surveillance Footage]*
2. JOSEPH MELCHIORRE III – Revocation of Gaming Level 2 Employee Occupation Permit; (OHA #12845-2024)
3. WEIQING ZHONG – Revocation of Gaming Level 2 Employee Occupation Permit; (OHA #11728-2024)
4. JOSEPH FINKEY – Suspension of Video Gaming Employee Permit; (OHA #12943-2024)
5. KWAMANE BERRY – Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #11689-2024)
6. AUSTIN FORTE - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #11765-2024)
7. LASON MILLER - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12913-2024)
8. ANDRE BATTIS - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Interactive Exclusion List; (OHA #12897-2024)
9. DANZEL JORDAN - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12929-2024)
10. HAISAM SANKARI - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Interactive Exclusion List; (OHA #12912-2024)
11. JOHN OLSZEWSKI - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #11692-2024)
12. GUICHEN ZHAO - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12834-2024)
13. TERRENCE JACKSON - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12952-2024)
14. CHARLES SANDERS - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12849-2024)
15. KAHEEM STURDIVANT- Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12786-2024)
16. LATRELL CHILDS - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12787-2024)
17. TERRELL CHILDS, JR. - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List;  
(OHA #12788-2024)
18. DEVON ALLISON - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12789-2024)
19. LANCE CHATMAN, JR. - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12800-2024)
20. KYSHEM WOODS - Placement on the PGCB Involuntary Exclusion List; (OHA #12807-2024)

**PUBLIC COMMENT**..... Chair Smyler

*Individuals interested in addressing the Board for up to 3 minutes must sign up through the Communications Office at 717-346-8321 or at the meeting location prior to the scheduled start of the meeting. Opportunities to address the Board are on a first-come, first-serve basis and not all individuals may be able to address the Board due to time restrictions. PGCB Chief Counsel has the right to deny a request should the subject be a pending matter before the Board or one which may reasonably be expected to come before the board in a contested on-the-record proceeding.*

**ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING** ..... Chair Smyler

*Wednesday, **January 15, 2025 @ 1:00 p.m.** via video conference.*

*In accordance with the Sunshine Act, the next executive session of the Board shall be held on Wednesday, **January 15, 2025 @ 10:00 a.m.** via video conference.*

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*THE AGENDA IS COMPLETE AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, BUT ITEMS MAY BE REMOVED WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE. THE ORDER IN WHICH THE AGENDA ITEMS ARE CALLED MAY DEVIATE FROM THE SEQUENCE SET FORTH HEREIN.*