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### INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT REGARDING LCB FILE NO. R029-21 (NRS 233B.066)

Pursuant to NRS 233B.066, the Nevada Gaming Commission (“Commission”) hereby submits the following Information Statement regarding its proposed regulation identified as LCB File No. R029-21:

- a. A clear and concise explanation of the need for the adopted regulation.

The need and purpose of the proposed permanent regulation identified as LCB File No. R029-21 are to update the regulations to reduce the number of certain internal auditor reports that must be submitted to the Nevada Gaming Control Board (Board), and to remove certain disclosure requirements on admission tickets and at admission sales locations repealed in Assembly Bill No. 7 of the 2021 Session of the Nevada Legislature.

- b. A description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of the public response, and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

On March 1, 2022, the Board posted a 15-day Notice of Workshop to Solicit Public Comment Regarding the Possible Adoption, Amendment, or Repeal of Regulations Pertaining to Chapter 368A of the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). Along with this notice, the Board posted a copy of LCB File No. R029-21. The notice was emailed to all entities and individuals who had requested such service. This included all entities and individuals who held gaming licenses on that date.

Prior to the workshop scheduled for March 17, 2022, members of the public were permitted to submit written comments to the Board regarding LCB File No. R029-21. Further, during the workshop on LCB File No. R029-21, held on March 17, 2022, attendees were given the opportunity to orally comment on the proposed amendments. The Board received no written comments, and no oral comments were given during the workshop.

On April 18, 2022, the Board posted a 30-day Notice of Hearing for the Adoption, Amendment, and Repeal of Permanent Regulations of the Nevada Gaming Commission Relating to the Administration of the Live Entertainment Tax (LCB File No. R029-21). Along with this notice, the Board posted a copy of LCB File No. R029-21. The notice was emailed to all entities and individuals who had requested such service. This included all entities and individuals who held gaming licenses on that date.

Prior to the public hearing scheduled for May 19, 2022, before the Nevada Gaming Commission (Commission), members of the public were permitted to submit written comments to the Board regarding LCB File No. R029-21. Further, during the public hearing of LCB File No. R029-21, held on May 19, 2022, attendees were given the opportunity to orally comment on the proposed amendments. The Board and Commission received no written comments, and no oral comments were given during the public hearing.

- c. The Board and Commission recorded the following data regarding public participation in the public workshop and public hearing on the proposed permanent regulation:
  1. Persons who attended the public workshop held on March 17, 2022: 1
  2. Persons who testified at the public workshop held on March 17, 2022: 0
  3. Persons who attended the public hearing and adoption hearing held on May 19, 2022: 0
  4. Persons who testified at the public hearing and adoption hearing held on May 19, 2022: 0
  5. Persons who submitted written statements to the Board or Commission regarding the proposed permanent regulation: 0
- d. For each person identified in subsections (2), (4), and (5) of section c above, the following information was obtained by the Commission:

No persons testified at the above referenced workshop or hearings and no written statements were submitted to the Board or Commission regarding the proposed permanent regulation.

- e. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response, and an explanation of how other interested parties may obtain a copy of the summary.

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- f. If the regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting the regulation without change.

No persons testified at the workshop or hearings and no written statements were submitted to the Board or Commission regarding the proposed permanent regulation. Thus, there were no reasons to change to the proposed regulation.

- g. The estimated economic effect of the regulation on the businesses that it is to regulate and on the public as required by NRS 233B.066(1)(g).

Business:

There are no anticipated adverse effects of the regulation on the businesses that it is to regulate.

The anticipated beneficial effect of the regulation on the businesses that it is to regulate is a reduction of the costs associated with filing duplicate internal audit reports and a reduction of the costs of having to include certain information on admission tickets and having to post certain information at the location of the sale of an admission. In summary, the proposed regulation will reduce the costs associated with complying with the statutes and regulations relating to the Live Entertainment Tax.

Public:

There is no anticipated adverse effect for the public.

There is no anticipated beneficial effect for the public.

- h. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation as required by NRS 233B.066(1)(h).

There are no expected costs to the Board or the Commission relating to the enforcement of the proposed regulation.

- i. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, name the regulating federal agency. This is required by NRS 233B.066(1)(i).

None known.

- j. If the regulation included provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation that regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions as required by NRS 233b.066(1)(j).

None known.

- k. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, a statement indicating the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used as required by NRS 233b.066(1)(k).

Not applicable. The regulation does not provide a new fee or increase an existing fee.