LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

Minutes of October 15, 2026

The monthly meeting of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board (the "Board") convened on Thursday, October 15, 2026, 10:00 a.m., at the Louisiana State Capitol – House Committee Room 1. Present at the meeting were Chairman Christopher Hebert, Vice Chairman Claude Jackson, Kathryn Becnel, Miquell Hennigan, Julie Lewis, Ronald Sholes, Ashley Traylor, and Robert Wyatt. Major J.B. Slaton was present on behalf of Col. Frank Besson and Bryan Peters was present on behalf of Sec. Jarrod Coniglio. Nicholas Langley and ex officio members Col. Besson and Sec. Coniglio were absent.

Chairman Hebert called the meeting to order. There were no public comments made.

It was moved by Ms. Becnel to waive the reading and approve the minutes of the September 17, 2026 Board meeting. That motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Jackson and unanimously approved by the Board.

Audit Manager Donna Jackson, Louisiana State Police ("LSP"), Gaming Audit Section, provided revenue reports for the riverboats, slots at the racetracks, and land-based casino. She also reported on video poker, retail and mobile sports wagering, and daily fantasy sports contest revenue.

The Board considered the Certificate of Compliance for the Alternate Riverboat Inspection of the gaming vessel for Louisiana-I Gaming, A Louisiana Partnership in Commendam d/b/a Boomtown New Orleans – No. R012600196. After presentation by Kanick Lewis, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, and John Francic, Director of Operations for American Vessel Services, LLC ("AVS"), it was moved by Ms. Hennigan to approve the issuance of the annual certificate of compliance for the riverboat gaming vessel. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Notice of Proposed Financing filed by Churchill Downs Louisiana Horseracing Company, LLC d/b/a Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots – Nos. T013602541 and W016503471. After a presentation by Auditor Manager Donna Jackson, LSP Gaming Audit Section, it was moved by Ms. Traylor to adopt the resolution approving the transaction. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Slot Machine Gaming License of Louisiana Downs Investment Company, LLC d/b/a Louisiana Downs Casino and Racetrack – No. T010803467. After presentations by Talibah McIntyre, Assistant Attorney General; Auditor Lisa Riewarts, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Master Trooper Tommy Lea, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; Attorney Ryan O'Bierne; and Kevin Preston, President of the licensee, it was moved by Vice Chairman Jackson to approve the five-year renewal of the sports wagering license. That motion was seconded by Mr. Sholes and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering Platform Provider Permit and Petition to Remove Reporting Requirements for BetMGM, LLC d/b/a Roar Digital – No. B016503463. After presentations by Talibah McIntyre, Assistant Attorney General; Auditor Tammy Haupt, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Criminal Investigator Rodney Perkins, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; Attorney Kelly Duncan; and Joshua Wyseman, Director of Licensing for the permittee, it was moved by Ms. Traylor to approve the five-year renewal of the sports wagering platform provider permit and removal of the additional reporting requirements previously placed upon the permittee. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering Platform Provider Permit for DK Crown Holdings, Inc. d/b/a DraftKings – No. B016503468. Representatives from the permittee, Paul Liberman, Founder and President; Lori Kalani, Chief Responsible Gaming Officer; Bill Curtis, Senior Director of Licensing; David Foppert, Vice President of Regulatory Global Compliance and Risk; and Logan Miller, Senior Corporate Counsel gave an oral presentation to the Board. Questions from Mr. Sholes, Ms. Lewis, Mr. Wyatt, and Chairman Hebert were answered by representatives of the permittee. Delancey Houston, Assistant Attorney General, gave remarks and answered questions from the Board. After discussion, Chairman Hebert moved to issue a conditional sports wagering platform provider permit expiring on February 19, 2027, with certain requirements imposed on the permittee. That motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Jackson and unanimously approved by the Board. At the conclusion, Chairman Hebert gave additional remarks on the matter.

The Board considered the transfers of ownership interest in Golden Grove Truck Stop, Inc. d/b/a The Gold Room Casino – No. 4701512081. After presentation by Virginia Evans, Assistant Attorney General, and Investigator Glenn Verret, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division, it was moved by Ms. Traylor to approve the transfers of ownership interest in the licensee. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the transfer of ownership interest in Fifth Wheel Plaza, Inc. d/b/a Royal Palace – No. 1002507479. After presentation by Charlen Trascher Corbett, Assistant Attorney General, and Investigator Glenn Verret, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division, it was moved by Ms. Hennigan to approve the transfer of ownership interest in the licensee. That motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Jackson and unanimously approved by the Board.

Chairman Hebert announced that the November Board meeting would take place on Thursday, November 19, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. at the Louisiana State Capitol Building in House Committee Room 1. There being no further business, it was moved by Vice Chairman Jackson to adjourn the meeting. That motion was seconded by Ms. Hennigan and the meeting adjourned without objection.