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IN RE: GILSBAR, INC. NO. P085200730

## **ORDER**

This matter was considered by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board at its meeting of September 18, 2007. The Hearing Officer's order dated September 12, 2007, based on the "Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement" in the matter of the "Notice of Recommendation of Administrative Action," No. P085200730, by and between Gilsbar, Inc., and the State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State Police, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is **APPROVED**.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED on this the 18th day of September, 2007.

LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

BY:

H. CHARLES GAUDIN, CHAIRMAN

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# JOINT MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF COMPROMISE AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

#### TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER:

NOW COMES the State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State Police (hereinafter, the "Division"), and Gilsbar, Inc., Permit No. P085200730 (hereinafter, "Permittee"), who file this Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement, and in support thereof would respectively show unto the Hearing Officer as follows:

1.

The Division and Permittee are desirous of compromising and settling all disputes between them relative to the referenced administrative proceeding. In connection therewith, the parties have entered into a compromise and settlement agreement which by its terms will become effective upon approval by the Administrative Hearing Office and the Louisiana Gaming Control Board.

2.

A true and correct copy of the proposed Compromise and Settlement Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated by reference for all purposes.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Division and Permittee respectfully request that this Honorable Administrative Hearing Officer approve the parties' Compromise and Settlement Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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COMPROMISE AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

The State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State

Police (hereinafter, the "Division") and Gilsbar, Inc., Permit, No. P085200730 (hereinafter,

"Permittee"), do hereby represent and agree as follows:

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Gaming Enforcement Division has issued a Notice of

Recommendation of Administrative Action to Permittee, alleging certain violations of Louisiana

Gaming Control Law; and

WHEREAS, the issues raised by the said Notice of Recommendation of Administrative

Action are set for hearing on September 12, 2007, before the Louisiana Gaming Control Board

Administrative Hearing Office; and

WHEREAS, the Division and Permittee are desirous of fully and finally compromising

and settling all issues and disputes arising out of and in connection with the said Notice of

Recommendation of Administrative Action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, the parties hereto do hereby

agree and stipulate as follows:

STIPULATION

1. Permittee stipulates that on January 7, 2005, Permittee, Gilsbar Holding, LLC

and Gilsbar Merger Sub, LLC entered in a Joint Agreement of Merger. The merger provided for

the cancellation and exchange of certain shares of the constituent entities and for the merger of Gilsbar Merger Sub, LLC with and into Permittee, the surviving entity. Permittee failed to report the merger to state police.

- 2. On January 9, 2005, Permittee elected the following persons as officers of the corporation: Judy Schott, Secretary, and Elizabeth Barbin, Assistant Secretary. Permittee failed to notify the Division of the appointment of these two officers.
- 3. On January 12, 2006, Permittee elected Douglas Layman as Vice President of the corporation, but failed to notify the Division of his appointment as an officer of Permittee.
- 4. In October 31, 2006, Permittee accepted the resignation of Harold A. Aucoin as an officer and director of the corporation, but failed to notify the Division of his resignation.
- 5. Permittee admits it violated LAC 42:VII.2901(B)(4), LAC 42:IX.2901(B)(4) and LAC 42:XIII.2901(B)(4).

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. Within fifteen (15) days of the approval of this settlement by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, Permittee shall pay Five Thousand and No/ 100 (\$5,000.00) Dollars.
- 2. The Division hereby agrees to accept Five Thousand and No/ 100 (\$5,000.00) Dollars for the Permittee's violation of LAC 42:VII.2901(B)(4), LAC 42:IX.2901(B)(4) and LAC 42:XIII.2901(B)(4).
- 3. The terms of this Compromise and Settlement Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of the State of Louisiana.
- 4. This Compromise and Settlement Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Division and Permittee, pertaining to the subject matter contained herein and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements, representations and understandings of the parties.

5. This Compromise and Settlement Agreement is subject to approval by the

Hearing Officer and the Louisiana Gaming Control Board. It is expressly understood that if this

proposed settlement is approved by the Hearing Officer, this agreement is not thereby executory.

but will be submitted to the Louisiana Gaming Control Board for its determination as to whether

to approve same or to remand the matter to the Hearing Officer for a full hearing on the merits.

6. If approved by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, Permittee must pay Five

Thousand and No/ 100 (\$5,000.00) Dollars within fifteen (15) calendar days of such approval.

Any failure to meet this requirement will result in immediate suspension of the gaming Permit

until such payment is made without the necessity of any further administrative action.

7. The Division reserves the right to take into consideration these committed

violations in connection with any future investigation, violation or assessment of penalty, and in

connection with any future assessments of the Permittee's suitability.

I have read this entire Compromise Settlement Agreement and agree to all stipulations and terms

and conditions hereof.

op behalf of Gilsbar Inc.

Christopher B. Hebert, AAG on behalf of

State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety

& Corrections, Office of State Police

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#### STATE OF LOUISIANA

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#### ORDER

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 12 day of 5ep., 2007, came on for consideration the Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement, and the parties having appeared by and through their respective attorneys of record, and the Hearing Officer having considered the pleadings on file, the proposed Settlement Agreement, and the said Motion, and it appearing to the Hearing Officer that the said Compromise and Settlement Agreement should be approved; it is, therefore,

ORDER, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Compromise and Settlement Agreement attached to the parties' Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement be, and the same is hereby, APPROVED.

SIGNED AND ENTERED this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2007, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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HEARING OFFICER