



State of Louisiana
Gaming Control Board

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GOVERNOR

DANE K. MORGAN
CHAIRMAN

IN RE: PHO V. TRAN
NO. P040019506

ORDER

This matter was considered by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board at its meeting of July 21, 2009. The Hearing Officer's order dated July 13, 2009, based on the "Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement" in the matter of the "Notice of Recommendation of Administrative Action" No. P040019506, by and between Pho V. Tran, 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 21st day of July, 2009.

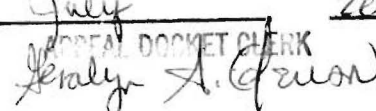
LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

BY:



DANE K. MORGAN, CHAIRMAN

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LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT A CERTIFIED
COPY HAS BEEN MAILED OR SERVED ON
ALL PARTIES THIS 21st DAY
OF July 2009
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JOINT MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF COMPROMISE AND
SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER:

NOW COME the State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State Police (hereinafter, the "Division") and Pho V. Tran (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.

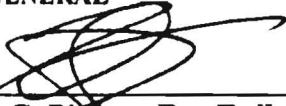
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WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Division and Permittee respectfully request that this Honorable Administrative Hearing Officer approve the parties' Compromise and Settlement Agreement.

Respectfully Submitted,

By: 

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Permittee

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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 Pho V. Tran (hereinafter, "Permittee"), do hereby represent and agree as follows:

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Gaming Control Board 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 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:

STIPULATIONS


1. Permittee was arrested on April 14, 2009 by Bossier City Police.
2. Permittee failed to notify the Division of his arrest within 15 calendar days of its occurrence.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. In lieu of administrative action, Permittee hereby agrees to pay a penalty of Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$250.00) within 15 days of approval by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board.
2. The Division hereby agrees to accept Permittee's payment of the above stated penalty in full and final settlement of the Notice of Recommendation of Administrative Action.
3. The Division hereby agrees to dismiss the Notice of Recommendation of Administrative Action against Permittee.
4. The Division reserves the right to take into consideration these admitted violations in connection with any future investigation, violation or assessment of penalty and in connection with any future assessments of Permittee's suitability.
5. The terms of this Compromise and Settlement Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of the State of Louisiana.
6. 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.
7. 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. Failure to pay the penalty within fifteen (15) days of approval of this settlement by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, and to comply with each term and condition listed herein, shall result in

the immediate suspension of Permittee's gaming permit without the necessity of further administrative action, until such time as the penalty is paid in full.

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



Pho V. Tran, Permittee



**Nicolette C. Pichon, AAG, on behalf of
State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety &
Corrections, Office of State Police**

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BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 13th day of July, 2009, 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,

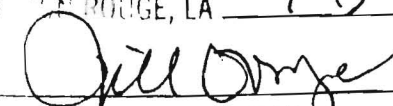
ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Compromise and Settlement Agreement attached to the parties' Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement be, and the same is hereby, **APPROVED**; that Permittee must pay Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$250.00) within 15 days of approval by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board. Failure to do so shall result in the immediate suspension of the gaming permit without the necessity of any further administrative action until such time as the penalty is paid in full.

SIGNED AND ENTERED this 13th day of July, 2009, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.



HEARING OFFICER

APPROVED
OF
July 13th 2009
Michelle Orange
DOCKET CLERK, ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICE
cc. Pho V. Tran
Nicolette Prehan
Sgt. Lowell Sobley

A TRUE COPY ATTEST
LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
HEARING OFFICE
BATON ROUGE, LA 7-13-09


BY: CLERK