LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

Minutes of September 17, 2026

The monthly meeting of the Louisiana Gaming Control Board (the "Board") convened on Thursday, September 17, 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, Nicholas Langley, Julie Lewis, Ronald Sholes, Ashley Traylor, and Robert Wyatt. Major J.B. Slaton was present on behalf of Col. Frank Besson and Katrina Emery was present on behalf of Sec. Jarrod Coniglio. Ex officio members Col. Besson and Sec. Coniglio were absent.

Chairman Hebert called the meeting to order. There were no public comments made. Chairman Hebert took the opportunity to introduce and welcome Major J.B. Slaton with the Louisiana State Police ("LSP"), Gaming Enforcement Division to the Board. Chairman Hebert also thanked LSP Major Adam Albright for his outstanding service and dedication to the Board and gaming industry.

It was moved by Ms. Becnel to waive the reading and approve the minutes of the August 20, 2026 Board meeting. That motion was seconded by Mr. Langley and unanimously approved by the Board.

Donna Jackson, 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 Petition for Approval of Debt Transaction filed by Louisiana Downs Investment Company, LLC d/b/a Louisiana Downs Casino and Racetrack – Nos. T010803467 and W010803484. After presentations by Auditor Lisa Riewarts, LSP Audit Section, and the licensee's representatives, Attorney Ryan O'Beirne and President Kevin Preston, it was moved by Mr. Langley to adopt the resolution approving the debt transaction. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering License of Golden Nugget Lake Charles, LLC d/b/a Golden Nugget Lake Charles – No. W016503434. After presentations by Charlen Cobert, Assistant Attorney General; Lisa Riewarts, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Investigative Specialist Tori Brown, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; and Gregory Hennigan, General

Manager of the licensee, it was moved by Ms. Traylor to approve the five-year renewal of the sports wagering license. That motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Jackson and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering License of Horseshoe Entertainment, L.P. d/b/a Horseshoe Bossier City – No. W010803435. After presentations by Kanick Lewis, Jr., Assistant Attorney General; Megan Bailey, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Investigative Specialist Tori Brown, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; Attorney Jeff Barbin; and Whitney Willingham, Senior Vice President and General Manager 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 Ms. Becnel and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering License of Jazz Casino Company, LLC d/b/a Caesars New Orleans – No. W013603436. Presentations were made by Amy Danageozian, Assistant Attorney General; Megan Bailey, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Investigative Specialist Tori Brown, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; Attorney Jeff Barbin; and Jonathon Jones, Senior Vice President and General Manager of the licensee (pending regulatory approval). After questioning by Mr. Sholes and discussion, it was moved by Ms. Traylor to approve the five-year renewal of the sports wagering license. That motion was seconded by Ms. Hennigan and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the Renewal Application for the Sports Wagering Platform Provider Permit for American Wagering, Inc. d/b/a Caesars Sportsbook – No. B016503431. After presentations by Cathryn Langlois, Assistant Attorney General; Megan Bailey, LSP Gaming Audit Section; Investigative Specialist Shameka Young, LSP Gaming Enforcement Division; and Attorney Jeff Barbin, it was moved by Vice Chairman Jackson to approve the five-year renewal of the sports wagering platform provider permit. That motion was seconded by Ms. Becnel and unanimously approved by the Board.

The Board considered the appeal of Tiffany N. Kirkland – Nos. P040078628 and P020078628. Arguments were presented by the Permittee and Applicant Tiffany N. Kirkland and legal counsel for the LSP, Gaming Enforcement Division, Assistant Attorney General Cathyrn Langlois. After questioning by Mr. Wyatt and discussion, it was moved by Mr. Wyatt to affirm the Hearing Officer's decision. That motion was seconded by Ms. Lewis and approved by the Board by a vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays. After the decision was rendered, Ms. Hennigan took a moment of personal privilege.

Chairman Hebert took the opportunity to acknowledge Senator Jeremy Stine, Chairman of the Louisiana State Senate Committee on Judiciary B and staff attorney Alan Miller who were in attendance at the meeting.

Chairman Hebert announced that the October Board meeting would take place on Thursday October 15, 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.