

h. the licensee, casino operator or permittee submits tardy, inaccurate, or incomplete reports to the division or board;

i. the licensee, casino operator or permittee fails to respond in a timely manner to communications from the board or division;

j. the licensee, casino operator, or permittee, or its employee, agent or representative is not available; and

k. The licensee or casino operator fails to obtain approval from the board or division prior to changing, adding, or altering the casino configuration. For the purpose of this Section, altering the casino configuration does not include the routine movement of EGDs for cleaning or maintenance purposes.

#### D. Specific Provisions

1. Responsibility for the employment and maintenance of suitable methods of operation rests with the licensee, casino operator or permittee and willful or persistent use or toleration of methods of operation deemed unsuitable is cause for administrative action.

2. The board or division may deem any activity on the part of a licensee, casino operator or permittee, their agents, employees or representatives, that is inimical to the public health, safety, morals, good order and general welfare of the people of the state of Louisiana or that would reflect or tend to reflect discredit upon the state of Louisiana or the gaming industry to be an unsuitable method of operation and cause for administrative action.

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#### §2903. Compliance with Laws

A. Acceptance of a license or permit or renewal thereof constitutes an agreement on the part of the licensee or permittee to be bound by all of the applicable provisions of the Act and the regulations. It is the responsibility of the licensee or permittee to keep informed of the content of all such laws, and ignorance thereof will not excuse violations. Violation of any applicable provision of the Act or the rules by a licensee or permittee or their agent, employee or representative is contrary to the public health, safety, morals, good order and general welfare of the inhabitants of the state of Louisiana and constitutes cause for administrative action.

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#### §2904. Record Retention

A. Unless otherwise provided by the Act or rule or authorized by the division, each licensee and casino operator shall retain all records, reports, logs and documents required to be maintained by the Act or rule for a minimum of five

years, including but not limited to variance reports, investigations, security logs, EGD logs and supporting documents.

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#### §2905. Weapons in the Designated Gaming Area

A. No weapons are permitted in the designated gaming area other than those in the possession of any of the following individuals:

1. qualified law enforcement officers as defined in R.S. 40:1379.1.3, who provide valid identification proving their status;

2. qualified retired law enforcement officers as defined by R.S. 40:1379.1.4, who provide valid identification proving their status; or

3. on-duty gaming security personnel who are licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Private Security Examiners.

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#### §2909. Emergencies, Riverboat Only

A. A riverboat may dock at any berth other than its authorized berth in case of emergency. An "emergency" is a call to immediate action including, but not limited to:

1. any circumstance that presents a foreseeable danger to human life;

2. any circumstance declared to be an emergency by any governmental authority; or

3. any circumstance that presents an unreasonable risk of loss or damage to a riverboat, any dock, other vessel, or other property.

B. Should the master of the riverboat determine and certify in writing that the weather conditions or water conditions are such that danger to the riverboat is present, the riverboat may remain docked until such time as the master determines that conditions have diminished enough to proceed or until the authorized excursion has expired.

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#### §2910. Passenger Embarkation and Disembarkation, Riverboat Only

A. Except in the case of emergencies, passengers and crew may embark and disembark from a vessel only at its authorized berth.