



State of Louisiana
Gaming Control Board

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H. CHARLES GAUDIN
CHAIRMAN

IN RE: ARETHA BEAMON
NO. P040042040

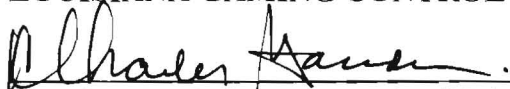
ORDER

This matter was considered by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board at its meeting of August 19, 2008. The Hearing Officer's order dated July 11, 2008, based on the "Joint Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement" in the matter of the "Notice of Recommendation of Suspension and Penalty," No. P040042040, by and between Aretha Beamon, 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 *19th* day of *August, 2008*.

LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD

BY:


H. CHARLES GAUDIN, CHAIRMAN

LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT A CERTIFIED
COPY HAS BEEN MAILED OR SERVED ON
ALL PARTIES THIS 25th DAY
OF August, 2008

APPEAL DOCKET CLERK



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STATE OF LOUISIANA
LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICE

IN RE: ARETHA BEAMON

PERMIT NO. P040042040

**JOINT MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF
COMPROMISE AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER:

COME NOW the State of Louisiana, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State Police (hereinafter, the "Division") and Aretha Beamon (hereinafter, "Beamon" or "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.

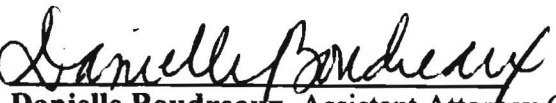

Rep. [Name] [Name]
Louisiana Gaming Control Board

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 Aretha Beamon (hereinafter, "Beamon" or "Permittee"), Permit No. P040042040, do hereby represent and agree as follows:

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Gaming Control Board has issued a Notice of Recommendation of Suspension and Penalty, alleging certain violations of Louisiana Gaming Control Law; and

WHEREAS, the issues raised by the said Notice of Recommendation of Suspension and Penalty are set for hearing before the Louisiana Gaming Control Board Administrative Hearing Officer; 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 Suspension and Penalty; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, the parties hereto do hereby agree and stipulate as follows:

STIPULATIONS

1. On or about November 16, 2007, Aretha Beamon (“Beamon”) submitted an application for a Non-key Gaming Employee Permit. A permit was issued to her with an expiration date of November 29, 2009.
2. On January 16, 2008, the Louisiana State Police Casino Gaming Division (“Division”) received notification from the Internal Revenue Service (“IRS”) that Ms. Beamon was not current in the filing of all applicable tax returns or in the payment of taxes owed.
3. The Division notified Ms. Beamon by certified mail that if the tax problem was not corrected within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notice, her application would be recommended for denial, or her permit would be recommended for revocation, suspension, and/or the imposition of a civil penalty. James Beamon received and signed for this notification on January 22, 2008.
4. On April 16, 2008, the Louisiana Gaming Control Board issued a Notice of Recommendation of Suspension and Penalty to the Permittee alleging certain violations of Louisiana Gaming Control Law.
5. On May 20, 2008, the IRS provided notice to the Division that Ms. Beamon had resolved her tax delinquency.
6. The Permittee does admit she violated La. R.S. 27:28(A)(1), La. R.S. 27:28(A)(2), La. R.S. 27:28(F), La. R.S. 27:28(J), LAC 42:VII.2115(A), LAC 42:IX.2131(A), LAC 42: XIII.2115(A), for failure to remain current in the filing of applicable tax returns or the payment of taxes owed to the IRS.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS


1. Within fifteen (15) days of the approval of this settlement by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, the Permittee shall pay a civil penalty of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).
2. The Division hereby agrees to accept the payment of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) in full and final settlement of the Notice of Recommendation of Suspension and Penalty.
3. 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 the Permittee's suitability.
4. The terms of this Compromise and Settlement Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of the State of Louisiana.
5. This Compromise and Settlement Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Division and the Permittee pertaining to the subject matter contained herein and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements, representations and understandings of the parties.
6. 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.

7. If approved by the Louisiana Gaming Control Board, the Permittee must pay Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) within fifteen (15) calendar days of such approval. Any failure to meet this requirement will result in immediate suspension of the gaming permit without the necessity of any 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.



Aretha Beamon



Danielle Boudreaux, La Bar Roll #29770

**Assistant Attorney General, on behalf of the State of Louisiana,
Department of Public Safety & Corrections,
Office of State Police**

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ORDER

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 11th day of July, 2008, came on for consideration the Motion for Approval of Compromise and Settlement Agreement, 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 the Permittee must pay Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) to the Division within fifteen (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 11th day of July, 2008, in Baton

Rouge, Louisiana.

LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
BY THAT A CERTIFIED
COPY BEING DEPOSITED ON

July 11th 2008 DAY
Jill Dominger
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICE
cc: Aretha Beamon
Danielle Boudreaux
Sgt. Dan Carlucci

[Signature]
HEARING OFFICER
LOUISIANA GAMING CONTROL BOARD
HEARING OFFICE
BATON ROUGE, LA 7/11/08
Jill Dominger
BY: CLERK