

**NEW YORK STATE
GAMING COMMISSION**

MINUTES

MEETING of JUNE 26, 2017

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

A meeting of the Commission was conducted in New York, New York. A video-conference location was also maintained in Albany, New York.

1. Call to Order

Executive Director Robert Williams called the meeting to order at 12:53 p.m. Establishment of a quorum was noted by Acting Secretary Kristen Buckley. In attendance in New York were Commissioners John Crotty, Peter Moschetti, John Poklemba, Jerry Skurnik and Barry Sample. Commissioner Megna attended in Albany. Commissioner Moschetti was unanimously elected as presiding officer for the meeting.

2. Consideration of the Minutes from April 24, 2017

The Commission considered previously circulated draft minutes of the meeting conducted on April 24, 2017. The minutes were accepted as circulated.

3. Rulemaking

a. ADOPTION: Licensing and Regulation of Multi-Jurisdictional Account Wagering Providers in Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing, SGC-17-17-00008-P

The Commission considered a proposal to adopt of a set of rules regulating telephone and internet wagering that would conform to and implement statutory requirements.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Crotty
APPROVED: 6-0

b. ADOPTION: Allow Standardbred Horses Not to Requalify When Uncontrollable Events Prevent Horse from Racing on Regular Basis, SGC-17-17-00004-P

The Commission considered a proposal to adopt rules to permit a more efficient and timely response by the agency when extraordinary events interfere with the normal opportunities for harness horses to race.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Poklemba
APPROVED: 6-0

c PROPOSAL: Lottery Couriers

The Commission considered proposed rules authorizing and regulating a new category of lottery licensee to take requests to purchase lottery draw game tickets through a computer or mobile network as the customer's agent and deliver purchased tickets to the customer or, under certain circumstances, credit the customer with winnings cashed by the courier service as agent of the customer.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Moschetti
APPROVED: 6-0

d. PROPOSAL: Lasix Administration

The Commission considered proposed rules to formalize practice that race-day furosemide be administered to horses by independent, third-party veterinarians who are not caring for the horses of a trainer or owner who participates at the race meeting.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Sample
APPROVED: 6-0

e. PROPOSAL: Safety Helmets and Vests in Thoroughbred Racing

The Commission considered proposed rules updating the requirements for helmets and safety vests worn by persons on horseback on the grounds of Thoroughbred racetracks.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Skurnik
APPROVED: 6-0

f. PROPOSAL: Interactive Fantasy Sports

The Commission considered proposed rules to govern interactive fantasy sports.

ON A MOTION BY: Commissioner Skurnik
APPROVED: 6-0

4. Adjudications

a. In the Matter of La Cayes Grocery

The Commission, having considered this matter at a meeting conducted pursuant to the judicial or quasi-judicial proceedings exemption of N.Y. Public Officers Law § 108.1, announced that it had unanimously agreed to sustain the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the applicant's license be revoked.

b. In the Matter of Jose Lograno

The Commission, having considered this matter at a meeting conducted pursuant to the judicial or quasi-judicial proceedings exemption of N.Y. Public Officers Law § 108.1, announced that it had agreed, on a 4-2 vote, to sustain the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the applicant's temporary Gaming Employee Registration denial be affirmed. Commissioners Moschetti and Skurnik voted in the negative.

c. In the Matter of Angela Lopez

The Commission, having considered this matter at a meeting conducted pursuant to the judicial or quasi-judicial proceedings exemption of N.Y. Public Officers Law § 108.1, announced that it had agreed, on a 6-0 vote, to sustain the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the applicant's temporary Gaming Employee Registration denial be affirmed.

d. In the Matter of Daniel Shockley

The Commission, having considered this matter at a meeting conducted pursuant to the judicial or quasi-judicial proceedings exemption of N.Y. Public Officers Law § 108.1, announced that it had agreed, on a 6-0 vote, to sustain the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the applicant's temporary Gaming Employee Registration denial be affirmed.

5. New Business/Old Business

a. Old Business

No old business was offered for discussion.

b. New Business

The Commissioners requested that staff be prepared to discuss issues relative to Lasix administration at the August meeting.

6. Scheduling of Next Meeting

The date for the next Commission meeting was set for July 24th.

7. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:41p.m.

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