ORDER 2011-58 IN RE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

UNITED STATES PLAYING CARD, CO. 11-USPC-01

After having reviewed the attached Settlement Agreement, the Indiana Gaming Commission hereby:

Approves or disapproves

the proposed terms of the Settlement Agreement.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS THE 17th DAY OF MARCH, 2011.

THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:

ATTEST:

Marc Fine, Secretary

STATE OF INDIANA INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION

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SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

The Indiana Gaming Commission ("Commission") by and through its Executive Director Ernest E. Yelton and United States Playing Card, Co. ("USPC") (collectively, the "Parties") desire to settle this matter prior to the initiation of a disciplinary proceeding. The Parties stipulate and agree to the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

68 IAC 14-3-2 (b)(2) states the backs of each card in a deck must be identical and no card shall contain any marking, symbol or design that will enable a person to know the identity of any element printed on the face of the card or that will differentiate the back of that card from any other card in the deck.

On September 23, 2010 the Gaming Supervisor asked a Gaming Agent to investigate the return of two shipments of poker playing cards. The Agent spoke to the Director of Table Games and found that sixty (60) decks of red and blue poker cards had been sent to the poker room. Some of the decks were in use when a small ink speck on the back of the border of all jacks of diamonds was noticed. All sixty (60) decks were inspected and the misprint was found in all the decks. The casino eventually returned all four hundred sixty eight (468) cards to USPC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Commission staff alleges that the acts and omissions of USPC by and through its agents as described herein constitute a breach of the IC 4-33 and/or 68 IAC. The Commission and USPC hereby agree to a monetary settlement of the alleged violations in lieu of the Commission pursuing formal disciplinary action against USPC. This agreement is being entered into to avoid the potential expense and inconvenience of disciplinary action.

USPC shall pay to the Commission a total of \$2,000 in settlement of the violations explained in this Settlement Agreement ("Agreement"). This agreement extends only to those violations and findings of fact, specifically alleged herein. If the Commission subsequently discovers facts that give rise to additional or separate

violations, which are not described herein, the Commission may pursue disciplinary action for such violations even if the subsequent violations are similar or related to an incident described herein.

Upon execution and approval of this Agreement, Commission staff shall submit this Agreement to the Commission for review and final action. Upon approval of the Agreement by the Commission, USPC agrees to promptly remit payment in the amount of \$2,000 and shall waive all rights to further administrative or judicial review.

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties. No prior or subsequent understandings, agreements, or representations, oral or written, not specified or referenced within this document will be valid provisions of this Agreement. This Agreement may not be modified, supplemented, or amended, in any manner, except by written agreement signed by all Parties.

This Agreement shall be binding upon the Commission and USPC.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed this Agreement on the below date and year.

Ernest E. Yelton, Executive Director

Indiana Gaming Commission

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CEO & President

United States Playing Card, Co.

Date

March 1, 2011