## **ORDER 2018-55**

## AN ORDER OF THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION RENEWING THE CASINO OWNER'S LICENSE AND POWER OF ATTORNEY OF INDIANA GAMING COMPANY, LLC d/b/a HOLLYWOOD CASINO LAWRENCEBURG

In accordance with Ind. Code art. 4-33 and Title 68 of the Indiana Administrative Code, the Indiana Gaming Commission ("Commission") issued a casino owner's license to Indiana Gaming Company, LLC d/b/a Hollywood Casino Lawrenceburg ("Hollywood"), effective March 2, 2001. The Commission has renewed this license annually since inception, most recently on November 17, 2016, which renewed the license through December 9, 2017.

On November 16, 2017, Hollywood requested renewal of its casino owner's license and submitted the required annual renewal payment in the amount of \$5,000. On November 29, 2017, pursuant to a delegation of authority granted by the Commission in Resolution 2017-110, the Executive Director extended the license through a date when the Commission could consider Hollywood's request.

On November 17, 2016, by Order 2016-249, the Commission renewed a written power of attorney identifying Larry Kinser as trustee-in-waiting for Hollywood. Order 2016-249 stated this approval would expire "upon the effectiveness of a subsequent Commission order that either: (1) addresses the renewal of Hollywood's casino owner's license; or (2) modifies or withdraws the approval" of Mr. Kinser. On September 20, 2017, Hollywood indicated in writing its desire to maintain Mr. Kinser as trustee-in-waiting.

## **COMMISSION ACTION**

Pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-33-6-12, the Commission found that Hollywood substantially complied with the requirements set forth in Ind. Code art. 4-33 and Title 68 of the Indiana Administrative Code; therefore, Hollywood is suitable to hold a casino owner's license. The Commission GRANTS renewal of Hollywood's casino owner's license for a period of one year subject to Hollywood maintaining its casino gambling operation, riverboat, hotel, and pavilion in substantial compliance with all applicable state and local laws, including but not limited to, Commission regulations, resolutions, orders, and/or other directives relating to the casino owner's license or the lawful conduct or operation of gaming in Indiana. The renewal of the casino owner's license is valid for a period of one year from December 10, 2017, through December 9, 2018.

Furthermore, the Commission APPROVES renewal of power of attorney identifying Larry Kinser as trustee-in-waiting for Hollywood. The renewal expires upon the effectiveness of a subsequent Commission order that either: (1) addresses the renewal of Hollywood's casino owner's license; or (2) modifies or withdraws the approval of Mr. Kinser as granted herein.

Pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-21.5-3-5, this order is effective fifteen days after it is served.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 8th DAY OF MARCH, 2018.

THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:

ATTEST:

Cris Johnstøn, Chair

Joseph Swetanoff, Secretary