## **ORDER 2021-60**

## AN ORDER OF THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION APPROVING TRANSFER OF OWNERHSIP OF AINSWORTH GAME TECHNOLOGY

Under 68 IAC 5-2, supplier licensees that are persons other than publicly traded corporations must comply with certain requirements before transferring an ownership interest, in order to protect the Indiana Gaming Commission's ("Commission") interest in suitability of its licensees. The policy goal of 68 IAC 5-2 is to ensure that a party seeking an ownership interest is suitable under the Commission's licensing standards.

Ainsworth Game Technology ("Ainsworth") recently informed the Commission of a shareholder's planned transfer of ownership and submitted a request for approval of a transfer of ownership. Ainsworth is an Indiana Supplier licensee and a partly owned subsidiary of Novomatic AG ("Novomatic"). The shareholder, owner of Novomatic through two entities, Novo Invest GmbH and Novo Swiss AG, intends to transfer Novo Invest GmbH's shares to two currently licensed individuals and two unlicensed individuals. The two incoming shareholders have filed PD-1 applications with the Commission, and the other two shareholders are already licensed are in good standing

In accordance with and subject to Indiana Code chapters 4-33-7 and 4-35-6 and Title 68 of the Indiana Administrative Code, the Commission has completed the background investigation and financial investigation of Ainsworth. The Commission has determined that Ainsworth is substantially compliant with Indiana statutes and regulations and has satisfied the requirements for a transfer of ownership under 68 IAC 5-2.

In accordance with and subject to the conditions set forth herein, the Commission hereby **APPROVES** the proposed transfer of ownership interest in Ainsworth.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 23rd DAY OF MARCH, 2021.

THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:	ATTEST:
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Michael B. McMains, Chair	Jason Dudich, Secretary