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## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATOR BRIGHTBILL, RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, RE-REPORTED AS AMENDED, OCTOBER 6, 2004

## AN ACT

Amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated 2 Statutes, prohibiting public officials from having financial 3 interest relating to slot machines or horse racing. AMENDING TITLES 4 (AMUSEMENTS) AND 18 (CRIMES AND OFFENSES) OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS AND FOR THE PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD 6 7 ESTABLISHED; PROVIDING FOR APPLICABILITY OF OTHER STATUTES 8 AND FOR REVIEW OF DEEDS, LEASES AND CONTRACTS; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR GENERAL AND SPECIFIC POWERS, FOR TEMPORARY 9 10 REGULATIONS, FOR BOARD MINUTES AND RECORDS AND FOR SUPPLIER 11 AND MANUFACTURER LICENSES APPLICATION; PROVIDING FOR 12 MANUFACTURER LICENSES; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR OCCUPATION 13 PERMIT APPLICATION, FOR LOCAL LAND USE PREEMPTION, FOR PUBLIC OFFICIAL FINANCIAL INTEREST, FOR ENFORCEMENT AND FOR CORRUPT 14 ORGANIZATIONS; AND MAKING RELATED REPEALS. 15 16 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: Section 1. Section 1512 of Title 4 of the Pennsylvania 18 19 Consolidated Statutes, added July 5, 2004 (P.L., No.71), is 20 amended to read: § 1512. Public official financial interest.

- 1 (a) General rule. [Except as may be provided by rule or
- 2 order of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, no] No executive level
- 3 State employee, public official, party officer or immediate
- 4 family member thereof shall have, at or following the effective
- 5 date of this part, a financial interest in or be employed,
- 6 directly or indirectly, by any manufacturer licensee, supplier
- 7 <u>licensee</u>, licensed racing entity or licensed gaming entity, or
- 8 any holding, affiliate, intermediary or subsidiary company,
- 9 thereof, or any [such] applicant for such a license, nor solicit
- 10 or accept, directly or indirectly, any complimentary service or
- 11 discount from any licensed racing entity or licensed gaming
- 12 entity which he knows or has reason to know is other than a
- 13 service or discount that is offered to members of the general
- 14 public in like circumstances during his or hers status as an
- 15 executive level State employee, public official or party officer
- 16 and for one year following termination of the person's status as
- 17 an executive level State employee, public official or party
- 18 officer.
- 19 (b) Definitions. As used in this section, the following
- 20 words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this
- 21 subsection:
- 22 "Executive level State employee." The Governor, Lieutenant
- 23 Governor, cabinet members, deputy secretaries, the Governor's
- 24 office executive staff, any State employee with discretionary
- 25 powers which may affect the outcome of a State agency's decision
- 26 in relation to a private corporation or business, with respect
- 27 to any matter covered by this part or any executive employee who
- 28 by virtue of his job function could influence the outcome of
- 29 such a decision.
- 30 "Financial interest." Owning or holding securities

- 1 [exceeding 1% of the equity or fair market value of the] of a
- 2 licensed racing entity, manufacturer licensee, supplier licensee
- 3 or licensed gaming entity, its holding company, affiliate,
- 4 intermediary or subsidiary business or an applicant for such a
- 5 <u>license</u>. A financial interest shall not include any such stock
- 6 that is held in a blind trust over which the executive level
- 7 State employee, public official, party officer or immediate
- 8 family member thereof may not exercise any managerial control or
- 9 receive income during the tenure of office and the period under
- 10 subsection (a) or of a mutual fund as defined in 20 Pa.C.S. §
- 11 7201 (relating to definitions).
- 12 "Immediate family." A parent, spouse, minor or unemancipated
- 13 child, brother or sister.
- 14 "Party officer." A member of a national committee; a
- 15 chairman, vice chairman, secretary, treasurer or counsel of a
- 16 State committee or member of the executive committee of a State
- 17 committee; a county chairman, vice chairman, counsel, secretary
- 18 or treasurer of a county committee; or a city chairman, vice
- 19 chairman, counsel, secretary or treasurer of a city committee.
- 20 "Public official." Any person elected by the public or
- 21 elected or appointed by a governmental body or an appointed
- 22 official in the executive, legislative or judicial branch of
- 23 this Commonwealth or any political subdivision thereof, provided
- 24 that it shall not include members of advisory boards that have
- 25 no authority to expend public funds other than reimbursement for
- 26 personal expense or to otherwise exercise the power of the
- 27 Commonwealth or any political subdivision [or commissioner of
- 28 any authority or joint state commission].
- 29 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.
- 30 SECTION 1. THE DEFINITION OF "SUPPLIER" IN SECTION 1103 OF

- 1 TITLE 4 OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES, ADDED JULY 5,
- 2 2004 (P.L.572, NO.71), IS AMENDED AND THE SECTION IS AMENDED BY
- 3 ADDING A DEFINITION TO READ:
- 4 § 1103. DEFINITIONS.
- 5 THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES WHEN USED IN THIS PART SHALL
- 6 HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS SECTION UNLESS THE
- 7 CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES OTHERWISE:
- 8 \* \* \*
- 9 "MEMBER." AN INDIVIDUAL APPOINTED TO THE PENNSYLVANIA GAMING
- 10 CONTROL BOARD PURSUANT TO SECTION 1201(B) (RELATING TO
- 11 PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD).
- 12 \* \* \*
- "SUPPLIER." A PERSON THAT SELLS, LEASES, OFFERS OR OTHERWISE
- 14 PROVIDES, DISTRIBUTES OR SERVICES ANY SLOT MACHINE IN THIS
- 15 COMMONWEALTH. THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE A PERSON WHO SELLS SLOT
- 16 MONITORING SYSTEMS, CASINO MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, PLAYER TRACKING
- 17 SYSTEMS AND WIDE-AREA PROGRESSIVE SYSTEMS.
- 18 \* \* \*
- 19 SECTION 2. SECTION 1201 HEADING AND (F)(3), (H)(7) AND (L)
- 20 OF TITLE 4, ADDED JULY 5, 2004 (P.L.572, NO.71), IS AMENDED AND
- 21 THE SECTION IS AMENDED BY ADDING PARAGRAPHS TO READ:
- 22 § 1201. PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD [ESTABLISHED].
- 23 \* \* \*
- 24 (F) QUALIFIED MAJORITY VOTE.--
- 25 \* \* \*
- 26 (3) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION [TO THE
- 27 CONTRARY] OF THIS PART OR 65 PA.C.S. § 1103(J) (RELATING TO
- 28 <u>RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES</u>), A MEMBER SHALL DISCLOSE THE NATURE OF
- 29 HIS DISQUALIFYING INTEREST, DISQUALIFY HIMSELF AND ABSTAIN
- 30 FROM VOTING IN A PROCEEDING IN WHICH HIS OR HER IMPARTIALITY

- 1 MAY BE REASONABLY QUESTIONED, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
- 2 INSTANCES WHERE HE OR SHE KNOWS THAT THEY POSSESS A
- 3 SUBSTANTIAL FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE
- 4 PROCEEDING OR ANY OTHER INTEREST THAT COULD BE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 5 AFFECTED BY THE OUTCOME OF THE PROCEEDING. IN SUCH
- 6 CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH IT IS A LEGISLATIVE APPOINTEE MEMBER
- 7 THAT HAS DISQUALIFIED HIMSELF OR HERSELF, THE QUALIFIED
- 8 MAJORITY SHALL CONSIST OF THE REMAINING THREE LEGISLATIVE
- 9 APPOINTEES AND AT LEAST TWO GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTEES.
- 10 \* \* \*
- 11 (H) [QUALIFICATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS] <u>RESTRICTIONS</u>.--
- 12 \* \* \*
- 13 [(7) AT THE TIME OF APPOINTMENT AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER,
- 14 EACH MEMBER SHALL DISCLOSE THE EXISTENCE OF ALL OWNERSHIP
- 15 INTERESTS IN LICENSED FACILITIES AND ALL SECURITIES IN ANY
- 16 LICENSED ENTITY OR APPLICANT, ITS AFFILIATES OR SUBSIDIARIES
- 17 HELD BY THE MEMBER, THE MEMBER'S SPOUSE AND ANY MINOR OR
- 18 UNEMANCIPATED CHILDREN AND MUST DIVEST SUCH OWNERSHIP
- 19 INTERESTS IN LICENSED FACILITIES OR SECURITIES PRIOR TO AN
- 20 APPOINTMENT BECOMING FINAL. A MEMBER MAY NOT ACQUIRE ANY
- 21 SECURITY IN ANY LICENSED ENTITY, ITS AFFILIATES OR
- 22 SUBSIDIARIES DURING THE MEMBER'S TENURE. THE DISCLOSURE
- 23 STATEMENT SHALL BE FILED WITH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE
- 24 BOARD AND WITH THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY FOR SUCH MEMBER AND
- 25 SHALL BE OPEN TO INSPECTION BY THE PUBLIC AT THE OFFICE OF
- 26 THE BOARD DURING THE NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OF THE BOARD
- 27 DURING THE TENURE OF THE MEMBER AND FOR TWO YEARS AFTER THE
- 28 MEMBER LEAVES OFFICE. 1
- 29 (7) (I) AT THE TIME OF APPOINTMENT, AND ANNUALLY
- 30 THEREAFTER, EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD SHALL DISCLOSE THE

1	EXISTENCE OF ALL FINANCIAL, PROPERTY, LEASEHOLD OR OTHER
2	BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSE
3	APPLICANT, MANUFACTURER LICENSE APPLICANT, SUPPLIER
4	LICENSE APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR LICENSED FACILITY
5	AND IN ANY HOLDING COMPANIES, AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES
6	OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES THEREOF, WHICH ARE HELD BY THE
7	MEMBER OR THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF THE MEMBER. THE
8	DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL BE FILED WITH THE EXECUTIVE
9	DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD AND WITH THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY
10	OF THE MEMBER. THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL BE OPEN TO
11	INSPECTION BY THE PUBLIC AT THE OFFICE OF THE BOARD
12	DURING THE NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OF THE BOARD DURING THE
13	MEMBER'S TERM ON THE BOARD AND CONTINUING FOR TWO YEARS
14	AFTER THE MEMBER LEAVES OFFICE. PRIOR TO THE MEMBER'S
15	APPOINTMENT BECOMING FINAL, ANY FINANCIAL, PROPERTY,
16	LEASEHOLD, OWNERSHIP OR OTHER BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN ANY
17	SLOT MACHINE LICENSE APPLICANT, MANUFACTURER LICENSE
18	APPLICANT, SUPPLIER LICENSE APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR
19	LICENSED FACILITY AND IN ANY HOLDING COMPANIES,
20	AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES
21	THEREOF, OWNED OR HELD BY THE MEMBER OR THE IMMEDIATE
22	FAMILY OF THE MEMBER MUST BE DIVESTED. DURING THE
23	MEMBER'S TERM AND CONTINUING FOR ONE YEAR THEREAFTER, THE
24	MEMBER AND THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF THE MEMBER MAY NOT
25	ACQUIRE BY PURCHASE, GIFT, EXCHANGE OR OTHERWISE, ANY
26	FINANCIAL, PROPERTY, LEASEHOLD, OWNERSHIP OR OTHER
27	BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSE
28	APPLICANT, MANUFACTURER LICENSE APPLICANT, SUPPLIER
29	LICENSE APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR LICENSED FACILITY
30	AND IN ANY HOLDING COMPANIES, AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES

1	OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES THEREOF.
2	(II) AS USED IN THIS PARAGRAPH, THE FOLLOWING WORDS
3	AND PHRASES SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
4	SUBPARAGRAPH:
5	"FINANCIAL INTEREST." OWNING OR HOLDING OR BEING
6	DEEMED TO HOLD DEBT OR EQUITY SECURITIES OR OTHER
7	OWNERSHIP INTEREST OR PROFITS INTEREST.
8	"IMMEDIATE FAMILY." THE TERM SHALL HAVE THE SAME
9	MEANING GIVEN TO IT IN SECTION 1512 (RELATING TO
10	PUBLIC OFFICIAL FINANCIAL INTEREST).
11	(7.1) (I) AT THE TIME OF EMPLOYMENT, AND ANNUALLY
12	THEREAFTER, EACH EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE OF THE
13	BOARD SHALL DISCLOSE THE EXISTENCE OF ALL FINANCIAL,
14	PROPERTY, LEASEHOLD OR OTHER BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN ANY
15	SLOT MACHINE LICENSE APPLICANT, MANUFACTURER LICENSE
16	APPLICANT, SUPPLIER LICENSE APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR
17	LICENSED FACILITY AND IN ANY HOLDING COMPANIES,
18	AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES
19	THEREOF, WHICH ARE HELD BY THE EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT
20	EMPLOYEE OR THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF THE EMPLOYEE OR
21	CONTRACT EMPLOYEE. THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL BE
22	FILED WITH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD. THE
23	DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL BE OPEN TO INSPECTION BY THE
24	PUBLIC AT THE OFFICE OF THE BOARD DURING NORMAL BUSINESS
25	HOURS OF THE BOARD DURING THE EMPLOYEE'S OR CONTRACT
26	EMPLOYEE'S EMPLOYMENT WITH THE BOARD AND CONTINUING FOR
27	TWO YEARS AFTER THE EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE
28	TERMINATES EMPLOYMENT WITH THE BOARD. PRIOR TO COMMENCING
29	EMPLOYMENT, ANY FINANCIAL, PROPERTY, LEASEHOLD, OWNERSHIP
30	OR OTHER BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSE

1	APPLICANT, MANUFACTURER LICENSE APPLICANT, SUPPLIER
2	LICENSE APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR LICENSED FACILITY
3	AND IN ANY HOLDING COMPANIES, AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES
4	OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES THEREOF, OWNED OR HELD BY THE
5	EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE OR THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF
6	THE EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE MUST BE DIVESTED.
7	DURING THE EMPLOYEE'S OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE'S EMPLOYMENT
8	AND CONTINUING FOR ONE YEAR THEREAFTER, THE EMPLOYEE OR
9	CONTRACT EMPLOYEE AND THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF THE
10	EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEE MAY NOT ACQUIRE BY
11	PURCHASE, GIFT, EXCHANGE OR OTHERWISE, ANY FINANCIAL,
12	PROPERTY, LEASEHOLD, OWNERSHIP OR OTHER BENEFICIAL
13	INTEREST IN ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSE APPLICANT,
14	MANUFACTURER LICENSE APPLICANT, SUPPLIER LICENSE
15	APPLICANT, LICENSED ENTITY OR LICENSED FACILITY AND IN
16	ANY HOLDING COMPANIES, AFFILIATES, INTERMEDIARIES OR
17	SUBSIDIARY BUSINESSES THEREOF.
18	(II) AS USED IN THIS PARAGRAPH, THE FOLLOWING WORDS
19	AND PHRASES SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
20	SUBPARAGRAPH:
21	"FINANCIAL INTEREST." OWNING OR HOLDING OR BEING
22	DEEMED TO HOLD DEBT OR EQUITY SECURITIES OR OTHER
23	OWNERSHIP INTEREST OR PROFITS INTEREST.
24	"IMMEDIATE FAMILY." THE TERM SHALL HAVE THE SAME
25	MEANING GIVEN TO IT IN SECTION 1512 (RELATING TO
26	PUBLIC OFFICIAL FINANCIAL INTEREST).
27	* * *
28	(13) NO PERSON MAY BE EMPLOYED, WHETHER AS AN EMPLOYEE
29	OR A CONTRACT EMPLOYEE, BY THE BOARD UNTIL THE BOARD RECEIVES
30	A BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED ON THE PERSON IN

- 1 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS PART.
- 2 (14) NO MEMBER SHALL HOLD OR CAMPAIGN FOR ANY OTHER
- 3 PUBLIC OFFICE, HOLD OFFICE IN ANY POLITICAL PARTY OR
- 4 POLITICAL COMMITTEE OR ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN ANY POLITICAL
- 5 CAMPAIGN.
- 6 (15) NO EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD SHALL HOLD OR CAMPAIGN FOR
- 7 ANY OTHER PUBLIC OFFICE, HOLD OFFICE IN ANY POLITICAL PARTY
- 8 OR POLITICAL COMMITTEE OR ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN OR
- 9 <u>CONTRIBUTE TO ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN.</u>
- 10 \* \* \*
- 11 (L) DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.--MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE
- 12 BOARD ARE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF 65 PA.C.S. CH. 11
- 13 (RELATING TO ETHICS STANDARDS AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE) AND THE
- 14 ACT OF JULY 19, 1957 (P.L.1017, NO.451), KNOWN AS THE STATE
- 15 ADVERSE INTEREST ACT.
- 16 SECTION 3. TITLE 4 IS AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS TO READ:
- 17 § 1201.1. APPLICABILITY OF OTHER STATUTES.
- 18 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:
- 19 (1) THE FOLLOWING ACTS SHALL APPLY TO THE BOARD, ITS
- 20 MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES:
- 21 (I) ACT OF JUNE 21, 1957 (P.L.390, NO.212), REFERRED
- TO AS THE RIGHT-TO-KNOW LAW.
- 23 (II) ACT OF JULY 19, 1957 (P.L.1017, NO.451), KNOWN
- 24 <u>AS THE STATE ADVERSE INTEREST ACT.</u>
- 25 (III) THE PROVISIONS OF 65 PA.C.S. CHS. 7 (RELATING
- 26 TO OPEN MEETINGS) AND 11 (RELATING TO ETHICS STANDARDS
- 27 AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE).
- 28 (2) THE BOARD SHALL BE CONSIDERED AN "INDEPENDENT
- 29 <u>AGENCY" FOR THE PURPOSES OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:</u>
- 30 (I) ACT OF OCTOBER 15, 1980 (P.L.950, NO.164), KNOWN

- 1 AS THE COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEYS ACT.
- 2 (II) THE PROVISIONS OF 62 PA.C.S. PT. I (RELATING TO
- 3 <u>COMMONWEALTH PROCUREMENT CODE).</u>
- 4 (3) THE BOARD SHALL BE CONSIDERED AN "AGENCY" FOR THE
- 5 PURPOSES OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 6 (I) ACT OF JULY 31, 1968 (P.L.769, NO.240), REFERRED
- 7 TO AS THE COMMONWEALTH DOCUMENTS LAW.
- 8 (II) ACT OF JUNE 25, 1982 (P.L.633, NO.181), KNOWN
- 9 <u>AS THE REGULATORY REVIEW ACT.</u>
- 10 § 1201.2. REVIEW OF DEEDS, LEASES AND CONTRACTS.
- 11 (A) TIMING.--REVIEW OF A DEED, LEASE OR CONTRACT OF THE
- 12 BOARD BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL UNDER THE ACT OF OCTOBER 15, 1980
- 13 (P.L.950, NO.164), KNOWN AS THE COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEYS ACT, MUST
- 14 BE COMPLETED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF DELIVERY OF THE DEED, LEASE OR
- 15 CONTRACT BY THE BOARD TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.
- 16 (B) LIMITATION. -- AN ISSUE NOT RAISED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
- 17 DURING THE REVIEW PERIOD REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (A) IS DEEMED
- 18 WAIVED.
- 19 SECTION 4. SECTIONS 1202 HEADING AND (A), 1203, 1206(A), (D)
- 20 AND (F) AND 1317 OF TITLE 4, ADDED JULY 5, 2004 (P.L.572,
- 21 NO.71), ARE AMENDED TO READ:
- 22 § 1202. [GENERAL AND SPECIFIC POWERS] POWERS AND DUTIES.
- 23 (A) GENERAL POWERS. -- THE BOARD SHALL HAVE GENERAL
- 24 JURISDICTION OVER ALL GAMING ACTIVITIES OR RELATED ACTIVITIES AS
- 25 DESCRIBED IN THIS PART. THE BOARD SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE TO ENSURE
- 26 THE INTEGRITY OF THE ACQUISITION AND OPERATION OF SLOT MACHINES
- 27 AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT AND SHALL HAVE JURISDICTION OVER EVERY
- 28 ASPECT OF THE AUTHORIZATION AND OPERATION OF SLOT MACHINES. THE
- 29 BOARD SHALL EMPLOY AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, CHIEF COUNSEL,
- 30 DEPUTIES, SECRETARIES, OFFICERS, HEARING OFFICERS AND AGENTS AS

- 1 IT MAY DEEM NECESSARY, WHO SHALL SERVE AT THE BOARD'S PLEASURE.
- 2 THE BOARD SHALL ALSO EMPLOY OTHER EMPLOYEES AS IT DEEMS
- 3 APPROPRIATE WHOSE DUTIES SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE BOARD. THE
- 4 BOARD SHALL ESTABLISH AND PUBLISH IN THE PENNSYLVANIA BULLETIN
- 5 AND ON ITS INTERNET WEBSITE A CLASSIFICATION OF ITS EMPLOYEES.
- 6 THE CLASSIFICATION SHALL INCLUDE THE SCOPE OF THE BACKGROUND
- 7 INVESTIGATIONS REQUIRED BY SECTION 1201(H)(13) (RELATING TO
- 8 PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD) FOR EACH CLASS OF EMPLOYEES
- 9 AND CONTRACT EMPLOYEES OF THE BOARD. IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE
- 10 ABILITY OF THE BOARD TO RECRUIT AND RETAIN INDIVIDUALS NECESSARY
- 11 TO EXECUTE ITS RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THIS PART, THE BOARD SHALL
- 12 SET THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION OF ITS EMPLOYEES AND
- 13 SHALL NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF APRIL 9,
- 14 1929 (P.L.177, NO.175), KNOWN AS THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF
- 15 1929, AS TO CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION FOR ITS EMPLOYEES
- 16 AND CONDUCT ITS ACTIVITIES CONSISTENT WITH THE PRACTICES AND
- 17 PROCEDURES OF COMMONWEALTH AGENCIES. [FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE
- 18 ACT OF OCTOBER 15, 1980 (P.L.950, NO.164), KNOWN AS THE
- 19 COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEYS ACT, THE BOARD SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED AN
- 20 EXECUTIVE OR INDEPENDENT AGENCY.] THE BOARD SHALL HAVE SUCH
- 21 OTHER POWERS AND AUTHORITY NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT ITS DUTIES AND
- 22 THE OBJECTIVES OF THIS PART.
- 23 \* \* \*
- 24 § 1203. TEMPORARY REGULATIONS.
- 25 (A) PROMULGATION.--[NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF
- 26 LAW TO THE CONTRARY AND IN] <u>IN</u> ORDER TO FACILITATE THE PROMPT
- 27 IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PART, [REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE
- 28 BOARD DURING THE TWO YEARS FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
- 29 PART SHALL BE DEEMED TEMPORARY REGULATIONS WHICH SHALL EXPIRE NO
- 30 LATER THAN THREE YEARS FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS PART

- 1 OR UPON PROMULGATION OF REGULATIONS AS GENERALLY PROVIDED BY
- 2 LAW. THE TEMPORARY REGULATIONS SHALL NOT BE] THE BOARD MAY
- 3 PROMULGATE REGULATIONS NOT SUBJECT TO:
- 4 (1) SECTIONS 201 [THROUGH 205], 202 AND 203 OF THE ACT
- 5 OF JULY 31, 1968 (P.L.769, NO.240), REFERRED TO AS THE
- 6 COMMONWEALTH DOCUMENTS LAW.
- 7 (2) THE ACT OF JUNE 25, 1982 (P.L.633, NO.181), KNOWN AS
- 8 THE REGULATORY REVIEW ACT.
- 9 (B) EXPIRATION.--[THE AUTHORITY PROVIDED TO THE BOARD TO
- 10 ADOPT TEMPORARY REGULATIONS IN] REGULATIONS PROMULGATED IN
- 11 ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (A) SHALL EXPIRE [TWO] THREE YEARS
- 12 FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION. [REGULATIONS ADOPTED
- 13 AFTER THE TWO-YEAR PERIOD SHALL BE PROMULGATED AS PROVIDED BY
- 14 LAW.]
- 15 § 1206. BOARD MINUTES AND RECORDS.
- 16 [(A) OPEN PROCEEDINGS AND RECORDS.--THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE
- 17 BOARD SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF 65
- 18 PA.C.S. CH. 7 (RELATING TO OPEN MEETINGS). THE BOARD SHALL BE AN
- 19 AGENCY FOR PURPOSES OF THE ACT OF JUNE 21, 1957 (P.L.390,
- 20 NO.212), REFERRED TO AS THE RIGHT-TO-KNOW LAW. NOTWITHSTANDING
- 21 ANY PROVISION OF LAW TO THE CONTRARY, CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENTS
- 22 RELATIVE TO PERSONAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED TO THE
- 23 BOARD PURSUANT TO THIS PART AND ANY CLOSED DELIBERATIONS OF THE
- 24 BOARD, INCLUDING DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS, SHALL BE CONFIDENTIAL
- 25 AND CONSIDERED IN CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO
- 26 SUBSECTION (F).]
- 27 \* \* \*
- 28 (D) APPLICANT INFORMATION. --
- 29 (1) THE BOARD SHALL [KEEP AND] MAINTAIN A LIST OF [ALL]
- 30 APPLICANTS FOR LICENSES AND [PERMITS UNDER THIS PART TOGETHER

- 1 WITH] <u>PERMITS. THE LIST SHALL INCLUDE</u> A RECORD OF ALL ACTIONS
- 2 TAKEN WITH RESPECT TO [THE APPLICANTS, WHICH FILE AND RECORD]
- 3 <u>EACH APPLICANT. THE LIST</u> SHALL BE OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION
- 4 <u>DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OF THE BOARD</u>.
- 5 (2) INFORMATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) REGARDING ANY
- 6 APPLICANT WHOSE LICENSE OR PERMIT HAS BEEN DENIED, REVOKED OR
- 7 NOT RENEWED SHALL BE REMOVED FROM SUCH LIST AFTER SEVEN YEARS
- 8 FROM THE DATE OF THE ACTION.
- 9 \* \* \*
- 10 (F) CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION.--[ALL INFORMATION
- 11 CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION PROCESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 1310(A)
- 12 (RELATING TO SLOT MACHINE LICENSE APPLICATION CHARACTER
- 13 REQUIREMENTS) AND THE REPORT OF AN APPLICANT'S] AN APPLICANT'S
- 14 ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING PLANS, SECURITY AND SURVEILLANCE
- 15 SYSTEMS AND BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION FURNISHED TO OR OBTAINED BY
- 16 THE BOARD OR THE BUREAU FROM ANY SOURCE SHALL BE CONSIDERED
- 17 CONFIDENTIAL. [AND SHALL BE WITHHELD FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE IN
- 18 WHOLE OR IN PART, EXCEPT THAT ANY INFORMATION SHALL BE RELEASED
- 19 UPON THE LAWFUL ORDER OF A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION OR,
- 20 WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, TO A DULY AUTHORIZED
- 21 LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR SHALL BE RELEASED TO THE PUBLIC, IN
- 22 WHOLE OR IN PART, TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH RELEASE IS REQUESTED
- 23 BY AN APPLICANT AND DOES NOT OTHERWISE CONTAIN CONFIDENTIAL
- 24 INFORMATION ABOUT ANOTHER PERSON. THE BOARD MAY NOT REQUIRE ANY
- 25 APPLICANT TO WAIVE ANY CONFIDENTIALITY PROVIDED FOR IN THIS
- 26 SUBSECTION AS A CONDITION FOR THE APPROVAL OF A LICENSE OR ANY
- 27 OTHER ACTION OF THE BOARD. ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS
- 28 SUBSECTION SHALL BE ADMINISTRATIVELY DISCIPLINED BY DISCHARGE,
- 29 SUSPENSION OR OTHER FORMAL DISCIPLINARY ACTION AS THE BOARD
- 30 DEEMS APPROPRIATE. 1

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- 2 § 1317. SUPPLIER [AND MANUFACTURER] LICENSES [APPLICATION].
- 3 (A) APPLICATION.--[ANY] A PERSON SEEKING TO PROVIDE SLOT
- 4 MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT TO A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE
- 5 WITHIN THIS COMMONWEALTH [OR TO MANUFACTURE SLOT MACHINES FOR
- 6 USE IN THIS COMMONWEALTH] SHALL APPLY TO THE BOARD FOR [EITHER]
- 7 A SUPPLIER [OR MANUFACTURER] LICENSE. [NO PERSON, ITS AFFILIATE,
- 8 INTERMEDIARY, SUBSIDIARY OR HOLDING COMPANY WHO HAS APPLIED FOR
- 9 OR IS A HOLDER OF A MANUFACTURER OR SLOT MACHINE LICENSE SHALL
- 10 BE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR OR HOLD A SUPPLIER LICENSE. A SUPPLIER
- 11 LICENSEE SHALL ESTABLISH A PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS
- 12 COMMONWEALTH WITHIN ONE YEAR OF ISSUANCE OF ITS SUPPLIER LICENSE
- 13 AND MAINTAIN SUCH DURING THE PERIOD IN WHICH THE LICENSE IS
- 14 HELD. NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE SHALL ENTER INTO ANY SALE, LEASE,
- 15 CONTRACT OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF AGREEMENT PROVIDING SLOT MACHINES,
- 16 PROGRESSIVE SLOT MACHINES, PARTS OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT FOR USE
- 17 OR PLAY WITH ANY PERSON OTHER THAN A SUPPLIER LICENSED PURSUANT
- 18 TO THIS SECTION. SLOT MONITORING SYSTEMS, CASINO MANAGEMENT
- 19 SYSTEMS, PLAYER TRACKING SYSTEMS AND WIDE-AREA PROGRESSIVE
- 20 SYSTEMS ARE EXCLUDED FROM ANY REQUIREMENTS THAT THEY BE PROVIDED
- 21 THROUGH A LICENSED SUPPLIER AS SET FORTH IN THIS PART.]
- 22 (B) REQUIREMENTS.--[THE APPLICATION FOR A SUPPLIER OR
- 23 MANUFACTURER LICENSE SHALL INCLUDE, AT A MINIMUM: ] THE
- 24 APPLICATION FOR A SUPPLIER LICENSE SHALL BE ON THE FORM REQUIRED
- 25 BY THE BOARD, ACCOMPANIED BY THE APPLICATION FEE AND SHALL
- 26 <u>INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:</u>
- 27 (1) THE NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF THE APPLICANT, THE
- 28 DIRECTORS AND OWNERS OF THE APPLICANT AND A LIST OF EMPLOYEES
- 29 AND THEIR POSITIONS WITHIN THE BUSINESS, AS WELL AS ANY
- 30 FINANCIAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE BOARD.

- 1 (1.1) A STATEMENT THAT THE APPLICANT OR AN AFFILIATE,
- 2 <u>INTERMEDIARY, SUBSIDIARY OR HOLDING COMPANY OF THE APPLICANT</u>
- 3 IS NOT A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE.
- 4 (2) THE CONSENT TO A BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION OF THE
- 5 APPLICANT, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, OWNERS, KEY EMPLOYEES OR
- 6 OTHER PERSONS REQUIRED BY THE BOARD AND A RELEASE TO OBTAIN
- 7 ANY AND ALL INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE
- 8 BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION.
- 9 (3) THE DETAILS OF ANY EOUIVALENT LICENSE GRANTED OR
- 10 DENIED BY OTHER JURISDICTIONS WHERE GAMING ACTIVITIES AS
- 11 <u>AUTHORIZED BY THIS PART</u> ARE PERMITTED AND CONSENT FOR THE
- 12 BOARD TO ACQUIRE COPIES OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED OR LICENSES
- 13 ISSUED IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.
- 14 (4) THE TYPE OF GOODS AND SERVICES TO BE SUPPLIED [OR
- 15 MANUFACTURED] AND WHETHER THOSE GOODS AND SERVICES WILL BE
- 16 PROVIDED THROUGH PURCHASE, LEASE, CONTRACT OR OTHERWISE.
- 17 (5) ANY OTHER INFORMATION DETERMINED BY THE BOARD TO BE
- 18 APPROPRIATE.
- 19 (C) REVIEW AND APPROVAL. -- UPON BEING SATISFIED THAT THE
- 20 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (B) HAVE BEEN MET, THE BOARD MAY
- 21 APPROVE THE APPLICATION AND GRANT THE APPLICANT A SUPPLIER
- 22 LICENSE CONSISTENT WITH ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 23 (1) THE LICENSE SHALL BE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR. UPON
- 24 EXPIRATION, A LICENSE MAY BE RENEWED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 25 SUBSECTION (D).
- 26 (2) THE LICENSE SHALL BE NONTRANSFERABLE.
- 27 (3) ANY OTHER CONDITION ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD.
- 28 (D) RENEWAL.--SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF A SUPPLIER
- 29 <u>LICENSE</u>, <u>A SUPPLIER LICENSEE SEEKING RENEWAL OF ITS LICENSE</u>
- 30 SHALL SUBMIT A RENEWAL APPLICATION ACCOMPANIED BY THE RENEWAL

- 1 FEE TO THE BOARD. IF THE RENEWAL APPLICATION SATISFIES THE
- 2 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (B), THE BOARD MAY RENEW THE
- 3 LICENSEE'S SUPPLIER LICENSE. IF THE BOARD RECEIVES A COMPLETE
- 4 RENEWAL APPLICATION BUT FAILS TO ACT UPON THE RENEWAL
- 5 APPLICATION PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF THE SUPPLIER LICENSE, THE
- 6 SUPPLIER LICENSE SHALL CONTINUE IN EFFECT FOR AN ADDITIONAL SIX-
- 7 MONTH PERIOD OR UNTIL ACTED UPON BY THE BOARD, WHICHEVER OCCURS
- 8 FIRST.
- 9 (E) PROHIBITIONS.--
- 10 (1) NO PERSON MAY PROVIDE SLOT MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED
- 11 EQUIPMENT TO A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE WITHIN THIS COMMONWEALTH
- 12 UNLESS THE PERSON HAS BEEN ISSUED A SUPPLIER LICENSE UNDER
- 13 THIS SECTION OR A MANUFACTURER LICENSE UNDER SECTION 1317.1
- 14 (RELATING TO MANUFACTURER LICENSES).
- 15 (2) NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE MAY ACQUIRE, PURCHASE OR
- 16 LEASE SLOT MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT FROM A PERSON
- 17 <u>UNLESS THE PERSON HAS BEEN ISSUED A SUPPLIER LICENSE UNDER</u>
- 18 THIS SECTION OR A MANUFACTURER LICENSE UNDER SECTION 1317.1.
- 19 SECTION 5. TITLE 4 IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:
- 20 § 1317.1. MANUFACTURER LICENSES.
- 21 (A) APPLICATION. -- A PERSON SEEKING TO MANUFACTURE SLOT
- 22 MACHINES FOR USE IN THIS COMMONWEALTH AND TO PROVIDE SLOT
- 23 MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT TO A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE
- 24 WITHIN THIS COMMONWEALTH SHALL APPLY TO THE BOARD FOR A
- 25 MANUFACTURER LICENSE.
- 26 (B) REQUIREMENTS.--THE APPLICATION FOR A MANUFACTURER
- 27 LICENSE SHALL BE ON THE FORM REQUIRED BY THE BOARD, ACCOMPANIED
- 28 BY THE APPLICATION FEE AND SHALL INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 29 <u>(1) THE NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF THE APPLICANT, THE</u>
- 30 DIRECTORS AND OWNERS OF THE APPLICANT AND A LIST OF EMPLOYEES

- 1 AND THEIR POSITIONS WITHIN THE BUSINESS, AS WELL AS ANY
- 2 <u>FINANCIAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE BOARD.</u>
- 3 (2) A STATEMENT THAT THE APPLICANT OR AN AFFILIATE,
- 4 INTERMEDIARY, SUBSIDIARY OR HOLDING COMPANY OF THE APPLICANT
- 5 IS NOT A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE.
- 6 (3) THE CONSENT TO A BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION OF THE
- 7 APPLICANT, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, OWNERS, KEY EMPLOYEES OR
- 8 OTHER PERSONS REQUIRED BY THE BOARD AND A RELEASE TO OBTAIN
- 9 ANY AND ALL INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE
- 10 BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION.
- 11 (4) THE DETAILS OF ANY EQUIVALENT LICENSE GRANTED OR
- 12 DENIED BY OTHER JURISDICTIONS WHERE GAMING ACTIVITIES AS
- AUTHORIZED BY THIS PART ARE PERMITTED AND CONSENT FOR THE
- 14 BOARD TO ACQUIRE COPIES OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED OR LICENSES
- 15 <u>ISSUED IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.</u>
- 16 (5) THE TYPE OF SLOT MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT TO
- 17 <u>BE MANUFACTURED AND SUPPLIED AND WHETHER THOSE SLOT MACHINES</u>
- 18 OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT WILL BE PROVIDED THROUGH PURCHASE,
- 19 LEASE, CONTRACT OR OTHERWISE.
- 20 (6) ANY OTHER INFORMATION DETERMINED BY THE BOARD TO BE
- 21 <u>APPROPRIATE</u>.
- 22 (C) REVIEW AND APPROVAL.--UPON BEING SATISFIED THAT THE
- 23 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (B) HAVE BEEN MET, THE BOARD MAY
- 24 APPROVE THE APPLICATION AND GRANT THE APPLICANT A MANUFACTURER
- 25 <u>LICENSE CONSISTENT WITH ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:</u>
- 26 (1) THE LICENSE SHALL BE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR. UPON
- 27 EXPIRATION, A LICENSE MAY BE RENEWED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 28 <u>SUBSECTION (D).</u>
- 29 <u>(2) THE LICENSE SHALL BE NONTRANSFERABLE.</u>
- 30 (3) ANY OTHER CONDITION ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD.

- 1 (D) RENEWAL.--SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF A
- 2 MANUFACTURER LICENSE, A MANUFACTURER LICENSEE SEEKING RENEWAL OF
- 3 ITS LICENSE SHALL SUBMIT A RENEWAL APPLICATION ACCOMPANIED BY
- 4 THE RENEWAL FEE TO THE BOARD. IF THE RENEWAL APPLICATION
- 5 SATISFIES THE REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (B), THE BOARD MAY
- 6 RENEW THE LICENSEE'S MANUFACTURER LICENSE. IF THE BOARD RECEIVES
- 7 A COMPLETE RENEWAL APPLICATION BUT FAILS TO ACT UPON THE RENEWAL
- 8 APPLICATION PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF THE MANUFACTURER LICENSE,
- 9 THE MANUFACTURER LICENSE SHALL CONTINUE IN EFFECT FOR AN
- 10 ADDITIONAL SIX-MONTH PERIOD OR UNTIL ACTED UPON BY THE BOARD,
- 11 WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST.
- 12 <u>(E) PROHIBITIONS.--</u>
- 13 (1) NO PERSON MAY MANUFACTURE AND PROVIDE SLOT MACHINES
- 14 OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT TO A SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE WITHIN
- 15 THIS COMMONWEALTH UNLESS THE PERSON HAS BEEN ISSUED A
- 16 MANUFACTURER LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 17 (2) NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE MAY ACQUIRE, PURCHASE OR
- 18 LEASE SLOT MACHINES OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT TO A SLOT MACHINE
- 19 LICENSEE WITHIN THIS COMMONWEALTH UNLESS THE PERSON HAS BEEN
- 20 <u>ISSUED A MANUFACTURER LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A</u>
- 21 SUPPLIER LICENSE UNDER SECTION 1317 (RELATING TO SUPPLIER
- LICENSES).
- 23 SECTION 6. SECTIONS 1318, 1506 AND 1512 OF TITLE 4, ADDED
- 24 JULY 5, 2004 (P.L.572, NO.71), ARE AMENDED TO READ:
- 25 § 1318. OCCUPATION [PERMIT APPLICATION] PERMITS.
- 26 (A) APPLICATION.--[ANY] A PERSON WHO DESIRES TO BE A GAMING
- 27 EMPLOYEE AND HAS A BONA FIDE OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT FROM A LICENSED
- 28 GAMING ENTITY SHALL APPLY TO THE BOARD FOR AN OCCUPATION PERMIT.
- 29 [A PERSON MAY NOT BE EMPLOYED AS A GAMING EMPLOYEE UNLESS AND
- 30 UNTIL THAT PERSON HOLDS AN APPROPRIATE OCCUPATION PERMIT ISSUED

- 1 UNDER THIS SECTION. THE BOARD MAY PROMULGATE REGULATIONS TO
- 2 RECLASSIFY A CATEGORY OF NONGAMING EMPLOYEES OR GAMING EMPLOYEES
- 3 UPON A FINDING THAT THE RECLASSIFICATION IS IN THE PUBLIC
- 4 INTEREST AND CONSISTENT WITH THE OBJECTIVES OF THIS PART.]
- 5 (B) REQUIREMENTS.--[THE APPLICATION FOR AN OCCUPATION PERMIT
- 6 SHALL INCLUDE, AT A MINIMUM: THE APPLICATION FOR AN OCCUPATION
- 7 PERMIT SHALL BE ON THE FORM REQUIRED BY THE BOARD, ACCOMPANIED
- 8 BY THE APPLICATION FEE AND SHALL INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 9 (1) THE NAME AND HOME ADDRESS OF THE PERSON.
- 10 (2) THE PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT HISTORY OF THE PERSON.
- 11 (3) THE CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD OF THE PERSON, AS WELL
- AS THE PERSON'S CONSENT FOR THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE TO
- 13 CONDUCT A BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION.
- 14 (4) A PHOTOGRAPH AND HANDWRITING EXEMPLAR OF THE PERSON.
- 15 (5) EVIDENCE OF THE OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT AND THE NATURE
- AND SCOPE OF THE PROPOSED DUTIES OF THE PERSON, IF KNOWN.
- 17 (6) THE DETAILS OF ANY OCCUPATION PERMIT OR SIMILAR
- 18 LICENSE GRANTED OR DENIED TO THE APPLICANT IN OTHER
- 19 JURISDICTIONS WHERE GAMING ACTIVITIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THIS
- 20 <u>PART ARE PERMITTED</u> AND CONSENT FOR THE BOARD TO OBTAIN COPIES
- OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED OR PERMITS OR LICENSES ISSUED IN
- 22 CONNECTION THEREWITH.
- 23 (7) ANY OTHER INFORMATION DETERMINED BY THE BOARD TO BE
- 24 APPROPRIATE.
- 25 ((C) PROHIBITION. -- NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE MAY EMPLOY OR
- 26 PERMIT ANY PERSON UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE TO RENDER ANY SERVICE
- 27 WHATSOEVER IN ANY AREA OF ITS LICENSED FACILITY AT WHICH SLOT
- 28 MACHINES ARE PHYSICALLY LOCATED. 1
- 29 (C.1) REVIEW AND APPROVAL. -- UPON BEING SATISFIED THAT THE
- 30 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (B) HAVE BEEN MET, THE BOARD MAY

- 1 APPROVE THE APPLICATION AND GRANT THE APPLICANT AN OCCUPATION
- 2 PERMIT CONSISTENT WITH ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 3 (1) THE OCCUPATION PERMIT SHALL BE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE
- 4 YEAR. UPON EXPIRATION, AN OCCUPATION PERMIT MAY BE RENEWED IN
- 5 ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (D).
- 6 (2) THE OCCUPATION PERMIT SHALL BE NONTRANSFERABLE.
- 7 (3) ANY OTHER CONDITION ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD.
- 8 (D) RENEWAL.--SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF AN
- 9 OCCUPATION PERMIT, AN INDIVIDUAL HOLDING AN OCCUPATION PERMIT
- 10 AND SEEKING RENEWAL OF THE OCCUPATION PERMIT SHALL SUBMIT A
- 11 RENEWAL APPLICATION ACCOMPANIED BY THE RENEWAL FEE TO THE BOARD.
- 12 IF THE RENEWAL APPLICATION SATISFIES THE REQUIREMENTS OF
- 13 SUBSECTION (B), THE BOARD MAY RENEW THE OCCUPATION PERMIT. IF
- 14 THE BOARD RECEIVES A COMPLETE RENEWAL APPLICATION BUT FAILS TO
- 15 ACT UPON THE RENEWAL APPLICATION PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF THE
- 16 OCCUPATION PERMIT, THE OCCUPATION PERMIT SHALL CONTINUE IN
- 17 EFFECT FOR AN ADDITIONAL SIX-MONTH PERIOD OR UNTIL ACTED UPON BY
- 18 THE BOARD, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST.
- 19 (E) PROHIBITIONS.--
- 20 (1) NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE MAY EMPLOY OR PERMIT ANY
- 21 PERSON UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE TO RENDER ANY SERVICE IN ANY
- 22 AREA OF ITS LICENSED FACILITY AT WHICH SLOT MACHINES ARE
- 23 PHYSICALLY LOCATED.
- 24 (2) NO SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE MAY EMPLOY AN INDIVIDUAL AS
- 25 A GAMING EMPLOYEE UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL HAS BEEN ISSUED AN
- 26 <u>OCCUPATION PERMIT UNDER THIS SECTION.</u>
- 27 § 1506. [LOCAL LAND USE PREEMPTION] PREEMPTION.
- 28 [THE CONDUCT OF GAMING AS PERMITTED UNDER THIS PART,
- 29 INCLUDING THE PHYSICAL LOCATION OF ANY LICENSED FACILITY, ] (A)
- 30 REGULATION. -- GAMING AUTHORIZED BY THIS PART SHALL NOT BE

- 1 PROHIBITED OR, EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B), OTHERWISE
- 2 REGULATED BY ANY ORDINANCE, HOME RULE CHARTER PROVISION,
- 3 RESOLUTION, RULE OR REGULATION OF ANY [POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR
- 4 ANY LOCAL OR STATE INSTRUMENTALITY OR AUTHORITY THAT RELATES TO
- 5 ZONING OR LAND USE TO THE EXTENT THAT THE LICENSED FACILITY HAS
- 6 BEEN APPROVED BY THE BOARD.] MUNICIPALITY.
- 7 (B) LAND USE.--
- 8 (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (3), ANY
- 9 ZONING AND LAND USE ORDINANCES, HOME RULE CHARTER PROVISIONS,
- 10 RESOLUTIONS, RULES OR REGULATIONS OF ANY MUNICIPALITY SHALL
- 11 NOT APPLY TO PROPERTY UPON WHICH A LICENSED FACILITY OR
- 12 <u>LICENSED RACETRACK IS OR WILL BE LOCATED.</u> THE BOARD MAY [IN
- 13 ITS DISCRETION CONSIDER SUCH] CONSIDER LOCAL ZONING
- 14 ORDINANCES WHEN CONSIDERING AN APPLICATION FOR A SLOT MACHINE
- 15 LICENSE. THE BOARD SHALL PROVIDE THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION,
- 16 WITHIN WHICH AN APPLICANT FOR A SLOT MACHINE LICENSE HAS
- 17 PROPOSED TO LOCATE A LICENSED [GAMING] FACILITY, A 60-DAY
- 18 COMMENT PERIOD PRIOR TO THE BOARD'S FINAL APPROVAL, CONDITION
- 19 OR DENIAL OF APPROVAL OF ITS APPLICATION FOR A SLOT MACHINE
- 20 LICENSE. THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
- 21 TO THE BOARD FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE APPLICANT'S PROPOSED
- 22 SITE PLANS THAT TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE IMPACT ON THE LOCAL
- 23 COMMUNITY.[, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, LAND USE AND
- 24 TRANSPORTATION IMPACT. THIS SECTION SHALL ALSO APPLY TO ANY
- 25 PROPOSED RACETRACK OR LICENSED RACETRACK.]
- 26 (2) PLANS AND ORDINANCES ADOPTED BY A MUNICIPALITY IN
- 27 ACCORDANCE WITH THE ACT OF JULY 31, 1968 (P.L.805, NO.247),
- 28 KNOWN AS THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPALITIES PLANNING CODE, SHALL
- 29 APPLY TO PROPERTY UPON WHICH A LICENSED FACILITY OR LICENSED
- 30 RACETRACK IS OR WILL BE LOCATED.

- 1 (3) AN ORDINANCE, HOME RULE CHARTER PROVISION,
- 2 RESOLUTION, RULE OR REGULATION WHICH RELATES TO ZONING OR
- 3 LAND USE ADOPTED BY A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS SHALL APPLY TO
- 4 PROPERTY UPON WHICH A LICENSED FACILITY OR LICENSED RACETRACK
- 5 <u>IS OR WILL BE LOCATED.</u>
- 6 § 1512. [PUBLIC OFFICIAL FINANCIAL INTEREST] FINANCIAL
- 7 <u>INTERESTS AND COMPLIMENTARY SERVICES AND DISCOUNTS.</u>
- 8 [(A) GENERAL RULE.--EXCEPT AS MAY BE PROVIDED BY RULE OR
- 9 ORDER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA SUPREME COURT, NO EXECUTIVE-LEVEL
- 10 STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL, PARTY OFFICER OR IMMEDIATE
- 11 FAMILY MEMBER THEREOF SHALL HAVE, AT OR FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE
- 12 DATE OF THIS PART, A FINANCIAL INTEREST IN OR BE EMPLOYED,
- 13 DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, BY ANY LICENSED RACING ENTITY OR
- 14 LICENSED GAMING ENTITY, OR ANY HOLDING, AFFILIATE, INTERMEDIARY
- 15 OR SUBSIDIARY COMPANY, THEREOF, OR ANY SUCH APPLICANT, NOR
- 16 SOLICIT OR ACCEPT, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ANY COMPLIMENTARY
- 17 SERVICE OR DISCOUNT FROM ANY LICENSED RACING ENTITY OR LICENSED
- 18 GAMING ENTITY WHICH HE OR SHE KNOWS OR HAS REASON TO KNOW IS
- 19 OTHER THAN A SERVICE OR DISCOUNT THAT IS OFFERED TO MEMBERS OF
- 20 THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN LIKE CIRCUMSTANCES DURING HIS OR HER
- 21 STATUS AS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR
- 22 PARTY OFFICER AND FOR ONE YEAR FOLLOWING TERMINATION OF THE
- 23 PERSON'S STATUS AS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC
- 24 OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER.]
- 25 (A) FINANCIAL INTERESTS. -- AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE,
- 26 PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER, OR AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER
- 27 THEREOF, SHALL NOT DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 28 (1) HOLD, WHETHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, A FINANCIAL
- 29 <u>INTEREST IN ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE</u>, MANUFACTURER LICENSEE,
- 30 SUPPLIER LICENSEE, LICENSED RACING ENTITY OR IN ANY HOLDING,

- 1 AFFILIATE, INTERMEDIARY OR SUBSIDIARY COMPANY THEREOF WHILE
- 2 THE INDIVIDUAL IS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC
- 3 OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER AND FOR ONE YEAR FOLLOWING
- 4 TERMINATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL'S STATUS AS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL
- 5 STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER.
- 6 (2) HOLD, WHETHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, A FINANCIAL
- 7 INTEREST IN ANY APPLICANT FOR A SLOT MACHINE LICENSE,
- 8 MANUFACTURER LICENSE, SUPPLIER LICENSE OR RACETRACK OR IN ANY
- 9 <u>HOLDING</u>, AFFILIATE, INTERMEDIARY OR SUBSIDIARY COMPANY OF THE
- 10 APPLICANT WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL IS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE
- 11 EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER AND FOR ONE YEAR
- 12 FOLLOWING TERMINATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL'S STATUS AS AN
- 13 <u>EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE</u>, <u>PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY</u>
- 14 OFFICER.
- 15 (A.1) EMPLOYMENT.--
- 16 (1) AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL
- 17 OR PARTY OFFICER SHALL NOT BE EMPLOYED, WHETHER DIRECTLY OR
- 18 INDIRECTLY, BY ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE, MANUFACTURER
- 19 LICENSEE, SUPPLIER LICENSEE, LICENSED RACING ENTITY OR
- 20 RACETRACK, OR AN APPLICANT THEREFOR, OR BY ANY HOLDING,
- 21 AFFILIATE, INTERMEDIARY OR SUBSIDIARY COMPANY THEREOF, WHILE
- 22 THE INDIVIDUAL IS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC
- 23 OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER AND FOR ONE YEAR FOLLOWING
- 24 TERMINATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL'S STATUS AS AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL
- 25 STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER.
- 26 (2) AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER OF AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL
- 27 STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER SHALL NOT BE
- 28 EMPLOYED TO PROVIDE SERVICES FOR ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE,
- 29 MANUFACTURER LICENSEE, SUPPLIER LICENSEE, LICENSED RACING
- 30 ENTITY OR RACETRACK, OR AN APPLICANT THEREFOR, OR BY ANY

- 1 HOLDING, AFFILIATE, INTERMEDIARY OR SUBSIDIARY COMPANY
- 2 THEREOF, WHILE THE EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC
- 3 OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER OF THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER IS
- 4 AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY
- 5 <u>OFFICER.</u>
- 6 (A.2) COMPLIMENTARY SERVICES AND DISCOUNTS.--NO EXECUTIVE-
- 7 LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER, OR AN
- 8 IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER THEREOF, SHALL SOLICIT OR ACCEPT,
- 9 WHETHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ANY COMPLIMENTARY SERVICE OR
- 10 DISCOUNT FROM ANY SLOT MACHINE LICENSEE, MANUFACTURER LICENSEE,
- 11 SUPPLIER LICENSEE OR LICENSED RACING ENTITY WHICH THE EXECUTIVE-
- 12 LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER, OR AN
- 13 IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER THEREOF, KNOWS OR HAS REASON TO KNOW IS
- 14 OTHER THAN A SERVICE OR DISCOUNT THAT IS OFFERED TO MEMBERS OF
- 15 THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN LIKE CIRCUMSTANCES WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL IS
- 16 AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY
- 17 OFFICER.
- 18 (A.3) GRADING.--AN INDIVIDUAL WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION
- 19 COMMITS A MISDEMEANOR AND SHALL, UPON CONVICTION, BE SENTENCED
- 20 TO PAY A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000 OR TO IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT
- 21 MORE THAN ONE YEAR, OR BOTH.
- 22 (A.4) DIVESTITURE.--AN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE,
- 23 PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY OFFICER, OR AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER
- 24 THEREOF, WHO HOLDS A FINANCIAL INTEREST PROHIBITED BY THIS
- 25 <u>SECTION SHALL DIVEST THE FINANCIAL INTEREST WITHIN THREE MONTHS</u>
- 26 OF THE EFFECTUATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION
- 27 (A), AS APPLICABLE.
- 28 (A.5) LIST OF APPLICANTS. -- THE BOARD SHALL PUBLISH MONTHLY
- 29 <u>IN THE PENNSYLVANIA BULLETIN AND ON ITS INTERNET WEBSITE A LIST</u>
- 30 OF APPLICANTS FOR SLOT MACHINE LICENSES, SUPPLIER LICENSES AND

- 1 MANUFACTURER LICENSES.
- 2 (B) DEFINITIONS.--AS USED IN THIS SECTION, THE FOLLOWING
- 3 WORDS AND PHRASES SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
- 4 SUBSECTION:
- 5 "EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE." THE GOVERNOR, LIEUTENANT
- 6 GOVERNOR, CABINET MEMBERS, DEPUTY SECRETARIES, THE GOVERNOR'S
- 7 OFFICE EXECUTIVE STAFF, ANY STATE EMPLOYEE WITH DISCRETIONARY
- 8 POWERS WHICH MAY AFFECT THE OUTCOME OF A STATE AGENCY'S DECISION
- 9 IN RELATION TO A PRIVATE CORPORATION OR BUSINESS, WITH RESPECT
- 10 TO ANY MATTER COVERED BY THIS PART OR ANY EXECUTIVE EMPLOYEE WHO
- 11 BY VIRTUE OF HIS JOB FUNCTION COULD INFLUENCE THE OUTCOME OF
- 12 SUCH A DECISION.
- "FINANCIAL INTEREST." OWNING OR HOLDING SECURITIES
- 14 [EXCEEDING 1% OF THE EQUITY OR FAIR MARKET VALUE OF THE] OF A
- 15 LICENSED RACING ENTITY, MANUFACTURER LICENSEE, SUPPLIER LICENSEE
- 16 OR LICENSED GAMING ENTITY, ITS HOLDING COMPANY, AFFILIATE,
- 17 INTERMEDIARY OR SUBSIDIARY BUSINESS OR AN APPLICANT FOR SUCH A
- 18 LICENSE. A FINANCIAL INTEREST SHALL NOT INCLUDE ANY [SUCH STOCK
- 19 THAT IS HELD IN A BLIND TRUST OVER WHICH THE EXECUTIVE-LEVEL
- 20 STATE EMPLOYEE, PUBLIC OFFICIAL, PARTY OFFICER OR IMMEDIATE
- 21 FAMILY MEMBER THEREOF MAY NOT EXERCISE ANY MANAGERIAL CONTROL OR
- 22 RECEIVE INCOME DURING THE TENURE OF OFFICE AND THE PERIOD UNDER
- 23 SUBSECTION (A).] OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 24 (1) A STOCK THAT IS HELD IN A BLIND TRUST OVER WHICH THE
- 25 <u>EXECUTIVE-LEVEL STATE EMPLOYEE</u>, <u>PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PARTY</u>
- 26 OFFICER, OR AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER THEREOF, MAY NOT
- 27 EXERCISE MANAGERIAL CONTROL OR RECEIVE INCOME DURING THE
- 28 TENURE OF OFFICE AND THE PERIOD UNDER SUBSECTION (A).
- 29 <u>(2) AN INTEREST HELD THROUGH A DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION</u>
- 30 PLAN.

- 1 (3) AN INTEREST HELD THROUGH A TUITION ACCOUNT PLAN
- 2 ORGANIZED AND OPERATED PURSUANT TO SECTION 529 OF THE
- 3 <u>INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 (PUBLIC LAW 99-514, 26 U.S.C. §</u>
- 4 <u>1 ET SEQ.).</u>
- 5 (4) AN INTEREST HELD IN A MUTUAL FUND WHERE THE INTEREST
- 6 OWNED BY THE INDIVIDUAL FUND IN THE LICENSED GAMING ENTITY
- 7 DOES NOT AMOUNT TO CONTROL OF THE LICENSED GAMING ENTITY AS
- 8 DEFINED BY THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940 54 STAT. 789,
- 9 <u>15 U.S.C. § 80A-1 ET SEQ.).</u>
- 10 "IMMEDIATE FAMILY." A PARENT, SPOUSE, MINOR OR UNEMANCIPATED
- 11 CHILD, BROTHER OR SISTER.
- 12 "PARTY OFFICER." A MEMBER OF A NATIONAL COMMITTEE; A
- 13 CHAIRMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN, SECRETARY, TREASURER OR COUNSEL OF A
- 14 STATE COMMITTEE OR MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF A STATE
- 15 COMMITTEE; A COUNTY CHAIRMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN, COUNSEL, SECRETARY
- 16 OR TREASURER OF A COUNTY COMMITTEE; OR A CITY CHAIRMAN, VICE
- 17 CHAIRMAN, COUNSEL, SECRETARY OR TREASURER OF A CITY COMMITTEE.
- 18 "PUBLIC OFFICIAL." ANY PERSON ELECTED BY THE PUBLIC OR
- 19 ELECTED OR APPOINTED BY A GOVERNMENTAL BODY OR AN APPOINTED
- 20 OFFICIAL IN THE EXECUTIVE, LEGISLATIVE OR JUDICIAL BRANCH OF
- 21 THIS COMMONWEALTH OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, PROVIDED
- 22 THAT IT SHALL NOT INCLUDE MEMBERS OF ADVISORY BOARDS THAT HAVE
- 23 NO AUTHORITY TO EXPEND PUBLIC FUNDS OTHER THAN REIMBURSEMENT FOR
- 24 PERSONAL EXPENSE OR TO OTHERWISE EXERCISE THE POWER OF THE
- 25 COMMONWEALTH OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION [OR COMMISSIONER OF
- 26 ANY AUTHORITY OR JOINT-STATE COMMISSION].
- 27 SECTION 7. SECTION 1517(D) OF TITLE 4, ADDED JULY 5, 2004
- 28 (P.L.572, NO.71), IS AMENDED AND THE SECTION IS AMENDED BY
- 29 ADDING SUBSECTIONS TO READ:
- 30 § 1517. ENFORCEMENT.

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- 2 (C.1) POWERS AND DUTIES OF ATTORNEY GENERAL. -- WITHIN THE
- 3 OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL ESTABLISH
- 4 A GAMING DIVISION. THE DIVISION SHALL INVESTIGATE AND INSTITUTE
- 5 CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AS AUTHORIZED BY SUBSECTION (D).
- 6 (D) CRIMINAL ACTION.--
- 7 (1) THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES SHALL
- 8 HAVE AUTHORITY TO INVESTIGATE AND TO INSTITUTE CRIMINAL
- 9 PROCEEDINGS FOR [ANY] A VIOLATION OF THIS PART.
- 10 (2) IN ADDITION TO THE AUTHORITY CONFERRED UPON THE
- 11 ATTORNEY GENERAL [BY] <u>UNDER</u> THE ACT OF OCTOBER 15, 1980
- 12 (P.L.950, NO.164), KNOWN AS THE COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEYS ACT,
- 13 THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO INVESTIGATE
- 14 AND, FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH THE APPROPRIATE DISTRICT
- 15 ATTORNEY, TO INSTITUTE CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS FOR [ANY] A
- 16 VIOLATION OF THIS PART. [OR ANY SERIES OF SUCH VIOLATIONS
- 17 INVOLVING ANY COUNTY OF THIS COMMONWEALTH AND ANOTHER STATE.
- 18 NO] A PERSON CHARGED WITH A VIOLATION OF THIS PART BY THE
- 19 ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL NOT HAVE STANDING TO CHALLENGE THE
- 20 AUTHORITY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO INVESTIGATE OR PROSECUTE
- 21 THE CASE, AND, IF ANY SUCH CHALLENGE IS MADE, THE CHALLENGE
- 22 SHALL BE DISMISSED AND NO RELIEF SHALL BE AVAILABLE IN THE
- 23 COURTS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH TO THE PERSON MAKING THE
- 24 CHALLENGE.
- 25 (D.1) REGULATORY ACTION. -- NOTHING CONTAINED IN SUBSECTION
- 26 (D) SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO LIMIT THE EXISTING REGULATORY OR
- 27 INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY OF A DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY OF THE
- 28 COMMONWEALTH WHOSE FUNCTIONS RELATE TO PERSONS OR MATTERS
- 29 FALLING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THIS PART.
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1	SECTION 8. SECTION 911(H)(1) OF TITLE 18 IS AMENDED TO READ:
2	§ 911. CORRUPT ORGANIZATIONS.
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4	(H) DEFINITIONSAS USED IN THIS SECTION:
5	(1) "RACKETEERING ACTIVITY" MEANS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
6	(I) [ANY] AN ACT WHICH IS INDICTABLE UNDER ANY OF
7	THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE:
8	CHAPTER 25 (RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE)
9	SECTION 2706 (RELATING TO TERRORISTIC THREATS)
10	CHAPTER 29 (RELATING TO KIDNAPPING)
11	CHAPTER 33 (RELATING TO ARSON, ETC.)
12	CHAPTER 37 (RELATING TO ROBBERY)
13	CHAPTER 39 (RELATING TO THEFT AND RELATED
14	OFFENSES)
15	SECTION 4108 (RELATING TO COMMERCIAL BRIBERY AND
16	BREACH OF DUTY TO ACT DISINTERESTEDLY)
17	SECTION 4109 (RELATING TO RIGGING PUBLICLY
18	EXHIBITED CONTEST)
19	SECTION 4117 (RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD)
20	CHAPTER 47 (RELATING TO BRIBERY AND CORRUPT
21	INFLUENCE)
22	CHAPTER 49 (RELATING TO FALSIFICATION AND
23	INTIMIDATION)
24	SECTION 5111 (RELATING TO DEALING IN PROCEEDS OF
25	UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES)
26	SECTION 5512 THROUGH 5514 (RELATING TO GAMBLING)
27	CHAPTER 59 (RELATING TO PUBLIC INDECENCY).
28	(II) [ANY] <u>AN</u> OFFENSE INDICTABLE UNDER SECTION 13 OF
29	THE ACT OF APRIL 14, 1972 (P.L.233, NO.64), KNOWN AS THE
30	CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE, DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC ACT

- 1 (RELATING TO THE SALE AND DISPENSING OF NARCOTIC
- 2. DRUGS)[;].
- 3 (III) [ANY] A CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT ANY OF THE
- 4 OFFENSES SET FORTH IN SUBPARAGRAPHS (I) [AND (II) OF THIS
- 5 PARAGRAPH; OR], (II) OR (V).
- 6 (IV) [THE] THE COLLECTION OF ANY MONEY OR OTHER
- PROPERTY IN FULL OR PARTIAL SATISFACTION OF A DEBT WHICH 7
- 8 AROSE AS THE RESULT OF THE LENDING OF MONEY OR OTHER
- 9 PROPERTY AT A RATE OF INTEREST EXCEEDING 25% PER ANNUM OR
- 10 THE EQUIVALENT RATE FOR A LONGER OR SHORTER PERIOD, WHERE
- 11 NOT OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED BY LAW.
- (V) AN OFFENSE INDICTABLE UNDER 4 PA.C.S. PT. II 12
- 13 (RELATING TO GAMING).
- [ANY] AN ACT WHICH OTHERWISE WOULD BE CONSIDERED RACKETEERING 14
- ACTIVITY BY REASON OF THE APPLICATION OF THIS PARAGRAPH, 15
- 16 SHALL NOT BE EXCLUDED FROM ITS APPLICATION SOLELY BECAUSE THE
- 17 OPERATIVE ACTS TOOK PLACE OUTSIDE THE JURISDICTION OF THIS
- 18 COMMONWEALTH, IF SUCH ACTS WOULD HAVE BEEN IN VIOLATION OF
- 19 THE LAW OF THE JURISDICTION IN WHICH THEY OCCURRED.
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- SECTION 9. ALL ACTS AND PARTS OF ACTS, INCLUDING 4 PA.C.S. 21
- 22 PT. II, ARE REPEALED INSOFAR AS THEY ARE INCONSISTENT WITH THIS
- 23 ACT.
- 24 SECTION 10. THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY.