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GAMING COMMISSION ACT 1987

GAMING COMMISSION AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 1995

Made by the deputy of the Governor in Executive Council.

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the Gaming Commission Amendment Regulations 1995.

Principal regulations

- 2. In these regulations the Gaming Commission Regulations 1988* are referred to as the principal regulations.
 - [* Published in Gazette of 29 April 1988 at pp. 1295-304. For amendments to 1 November 1995 see 1994 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, p. 105, and Gazette of 6 January 1995.]

Regulation 18AA inserted

3. After regulation 18A of the principal regulations, the following regulation is inserted —

Video lottery terminals

- **18AA.** (1) In these regulations, "video lottery terminal" means a device which displays electronically on a video screen a depiction of a card displaying symbols, by reference to which prizes in the game played may be won.
- (2) The possession or use of a video lottery terminal is unlawful unless the conditions in subregulations (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8) and (9) are met.
 - (3) A video lottery terminal must not -
 - (a) provide a means of direct cash pay out; or
 - (b) allow more than four different kinds ("series") of the same type of game to be played at any one time
- (4) A video lottery terminal shall not be constructed or adapted so as to be playable by means of the insertion of any cash, other than of the amount determined from time to time by the Commission.
- (5) A video lottery terminal shall not dispense to the person playing the device any thing other than, where the card displayed electronically by the device constitutes a winning score, a prize docket evidencing the amount of the win.
- (6) A prize docket evidencing a win on a video lottery terminal shall be exchangeable with a person authorized by the permit holder for cash equal to the amount displayed on that docket.
- (7) A video lottery terminal shall be located in premises approved by the Commission and specified in a permit issued in respect of that device, and not elsewhere.
- (8) The total value of the prize dockets a video lottery terminal is designed to distribute shall comprise 70% of the total cash received by the device.

(9) Of the total amount of cash received by a video lottery terminal 6% shall be paid to the Commission, after allowing for reimbursement of the amounts paid out by way of prize money in exchange for prize dockets.

Regulation 18B amended

4. Regulation 18B (1) of the principal regulations is amended by inserting after "regulation 18A" the following — $\,$

or 18AA

By Command of the deputy of the Governor,

J. PRITCHARD, Clerk of the Council.