

**DECISION UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY ON AN APPLICATION
BY SKYCITY CASINO MANAGEMENT LIMITED FOR APPROVAL
OF A NEW FLOOR PLAN FOR THE AUCKLAND CASINO**

Date of Decision: 21 May 2020

1. On 20 May 2020 SKYCITY Casino Management Limited (“**SCML**”) applied, pursuant to condition 11 of its operator’s licence for the Auckland casino, for approval of a new floor plan, “2020 L2 002” for the Auckland casino.
2. Condition 11 of SCML’s operator’s licence for the Auckland casino provides as follows:
 11. The Licence Holder shall operate in accordance with approved floor layouts showing the position of gaming tables and gaming machines. The Licence Holder shall obtain approval for new floor plans prior to relocating or installing tables or machines in positions not specified in approved floor layouts. When applying, the Licence Holder must submit fresh plans showing the floor layout for the Gambling Area and details of the proposed CCTV layout for consideration. Any change must comply with the Surveillance Standard. The Executive Director and a single Gambling Commissioner may approve the new floor plans if they are satisfied that the floor layout has no potentially adverse effects. If they are not so satisfied, the proposed floor plan must be referred to the Commission for a decision on approval.

Submissions

3. SCML submitted as follows:
 - (a) It is currently reliant plan “2020 L2 001”.
 - (b) An application for construction and design changes for revised hoardings on level 2 of the casino was recently approved in Delegated Approval 1069. That application stated that should the revised hoardings be approved, and it chooses to proceed to deploy them, some gaming product will need to be moved and a revised level 2 floor plan would be submitted, once finalised.
 - (c) It wants to transition to the proposed new floor plan 2020 L2 001 should the revised hoarding layout be implemented.
 - (d) The 15:1 ratio of EGMs to gaming tables is not affected by the proposed changes.
 - (e) At all times, the number of EGMs and gaming tables will comply with the requirements of its licence conditions.

Decision

4. The floor plan proposal raises no issues of regulatory concern for the Commission. Accordingly, plan "2020 L2 002" (**attached**) is approved by the Chief Gambling Commissioner and the Executive Director under delegated authority, pursuant to condition 11 of SCML's operator's licence, for the Auckland casino.
5. Once SCML is reliant on plan 2020 L2 002, plan 2020 L2 001 will cease to be valid.



Lisa Hansen
Chief Gambling Commissioner
Gambling Commission

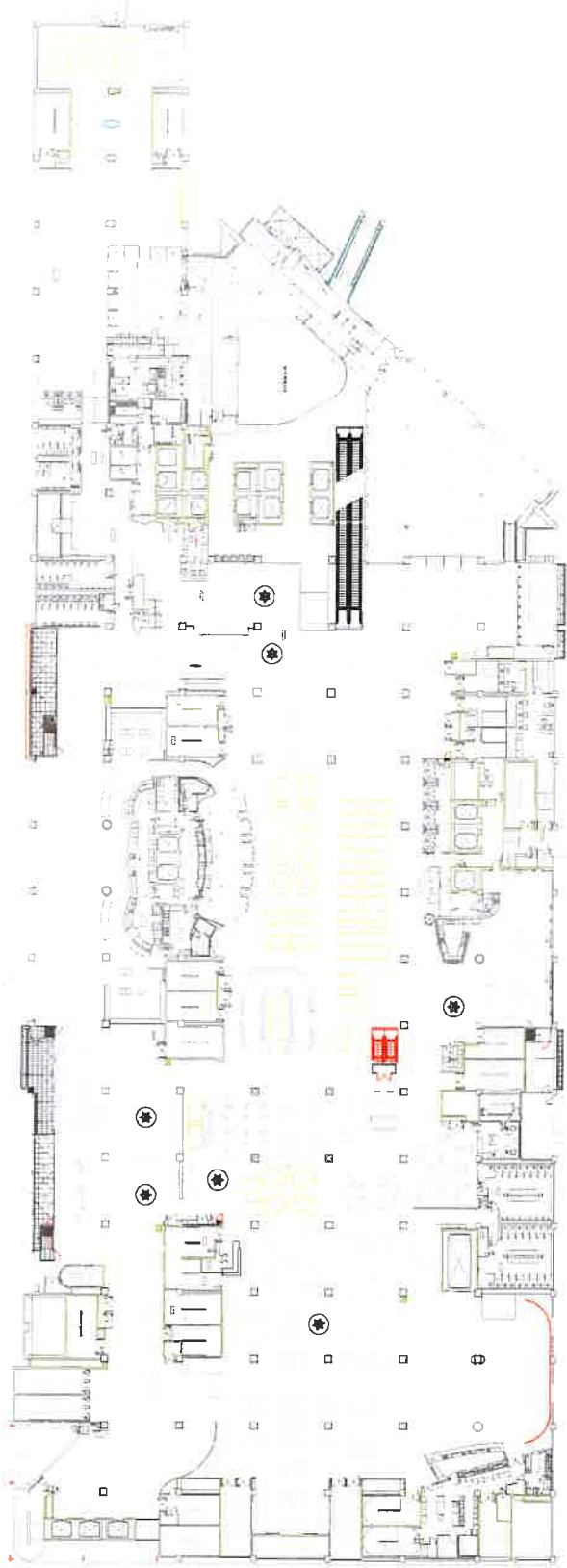


Blair Cairncross
Executive Director
Gambling Commission

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