

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

**Date of Decision: 15 February 2023**

1. On 8 February 2023, SKYCITY Casino Management Limited (“**SCML**”) applied, pursuant to condition 11 of its operator’s licence for the Auckland casino, for approval of new floor plans, “2023 L2 001”, “2023 L3 001” and “2023 L5 001” 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 it wants to make the following changes:

**Level 2**

- Remove 10 Terminals and install 10 EGMs in the area known as Rouge
- Reconfigure a bank of 6 EGMs into a Carousel of 6 EGMs in the Atrium Infill area and shift 18 EGMs
- Install 3 EGMs in the area adjacent to Andy’s Burger Bar
- Remove 7 Terminals from the Rapid Baccarat area and reconfigure the Terminals
- Install 2 Terminals and reconfigure terminals next to Rapid Baccarat
- Remove 6 EGMs and increase the size of the Carousel to 8 Terminals

**Level 3 – Platinum Room**

- Remove 8 EGMs
- Install 3 EGMs

**Level 5**

- Remove 2 Terminals from the outdoor area

4. At all times the number of EGMs and gaming tables will comply with the requirements of its licence conditions and similarly the mix of games will comply with approved game mixes.

5. Changes to the CCTV layout will be implemented to ensure compliance with the Surveillance Standard.

*Decision*

6. The Commission was satisfied that the proposed floor plans raise no issues of regulatory concern. Accordingly, plans “2023 L1 001”, “2023 L2 001” and “2023 L5 001” (**attached**) are 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.
7. Once SCML is reliant on plan “2023 L2 001”, plan “2022 L2 005” will cease to be valid.
8. Once SCML is reliant on plan “2023 L3 001”, plan “2022 L3 002” will cease to be valid.
9. Once SCML is reliant on plan “2023 L5 001”, plan “2022 L5 001” will cease to be valid.



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**Lisa Hansen**  
Chief Gambling Commissioner  
Gambling Commission



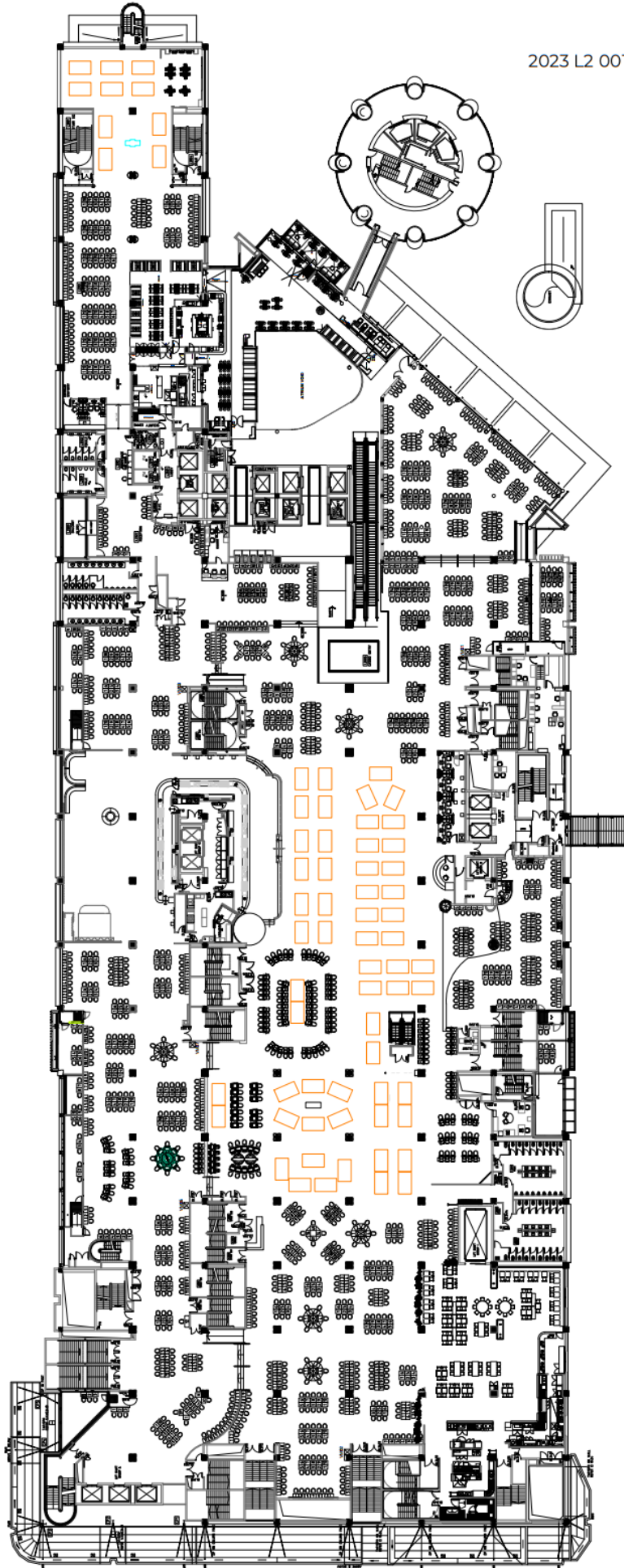
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**Blair Cairncross**  
Executive Director  
Gambling Commission

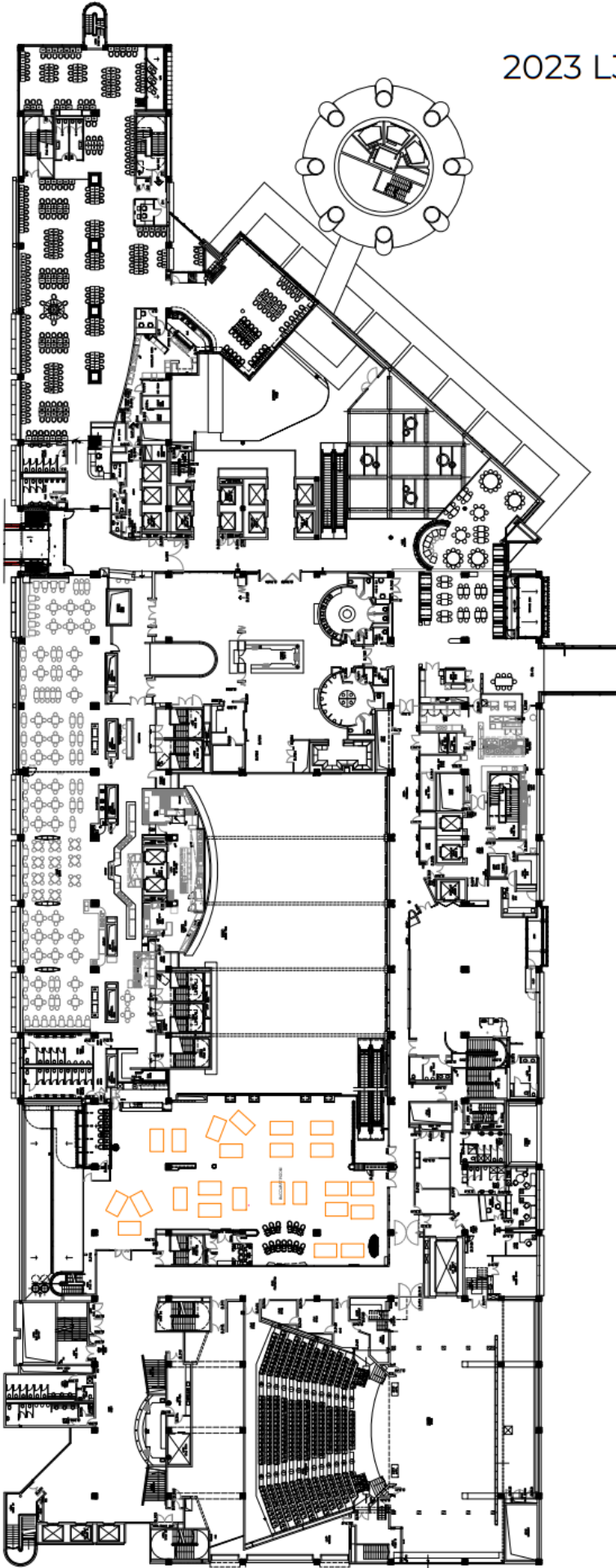
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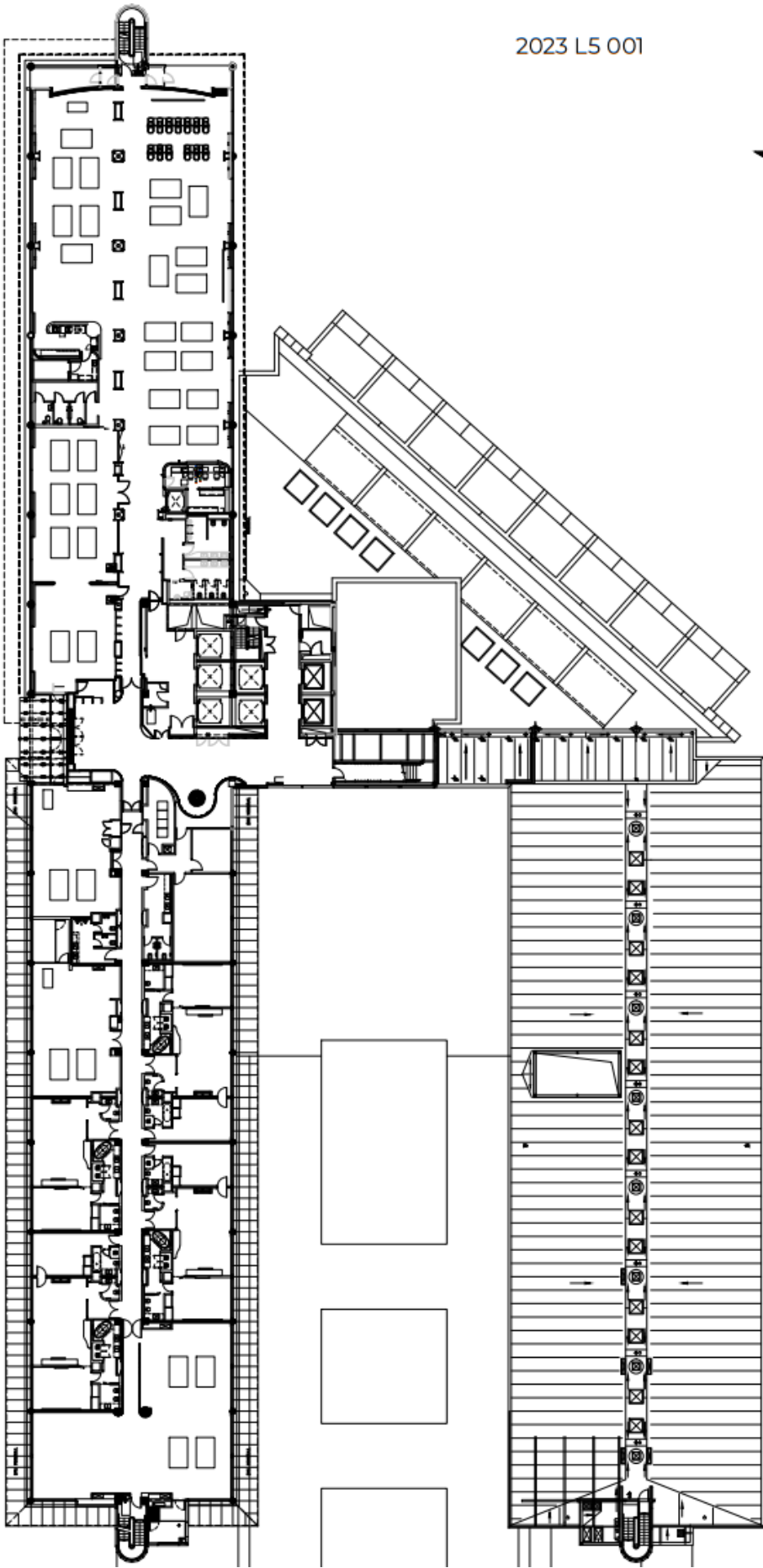
2023 L2 001



2023 L3 001



2023 L5 001



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