

**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 September 2016

1. On 20 September 2016, 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, 2016 L5 001.

2. Condition 11 provides as follows:

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.

3. SCML submitted as follows:

(a) It has previously received approval for plans NZICC Level 5 Stage 1 and NZICC Level 5 Stage 2. These plans have not been implemented and it does not intend to rely on them in the future.

(b) It wants to make changes to the placement of product in the area known as "Eight" and in Horizon Salon 81, both of which are on level 5. In Eight, it wants to reorient an existing group of six tables and install two additional tables. In Salon 81, it wants to install two additional tables.

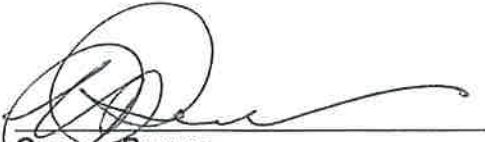
(c) The proposed changes are based on previously approved plans 2013 L5 1, 2013 L5 2 and 2013 L5 3.

(d) The number of tables and machines deployed will always comply with licence conditions.

4. The proposal raises no issues of regulatory concern for the Commission. Accordingly plan 2016 L5 001 (**attached**) is approved by the Chief Gambling Commissioner and the Executive Director under delegated authority pursuant to condition 11 SCML's operator's licence for the Auckland casino.



5. Once SCML is reliant on plan 2016 L5 001, plans NZICC Level 5 Stage 1 and NZICC Level 5 Stage 2 will cease to be valid.



Graeme Reeves
Chief Gambling Commissioner
Gambling Commission

21st September 2016



Blair Cairncross
Executive Director
Gambling Commission

2016 L5 001

