

**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: 29<sup>th</sup> November 2016

1. On 25 November 2016, SKYCITY Casino Management Limited ("SCML") applied, pursuant to condition 11 of its operator's licence for the Auckland casino, for approval of two new floor plans, 2016 L1 002 and 2016 L2 010.

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) On level 1 it wants to:

- remove one electronic gaming machine ("EGM") from a bank of 4; and
- reconfigure the remaining EGMs into one bank of 5.

The two banks of 6 EGMs remain unchanged.

(b) On level 2 it wants to:

- remove one EGM;
- reconfigure the remaining EGMs into two banks of 8 and one bank of 4.
- install two EGMs into the Diamond Room.

(c) At all times the number of EGMs and gaming tables (including substitute tables) will comply with licence conditions and the mix of games will also comply with the approved game mixes.

4. The proposal raises no issues of regulatory concern for the Commission. Accordingly plans 2016 L1 002 and 2016 L2 010 (attached) are 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 L1 002, plan 2016 L1 001 will cease to be valid.
- 6. Once SCML is reliant on plan 2016 L2 010, plan 2016 L2 009 will cease to be valid.

  
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**Graeme Reeves**  
Chief Gambling Commissioner  
Gambling Commission

  
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**Nick Paterson**  
Executive Director  
Gambling Commission

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