

**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:** 14 March 2019

1. On 6 March 2019, 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, 2019 L2 002 Phase 2A and 2019 L2 002 Final A.

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:

- It obtained Commission approval for two floor plans, 2019 L2 002 Phase 2 and 2019 L2 002 Final, pursuant to delegated approval 919.
- It has now identified an error in those floor plans in that they were missing a bank of 5 EGMs.
- It seeks Commission approval for new floor plans, 2019 L2 002 Phase 2A and 2019 L2 002 Final A, to remedy this error.
- At all times the number of EGMs and gaming tables, including substitute tables, will comply with the requirements of its licence conditions. Similarly, the mix of games will comply with approved game mixes. Changes to the CCTV layout will be implemented to ensure that SCAL remains compliant with the Surveillance Standard.

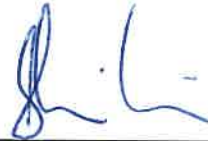
4. The proposal raises no issues of regulatory concern for the Commission. Accordingly plans 2019 L2 002 Phase 2A and 2019 L2 002 Final A (**attached**) are approved by the Chief Gambling Commissioner and the Executive Director under delegated authority pursuant to condition 11 SCML’s operator’s licence for the Auckland casino.

- 5. Once SCAL is reliant on plan 2019 L2 002 Phase 2A, plan 2019 L2 002 Phase 1 will cease to be valid.
- 6. Once SCAL is reliant on plan 2019 L2 002 Final A, plan 2019 L2 002 Phase 2A will cease to be valid.
- 7. Floor plans 2019 L2 002 Phase 2 and 2019 L2 002 Final cease to be valid with immediate effect.



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**Graeme Reeves**  
Chief Gambling Commissioner  
Gambling Commission



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**Blair Cairncross**  
Executive Director  
Gambling Commission

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