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Ms. Vonette Richter
Administrative Code Revisor
North Dakota Legislative Council
600 East Boulevard, 2nd Floor
Bismarck, ND 58505-0360

Dear Ms. Richter:

The Notice of Intent to Amend Administrative Rules and a copy of the proposed rules are enclosed as required by N.D.C.C. § 28-32-10(1).

The rule making implements, in part, House Bill Nos. 1161, 1231, 1235, 1448, and Senate Bill Nos. 2099 and 2184.

I am sending this information on behalf of the State Gaming Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Deb McDaniel".

Deb McDaniel, Director
Gaming Division

Enclosure

cc: Mr. James P. Wang, Chairman, State Gaming Commission

NOTICE OF INTENT TO
AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

TAKE NOTICE that the State Gaming Commission will hold public hearings to address proposed amendments to N.D. Admin. Code article 99-01.3 on the dates listed below. The purpose of the proposed amendments is to address industry issues, modify the conduct of games, improve accountability, clarify the rules, and implement law changes. The proposed amendments address organization licenses and permits, general rules, accounting rules, bingo, electronic quick shot bingo, raffles, pull tabs and similar games, sports pools, twenty-one, poker, calcuttas, paddlewheels, pull tab and prize board dispensing devices, eligible uses, and distributors and manufacturers of gaming equipment.

The proposed rulemaking implements legislation enacted in the 2015 legislative session: House Bill 1161 changes the wagers for the game of twenty-one, House Bill 1231 changes some requirements for distributors and manufacturers, House Bill 1235 allows the conduct of electronic quick shot bingo, House Bill 1448 changes the maximum monthly rent for pull tabs conducted with a dispensing device, Senate Bill 2099 increases the maximum wager for sports pools, and Senate Bill 2184 increases the cash prize limits for raffles.

The proposed amendment is not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the Office of Attorney General, 600 East Boulevard Avenue – Dept. 125, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0040 or on the Internet at www.ag.nd.gov/. A copy of the proposed rules and/or a regulatory analysis will be available at the public hearings and may be requested by writing the above address or calling 701-328-4848 or 1-800-326-9240. Written or oral comments on the proposed rules sent to the above address or telephone number and received by December 28, 2015, will be fully considered.

Public hearings will be held as follows:

<u>Time and Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
Starting at 10:00 a.m. Monday, December 14, 2015	Brynhild Haugland Room 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, N.D.
Starting at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 15, 2015	Education Room, Development Homes, Inc. 3880 S. Columbia Road, Grand Forks, N.D.
Starting at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 16, 2015	Community Room, Main Library 102 3 rd St. N., Fargo, N.D.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Gaming Division of the Office of Attorney General at the above telephone number or address at least **three (3)** days before the public hearing.

Dated this 6th day of November, 2015.

James P. Wang, Chairman