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**CASINO CONTROL ACT
(CHAPTER 33A)**

**CASINO CONTROL
(GAMING EQUIPMENT) (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2013**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 103, 103A, 105 and 200 of the Casino Control Act, the Casino Regulatory Authority of Singapore, with the approval of the Minister for Home Affairs, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Casino Control (Gaming Equipment) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 and shall come into operation on 31st January 2013.

Amendment of regulation 2

2. Regulation 2 of the Casino Control (Gaming Equipment) Regulations 2009 (G.N. No. S 414/2009) (referred to in these Regulations as the principal Regulations) is amended —

- (a) by deleting the words “regulation 21” in the definition of “approved gaming equipment” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “regulation 21(7)”;
- (b) by deleting the definition of “Approved List” in paragraph (1) and substituting the following definition:

““Approved List” means the Approved List of approved manufacturers, approved suppliers and approved test service providers maintained under these Regulations;”;

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- (c) by deleting the words “regulation 5” in the definition of “approved manufacturer” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “regulation 5(2)”;
 - (d) by deleting the words “regulation 5” in the definition of “approved supplier” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “regulation 5(2)”;
 - (e) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “approved supplier” in paragraph (1), the following definition:
 - “ “approved test service provider” means a provider of testing services that is approved by the Authority under regulation 24B(2) as an approved test service provider;”;
 - (f) by deleting the definition of “electronic table game” in paragraph (1);
 - (g) by deleting the definition of “modification” in paragraph (1) and substituting the following definition:
 - “ “modification”, in relation to any approved gaming machine, approved gaming equipment or approved linked jackpot arrangement, means any change —
 - (a) affecting the display or operation of the approved gaming machine, approved gaming equipment or approved linked jackpot arrangement; or
 - (b) capable of affecting the outcome of the game played on that approved gaming machine, with that approved gaming equipment or using that approved linked jackpot arrangement;”;
 - (h) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “modification” in paragraph (1), the following definition:
 - “ “official website” means the website of the Authority at <http://www.cra.gov.sg>;”;

- (i) by deleting the definition of “recognised testing laboratory” in paragraph (1);
- (j) by deleting the definition of “technical standards” in paragraph (1) and substituting the following definition:
 - “ “technical standards”, in relation to any gaming machine or other gaming equipment of a particular class or description, means any technical standards issued by the Authority applicable to gaming machines or gaming equipment of that class or description, updated from time to time and set out at the official website of the Authority or, if a modification to the technical standards has been allowed by the Authority under regulation 13(3) or 20(3), such technical standards as modified.”; and
- (k) by deleting the words “a manufacturer of gaming machines or a supplier of gaming machines” in paragraph (2) and substituting the words “any person approved by the Authority under these Regulations or any applicant for such approval,”.

Amendment of regulation 3

- 3. Regulation 3 of the principal Regulations is amended —
 - (a) by deleting the words “section 103(a)” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “section 103(1)(a)”;
 - (b) by deleting the words “regulation 4(2)” in paragraph (5)(c) and substituting the words “regulation 26A(2)”.

Deletion of regulation 4

- 4. Regulation 4 of the principal Regulations is deleted.

Amendment of regulation 5

- 5. Regulation 5 of the principal Regulations is amended —
 - (a) by inserting, immediately after paragraph (1), the following paragraph:

“(1A) In determining the suitability of the applicant under paragraph (1), the Authority may at its discretion consider the suitability of any associate of the applicant having regard to the relevant matters referred to in paragraph (1).”;

- (b) by deleting the words “paragraph (1)” in paragraph (2) and substituting the words “paragraphs (1) and (1A)”; and
- (c) by deleting the words “thinks fit” in paragraph (2) and substituting the words “may impose”.

Amendment of regulation 7

6. Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting the word “and” at the end of paragraph (1)(b)(i);
- (b) by inserting, “(ii) immediately after sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (1)(b), the following sub-paragraph for the purpose of enabling the Authority to obtain information (including financial and any confidential information) concerning the approved manufacturer or approved supplier, as the case may be, and his associate from any other person; and”;
- (c) by deleting the words “in Singapore” in paragraph (2)(a);
- (d) by inserting, immediately after sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (2), the following sub-paragraph:

“(ab) provide such written undertaking as may be required by the Authority in furtherance of the objectives of these Regulations;”;
- (e) by deleting the words “in Singapore” in paragraph (2)(b);
- (f) by deleting the word “and” at the end of paragraph (2)(c);
- (g) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (d) of paragraph (2) and substituting the word “; and”, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraph:

“(e) permit the Authority, its officer or its agent to inspect any premises in Singapore or elsewhere where an approved manufacturer or approved supplier carries on business, for the purpose of an investigation under regulation 8.”;

(h) by inserting, immediately after paragraph (2), the following paragraph:

“(2A) The Authority, its officer or its agent shall not be liable to pay any person any fee, charge or expense on account of any inspection under paragraph (2)(e).”; and

(i) by deleting paragraph (4).

Amendment of regulation 8

7. Regulation 8 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by inserting, at the end of paragraph (a), the word “or”;
- (b) by deleting the word “; or” at the end of paragraph (b) and substituting a comma;
- (c) by deleting paragraph (c);
- (d) by inserting, immediately after the words “the approved manufacturer or approved supplier”, the words “having regard to the matters referred to in regulation 5(1)”; and
- (e) by deleting the regulation heading and substituting the following regulation heading:

“Regular investigation of suitability and technical capability”.

New regulation 8A

8. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting, immediately after regulation 8, the following regulation:

“On-going monitoring of associates and others

8A.—(1) The Authority may, from time to time, inquire into an associate, or a person likely to become an associate, of an approved manufacturer or approved supplier.