RESOLUTION 1997- 24

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING, AS A FINAL RULE, 68 IAC 11-4

The Indiana Gaming Commission ("Commission") adopts the following resolution pursuant to the authority granted to it under IC 4-33 and pursuant to 68 IAC 1-2-6.

The following factors have been considered by the Commission:

- 1. The Commission has begun promulgation of this rule pursuant to IC 4-21.5, and this rule was published in Volume 20 of the *Indiana Register*, pages 2425 through 2426, on June 1, 1997.
- 2. The Commission held a public hearing on this rule on June 25, 1997, and accepted written comment on the same. The verbal comments from the public hearing were transcribed, and the transcript as well as the written comments have been provided to the Commission members for review.
- 3. The promulgation process for the final promulgation of this rule will take approximately four (4) to six (6) months.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION, THAT THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED:

SECTION 1. SCOPE.

This resolution applies to each applicant, each licensee, each riverboat license applicant, any person who does business with an applicant or licensee, and any person who is a patron of a Riverboat Gambling Operation.

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS.

The definitions set forth in IC 4-33-2 and 68 IAC apply to this resolution.

SECTION 3. ADOPTION OF THE FINAL RULES.

The Commission adopts the following final rules pending completion of the promulgation process:

Article 11 Internal Control Procedures
68 IAC 11-4 Opening and Closing Live Gaming Devices

Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-27 through IC 4-22-2-30, the Commission adopts the rule which is being forwarded to the Attorney General's Office on or before July 31, 1997 for approval as final rules pursuant to IC 4-22-2-32. Upon approval by the Attorney General's Office, the rules will be submitted to the Governor's office for approval pursuant to IC 4-22-2-33. After the rules have been approved or deemed approved by the Governor, the rules shall be submitted to the Secretary of State for filing in accordance with IC 4-22-2-35. The Commission further adopts any stylistic, grammatical, typographical, or other nonsubstantive changes which the Commission or the Legislative Services Agency may make before the rules are printed as final rules in the *Indiana Register*.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This RESOLUTION is effective immediately.

SECTION 5. EXPIRATION DATE.

This RESOLUTION expires thirty (30) days from the date and time that the Secretary of State accepts the rules listed in Section 3 for filing.

ADOPTED, THIS THE 22ND DAY OF JULY, 1997:

THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:

Alan I. Klineman, Chair

ATTEST:

Donald Vowels, Secretary