

**ORDER 2017-192**  
**AN ORDER OF THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION**  
**REGARDING THE PETITION FOR REMOVAL FROM**  
**THE EXCLUSION LIST OF STEPHEN BLANDFORD**

On April 4, 2011, Executive Director, Ernest E. Yelton, took action pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-33-4-7(a) and 68 IAC 6-1-3 to exclude Stephen Blandford from gambling facilities in Indiana by including him on the Indiana Gaming Commission's Exclusion List. On July 20, 2017, the Commission received Mr. Blandford's petition for removal from the Exclusion List pursuant to 68 IAC 6-1-5.

Commission staff attorney, Dustin Moloy, was appointed as review officer pursuant to 68 IAC 6-1-6. A hearing was held on October 6, 2017, with Mr. Blandford and the review officer participating. Mr. Moloy submitted his Findings of Fact and Recommendation to the Commission in accordance with 68 IAC 6-1-12.

The review officer recommends granting Mr. Blandford's petition for removal from the Exclusion List.

**COMMISSION ACTION**

After reviewing the foregoing and the Findings of Fact and Recommendation, the Commission hereby

**ADOPTS** REJECTS

the Findings of Fact and Recommendation of the review officer approving Stephen Blandford's petition for removal from the Exclusion List.

**IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 16<sup>th</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2017.**

**THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:**

  
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Cris Johnston, Chair

**ATTEST:**

  
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Joseph Svetanoff, Secretary