

1 Title 36 STATE LOTTERY AND
2 GAMING CONTROL AGENCY

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4 Subtitle 05 TABLE GAMES

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6 Chapter .02 Table Game Equipment

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8 Authority: State Government Article, §§ 9-1A-02(b), 9-1A-04(d), Annotated Code of Maryland

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11 .20 Dealer Controlled Electronic Table Games – Requirements

12 A. **Wagering.** A facility operator may conduct electronic wagering at a table game in accordance with
13 this chapter.

14 (1) Electronic wagering at a table game shall be conducted through the use of a dealer controlled
15 electronic table game system.

16 (2) If a dealer controlled electronic table game system is in use at a table game, a player may
17 make only those wagers that are approved by the Commission.

18 B. through E. (text unchanged)

19 F. A dealer controlled electronic table game system shall:

20 (1) Credit funds to the game account of a player when a player buys in to a game at a particular
21 table game and debit any remaining funds from the game account when a player cashes out of the
22 game;

23 (2) Permit a player to:

24 (a) Wager from a game account;

25 (b) Collect a losing wager from a game account; and

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This regulation would clarify that a facility conducting electronic wagering at a table game must conduct that gaming in accordance with the standard rules for Poker.

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- 1 (c) Pay a winning wager by crediting the amount of the winnings and corresponding
2 wager to the game account;
- 3 (3) In the game of Poker:
- 4 (a) Debit a game account and increment pot for a wager;
- 5 (b) Distribute a winning pot by crediting the game account of a winning player in the
6 appropriate amounts;
- 7 (c) Extract the rake from a player or pot according to the rake procedures established
8 under ~~COMAR 36.05.06~~ **the standard rules for Poker**, and debit the game account of a
9 player in the correct amounts; and
- 10 (d) Make a player's balance or table stakes visible to all players in the game;
- 11 (4) Depict the transactions described in §F(1), (2) and (3) of this regulation through one or more
12 electronic fund displays that are visible to each player and to the dealer or boxperson;
- 13 (5) Disclose to a player at all times the current balance in the player's game account;
- 14 (6) Accurately report and audit the table game's win or loss, or Poker revenue, in accordance with
15 ~~COMAR 36.05.06~~ **the standard rules for Poker**;
- 16 (7) Be capable of generating reports setting forth, by gaming day, for each table game using the
17 dealer controlled electronic table game system:
- 18 (a) The total amount deposited into the game account of a player;
- 19 (b) The total amount deposited into game accounts by all players;
- 20 (c) The total amount credited to the game account of a player in payment of winnings;

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- 1 (d) The total amount credited to the game accounts of all players in payment of winnings;
- 2 (e) The total amount collected from a player as losing wagers;
- 3 (f) The total amount collected from all players as losing wagers;
- 4 (g) The total amount withdrawn from game accounts by each player;
- 5 (h) The total amount withdrawn from game accounts by all players; and
- 6 (i) The table game win or loss; and
- 7 (j) If applicable, for Poker:
- 8 (i) The total amount deducted from the game account of a player for collection of
- 9 Poker rake time charges under ~~COMAR 36.05.06~~ **the standard rules for Poker;**
- 10 (ii) The total amount collected from the accounts of each player for collection of
- 11 Poker rake time charges under ~~COMAR 36.05.06~~ **the standard rules for Poker;**
- 12 (iii) The total amount collected from Poker pots for collection of Poker rake
- 13 under ~~COMAR 36.05.06~~ **the approved rules for Poker;** and
- 14 (iv) The table game Poker revenue.
- 15 G. through I. (text unchanged)

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