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STAFF AGENDA MEMORANDUM

DATE OF MEETING: June 27, 2013

AGENDA ITEM: Emergency Regulations – Table Games

Regulations to be Withdrawn

36.03.05.15 Table Game Taxes and Gross Table Game Revenue

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PRESENTER: Charles LaBoy, Assistant Director for Gaming

ISSUE SUMMARY: **36.03.05.15 Table Game Taxes and Gross Table Game Revenue**
The table game regulations have been revised to allow for payment of table game taxes within two (2) days to allow the gaming facilities more time to conclude their revenue audits of table game operations prior to payment to prevent recurring revisions and adjustments. Additionally the revenue formula has been modified to account for the allowance of tax free promotional play on table game in accordance with BH 1155.

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The table game regulations have been revised to incorporate payable changes and to provide for an additional progressive tier.

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COMMISSION ACTION REQUIRED/REQUESTED: Commission withdrawal of the above listed COMAR sections and approval of the revised COMAR sections on an emergency basis.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Staff recommends Commission approval of requested actions