RESOLUTION 2024-133 ADOPTING LSA DOCUMENT #24-115 AS A FINAL RULE

The Indiana Gaming Commission ("Commission") adopts this resolution pursuant to the authority granted under Ind. Code § 4-33-4-3 and Ind. Code § 4-35-4-2.

The Commission has considered the following factors:

- 1. This rulemaking is necessary for the Commission to fulfill its responsibilities under IC 4-33-4, IC 4-35-4, and 68 IAC while accomplishing the transparency goals of IC 4-22-2-19.6 regarding fees, fines, and penalties.
- 2. On December 19, 2023 the Commission went before the State Budget Committee as required for rules regarding fees, fines, and penalties.
- 3. On March 4, 2024, the Commission received approval and the recommendation from the Office of Management and Budget to promulgate rules fees, fines, and penalties regarding paid fantasy sports.
- 4. The Commission began promulgation of LSA Document #24-115 pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-22. The *Indiana Register* posted the LSA Document #24-115 Notice of First Public Comment Period with the Proposed Rule at DIN: 20240403-IR-068240115FNA on April 3, 2024.
- 5. The Commission held a public hearing on May 13, 2024 at 10:00AM in compliance with Ind. Code § 4-22. There were no attendees other than Commission staff, and no comments were received at the meeting.
- 6. The Commission received comments during the public comment period and responded to those comments. Due to substantive comments being received, a second comment period was required.
- 7. The *Indiana Register* posted LSA Document #24-115 Notice of Second Public Comment with the Proposed Rule at DIN: 20240612-IR-068240115SNA on June 12, 2024.
- 8. The Commission held a second public hearing on July 15, 2024 at 10:00AM in compliance with Ind. Code § 4-22. There were no attendees other than Commission staff, and no comments were received at the hearing or during the comment period.

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

SECTION 1: SCOPE

This resolution applies to all licensees and other persons subject to the jurisdiction of the commission pursuant to IC 4-33 and IC 4-35.

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS

The definitions set forth in Ind. Code § 4-33, Ind. Code § 4-35, and Title 68 of the Indiana Administrative Code apply to this resolution.

SECTION 3: ADOPTION OF THE FINAL RULE

The Commission adopts the following rules as reflected on the attached Final Rule document:

Adds 68 IAC 24-7.

Pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-22-2, the Commission approves the attached LSA document #24-115 Final Rule. Commission staff will forward the rule to the Office of the Attorney General for approval as to legality under Ind. Code § 4-22-2-32. Upon approval by the Office of the Attorney General, the rule will be submitted to the Governor's Office for approval pursuant to Ind. Code § 4-22-2-33. After the rule has been approved by the Governor, the rule will be submitted to the *Indiana Register* for filing in accordance with Ind. Code § 4-22-2-35. The Commission further approves and adopts any stylistic, grammatical, typographical, or other non-substantive changes that the Commission staff or the Legislative Services Agency may make to the rule document before it is printed as a final rule in the *Indiana Register*.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE

This resolution is effective immediately.

ADOPTED THIS 26th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2024.

THE INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION:

Milton O. Thompson, Chair

ATTEST:

Mike Williams, Commissioner