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COMMON GAMING HOUSES ACT
(CHAPTER 49)

COMMON GAMING HOUSES
(EXEMPTION) (NO. 72)
NOTIFICATION 2015

ARRANGEMENT OF PARAGRAPHS

Paragraph

1. Citation
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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Common Gaming Houses Act, the Minister for Home Affairs makes the following Notification:

Citation

1. This Notification may be cited as the Common Gaming Houses (Exemption) (No. 72) Notification 2015.

Exemption

2.—(1) The Minister exempts Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. from the provisions of the Act in respect of —

- (a) the “NYD Paiza Lucky Draw” promotion to be held from 15 December 2015 to 1 January 2016 (both dates inclusive); and
- (b) the draw to be held as part of that promotion at the Casino Atrium 2 of Marina Bay Sands at 1.30 a.m. on 1 January 2016.

(2) The exemption is subject to compliance by Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. with the conditions specified in the Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE

Paragraph 2

CONDITIONS

1. The methodology of the promotion, the details of the prizes to be distributed, their manner of distribution and, where the winners are determined solely or partly by a draw, the time, date and place of the draw, must be disclosed in printed publicity material, copies of which must be freely available to all participants.
2. Only persons in the employment of Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. may conduct the draw.
3. The draw must —
 - (a) be conducted in public; or
 - (b) if conducted in private by means of a computerised system, be witnessed and audited by a public accountant who is not in the employment of Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd.
4. The draw must not involve the use of any game, method, device, scheme or competition declared by the Minister under section 2(3) of the Act.
5. The draw must not involve the use of any instrument or appliance for gaming declared by the Minister under section 2(4) of the Act.
6. After the draw is completed, the results of the draw must be —
 - (a) announced via the audio-visual system at the draw area; and
 - (b) displayed on the digital signages within the areas of the casino at Marina Bay Sands that are accessible only to individuals who have a right to membership of the class among whom the draw prizes are to be allocated.
7. Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. must, before the start of the draw, undertake to ensure that an audited statement of accounts and the results of the draw are sent by registered post to the Head, Specialised Crime Policy Branch, Criminal Investigation Department, no later than 2 April 2016.

Made on 10 December 2015.

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