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COMMON GAMING HOUSES ACT
(CHAPTER 49)

COMMON GAMING HOUSES
(EXEMPTION) (NO. 15)
NOTIFICATION 2012

ARRANGEMENT OF PARAGRAPHS

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

Citation

1. This Notification may be cited as the Common Gaming Houses (Exemption) (No. 15) Notification 2012

Exemption

2.—(1) The Minister hereby exempts Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. from the provisions of the Act in respect of the “Play Here Win Now” promotion to be held from 16th April 2012 to 27th May 2012 (both dates inclusive) and comprising the following draws to be held at the Casino Main Floor (B2M) at Marina Bay Sands:

- (a) the “Daily Draws” to be held, as part of the “Play Here Win Now” promotion, from 16th April 2012 to 26th May 2012 (except 6th May 2012) between 7 p.m. and 10 p.m.; and
- (b) the “Play Here Win Now Finale” lucky draws to be held, as part of the “Play Here Win Now” promotion, on 6th May

2012 and 27th May 2012, respectively, between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m.

(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 if the winners are determined solely or partly by a draw, the time, date and place of the draw, shall be disclosed in printed publicity material, copies of which shall be freely available to all participants.
2. Every draw shall be conducted by persons in the employment of Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. only.
3. Every draw shall be conducted in public.
4. Every draw by means of a computerised system which is not conducted in public shall be witnessed and audited by a public accountant who is not in the employment of Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd.
5. Where any draw is conducted through the telecommunication system, participants shall not be required to pay more than 20 cents per call.
6. Every draw shall not involve the use of any game, method, device, scheme or competition declared by the Minister in a notification under section 2(3) of the Act.
7. Every draw shall not involve the use of any instrument or appliance for gaming declared by the Minister in a notification under section 2(4) of the Act.
8. Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd. shall, before the start of any of the draws, undertake to ensure that —
 - (a) all winners are notified by ordinary post or other means, including electronic means;
 - (b) the results of the draws are published in a domain where the public may have access (including the website of Marina Bay Sands Pte. Ltd.) in addition to being displayed on the casino plasma television sets after each draw is completed; and

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

- (c) an audited statement of accounts shall, together with the results of the draws, be sent by registered post to the Head, Specialised Crime Policy Branch, Criminal Investigation Department, no later than 28th August 2012.

Made this 13th day of April 2012.

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Singapore.*

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