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CASINO CONTROL ACT 1988

ALTERATION

Under section 72(3), I HEREBY ALTER the rules for authorised games of MINI-BACCARAT and POKER-CANBERRA POKER as set out in the accompanying schedule.

Dated this *Fourteenth* day of *March* 1995

STEPHEN MARS HUNTER
Delegate of the Minister

SCHEDULE

This and the following three (3) pages is the accompanying schedule to the Instrument of Alteration under section 72(3) of the Casino Control Act 1988 signed by me, Stephen Mars Hunter, the Delegate of the Minister on the
Fourteenth day of March 1995.

RULE AMENDMENTS

MINI-BACCARAT

8. THE INITIAL DEAL

Delete existing sections 8.1 to 8.3 inclusive.

Insert the following:

- "8.1 All cards used in the game of MINI-BACCARAT shall be dealt from a dealing shoe specifically designed for such purpose and located, on the table, to the left of the dealer.
- 8.2 Prior to the commencement of play of each shoe, the dealer shall deal the first card and display it to the players. The point value of the exposed card will indicate the number of cards which shall be drawn face down and discarded. For the purpose of this rule any 10, Jack, Queen or King shall have a value of 10.
- 8.3 Immediately prior to the commencement of a round of play and after all wagers are on the table, the dealer shall announce "NO MORE BETS". There shall be two optional methods of dealing cards in the initial deal.
- (a) For each coup the dealer shall initially deal the four cards in sequence, all face upwards or face downwards: one to the area marked "PLAYER'S HAND", one to the area marked "BANKERS HAND" and a further two cards in sequence to the "PLAYER'S" and "BANKER'S" hands. The dealer shall first announce the point count total of the "PLAYER'S HAND" and then the point count total of the "BANKER'S HAND"; or
 - (b) For each coup the dealer shall initially deal the four cards in sequence, face downwards: one to the area marked "PLAYER'S HAND", one to the area marked "BANKER'S HAND" and a further two cards in sequence to the "PLAYER'S" and "BANKER'S" hands.
 - (i) The dealer shall then, if required, pass the cards forming either "THE PLAYER'S HAND" or "THE BANKER'S HAND" or both to the designated players who have placed a wager on one or other of those categories.
 - (ii) If both sets of cards are to be passed out, the dealer must retrieve the first set of cards of one category prior to passing the cards forming the other category.

- (iii) The cards shall be opened by the dealer or the players and placed on the designated marked areas. The sequence of opening and displaying the cards shall be determined by the dealer."

10. ADDITIONAL CARDS

Delete existing sections 10.1 to 10.3 inclusive.

Insert the following:

"10.1 Subject to the table of play in accordance with rule 9, further cards may be dealt as follows:

- (a) Under dealing method rule 8.3(a):
 - (i) One card face upwards, if required, to the "PLAYER'S HAND". The dealer shall then announce the point count total; and
 - (ii) One card face upwards, if required, to the "BANKER'S HAND". The dealer shall then announce the point count total.
- (b) Under dealing method rule 8.3(b)
 - (i) One card face downwards, if required, to the designated marked area for the "PLAYER' HAND" which may then be either passed out to the player designated and opened, or exposed by the dealer. The dealer shall then announce the point count total.
 - (ii) One card face downwards, if required, to the designated marked area for the "BANKER'S HAND" which may then be either passed out to the player designated and opened, or exposed by the dealer. The dealer shall then announce the point count total.
 - (iii) An additional card passed to either category shall be retrieved and placed on the designated marked area prior to any other card being passed to the other category.
 - (iv) The sequence of opening and displaying cards shall be determined by the dealer.
 - (v) Only one category of cards shall be passed out at any one time. The dealer must retrieve that category before passing out the next category."

RULE AMENDMENTS

POKER - CANBERRA POKER

15. IRREGULARITIES

Delete existing sections 15.1 to 15.4 inclusive.

Insert the following:

- "15.1 A player is responsible for declaring his/her whole poker hand.
- 15.2 An exposed card dealt, shall not constitute a misdeal; the dealer shall turn the card over and continue to deal the game.
- 15.3 Subject to rule 15.2, three or more cards incorrectly exposed shall constitute a misdeal.
- 15.4 In the event of a hand being dealt to a player that is not in accordance with Rule 7.3, that hand shall be deemed void and any Boomerang Jackpot wager placed will be returned to the player.
- 15.5 A hand containing an incorrect number of cards dealt to any player shall be deemed void and any wagers placed shall be returned to the player.
- 15.6 A hand containing an incorrect number of cards to the dealer shall be considered a "NO HAND" and play shall continue in accordance with rule 9.3."