

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Regulations 1982, No. 73*

Regulations under the *Lotteries and Gaming Act*

I, ERIC EUGENE JOHNSTON, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the *Lotteries and Gaming Act*.

Dated this sixteenth day of December, 1982.

E.E. JOHNSTON
Administrator

LOTTERIES AND GAMING (GAMING MACHINES) REGULATIONS

PART I - PRELIMINARY

1. CITATION

These Regulations may be cited as the Lotteries and Gaming (Gaming Machines) Regulations.

2. DEFINITIONS

In these Regulations, unless the contrary intention appears -

"approved gaming machine" means a mechanical, electrical or electronic machine or device of a type or specification set out in the Schedule, played, used or operated for the purpose of obtaining by chance or by a combination of chance and skill a prize consisting of goods, services or credits representing goods or services;

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 23 December, 1982.

Price: 50 cents.

"licensee" means an approved association or other person who has been issued with a permit to operate an approved gaming machine;

"operate", in relation to an approved gaming machine, means to place and operate on the premises of, or on land for the time being occupied by, an approved association or person who has applied for and been issued with a permit under section 41 of the Act.

3. SPECIFICATIONS OF GAMING MACHINES

For the purposes of section 37(1) of the Act, the approved gaming machines specified in the Schedule may, subject to these Regulations, be operated in the Territory.

4. PERMIT TO USE APPROVED GAMING MACHINE

(1) A permit issued by the Commission for the operation of an approved gaming machine shall be endorsed with such conditions, if any, subject to which it is issued.

(2) Where a licensee operating an approved gaming machine contravenes or fails to comply with these Regulations or a condition of his permit, the Commission may cancel the permit.

(3) Where the Commission issues a permit in relation to an approved gaming machine it shall issue a registration label which the licensee shall affix in a conspicuous position on the approved gaming machine to which it relates and in respect of which the permit was issued.

Penalty: \$200.

5. PRIZES

(1) A prize that is offered to a player of an approved gaming machine shall be goods, services or credits representing goods or services.

(2) Where a prize referred to in sub-regulation (1) comprises or includes liquor within the meaning of the *Liquor Act*, it shall be dispensed to the player in accordance with the conditions of the licence of a person licensed under that Act.

(3) A licensee who operates an approved gaming machine shall have affixed on or in close proximity to the machine, a notice displayed in a conspicuous position setting out -

(a) the scale of; and

(b) the method of dispensing,
the prizes in relation to the gaming machine.

(4) A licensee who operates an approved gaming machine -

(a) shall dispense a prize in accordance with the scale and method referred to in sub-regulation (3); and

(b) shall not exchange, barter or trade a prize, resulting from the use of a machine by a player.

Penalty: \$500.

6. OFFENCES

A person who causes to be offered a cash prize or any sort of cash benefit or cash award in relation to the use of an approved gaming machine is guilty of an offence.

Penalty: \$500.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

APPROVED GAMING MACHINES

Type	Description	Name
Draw Poker	Hold & Draw Video Poker Game	Draw Poker Golden Poker Royal Poker Club Poker
Blackjack	Video Blackjack Game	Blackjack Twenty One "21"
Racing Quinella	Video Horse Race Game	Royal Derby Quinella Derby
