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June 15, 2020

William E. Stevens III
AGS
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Las Vegas, NV 89118

Dear Mr. Stevens,

Due to COVID-19 and at the manufacturer's request, games listed below can be dealt face-up until further notice:

- Cali Low Ball
- Chase the Flush
- Criss Cross Poker
- Jackpot Hold'em

No other modifications to the dealing procedures, game rules, or payouts are authorized.

Prior to implementing face-up dealing, licensees should

- Consider how play in this manner could affect the odds, play on the game, and be conducted in compliance with any state or county imposed COVID-19 public health requirements and
- Submit their internal controls and receive approval from the Commission.

If you have any questions on commercial implementation, please contact Brian Lane at (509) 387-7095. If you have any questions on Tribal implementation, please contact Kelly Main at (206) 423-4260.

Sincerely,

Tina Griffin
Assistant Director



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May 29, 2017

Kerrie Kimball
AGS, LLC
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RE: Cali LowBall

Dear Ms. Kimball,

Thank you for requesting approval to market the card game “Cali LowBall” to Washington State commercial card rooms and Tribal casinos. Based on our review of the documentation we received from AGS, the Washington State Gambling Commission will approve the game under the conditions listed below:

Commercial Card Rooms

- The game shall be played and operated under the terms and conditions set forth under the “Cali LowBall – Rules of Play” you provided and are enclosed.
- Commercial card room operators seeking to operate this game must first submit their internal controls and receive approval from the Commission prior to implementing.
- Manufacturers and distributors of graphic layouts and/or any other equipment associated with the game must be licensed by the state prior to the sale of the equipment.

Tribal Casinos

- The game shall be played and operated under the terms and conditions set forth under the “Cali Lowball – Rules of Play” you provided and are enclosed.
- Each Tribal Gaming Operation must request and obtain approval from their respective Tribal Gaming Agencies (TGA).
- Before TGA allows your game to operate, they will seek concurrence from our agency as well.



- In addition to your approved rules, the Tribal submission to us must include all supplemental information required by Tribal-State Compact Appendix A, Section 18.
- Manufacturers and distributors of graphic layouts and/or any other equipment associated with the game must be certified by the state and licensed by the Tribe prior to the sale of the equipment.

Please be advised that the Licensing Unit is currently reviewing your game application for any new substantial interest holders, as defined by WAC 230-03-045, related to this game and may be contacting you.

Furthermore, any modifications to this game may affect this approval. Contact the Commission should you contemplate modifications. If you have any questions about commercial implementation, please contact Brian Lane at (509) 886-6231. If you have any questions about Tribal implementation, please contact Kelly Main at (206) 423-4260.

Thank you for your cooperation and willingness to comply with the gambling laws of Washington State.

Sincerely,



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Tina Griffin
Assistant Director
Licensing, Regulation and Enforcement Division

Enclosure

cc: Josh Stueckle, Special Agent in Charge, Regulation Unit
Cathy Harvey, Special Agent in Charge, Tribal Gaming Unit
Jess Lohse, Special Agent, Regulation Unit
Brian Lane, Special Agent, Regulation Unit
Kelly Main, Special Agent Supervisor, Tribal Gaming Unit
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Rules and Procedures

Introduction:

Cali LowBall is a poker variant using a single deck of 52 playing cards where players and the dealer compete to get the lowest 5 card poker hand. Straights and flushes do not have any value. Each player and the dealer are dealt two cards which they combine with three community cards to make their lowest possible hand. There is an optional Lowdown Bonus bet that gets paid for hands of Jacks-High or lower.

To play:

1. Players must make a matching Ante and X-Tra Bonus bet to begin play. They may also make an optional Lowdown Bonus bet.
2. The dealer then deals each player and himself two cards.
3. After seeing their first two cards the player can either bet 3X their Ante on the Raise bet, or check.
4. Then, the dealer reveals the 3 card flop and players must bet 1x their Ante on the Raise bet or fold the hand.
5. Finally, the dealer reveals his two cards and players compete against the dealer to get a lower 5 card poker hand. Straights and flushes do not have any value.
6. If the player's hand is lower than the dealer's hand then the Ante and the Raise get paid even money. If the player's hand is higher than the dealer's then they will lose both bets.
7. The X-Tra Bonus bet automatically pays regardless of whether the player's hand wins, loses or ties; if the player folds the bet is forfeited. If the player has a J-high or higher the bet pushes. See payable.
8. The Lowdown Bonus bet will pay odds if the player gets a Jacks-High or lower. See payable for payouts. This bet wins whether or not the player won the hand.
9. If the dealer has a pair of Jacks or higher then the Ante bet pushes. All other action is resolved as described above.
10. Players win all ties.

- Operators cannot allow wagering limits to exceed the authorized limits set out in WAC 230-15-040 and WAC 230-15-140.
- Players are limited to wagering on a maximum of four games. Card room operators are required to post on the layout or on a placard at the table that players are limited to wagering on a maximum of four games.



X-Tra Bonus	
Hand	Pays 'to 1'
5-High suited	100
5-High	20
6-High	10
7-High	5
8-High	3
9-High	2
10-High	1
All other winning hands	Push

Lowdown Bonus	
Hand	pays 'to 1'
5-High suited	500
5-High	100
6-High	40
7-High	25
8-High	10
9-High	5
10-High	3
J-High	1



MINIMUM BETS

ANTE	100
RAISE	100
LOWBALL BONUS	100
5-TIA BONUS	100
6-TIA BONUS	100
7-TIA BONUS	100
8-TIA BONUS	100
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50-TIA BONUS	100



ANTE PUSHES IF DEALER HAS JACKS OR HIGHER

PLAYER WINS ALL TIES

LOWBALL

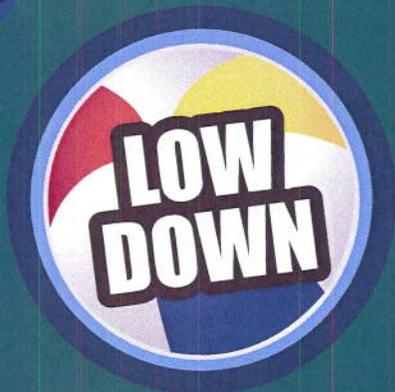
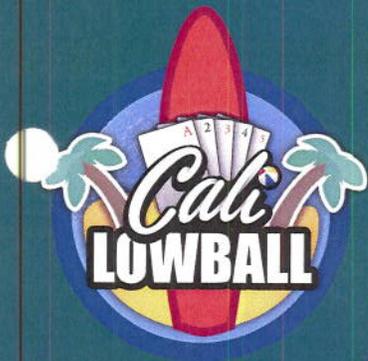
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LOWDOWN

5-High Suited	500 to 1
5-High	100 to 1
6-High	40 to 1
7-High	25 to 1
8-High	10 to 1
9-High	5 to 1
10-High	3 to 1
J-High	1 to 1



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X-TRA BONUS

5-High Suited	200 to 1
5-High	50 to 1
6-High	20 to 1
7-High	5 to 1
8-High	3 to 1
9-High	2 to 1
10-High	1 to 1

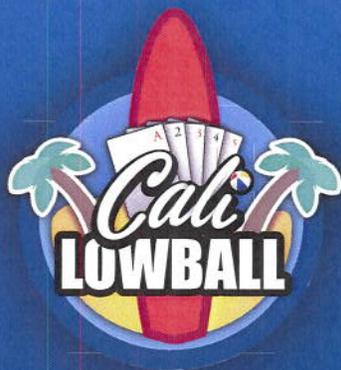
*Player does not have to win the hand to win



*straights and flushes have no value

RAISE BET

Before Flop ... 3x or Check
After Flop 1x or Fold



Cali LowBall is a twist on traditional poker where you compete against the dealer to get the lowest five-card poker hand. Each player and the dealer receives two cards which they combine with three community cards to make their lowest possible poker hand. Straights and flushes have no value.

HOW TO PLAY

ANTE

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**X-TRA
BONUS**

- Make an Ante and X-Tra Bonus wager to begin the game. Both bets must be equal.

RAISE

- After receiving two hole cards, players can either Raise 3x their Ante or check.
- The dealer will reveal the three card flop and then players can either Raise 1x their Ante or fold.

- Ante pushes if dealer has a pair of Jacks or higher.
- Players win all tied hands.

**X-TRA
BONUS**

- X-Tra Bonus Wins when the player has 10-high or lower. Pushes on all other winning hands. Player does not have to win the hand to win.

**LOW
DOWN**

- Low Down Bonus wins when player has a J-high or lower. Player does not have to win the hand to win.



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