## GAMBLING COMMISSION

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October 5, 2017

Roy Clements AGS, LLC 5475 S Decatur Blvd, Suite 100 Las Vegas, NV 89118

RE: Chan Chu Pai Gow

Dear Mr. Clements,

Thank you for requesting approval to market the card game "Chan Chu Pai Gow" 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 "Chan Chu Pai Gow 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 "Chan Chu Pai Gow 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.

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- 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 Financial Investigations 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 on commercial implementation, please contact Brian Lane at (509) 886-6231. If you have any questions on 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,

Tina Griffin

Assistant Director

Licensing, Regulation and Enforcement Division

Enclosure

cc:

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#### Chan Chu Pai Gow

#### **RULES OF PLAY:**

- 1. Chan Chu Pai Gow Poker is an optional bonus wager on the casino game Pai Gow poker. All rules pertaining to standard Pai Gow Poker as stated in the approved rules of play posted on the WSGC website apply with modifications indicated in these game rules.
- 2. This game uses a standard 52-card deck with a joker. The joker is used to complete a straight or flush, otherwise it is an ace.
- 3. The Chan Chu bonus wager considers the best hand possible among the player's seven cards and is reconciled against an approved posted paytable (see paytables below).
- 4. To begin each round, players must make their standard Pai Gow poker wagers and, the optional, Chan Chu bonus wager.
- 5. Players may wager any amount within table limits. Operators cannot allow wagering limits to exceed the authorized limits set out in WAC 230-15-040 and WAC 230-15-140.
- 6. The dealer then follows house procedures for Pai Gow poker. Players and dealer are dealt seven cards to make a five card high hand and a two card low hand. The high and low hands are compared against the dealers high and low hands to determine winners.
- 7. While reconciling the standard Pai Gow poker wagers, the dealer also reconciles Chan Chu bonus wagers. If the player's hand qualifies for payouts, the dealer pays the player according to the posted paytable.



## Chan Chu Bonus Paytable A

Winning Hand	Pays
Any 7 Card Straight Flush	5000
Super Full House	2000
Five Aces	500
Natural 7 Card Flush	200
Any Royal Flush	100
Natural 7 Card Straight	50
Any Straight Flush	40
Any 4 of a kind	20
Any Full House	5
Any Flush	4
Any 3 of a kind	3
Any Straight	2
House Edge	4.7306%

(Note: all pays are to 1)

## Chan Chu Bonus Paytable B

Winning Hand	Pays
Any 7 Card Straight Flush	2000
Super Full House	1000
Five Aces	300
Natural 7 Card Flush	125
Any Royal Flush	100
Natural 7 Card Straight	50
Any Straight Flush	40
Any 4 of a kind	20
Any Full House	5
Any Flush	4
Any 3 of a kind	3
Any Straight	2
House Edge	6.1885%



# **HOW TO PLAY**

- Chan Chu Pai Gow Poker is an optional bonus bet for standard Pai Gow poker or Commission Free Pai Gow Poker.
- 2. The *Chan Chu* bet considers the best hand possible among your seven cards and is paid according to the posted pays.
- 3. You may bet any amount within table limits.
- 4. To begin each round, you must make the standard Pai Gow wagers and the optional *Chan Chu* bonus.
- 5. The dealer then follows house procedures for standard Pai Gow poker.
- 6. While reconciling the standard Pai Gow poker wagers, the dealer also reconciles *Chan Chu* bonus bets. If your hand qualifies for payouts, the dealer pays according to the posted paytable.



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