



STATE OF WASHINGTON
GAMBLING COMMISSION

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March 22, 2016

Kerrie Kimball
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RE: Top 5 Poker

Dear Ms. Kimball,

We have reviewed the changes made to Top 5 Poker. Based on our review of the documentation we received from AGS, LLC, the Washington State Gambling Commission will approve the game under the conditions listed below:

- The game shall be played and operated under the terms and conditions set forth under the "Top 5 Poker Rules of Play" you provided on January 20, 2016 and are enclosed.

Commercial Card Rooms

- 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

- 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.



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- 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.

Any modifications to this game may affect this approval. If you have any questions about commercial implementation, please contact Jess Lohse at (425) 277-7017. 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,



Tina Griffin
Assistant Director
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cc: Josh Stueckle, Acting Special Agent in Charge, Regulation Unit
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Introduction

Top 5 Poker is an exciting game, using a single standard 52-card deck, where each Player and the Dealer are dealt 7 cards to get as many Top 5 highest ranking cards of a deck (A/K/Q/J/10) as possible. The 2-9 cards are ignored. Players win by having more Top 5 (A-10) cards or higher ranking Top 5 cards than the Dealer. Standard card rankings (A>K>Q>J>10) are used to break ties between hands with the same number of Top 5 cards.

To play:

Players wager a mandatory Ante bet to play their hand against the dealer’s hand. They may optionally place bonus bet(s). After players place the Ante wager they receive 7 cards face down. After looking at their seven cards, players may fold or if they believe they have more Top 5 cards or higher ranking Top 5 cards than the dealer, they will place an amount equal to their Ante on the Play spot. After each player acts on their hand, the Dealer will reveal their 7 card hand.

In order for the player to win a payout on the Ante wager, the dealer must receive a minimum hand (i.e. “qualifying” hand). The dealer’s hand automatically qualifies with three Top five cards or more. In addition, the dealer’s hand would also qualify with two Top 5 cards, but only if the two Top 5 cards are the following: A-A, A-K, A-Q, A-J, A-10, K-K, K-Q, K-J, K-10, Q-Q and Q-J. Note: The following dealer hands containing Top 5 cards would not be qualifying hands: Q-10, J-10, J-J, and 10-10.

Winning and Losing:

The Ante and Play wagers will be paid or lost as follows:

Player Folds	<i>Ante is lost (Play wager would not have been made)</i>
Dealer does not qualify and the player’s hand does not beat the dealer’s hand	<i>Ante is a push and Play is lost</i>
Dealer does not qualify and the player’s hand beats the dealer’s hand	<i>Ante is a push and Play is paid 1 to 1</i>
Dealer does not qualify and the player’s hand ties the dealer’s hand	<i>Ante and Play push</i>
Dealer qualifies and the player’s hand does not beat the dealer’s hand	<i>Ante and Play is lost</i>

Dealer qualifies and the player's hand beats the dealer's hand

Ante and Play are paid 1 to 1

Dealer qualifies and the player's hand ties the dealer's hand

Ante and Play push

Optional Bonus Wagers:

- *Top 5 Bonus*
The Top 5 Bonus pays odds on the total quantity of A-10 cards in the Player's hand. See payable for hands and payout odds.
- *Poker Bonus*
The Poker Bonus pays odds on the poker hand made from only A-10 cards of the player's hand. See payable for hands and payout odds.

Operators cannot allow wagering limits to exceed the authorized limits set out in WAC 230-15-040 and WAC 230-15-140.



Examples of Hands

Winning Hands

Player's hand is AH, AD, KS, KD, JH, 6H, 2H. Dealer's hand is KH, KC, QC, JC, 10C, 9C, 8C. Dealer hand qualifies. Player beats the dealer with 5 Top 5 Cards over the dealer's 5 Top 5 cards because when the player and the dealer have the same amount of Top 5 cards, it then goes to poker ranking and Ace is higher than King. Player gets paid even money on both their Ante and Play wagers. Player would also get paid 5 to 1 on their Top 5 Bonus wager for having 5 Top 5 Cards and 3 to 1 on their Poker Bonus wager for having 2 Pair (A's & K's).

Player's hand is AC, KS, JH, 10C, 10H, 10D, 10S. Dealer's hand is QH, QS, 8S, 8H, 8C, 4C, 3H. Dealer hand qualifies. Player beats the dealer with 7 Top 5 Cards over the dealer's 2 Top 5 cards. Player gets paid even money on both their Ante and Play wagers. Player would also get paid 100 to 1 on their Top 5 Bonus wager for having all 7 of their cards as Top 5 cards. The player would also get paid 100 to 1 on their Poker Bonus wager for the 4 of a Kind (4 10's).

Losing Hands

Player's hand is JS, JH, 6C, 6D, 6H, 3D, 2H. Dealer's hand is KH, KC, QC, JC, 10C, 9C, 8C. Dealer hand qualifies. Player loses to the dealer with 2 Top 5 cards versus the dealer's 5 Top 5 cards. Player loses both their Ante and Play wagers. Player would also lose their Top 5 Bonus wager and Poker Bonus wager since they don't have at least 4 Top 5 cards in their hand nor a pair of Kings or better.

Player's hand is 4D, 5H, 6D, 7D, 8S, 9H, 9C. Dealer's hand is JS, 10S, 3H, 3D, 3C, 2C, 2S. Dealer hand doesn't qualify (J/10 does not meet the minimum Q/J qualifier). Player loses to the dealer the dealer has two Top 5 cards versus the player having none. Player pushes their Ante wager and loses their Play wager. Player would also lose their Top 5 Bonus wager and Poker Bonus wager since they don't have at least 4 Top 5 cards in their hand nor a pair of Kings or better.

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AGS Recommended Paytables

Other Paytable Options

Top 5 Bonus Paytable 1	
Number of Top 5 Cards	Pays
7 cards	100 to 1
6 cards	20 to 1
5 cards	5 to 1
4 cards	1 to 1
House Edge: 4.27%	

Top 5 Bonus Paytable 2	
Number of Top 5 Cards	Pays
7 cards	200 to 1
6 cards	20 to 1
5 cards	4 to 1
4 cards	1 to 1
House Edge: 4.22%	

Top 5 Bonus Paytable 3	
Number of Top 5 Cards	Pays
7 cards	100 to 1
6 cards	15 to 1
5 cards	5 to 1
4 cards	1 to 1
House Edge: 8.90%	

Poker Bonus Paytable 1	
Winning Hand	Pays
5 card Royal Flush	500 to 1
4 of a Kind	100 to 1
Full House	40 to 1
5 card Straight	25 to 1
3 of a Kind	7 to 1
Two Pair	3 to 1
Pair of Aces or Kings	1 to 1
House Edge: 3.87%	

Poker Bonus Paytable 2	
Winning Hand	Pays
5 card Royal Flush	500 to 1
4 of a Kind	150 to 1
Full House	50 to 1
5 card Straight	30 to 1
3 of a Kind	10 to 1
Two Pair	5 to 1
House Edge: 4.56%	

Poker Bonus Paytable 3	
Winning Hand	Pays
5 card Royal Flush	500 to 1
4 of a Kind	100 to 1
Full House	40 to 1
5 card Straight	25 to 1
3 of a Kind	5 to 1
Two Pair	3 to 1
Pair of Aces or Kings	1 to 1
House Edge: 8.98%	

