



STATE OF WASHINGTON
GAMBLING COMMISSION

"Protect the Public by Ensuring that Gambling is Legal and Honest"

August 18, 2021

SHYANNA LOCKRIDGE
32200 MILITARY ROAD S
FEDERAL WAY, WA 98001

RE: ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION; CR 2021-00213

Dear Shyanna Lockridge:

Enclosed is an Order of Default entered by the Commission on August 12, 2021, revoking your license to conduct gambling activities. This action occurred because you did not timely respond by requesting a hearing to the administrative charges mailed on May 6, 2021.

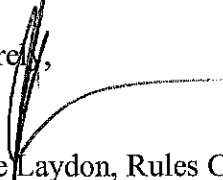
You have the right to move to vacate this Order. If you do so, we must receive your request by the 10th day after the Order was mailed. Your motion must include the specific grounds upon which relief is requested and must be submitted to:

Washington State Gambling Commission
Attention: Legal & Records Division
P.O. Box 42400
Olympia, WA 98504-2400

You also have the right to submit a Petition for Judicial Review. If you do this, you must submit it within 30 days of the date the Order was mailed. RCW 34.05.514 explains where you must file this petition and RCW 34.05.546 explains what information your Petition must include.

This is not meant to be a full explanation of all the statutes and regulations you would need to understand to move to vacate or Petition for Judicial Review. Please call me at (800) 345-2529, extension 3473, with any questions.

Sincerely,


Ashlie Laydon, Rules Coordinator
Legal & Records Division

Enclosure

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**STATE OF WASHINGTON
GAMBLING COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

NO. CR 2021-00213

SHYANNA L LOCKRIDGE,
License No. 68-35471,

FINAL ORDER OF THE
GAMBLING COMMISSION

Licensee.

This matter having come before the Washington State Gambling Commission (Commission) on August 12, 2021, the Commission makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and issues its Final Order:

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Washington State Gambling Commission issued Shyanna Lockridge License No. 68-35471 authorizing Public Card Room Employee activity; Lockridge’s license is not currently linked to a House-Banked Card Room.

2. This license, which expires on September 16, 2021, was issued subject to Lockridge’s compliance with state gambling laws and Commission rules.

3. Lockridge has been licensed since 2019.

4. On December 11, 2020, a WSGC Special Agent received an email from Silver Dollar Casino’s Director of Accounting about a potential theft by one of Silver Dollar’s Card Room Employees. According to the email, licensee Shyanna Lockridge had taken a \$100 bill that was left behind by an unknown customer.

1 5. On December 14, 2020, the Agent responded to the email and requested all
2 relevant information regarding the incident, specifically any Incident Reports and video
3 surveillance related to the theft. Silver Dollar responded by providing two separate incident
4 reports written by cage cashier Kahenawe Kalahiki Brede, one written on December 10, 2020
5 and the next written the following day.

6 6. According to Kalahiki Brede's December 10, 2020 Report, on that day Lockridge
7 had called Kalahiki Brede, who was in the cage, to ask about a \$100 bill. Lockridge told Kalahiki
8 Brede that she may have left the bill on the cage access log sheet. When Kalahiki Brede told
9 Lockridge that she had not found the bill, Lockridge said that she may have done a "paid in"¹
10 for it, or given it back to the customer that had lost it.

11 7. Along with the Report, Kalahiki Brede provided the entire "Paid In/Paid Out"
12 Summary for December 10, 2020. No "paid in" of \$100 bill was recorded on the Summary for
13 that day.

14 8. On the December 11, 2020 Incident Report, Kalahiki Brede stated that while she
15 was cashing out an Asian male, she called surveillance to verify the cash out transaction. During
16 that call, the surveillance observer asked Kalahiki Brede whether or not there was a "paid in"
17 logged for \$100 the previous day.

18 9. The surveillance observer, Kelly Sam, recognized the cashing out customer to be
19 the same male that had lost the \$100 bill the previous day. Kalahiki Brede reported that no \$100
20 bill had been "paid in" the previous day. When Kalahiki Brede asked the customer whether
21 Lockridge had returned the \$100 bill to the customer the previous day, the customer said that
22 she had not.

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25 ¹ To ensure proper accounting for a Card Room cashier's cage, Card Room Employees are required to
26 account for and reconcile any cash going into or out of the cage during their shift. A "Paid In" is a required
record to be completed by the cage cashier to account for miscellaneous cash brought into the cage during their
shift. This "Paid In" record is used to reconcile the cage inventory and bring the cage balance to the proper
imprest amount at shift or closing.

1 10. According to the Incident Report filed by Sam, Lockridge had informed
2 surveillance that she went to look for the owner of the bill, but could not find him. Sam advised
3 Lockridge to process a “paid in” for the cash; if/when the customer returned to claim the bill,
4 Lockridge could then process a “paid out”. Sam would produce a picture of the guest to the cage
5 to verify that it was him.

6 11. On December 15, 2020, the Agent received an email with a Separate Notice
7 attached, outlining that Lockridge had been terminated from her employment at Silver Dollar for
8 a “Violation of Co. Policies/Procedures”.

9 12. Lockridge was given the opportunity to provide a written statement on the
10 Separate Notice. On it, she wrote, “I seen the hundred dollar sitting there tried going to tent then,
11 called surveillance left it under the sign in sheet and forgot to return to it. I DID NOT touch it
12 after that.”

13 13. On December 18, 2020, the Agent went to Silver Dollar Casino to review the
14 video surveillance footage for the incident as well as the surveillance observer’s notes. Upon
15 review of the video footage, the Agent was able to confirm that:

- 16 a. The customer cashed out and left the \$100 bill on the counter.
- 17 b. Lockridge eventually pushed the bill off the counter. She then exited the cage
18 and picked up the bill.
- 19 c. Lockridge returned to the cage and placed the \$100 bill on the clipboard. She
20 then picked up the bill along with some paperwork, and went to the gaming area.
- 21 d. Lockridge returned to the cage and placed the bill underneath some paperwork
22 on the clipboard. She then places what appeared to be her two coats over the clipboard.
- 23 e. Lockridge then is observed moving her hands underneath the coats where the
24 clipboard and the \$100 bill is located. Lockridge eventually leaves the premises for the
25 remainder of the day.

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3. Shyanna Lockridge’s license should be revoked under Case Number CR 2021-00213 pursuant to RCW 9.46.075, RCW 9.46.153(1), RCW 34.05.440(1), RCW 34.05.461, and WAC 230-03-085.

III. ORDER

This matter having come before the Commission at its August 12, 2021, Commission meeting, the Commissioners having heard arguments, been given the chance to review the administrative record, and being fully advised in this matter, now therefore:

It is hereby **ORDERED** that Shyanna Lockridge’s gambling license, Number 68-35471, is **REVOKED**.

DATED this 12th day of August, 2021.

Bud Sizemore

BUD SIZEMORE, Chair

Julia Patterson

JULIA PATTERSON, Vice Chair

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NOTICE

Reconsideration: RCW 34.05.470 and WAC 230-17-140 provide that a party may file a petition for reconsideration of a final order. A petition for reconsideration must be received no later than thirteen (13) days after the date this final order is mailed. Any motion for reconsideration must state the specific grounds supporting the party's request for reconsideration.

Stay of Final Order: Filing for reconsideration does not stay the effectiveness of this Order. WAC 230-17-145 provides that a party may petition the Commission for a stay of a final order. Any petition for a stay should be received by the Commission within thirteen (13) days after the date this final order is mailed.

Judicial Review: RCW 34.05.542 provides that a party may appeal this final order by filing a petition for judicial review within thirty (30) days after service of this order. A petition for judicial review must be filed with the appropriate superior court and served upon both the Commission and the Office of the Attorney General.

Service: This Order was served on you three days after it was deposited in the United States Postal Service regular mail, excluding the date of mailing. WAC 230-17-035.

Any motions or petitions for judicial review should be served on or mailed to:

Washington State Gambling Commission
Legal and Records Division
4565 7th Avenue S.E., Lacey, WA
P.O. Box 42400
Olympia, WA 98504-2400

Doug Van de Brake
Attorney General's Office
1135 Washington St. SE
P.O. Box 40100
Olympia, WA 98504-0100

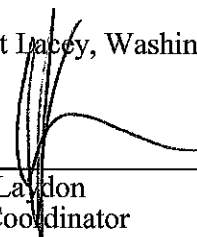
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the date below I served a copy of the foregoing document on all parties and/or their counsel by United States Postal Service regular mail to the following:

SHYANNA LOCKRIDGE
32200 MILITARY ROAD S
FEDERAL WAY WA 98001

EXECUTED this 18 day of August, 2021, at Lacey, Washington.



Ashlie Laydon
Rules Coordinator