



# Philippine Amusement and Gaming Corporation

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## AMENDMENTS TO REGULATORY MANUALS (Change in Operating Hours)

### Regulatory Manuals:

1. Gaming Site Regulatory Manual (GSRM) version 3.0 for Electronic Games
2. Gaming Site Regulatory Manual (GSRM) version 3.0 for Bingo Games

The following amendments shall be implemented and included to the above GSRMs:

- A. The following subsections shall be revised to replace 15 hours with 24 hours:
- a) Subsection (b)-5 of Section 1 under Regulation 16 (Gaming Site Operational Rules and Guidelines) of GSRM for Bingo Games; and
  - b) Subsection (d)-6 of Section 1 under Regulation 16 (Gaming Site Operational Rules and Guidelines) of GSRM for Electronic Games.

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| 5. No Operator shall operate for twenty four (24) hours. An Operator may only operate for a maximum of <b>fifteen (15) hours</b> within a day or within a 24-hour period. | 5. An Operator may operate for a maximum of <b>Twenty Four (24) hours</b> within a day. |

- B. The following subsections shall be revised to replace 15 hours with 24 hours:
- a) Subsection (a) of Section A-1 under Regulation 18 (Conduct of Gaming) of GSRM for Bingo Games; and
  - b) Subsection (a) of Section 1 under Regulation 18 (Conduct of Gaming) of GSRM for Electronic Games.

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| (a) No Operator may operate its gaming site for twenty-four (24) hours. An Operator may only operate for a maximum of <b>fifteen (15) hours</b> within a day or within a 24-hour period. An Operator may operate its gaming site seven (7) days a week, three hundred sixty-five (365) days a year, subject to the following:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ To close on Good Friday at 12:00 noon</li><li>➤ To resume on Black Saturday at 12:00 noon</li></ul> | (a) An Operator may operate for a maximum of <b>Twenty Four (24) hours</b> within a day. An Operator may operate its gaming site seven (7) days a week, three hundred sixty-five (365) days a year, subject to the following:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ To close on Good Friday at 12:00 noon</li><li>➤ To resume on Black Saturday at 12:00 noon</li></ul> |

c) Subsection (c) of Section A-1 under Regulation 18 (Conduct of Gaming) of GSRM for Bingo Games.

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| <p>(c) The Operator shall inform GLDD and CMED of its operating hours; provided it may only operate for a maximum of <b>fifteen (15) hours</b> within a day or within a 24-hour period. An Operator may change the operating hours of its gaming site, provided it shall notify GLDD and CMED of the change in operating hours at least one (1) day prior to its implementation date using the Change in Gaming Site Operating Hours Notification Form (GS Form No. 24).</p> | <p>(c) The Operator shall inform GLDD and CMED of its operating hours. An Operator may change the operating hours of its gaming site, provided it shall notify GLDD and CMED of the change in operating hours at least one (1) day prior to its implementation date using the Change in Gaming Site Operating Hours Notification Form (GS Form No. 24).</p> |
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d) Subsection (b) Section 1 under Regulation 18 (Conduct of Gaming) of GSRM for Electronic Games.

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| <p>(b) The Operator shall inform GLDD of its operating hours; provided it may only operate for a maximum of <b>fifteen (15) hours</b> within a day or within a 24-hour period. An Operator may change the operating hours of its gaming site, provided it shall notify GLDD of the change in operating hours at least one (1) day prior to its implementation date using the Change in Gaming Site Operating Hours Notification Form (GS Form No. 24).</p> | <p>(b) The Operator shall inform GLDD and CMED of its operating hours. An Operator may change the operating hours of its gaming site, provided it shall notify GLDD and CMED of the change in operating hours at least one (1) day prior to its implementation date using the Change in Gaming Site Operating Hours Notification Form (GS Form No. 24).</p> |
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The above amended provisions shall be effective immediately.