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Robert Huey

RE: Ticket Machine and Revealing Winners

Dear Mr. Huey:

ISSUE: This is in response to your e-mail of January 27, 2014, in which you state that you have a “ticket machine” in your Post. You ask whether you may tell members how many winners have been claimed per game. You were told by others that you cannot show the winners to members.

Board records indicate that General George C. Marshall Post No. 103 American Veterans of World War II, Inc. holds Catering Club Liquor License No. CC-5449 (LID 2505) for premises located at 123 Buttermilk Lane, Hopwood, Pennsylvania. You are the manager/steward of record.

OPINION: Please be advised that the Board does not regulate the Small Games of Chance Act [10 P.S. §§ 311-327] and as such, the interpretation of this law falls outside of the scope of the Board’s authority. Therefore, it is recommended that you contact your County Treasurer’s Office and/or the Department of Revenue, Miscellaneous Tax Division, at (717) 787-8275 with any questions about small games of chance activities. Please note that the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue has information for club licensees concerning Small Games of Chance that may be helpful to you. This information can be found on Revenue’s website at

http://www.revenue.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/eligible_organizations_and_club_licensees/21623.

You may also contact the Pennsylvania State Police, Bureau of Liquor Control Enforcement (“Bureau”), at (800) 932-0602 as it enforces such laws and the Liquor Code.

Should you have any questions and/or issues related to the Liquor Code or the Board's Regulations, please feel free to once again contact this office.

THIS OPINION APPLIES ONLY TO THE FACTUAL SITUATION DESCRIBED HEREIN AND DOES NOT INSULATE THE LICENSEE OR OTHERS FROM CONSEQUENCES OF CONDUCT OCCURRING PRIOR TO ITS ISSUANCE. THE PROPRIETY OF THE PROPOSED CONDUCT HAS BEEN ADDRESSED ONLY UNDER THE LIQUOR CODE AND REGULATIONS. THE LAWS AND POLICIES ON WHICH THIS OPINION IS BASED ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY THE LEGISLATURE OR THE PENNSYLVANIA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD.

Very truly yours,

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