Re: CHRI MOU for TGRA signature

Dear Tribal Gaming Regulator:

Enclosed please find a copy of the final Criminal History Record Information Memorandum of Understanding (CHRI MOU). After three rounds of tribal comments, the CHRI MOU is now final. Please sign it and submit it by September 9, 2021 to attention Beverly Carter at Fingerprint_Admin@nigc.gov.

Procedural background

Comments and suggestions were requested from Tribal Gaming Regulatory Authorities (TGRAs) on three drafts of the MOU to ensure that it causes minimal disruption and expense to tribes. The three drafts were distributed by letter to TGRAs on November 13, 2020, February 18, 2021 and June 14, 2021, respectively. Detailed descriptions of the changes made to the drafts in response to tribal comments are found on NIGC’s CJIS Resource Materials webpage in the NIGC Correspondence section: https://www.nigc.gov/compliance/CJIS-Training-Materials.

The last comment period closed on June 30, 2021. Three tribes provided input on the final MOU draft. For the most part, they suggested minor clarifying changes, which were accepted. A redline/strikeout version of this draft is available at the webpage mentioned above, showing the exact changes. In sum, the majority of tribal comments submitted throughout this process were incorporated into the MOU.

Final MOU, signature required

The final MOU is enclosed here for signature by an authorized TGRA or tribal official. By September 9, 2021, please email a signed copy of the MOU to attention Fingerprint_Admin@nigc.gov. Please note that if your tribe and/or TGRA signed a prior MOU with the NIGC for purposes of CHRI dissemination—including the 2017 “Memorandum of Understanding regarding the dissemination of Criminal History Record Information by the National Indian Gaming Commission”—such MOU is terminated as of September 10, 2021. Therefore, the NIGC will no longer accept fingerprints under prior MOUs.
Should you have any questions or need further assistance, please contact me at Jun_Kim@nigc.gov or Beverly Carter at Beverly_Carter@nigc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Chief Information Officer
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Attachments