Media Advisory



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REVISED MEDIA ADVISORY: Press Conference: Chairman Chaudhuri and Commission to Announce Indian Gaming's 2017 Gross Gaming Revenues

Indian gaming continues to be a stable source of tribal economic development

WASHINGTON, D.C. June 22, 2018 – Chairman Jonodev Osceola Chaudhuri, Vice Chair Kathryn Isom-Clause, and Associate Commissioner Sequoyah Simermeyer of the National Indian Gaming Commission will hold a press conference for the media on June 26, at 1 p.m. EDT to announce the Indian gaming industry's 2017 gross gaming revenues. The annual announcement is based on independent audit reports from 494 Indian gaming establishments operated by 246 gaming tribes, in 29 states and is conducted in accordance with the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.

- WHO: NIGC Chairman Jonodev O. Chaudhuri Vice Chair Kathryn Isom-Clause Commissioner Sequoyah Simermeyer Director of Finance Yvonne Lee
- **WHAT:** The National Indian Gaming Commission will conduct a press conference announcing the 2017 gross gaming revenues of Indian gaming operations in the United States.
- **WHEN:** Tuesday, June 26, 2018, 1 p.m. EDT.
- ACCESS In person attendance: 90 K Street NE, Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20002 OPTIONS: Adobe Connect: Click on this link to access: https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/e3xs25ihgvam/event/registration.html

Phone Call In: 888-795-2173 Participants passcode: 3743026

NOTE: Media wishing to attend in person **MUST RSVP** by Wednesday, June 20 by 4:30 PM EDT to Mark Gaston at <u>Mark_Gaston@nigc.gov</u> or 202-632-7003.

Press Credentials-Press badges must be worn at all times.

NOTE: News release, charts, and graphics can be found at <u>http://www.nigc.gov/public-affairs/conference-presentations_immediately following the press conference. Media unable to call-in can view the press conference on the NIGC website after 1 p.m. EDT.</u>

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The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act created the <u>National Indian Gaming Commission</u> to support tribal self-sufficiency and the integrity of Indian gaming. The NIGC has developed four initiatives to support its mission including (1) To protect against anything that amounts to gamesmanship on the backs of tribes; (2) To stay ahead of the Technology Curve; (3) Rural outreach; and (4) To maintain a strong workforce within NIGC and with its tribal regulatory partners. NIGC oversees the efficient regulation of 506 gaming establishments operated by 244 tribes across 29 states. The Commission's dedication to compliance with the <u>Indian Gaming Regulatory Act</u> ensures the integrity of the growing \$31.2 billion Indian gaming industry. To learn more, visit <u>www.nigc.gov</u> and follow us on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Twitter</u>