1	STATE OF NEW JERSEY
2	CASINO CONTROL COMMISSION
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5	PUBLIC MEETING NO. 13-05-15
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9	Wednesday, May 15, 2013
10	Atlantic City Commission Offices
11	Joseph P. Lordi Public Meeting Room - First Floor
12	Tennessee Avenue and Boardwalk
13	Atlantic City, New Jersey 08401
14	10:30 a.m. to 11:55 a.m.
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17	Certified Court Reporter: Darlene Sillitoe
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19	GUY J. RENZI & ASSOCIATES
20	GOLDEN CREST CORPORATE CENTER
21	2277 STATE HIGHWAY #33, SUITE 410
22	TRENTON, NEW JERSEY 08690
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1	BEFORE:
2	CASINO CONTROL COMMISSION: MATTHEW B. LEVINSON, CHAIR
3	SHARON ANNE HARRINGTON, VICE CHAIR ALISA COOPER, COMMISSIONER
4	HEIGH COOTER, COMMISSIONER
5	PRESENT FOR THE CASINO CONTROL COMMISSION: DARYL W. NANCE, ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST
6	DANIEL J. HENEGHAN, PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER
7	OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL: DIANNA W. FAUNTLEROY, GENERAL COUNSEL/EXECUTIVE
8	SECRETARY MARY WOZNIAK, ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL
9	TERESA M. PIMPINELLI, SENIOR COUNSEL JACK PLUNKETT, LICENSING
10	DIVISION OF GAMING ENFORCEMENT:
11	DEPUTY ATTORNEYS GENERAL JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
12	BRIAN C. BISCIEGLIA, DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
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1	A P P E A R	ANCES:
2	ITEM NO. 8	JACK PLUNKETT, LICENSING JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY
3		GENERAL MICHAEL A. MAGAZZU, ESQ.
4		FOR: BALLY'S PARK PLACE, INC., BOARDWALK REGENCY CORPORATION,
5		SHOWBOAT ATLANTIC CITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC
6	TTEM NO. 9	TERESA PIMPINELLI, SENIOR COUNSEL
7	TILLI IVO.	JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
8		MICHAEL A. MAGAZZU, ESQ.
9		FOR: BALLY'S PARK PLACE, INC., BOARDWALK REGENCY CORPORATION, SHOWBOAT ATLANTIC CITY OPERATING
10		COMPANY, LLC
11	ITEM NO. 10	TERESA PIMPINELLI, SENIOR COUNSEL JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY
12		GENERAL
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14		SHOWBOAT ATLANTIC CITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC
15	TTEM N○ 13	MARY WOZNIAK, SENIOR COUNSEL
16	TIEM NO. 13	JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
17		COOPER LEVENSON
18		LLOYD D. LEVENSON, ESQ. LYNNE KAUFMAN, ESQ. FOR: REVEL ENTERTAINMENT GROUP, LLC
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20	ITEM NO. 14	MARY WOZNIAK JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
21		COOPER LEVENSON
22		LLOYD D. LEVENSON, ESQ. LYNNE KAUFMAN, ESQ.
23		FOR: REVEL ENTERTAINMENT GROUP, LLC AND REVEL AC, INC.
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1	APPEAR	A N C E S Continued:
2	ITEM NO. 15	JACK PLUNKETT, LICENSING JOHN E. ADAMS, JR., DEPUTY ATTORNEY
3		GENERAL COOPER LEVENSON
4		LLOYD LEVENSON, ESQ.
5		LYNNE KAUFMAN, ESQ. FOR: REVEL ENTERTAINMENT GROUP, LLC
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2		MAY 15, 2013, 10:30 a.m.		
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3	1	Ratification of the minutes of the	11	12
_		April 10, 2013, public meeting		
4	2	Applications for initial casino key		
_		employee licenses:	1.0	
5		a) Frank L. Angelozzi	12	14
_		b) Ronald G. Ardenti	12	
6		c) Nicholas T. DeGennaro	12	
7		d) Jeremy S. Edwards	14	
7		e) Rafael A. Figueroa, III f) Matthew P. Hosford	12 12	
8		g) Khurram J. Khan	12	
O		h) Franklin D. Mauger, III	15	
9		i) Adriene M. Mitchell	12	
9		j) Robert W. Nakao	16	
10		k) James J. Puhalski	12	-
10		1) Allison Sica	12	
11		m) Shannon L. Snyder	12	
		n) Michael P. Stanton	12	
12		o) Kevin L. Walls	12	
		p) Dinel V. White	12	
13		q) Mark F. Ziegler	12	
-	3	Applications for resubmitted casino key		
14		employee licenses:		
		a) Nizar Aliyarukunju		
15		b) Randy P. Brown		
		c) Thomas O. Bruno		
16		d) Robert J. Cobb		
		e) Leonard R. Dolson, Jr.		
17		f) Patricia A. Dziomba		
		g) Salvatore Esposito		
18		h) Salvatore J. Gerace		
		i) Donna M. Graham		
19		j) Danyele R. Harris		
		k) William J. Harris		
20		1) Mohammed R. Hassan		
		m) Francis J. Heck, III		
21		n) Kevin S. Hunt		
0.0		o) Gerald J. Jenkins, Jr,		
22		p) Efrain Lope		
2.2		q) Alan Malavarca		
23		r) Leanor A. Mazzeo-Amoriello		
24		s) Gloria E. Osnato t) Samir M. Patel		
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25		u) Kenneth Pomeroy		
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		w) David A. Prince		
4		x) Gerald Reilly		
		y) David G. Ruch		
5		z) Juan C. Sanchez-Roman		
		aa) John R. Schleif		
6		bb) Franklin W. Simpkins, III		
		cc) Gilda A. Still		
7		dd) Elizabeth Torres		
		ee) Joseph P. Ventura		
8		ff) Jill A. Wilkins		
		gg) William F. Carey		
9	4	Applications for casino key employee lic	enses	
		and for qualification:		
10		a) John P. Conklin	17	18
-		b) Thomas C. Fiore	21	22
11		c) Theresa A. Glebocki	18	19
		d) Kristina L. Klickovich	19	20
12		e) Scott A. Noey	20	21
	5	Temporary casino key employee licenses	22	
13	_	issued between April 10, 2013, and May		
		15, 2013, pursuant to Delegation of		
14		Authority Resolution NO. 13-01-10-16-C		
	6	Requests for inactivation of casino key	23	24
15	Ü	employee licenses:		
		a) Joseph T. Cavilla		
16		b) Ronnie W. Downing		
		c) Tamiko Fayne		
17		d) William H. Florence, III		
		e) Carolyn M. George		
18		f) Michael D. Griffin		
		g) Christine Jones		
19		h) John M. Kruk		
-		i) Leslie J. Latour, Jr.		
20		j) Gwo S. Liu		
-		k) Robert P. Low, Jr.		
21		1) Joan M. Lucas		
		m) Nuncio J. Lucca, Jr.		
22		n) Patrick J. Martin, III		
		o) Joanne C. Miele		
23		p) Mylka Naranjo		
-		q) Francis J. O'Brien		
24		r) Robert W. Osvai		
		s) Jeff Otaequi		
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	24	Casino Hotel) for the issuance of a multi-casino	
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1		AGENDA		
		PUBLIC MEETING NO. 13-05-15		
2		MAY 15, 2013, 10:30 a.m.		
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8		and exercise the powers of Director pending plenary qualification pursuant to)	
9		NJAC 19:43-2.7 (PRN 1271301)		41
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2	ITEM	NO. 14		
3	Numbe Divis	er sion Description	ID	EVD
4	D-1	Report, 5-10-13, on the Petition of		Х
5		Revel Entertainment Group, LLC, for Declaratory Rulings Regarding Approval		
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7		(Redaction requested)		
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10	C-1	Draft Resolution	X	
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13		pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code		
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18		Revel AC, Inc., and its Debtor Affiliate pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy		
19		pursuant to chapter if of the bankruptcy	Code	2
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24		Exhibits were retained by the Commissi	on.	

1	(Public Meeting 13-05-15 was commenced
2	at 10:30 a.m.)
3	MR. NANCE: Good morning. I'd like to
4	read an opening statement:
5	This is to advise the general public
6	that in compliance with Chapter 231 of the
7	public laws of 1975 entitled "Senator Bryon M.
8	Baer Open Public Meeting Act," the New Jersey
9	Casino Control Commission on December 6, 2012,
10	filed with the Secretary of State at the State
11	House in Trenton an annual meeting schedule.
12	On December 12th, 2012, copies were mailed to
13	subscribers.
14	Members of the press will be permitted
15	to take photographs. We ask that this be done
16	in a manner which is not disruptive or
17	distracting to the Commission.
18	The use of cell phones in the public
19	meeting room is prohibited.
20	Any member of the public who wish to
21	address the Commission will be given the
22	opportunity to do so before the Commission
23	adjourns for the day.
24	Please stand for the Pledge of
25	Allegiance.

1	ITEM NO. 1
2	(The flag salute was recited.)
3	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Call your names for the
4	roll, please.
5	Commissioner Cooper?
6	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Present.
7	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
8	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Here.
9	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chair Levinson?
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Here.
11	MS. FAUNTLEROY: The matters discussed
12	in closed session this morning included
13	employee license matters as well as litigation
14	involving "Brooks versus Casino Control
15	Commission et al.," and "Edwards versus Adamar
16	of New Jersey, Inc., et al."
17	And the closed-session minutes were
18	approved.
19	First item for your consideration is the
20	ratification of the minutes of April 10, 2013,
21	public meeting.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you. Good
23	morning.
24	Is there a motion?
25	VICE CUNID UNDDINCTON. I move that we

1	ITEM NO. 2
2	ratify the minutes of April 10th, 2013.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Second?
4	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made and
6	seconded.
7	Any discussion?
8	(No response.)
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: In all those in favor?
10	(Ayes.)
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
12	(No response.)
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
14	MS. FAUNTLEROY: The second item for
15	your consideration are applications for initial
16	casino key employee licenses. They include:
17	Frank Angelozzi, Ronald Ardenti, Nicholas
18	DeGennaro, Rafael Figueroa, Matthew Hosford,
19	Khurram Khan, Adriene Mitchell, James Puhalski,
20	Allison Sica, Shannon Snyder, Michael Stanton,
21	Kevin Walls, Dinel White, and Michael [sic]
22	Ziegler.
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
24	Do I have a motion?
25	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. Mr. Chair, I

1	ITEM NO. 2
2	move to remand for a hearing the casino key
3	employee license for Jeremy S. Edwards.
4	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No.
5	MS. FAUNTLEROY: The first items are for
6	the initials that there are no objections to.
7	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Forgive me. I was
8	on
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: That's all right.
10	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I skipped over.
11	Excuse me.
12	With regard to the motion from the
13	Chairman, yes, forgive me.
14	I move to grant the 14 initial key
15	excuse me casino key employee license
16	applications.
17	Thank you.
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
19	Do I have a second?
20	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Second to that
21	motion.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made, seconded.
23	Any discussion?
24	(No response.)
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: All in favor?

1	ITEM NO. 2
2	(Ayes.)
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
4	(No response.)
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: The motion carries.
6	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Now with respect to
7	Jeremy S. Edwards, there is an objection by the
8	Division and staff recommendation to remand to
9	the hearing process.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
11	Do I have a motion?
12	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes, Mr. Chair.
13	I move to remand for a hearing the
14	casino key employee license application of
15	Jeremy S. Edwards.
16	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
17	Is there a second?
18	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
19	motion.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion is made and
21	seconded.
22	Any discussion?
23	(No response.)
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
25	(Ayes.)

1	ITEM NO. 2
2	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
3	(No response.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
5	MS. FAUNTLEROY: With respect to
6	Franklin D. Mauger, III, there's a Division
7	recommendation to grant but a staff
8	recommendation to remand to the hearing
9	process.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
11	Is there a motion?
12	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. Mr. Chair, I
13	move to remand for a hearing the casino key
14	employee license application of Franklin D.
15	Mauger, III.
16	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
17	Is there a second?
18	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
19	motion.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made, seconded.
21	Any discussion?
22	(No response.)
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
24	(Ayes.)
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?

1	ITEM NO. 3
2	(No response.)
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
4	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Thirdly, Robert W.
5	Nakao. There was a Division objection and a
6	staff recommendation to remand.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
8	Is there a motion?
9	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. I move to
10	remand for a hearing the casino key employee
11	license application of Robert W. Nakao.
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
13	Is there a second?
14	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second tha
15	motion.
16	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
17	(No response.)
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
19	(Ayes.)
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
21	(No response.)
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
23	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 3 are
24	applications for resubmitted casino key
25	employee licenses. To spare you, they are

1	ITEM NO. 4
2	identified on the agenda as Items a through gg
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: We all thank you for
4	that.
5	Is there a motion?
6	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I move that we
7	grant the 33 resubmitted casino key employee
8	licenses.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
10	Is there a second?
11	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that.
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made, seconded.
13	Any discussion?
14	(No response.)
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
16	(Ayes.)
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
18	(No response.)
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
20	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 4 are
21	applications for casino key employee licenses
22	and for qualification.
23	The first is John P. Conkin. Conklin,
24	excuse me.
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.

1	ITEM NO. 4
2	Do I have a motion?
3	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. I move to
4	grant resubmitted key license and
5	qualification.
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
7	Second?
8	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
9	motion.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made, seconded.
11	Any discussion?
12	(No response.)
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
14	vote.
15	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
16	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
17	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
18	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
19	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
21	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
22	that the motion passed unanimously.
23	The second is Theresa A. Glebocki.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
25	Do I have a motion?

1	ITEM NO. 4
2	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. I move to
3	grant resubmitted key license and
4	qualification.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
6	Is there a second?
7	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second tha
8	motion.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
10	(No response.)
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
12	vote.
13	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
14	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
15	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
16	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
17	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
19	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
20	that the motion is unanimous.
21	Third, Kristina Klickovich.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a motion?
23	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I move to grant
24	resubmitted key license and qualification.
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Second?

1	ITEM NO. 4
2	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
3	motion.
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
5	(No response.)
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
7	vote.
8	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
9	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
10	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
11	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
12	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
14	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
15	the matter was passed unanimously.
16	Scott A. Noey.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
18	Is there a motion?
19	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. Mr. Chair, I
20	move to grant resubmitted key license and
21	qualification.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Second?
23	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I will second
24	that.
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made, seconded.

1	ITEM NO. 4
2	Any discussion?
3	(No response.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
5	vote.
6	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
7	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
8	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
9	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
10	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
12	MS. FAUNTLEROY: The last matter is
13	Thomas C. Fiore, for which there is no
14	objection by the Division and a staff
15	recommendation to remand.
16	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
17	Do I have a motion?
18	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. I move to
19	remand for a hearing the application of Thomas
20	C. Fiore for a resubmitted key license and
21	qualification.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
23	Is there a second?
24	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I will second
25	that motion

1	ITEM NO. 5
2	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
3	(No response.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
5	vote.
6	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
7	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
8	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
9	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
10	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Chairman Levinson?
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
12	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
13	that the matter was passed unanimously for
14	remand.
15	Item No. 5 are temporary key casino
16	employee licenses issued between April 10,
17	2013, and May 15, 2013, pursuant to Delegation
18	of Authority Resolution No. 13-01-10-16-C.
19	Mr. Plunkett is here to review those
20	matters with you, but no action is required.
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
22	MR. PLUNKETT: Good morning, Chairman,
23	Commissioners.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Good morning.
25	MR PLUNKETT. The following individual

1	ITEM NO. 6
2	submitted licenses via delegated authority
3	subsequent to the April 10th meeting of this
4	year: Kellie DeCelis, Danielle Fugnitti,
5	Leonora Insinger, David Lempka, Lydia Martinez,
6	and Peter Myszka.
7	No further Commission action is
8	required.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
10	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 6 are requests
11	for inactivation of casino key employee
12	licenses.
13	Mr. Plunkett will review those with you
14	as well.
15	MR. PLUNKETT: Item 6 consists of 24
16	individuals who, in lieu of filing a casino key
17	employee review form, have requested to be
18	placed on an inactive list for a period not to
19	exceed five years.
20	Staff recommends granting the relief
21	requested.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
23	I'll entertain a motion.
24	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I move to grant
25	the reguested relief and order that the 24

1	ITEM NO. 7
2	casino key employee licenses identified be
3	inactivated.
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
5	Is there a second?
6	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I will second
7	that.
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
9	(No response.)
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
11	(Ayes.)
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
13	(No response.)
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
15	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 7,
16	consideration of casino key employee license
17	terminations.
18	Mr. Plunkett will present those matters.
19	MR. PLUNKETT: Item 7 contains the names
20	of 13 individuals whose casino employee review
21	deadline was in April of this year, and they
22	have neither filed a key casino employee review
23	form nor have they requested to go on the
24	inactive list.
25	As such, the staff recommends that the

1	ITEM NO. 8
2	casino key employee licenses be terminated.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
4	Is there a motion?
5	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I move that we
6	order that the 13 casino key employee licenses
7	be terminated.
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
9	Is there a second?
10	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that.
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
12	(No response.)
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
14	(Ayes.)
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
16	(No response.)
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: The motion carries.
18	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 8 is the Joint
19	Petition of Bally's Park Place, Inc., d/b/a
20	Bally's Atlantic City, Boardwalk Regency
21	Corporation, d/b/a Caesar's Atlantic City, and
22	Showboat Atlantic City Operating Company, LLC,
23	d/b/a Showboat Casino Hotel for the issuance of
24	a multi-casino endorsement pursuant to NJSA
25	5.12-91 1 upon the casino key employee license

1	ITEM NO. 8
2	for Phil Mazzone. As well as for plenary
3	qualification.
4	MR. PLUNKETT: On April 24th, Bally's
5	Atlantic City, Caesar's Atlantic City, and
6	Showboat Atlantic City filed a Joint
7	position Petition seeking a multi-casino key
8	endorsement and plenary qualification for Phil
9	Mazzone to serve as President of Slot
10	Operations.
11	Mr. Magazzu is here on behalf of the
12	Petitioner, and Mr. Adams is on the behalf of
13	the Division of Gaming Enforcement.
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
15	Counsel, would you please enter your
16	appearance.
17	MR. MAGAZZU: Good morning, Chair
18	Levinson, Vice Chair Harrington, Commissioner
19	Cooper. Mike Magazzu on behalf of the
20	Petitioners.
21	MR. ADAMS: Good morning, Chairman and
22	Commissioners. Jack Adams, Deputy Attorney
23	General for the Division of Gaming Enforcement
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
25	Mr Magazzu, like to be heard?

1	ITEM NO. 8
2	MR. MAGAZZU: I would just note that
3	we've reviewed the draft resolution with our
4	client's casino organization, and we ask that
5	you approve the same.
6	Thanks.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
8	MR. ADAMS: I echo that.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
10	Commissioners, do you have any questions
11	for Counsel?
12	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No.
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: Seeing none, I'll
14	entertain a motion.
15	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Mr. Chair, I move
16	to approve the Joint Petition and grant Phil
17	Mazzone a multi-casino endorsement to his
18	casino key employee license pursuant to NJSA
19	5:12-91.1 and find Mr. Mazzone qualified to
20	serve as Vice President of Slot Operations for
21	Bally's Park Place, Inc., Boardwalk Regency
22	Corporation, and Showboat Atlantic City
23	Operating Company, LLC, in accordance with NJSA
24	5:12-85.1b and NJAC 13:69C-2.6.
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. Thank you.

1	ITEM NO. 9
2	Is there a second?
3	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
4	motion.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion is made and
6	seconded. This is a roll call vote.
7	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
8	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
9	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
10	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
11	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
13	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
14	that the motion passed unanimously.
15	The next item for your consideration is
16	No. 9, which is the Joint Petition of Bally's
17	Park Place, Inc., Boardwalk Regency
18	Corporation, Harrah's Atlantic City
19	Operation Operating Company, LLC, and
20	Showboat Atlantic City Operating Company, LLC,
21	for the issuance of a multi-casino endorsement
22	upon the temporary casino key employee license
23	of Stacey Kelsall.
24	Miss Pimpinelli is here to present the
25	matter on behalf of the Conoral Counsel's

1	ITEM NO. 9
2	Office.
3	MS. PIMPINELLI: Good morning, Chairman,
4	Commissioners.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Good morning.
6	MS. PIMPINELLI: Miss Kelsall is seeking
7	a multi-casino endorsement to her temporary
8	casino key employee license so that she'll be
9	allowed to perform the duties of Internal Audit
10	Manager for Harrah's and its affiliated
11	properties.
12	Counsel is here if you have any
13	questions.
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
15	MR. MAGAZZU: Miss Kelsall is a new
16	mandatory employee for our internal auditory
17	function for the region.
18	I would just add that we've reviewed the
19	draft resolution within the organization of
20	Miss Kelsall, and we are find the verbiage
21	of the draft resolution is acceptable. We ask
22	that you approve the same.
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
24	Division?
25	MR ADAMS: Yeah Mr Chairman, we do

1	ITEM NO. 9
2	not oppose the multi-casino endorsement as
3	indicated.
4	I've reviewed the draft resolution. We
5	ask that you enter it.
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
7	Commissioners, do you have any questions
8	for Counsel?
9	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Hearing none, is there
11	a motion?
12	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Mr. Chairman, I
13	move that we approve the Joint Petition and
14	grant Stacey Kelsall a multi-casino endorsement
15	to her temporary casino key employee license
16	pursuant to NJSA 5:12-91.1, for Bally's Park
17	Place, Inc., Boardwalk Regency Corporation,
18	Harrah's Atlantic City Operating Company, LLC,
19	and Showboat Atlantic City Operating Company,
20	LLC.
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
22	Is there a second?
23	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion is made and
25	seconded.

1	ITEM NO. 10
2	Any discussion?
3	(No response.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
5	(Ayes.)
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
7	(No response.)
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
9	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 10 is the
10	Joint Petition of Bally's Park Place, Inc.,
11	Boardwalk Regency Corporation, and Showboat
12	Atlantic City Operating Company for the
13	issuance of a multi-casino endorsement upon the
14	casino key employee license of Paul Natello and
15	for his plenary qualification.
16	MS. PIMPINELLI: Chairman and
17	Commissioners, similar to the last matter, Mr.
18	Natello is seeking a multi-casino endorsement
19	to his key employee license as well as plenary
20	qualifications which will allow him to perform
21	the duties of Vice President of Table Games for
22	Bally's, Caesar's, and Showboat.
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
24	Mr. Magazzu?
25	MP MACAZZII. Thank you Chairman and

1	ITEM NO. 10
2	Commissioners.
3	Once again, we have reviewed this draft
4	resolution with Mr. Natello and others within
5	Caesar's, and we find the same to be
6	acceptable. We ask that you approve the same.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
8	MR. MAGAZZU: Thank you.
9	MR. ADAMS: Mr. Chairman, we do not
10	oppose the relief and ask that you enter the
11	resolution as presented.
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
13	Commissioners, do you have any question?
14	(No response.)
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Hearing none, is there
16	a motion?
17	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes. Mr. Chair, I
18	move to approve the Joint Petition and grant
19	Mr. Natello, a multi-casino endorsement to his
20	casino key license pursuant to NJSA 5:12-91.1
21	and find Mr. Natello qualified to serve as Vice
22	President of Table Games for Bally's Park
23	Place, Incorporated, Boardwalk Regency
24	Corporation, and Showboat Atlantic City
25	Operating Company, LLC, in accordance with NJSA

1	ITEM NO. 10
2	5:12-85.1b and NJAC 13:69C-2.6.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
4	Is there a second?
5	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second that
6	motion.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
8	(No response.)
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
10	(Ayes.)
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
12	(No response.)
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: The motion carries.
14	MR. MAGAZZU: Thank you.
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
16	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let me revisit that
17	one.
18	Mr. Natello has a plenary qualification.
19	I believe this should be a roll call vote.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay.
21	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
23	vote.
24	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
25	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.

1	ITEM NO. 11
2	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
3	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
4	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
6	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
7	that the motion was unanimous.
8	Item No. 11 is the consideration of the
9	request of Lyndon Stockton for the surrender of
10	his casino key employee license.
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
12	I'll entertain a motion?
13	Oh. Do we
14	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Teresa Pimpinelli will
15	present the matter for your consideration.
16	MS. PIMPINELLI: Chairman and
17	Commissioners, Mr. Stockton was granted a
18	casino key employee license which he now seeks
19	to surrender.
20	The request is before you for a
21	determination.
22	Brian Biscieglia is here on behalf of
23	the Division.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
25	MR. BISCIEGLIA: Thank you. Good

1	ITEM NO. 12
2	morning, Chairman, Commissioners.
3	The Division has nothing further.
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
5	Commissioners have any questions?
6	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No questions.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a motion?
8	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Mr. Chairman, I
9	move that we find good cause and permit Lyndon
10	Stockton to surrender his key employee license
11	subject to the condition that Mr. Stockton will
12	not seek to reapply for licensure except as
13	provided in the order.
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
15	Is there a second?
16	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
18	(No response.)
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
20	(Ayes.)
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
22	(No response.)
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
24	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 12, first I
25	need to correct the identification of the item

1	ITEM NO. 12
2	on the agenda. It should be identified as:
3	The consideration of the resubmission
4	application of Eva L. Santiago.
5	Miss Pimpinelli will update you with
6	regard to the status of that matter.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
8	MS. PIMPINELLI: Yesterday I spoke with
9	Miss Santiago. She was able to provide her
10	contact information. That was the basis for
11	the Division's request that we remand it to a
12	hearing. Notified the Division. And she has
13	provided the Division with her contact
14	information.
15	So I would recommend that the matter be
16	adjourned.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
18	MR. BISCIEGLIA: The Division is in
19	agreeance [sic]. We did receive the contact
20	information from Miss Santiago, and we will be
21	putting this back into investigations, so we
22	will agree to the adjournment.
23	Thank you.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
25	Commissioners have any questions?

1	ITEM NO. 13
2	(No response.)
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Hearing none, I'll
4	entertain a motion.
5	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Mr. Chairman, I'll
6	make a motion to adjourn.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a second?
8	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I'll second
9	that.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Discussion?
11	(No response.)
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
13	(No response.)
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
15	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Thank you.
16	MR. BISCIEGLIA: Thank you.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
18	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Item No. 13 is the
19	petition of Revel Entertainment Group, LLC, for
20	permission to assume the duties and exercise
21	the powers of Director pending plenary
22	qualification pursuant to NJAC 19:43-2.7.
23	Miss Wozniak is here to present the
24	matter on behalf of General Counsel's Office.
25	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.

1	ITEM NO. 13
2	MS. WOZNIAK: Good morning, Chairman and
3	Commissioners.
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Good morning.
5	MS. WOZNIAK: I would just like to note
6	for the record that there is an amendment filed
7	by Miss Kaufman this morning dated May 14th.
8	It's merely an amendment to the Petition to
9	clarify that the individual referred to is
10	Thomas Michael Benninger.
11	And also a draft resolution was prepared
12	and distributed to the parties.
13	Miss Kaufman is here on behalf of the
14	Petition and Mr. Adams for the DGE.
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
16	MS. KAUFMAN: Good morning. We have
17	reviewed the Petition, and we have no
18	objections.
19	It just want to mention that these three
20	directors that we have requested temporary
21	qualification for are Gregory Dahl I'm
22	sorry Jeffrey Dahl, Gregory Roselli, and
23	Thomas Michael Benninger. They are all
24	respected in their fields, and we are very
25	pleased to welcome them to the Revel Board.

1	ITEM NO. 13
2	And Mr. Roselli is here with us today.
3	Mr. Roselli? Could you stand?
4	Thank you.
5	There also will be two more directors
6	appointed to the Revel Board pending their
7	temporary qualification. Their disclosure
8	forms and petitions for temporary qualification
9	have been filed and are pending.
10	Thank you.
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
12	Just before this can everyone enter
13	their appearance on the record, please?
14	MS. KAUFMAN: Oh. Lynne Kaufman for
15	Cooper Levenson.
16	MR. LEVENSON: Lloyd Levenson, Cooper
17	Levenson, on behalf of Revel.
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
19	MR. ADAMS: Jack Adams, Deputy Attorney
20	General for the Division of Gaming Enforcement.
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
22	Mr. Adams?
23	MR. ADAMS: Yeah. Mr. Chairman, you
24	have our letter in response to the Petition.
25	We don't oppose the temporary qualification and

1	ITEM NO. 13
2	reviewed the draft resolution, and it's
3	acceptable to the Division.
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
5	Commissioners, do you have any questions
6	for Counsel?
7	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No questions.
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Hearing none, I'll
9	entertain a motion on this matter.
10	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: I move that we
11	adopt the draft resolution and authorize on a
12	temporary basis and prior to their plenary
13	qualification permission to assume the duties
14	and exercise the powers as a member of the
15	Board of Directors for Revel AC, Inc., subject
16	in each instance to the conditions contained in
17	NJAC $19:43-2$ or $2.7(c)$ and (d) for Thomas M.
18	Benninger, Jeffrey Dahl, and Gregory Roselli.
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: We'll have independent
20	roll call votes on each?
21	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
22	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Yes.
23	For Mr. Benninger?
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a second?
25	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll make the

1	ITEM NO. 13
2	second.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
4	(No response.)
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
6	vote.
7	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
8	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
9	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
10	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
11	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Commissioner
12	Chairman Levinson?
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
14	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Jeffrey Dahl?
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a second?
16	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll make the
17	second.
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
19	(No response.)
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: In this is a roll call
21	vote.
22	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
23	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
24	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
25	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes

1	ITEM NO. 15
2	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
4	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Gregory Roselli?
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Is there a second?
6	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll make the
7	second.
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
9	(No response.)
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
11	vote.
12	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
13	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
14	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
15	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
16	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Chairman Levinson?
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
18	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
19	that all three were voted unanimously.
20	Item No. 14 excuse me. Let me jump
21	to Item No. 15 before we proceed to 14.
22	Item 15 is the Petition of Revel
23	Entertainment Group, LLC, for the issuance of a
24	temporary casino key employee license to
25	Randall Fine pursuant to NJSA 5:12-89(e).

1	IIEM NO. IS
2	MR. PLUNKETT: On May 9th a petition was
3	filed on behalf of Randall E. Fine for a
4	temporary casino key employee license and
5	temporary qualification to serve as Senior Vice
6	President of Marketing for Revel Entertainment
7	Group.
8	Mr. Fine was found qualified to the
9	standard of the casino key employee in
LO	conjunction with the Fine Point Group CSI
11	license in February of 2012.
12	As such, staff recommends and the
13	Division concurs that Mr. Fine be granted a
14	plenary casino key employee license and
15	qualification to serve as the Vice President of
16	Marketing concurrent with the Fine Point
17	qualification and review deadline of February
18	28th, 2017.
19	A draft resolution has been circulated
20	to the parties.
21	Miss Kaufman is here on behalf of the
22	Petitioner, and Jack Adams is here on behalf or
23	the Division.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
25	MS KALIFMAN. Cood morning

1	ITEM NO. 15
2	CHAIR LEVINSON: Miss Kaufman?
3	MS. KAUFMAN: I'll enter my appearance
4	for this matter. Lynne Kaufman, Cooper
5	Levenson on behalf of Revel and Mr. Fine.
6	We are pleased that he can be plenarily
7	qualified, and we welcome him aboard as Senior
8	Vice President of Marketing.
9	Mr. Fine is with us today. And I would
10	introduce him.
11	Hiding in the corner.
12	(Laughter.)
13	MS. KAUFMAN: Thank you.
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
15	Mr. Adams?
16	MR. ADAMS: Mr. Chairman, we don't
17	oppose of the relief.
18	And we have reviewed the draft
19	resolution and find it acceptable.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
21	Commissioners, do you have any questions
22	for Counsel?
23	(No response.)
24	Hearing none, I'll entertain a motion or
25	this matter.

1	ITEM NO. 15
2	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Mr. Chairman, I
3	move that we approve the petition and issue
4	Randall Fine a key casino key employee
5	license pursuant to NJSA 5:12-89(e) and find
6	Mr. Fine plenarily qualified to serve as Senior
7	Vice President of Marketing for Revel
8	Entertainment Group, LLC, in accordance with
9	NJSA 5:12-85.1B and NJAC 13:69c-2.6.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
11	Is there a second?
12	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll excuse me.
13	I'll second that, Mr. Commissioner.
14	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
15	Any discussion?
16	(No response.)
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
18	vote.
19	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Commissioner Cooper?
20	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
21	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
22	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes.
23	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
25	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Thank you.

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	Now we'll return to Item No. 14, which
3	is the Petition of Revel Entertainment Group,
4	LLC, and Revel AC, Inc., for approval of a
5	prepackaged plan of bankruptcy and related
6	rulings.
7	Ms. Wozniak is again here to present on
8	behalf of General Counsel's Office.
9	MS. WOZNIAK: Chairman, Commissioners,
10	I'll note for the record a draft resolution was
11	updated as of this date and distributed to the
12	parties.
13	You also have a sealing request. And in
14	addition, this morning you have an order from
15	the Division of Gaming Enforcement dated this
16	date granting a temporary and conditional
17	waiver to Chatham Revel Voteco.
18	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
19	Counsel has already entered their
20	appearances.
21	Daryl?
22	MR. NANCE: Chair, Commissioners, the
23	premarked exhibits are as follows:
24	The Casino Control Commission has one
25	ovhibit for identification only C-1 is a

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	draft resolution.
3	The Division of Gaming Enforcement
4	submitted one exhibit premarked D-1. D-1 is a
5	report dated May 10, 2013, on Petition of Revel
6	Entertainment Group, LLC, for declaratory
7	rulings regarding approval of a plan of
8	reorganization and related matters by John
9	Adams, Deputy Attorney General.
10	Petitioners submitted three exhibits
11	premarked as P-1 through P-3. P-1 is a Notice
12	of Immaterial Modifications to the debtors'
13	Joint Plan of Reorganization pursuant to
14	Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. P-2 is a
15	Supplemental to Joint Plan of Reorganization of
16	Revel AC, Inc., and its debtor affiliates
17	pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.
18	P-3 is the First Supplement to Plan Supplement
19	to the Joint Plan of Reorganization of Revel
20	AC, Inc., and its debtor affiliates pursuant to
21	Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.
22	Those are the exhibits.
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
24	And I understand there is a sealing
25	request. Is there objection to the sealing

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	request or the marking of exhibits into
3	evidence?
4	MR. ADAMS: No objection.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Miss Kaufman? You
6	good?
7	MS. KAUFMAN: I don't want I move the
8	Petition.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: I move that we grant
10	the sealing request and mark the exhibits into
11	evidence.
12	Do I have a second?
13	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'll second that,
14	Mr. Chair.
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Any discussion?
16	(No response.)
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
18	(Ayes.)
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
20	(No response.)
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion carries.
22	Mr. Levenson or Miss Kaufman?
23	MR. LEVENSON: Ready?
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yup.
25	MP IFVENSON: Chairman Lovinson

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	Sorry. I just love the way that sounds.
3	(Laughter.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Spelled differently.
5	MR. ADAMS: Spelled differently, Lloyd.
6	MR. LEVENSON: He spells it correctly.
7	MR. ADAMS: Yeah.
8	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Details.
9	MR. LEVENSON: Chairman Levinson, Vice
10	Chair Harrington, and Commissioner Cooper, good
11	morning.
12	Before I introduce the remaining
13	representatives of Revel we have here today, I
14	want to give you a brief overview of why we are
15	here.
16	We are today asking, as was stated,
17	seeking approval of a prepackaged Chapter 11
18	plan of reorganization, including the issuance
19	of new equity interests, the extinguishment of
20	any rights in connection with the previous
21	equity interests and the approval of an
22	immaterial debt transaction pursuant to NJAC
23	13:69C-4.2 4.3, including any required
24	financial stability findings.
25	As you will hear today, Revel's debt

1	IIEM NO. 14
2	will be reduced by 84 percent from 1.2 billion
3	to 350 million through an exchange of debt for
4	equity.
5	Just recently, the other day, on May
6	13th, US Bankruptcy Court in Camden confirmed
7	the plan under Chapter 11. The plan was
8	unanimously accepted by the creditors voting on
9	the plan in connection with Revel's prepackaged
10	solicitation of votes.
11	Revel expects to emerge from bankruptcy
12	next week. Our testimony will show today that
13	not only will Revel emerge out of bankruptcy
14	with a significantly reduced debt load but that
15	the initiatives, amenities, and focus of its
16	management team, led by Jeff Hartmann, will
17	drive revenue growth by attracting gaming,
18	leisure, and convention guests to Revel.
19	Before we continue, I just want to make
20	sure that people that you've already met but
21	meet again is Jeff Hartmann, who is the interim
22	CEO and Dennis Stogsdill, the Chief
23	Restructuring Officer. Both of those gentlemen
24	will be testifying today, so you will see them
25	again.

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	At this point I'd like to turn the
3	proceedings over to Ms. Kaufman who will call
4	our first witness.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
6	MS. KAUFMAN: Good morning again.
7	Before I call the first witness, I'd
8	like to address a few items that are in our
9	Petition.
10	One matter is that there are certain
11	provisions in our Petition requesting relief in
12	connection with an ICA. Since the ICA Petition
13	is not being heard at this time, we ask for
14	those requests to be held until such time as
15	the ICA Petition is heard.
16	Additionally, certain documents that
17	have been submitted as part of Exhibit P-2 I
18	want to reference, and they are relevant to the
19	approval in connection with the issuance of new
20	securities, and that is the amended and
21	restated formation documents of all the Revel
22	entities.
23	I want to state that the Casino Control
24	Commission mandatory required language under
25	Sections 85D and 1 and 5 are contained in those

1	ITEM NO. 14
2	documents. They have not been changed since
3	they were approved by the Commission in
4	connection with Revel's license hearing.
5	Also, I want to make reference to a
6	management incentive plan that is also part of
7	Exhibit P-2 and that, again, we're asking for
8	approval in connection with approval of the
9	issuance of new securities.
10	Also, before I call Dennis, Dennis
11	Stogsdill is the Chief Restructuring Officer,
12	and we are calling him today in furtherance of
13	our position that the papers that have been
14	submitted, as well as the evidence you will
15	hear today, show that Revel is financially
16	stable and will be financial stable, and we're
17	seeking approval of a material debt
18	transaction.
19	Usually in a case of an operating
20	casino, projections rely heavily on past
21	operating results. We submit today that the
22	forecasts that we've provided to you do not
23	heavily rely on past operating results because
24	of not only the stunning reduction in debt that
25	the plan of reorganization brings on but also

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	in view of the new management team and new
3	initiatives, amenities, facilities, and
4	outlook.
5	That being said, we'll call Dennis
6	Stogsdill.
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
8	
9	DENNIS STOGSDILL, was duly sworn to
10	testify in this matter.
11	
12	MR. NANCE: Please state your name for
13	the record.
14	THE WITNESS: Dennis Stogsdill.
15	MR. NANCE: Thank you.
16	
17	DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MS. KAUFMAN:
18	Q. Good morning.
19	A. Good morning.
20	Q. Could you tell us your current title and
21	how long you've held that title?
22	A. Chief Restructuring Officer of Revel
23	Entertainment since February 17th, 2013.
24	Q. And could you tell us a little about
25	your background that brought you to that position.

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	A. I was first hired by Revel Entertainment
3	in November of 2012 as a financial advisor to assist
4	them in the activities of raising additional debt to
5	help them get through their issues. I was then
6	appointed to be Chief Restructuring Officer, like I
7	said, in February.
8	Q. Thank you.
9	Implementation of the plan of
10	restructuring results in complete overhaul of both the
11	debt and equity of Revel. Could you explain what will
12	be happening to the \$895 million worth of existing
13	term loans as well as the \$387 million worth of second
14	lien loans?
15	A. Both of those issuances will be
16	completely equitized and converted into new co-equity
17	of reorganized Revel.
18	Q. Okay. And what does that mean? Who is
19	going to own Revel? Sorry. For some of us.
20	A. Sure.
21	Q. Who will own Revel?
22	A. The prior owners of the term loan, the
23	\$895 million term loan will be converted into the new
24	equity holders of the new Revel. The \$387 million of

the second lien notes will be completely equitized.

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1 DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
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- 2 They will not become equity holders. Instead they
- 3 will get the rights in what we are called the earned
- 4 proceeds.
- 5 Q. Okay. So I think what I'm hearing you
- 6 say is that the \$895 million goes away.
- 7 A. Completely goes away.
- 8 Q. Okay. And the \$387 million now becomes
- 9 a payment right?
- 10 A. It does.
- 11 Q. Okay. And there also was debtor-in-
- 12 possession financing during these bankruptcy
- proceedings. Could you tell us a little about that
- and what will happen to that?
- 15 A. Sure.
- 16 As of the emergence date, which we
- anticipate to be May 21st, next week, that roughly
- 18 \$250 million of debtor-in-possession financing will be
- 19 refinanced with the proceeds of what we call it our
- 20 exit financing. Exactly. Yes.
- 21 Q. Okay. Now would be a good time for me
- 22 to ask you about the exit financing.
- 23 A. Sure.
- 24 Exit financing is two traunches of debt.
- 25 A \$250 million -- I'm sorry. Excuse me.

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	(Laughter.)
3	A. A \$275 million
4	THE WITNESS: It's changing, Jack;
5	right?
6	MR. ADAMS: Yes, it has.
7	A. It's a \$275 million term loan and also a
8	\$275 million revolving credit facility, totaling \$350
9	million.
10	MS. KAUFMAN: Okay. I would just like
11	to make sure that the record reflects that that
12	amount is different than the amount on our
13	Petition and also in the exhibits we submitted,
14	but what Mr. Stogsdill is testifying to is the
15	actual correct amount.
16	Q. And how much the exit facility, the
17	revolver part, will you be using about the time you
18	emerge from bankruptcy?
19	A. At the time of emergence, we expect to
20	use roughly between 6 and \$10 million of the revolving
21	credit facility. The other the \$275 million is
22	effectively drawn and used at emergence.
23	Q. Okay. And under the new with the new
24	debt, what what are your interest requirements
25	going to look like? And how do they compare to what

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        you were paying before?
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                      The interest rate on the revolving
        credit facility is Libor plus six percent, which is
        really, one is our one-percent floor. It's a total of
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        7 percent interest on the drawn amounts on the
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        revolver. So that 6 to $10 million at emergence will
        have a 7 percent interest rate. The term loan will be
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        a 14 and a half percent interest rate in what's called
        payment-in-kind, which will just accrue to the
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        balance. It essentially is not a cash outlay by the
        company. We have the option to pay in cash or in
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        payment-in-kind.
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                      Okay. And how does that compare -- what
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        you're going to be paying -- how does that compare to
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        what you were paying before?
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                      On the basis of what's paid in cash,
        it's roughly a 96 percent reduction. I'd say a
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        massive, drastic -- pick your adjective -- reduction.
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        And the amount of cash interest paid. Going forward,
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        we'll at most be paying 4 to $5 million annually in
        cost.
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               Q.
                      Okay. That is significant.
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As you know, though, we are not only

here because of the large debt load of Revel, but

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	we're also here because of the failure to achieve
3	revenue goals. The plan projects a quick operational
4	turnaround, and Jeff Hartmann will be testifying as to
5	what Revel will be doing to achieve that.
6	My question for you is: Often when you
7	do have new initiatives, you also have many more
8	expenses. Could you tell me what Revel's going to
9	look like on the expense side now?
10	A. Well, we have embarked on several
11	initiatives to reduce the overall cost structure of
12	Revel. The first, as you've probably read in the
13	newspapers recently, we had a reduction in our labor
14	force that will save the entity roughly \$14 million
15	annually.
16	We are also currently going through an
17	exercise to better deploy our existing labor assets,
18	and we hope that to save many more millions of
19	dollars.
20	And, lastly, just actually yesterday, we
21	kicked off an initiative to further rationalize our
22	cost basis, the non-labor cost basis, and we hope that
23	to save tens of millions of dollars going forward as
24	well. So we're working feverishly to reduce the cost
25	structure as well.

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2	Q.	Okay.	You	were	rece

- Q. Okay. You were recently quoted in the

 paper -- and I can't always believe everything you

 read -- but as saying that Revel will still sustain

 losses after the bank -- after you emerge. Could you

 elaborate on that a bit?
- 7 A. Sure.

- Well, in a lot of ways, the company is still in a startup mode. The business has only been opened I think a year, and we're still getting our footing underneath us. And especially during the off season or shoulder season, we'll be continuing and expect to lose money going forward. We -- as our projections that are underlying our plan of reorganization and disclosure statement filed in the Bankruptcy Court, we expect to become profitable at the beginning of the summer of 2014.
- Q. Okay. I mentioned that we are relying heavily on forecasts. And the initial licensure forecasts, which I know you were not involved with, were, let's just say, a bit off.
- 22 A. They are very ambitious. Yes.
- Q. How should we be confident about your forecasts? Or why should be confident?
- 25 A. Because I did them? That's not good

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               DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
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        enough?
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                      (Laughter.)
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                      No.
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               Q.
                      Well, could you tell us a little bit
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        about the history --
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                      -- because you have been here a few
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        months. I know you did some forecasting.
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                      Yes. So the forecasts that we put
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        together, again, that underlie the disclosure
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        statement were put together in February, March time
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        frame, like you said in your opening statement, do
        take into conversation a lot of facts and
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        circumstances of what's going on currently at the
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        business. So as Jeff will get into with the new
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        amenities, the cost rationalization initiatives, and
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        just a better acceptance of what's going on in the
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        marketplace, we think that the forecasts adequately
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        and conservatively represent what Revel is capable of
21
        producing in earnings capacity.
                    Now, the DGE does call the forecasts
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        "optimistic." Is there any flexibility if you don't
24
        meet those targets?
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Certainly. You know, the projections

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Ţ	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	are just numbers on a piece of paper. They are fluid.
3	You know, the actual operations are fluid. And we do
4	have levers to pull, whether it's additional cost
5	savings or there are other things that are not
6	necessarily in the projections, such as the cost
7	rationalization issues or initiatives that I mentioned
8	a few minutes ago. Those were not incorporated into
9	those forecasts.
10	Also, as you may have heard, we are
11	considering going to smoking, and that will increase
12	our revenue base as well. And some of the actual
13	amenities that we're bringing on-line this summer were
14	not included in that forecast as well. So there is
15	some upside not included in that forecast.
16	As far as financial flexibility, we have
17	the ability the reason it's there is that the
18	revolving credit facility is roughly \$75 million of
19	funds to offset those losses or projected losses for
20	the next 12 months.
21	Q. Okay. And in addition to what you've
22	just described, do you believe that, if necessary
23	and I know this is conjecture, but just maybe based on
24	past history, if you Revel will have access to
25	additional capital if needed?

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	A. Yeah. I believe so. It's the record
3	is it's littered with consistent support from our
4	investor base, going back to last summer when the
5	company was first having liquidity problems raised a
6	hundred million dollars from it's existing lender
7	base. And then in December of 2012 when I was
8	involved, we raised another \$150 million. Then again
9	with the filing, raised another \$42 million. And then
10	again with this exit facility, another \$75 million of
11	fresh capital. I would say that is a pretty
12	consistent record of support from our investor base.
13	Q. Okay. I would add that these investors
14	are now also going to be the owners?
15	A. They are going to be the owners, and
16	they are economically incented [sic] to continue to
17	support their investment.
18	Q. Okay. After you emerge, what happens to
19	the unsecured creditors' claims?
20	A. They are reinstated a hundred percent.
21	They are not compromised whatsoever. And, in fact,
22	many of them have been getting paid in the ordinary
23	course throughout the bankruptcy period. So that's

local trade vendors, construction vendors, employees

have all been getting paid at a hundred cents.

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1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - KAUFMAN
2	Q. Okay. A while back there was a there
3	was much publicity about contractors not receiving
4	payments and many outstanding claims. Could you
5	update us on that?
6	A. Oh, sure. As part of the \$150 million
7	new capital we raised in December, \$35 million of that
8	was set aside explicitly for construction claims that
9	were left over from the base building construction.
10	And as of today, that \$35 million has been almost
11	completely deployed I think there's about 4
12	million, \$4.1 million left. And out of a hundred
13	and 160-plus construction vendors that were owed
14	monies, when I came to work with the company in
15	December and November, all but I think all about
16	four have been paid.
17	Q. Okay. I just can't overemphasize how
18	pleased I know everyone is with that, and we haven't
19	been reading what we have been reading in the paper.
20	And I think it certainly shows Revel is on the right
21	track now.
22	MS. KAUFMAN: That's all for my direct
23	at this time.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you, Miss
25	Kaufman.

DENNIS STOGSDILL - ADAMS

2	Mr. Adams?
3	MR. ADAMS: Thank you, Mr. Chairman.
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5	CROSS-EXAMINATION BY MR. ADAMS:
6	Q. I want to start with the exit revolver.
7	You mentioned that coming out you will need to spend 6
8	to 10 of that exit revolver coming out of bankruptcy;
9	is that right?
10	A. Yes, sir.
11	Q. All right. So coming out, you will have
12	anywhere between 65 to 69 available; is that correct?
13	A. Exactly.
14	Q. Okay. And you mentioned in response to
15	Ms. Kaufman's question about the statement about
16	losing money going forward. Do you anticipate over
17	the next six months losing money? And if you do or
18	don't, could you elaborate on that?
19	A. Yes, we do. Although, obviously, not
20	every day of that period or every month of that
21	period. The summer is going to be drastically better
22	than, for example, November.
23	Q. Okay. You also mentioned that assuming
24	things don't go quite as well as you forecast, what
25	how do you envision handling the situation? For

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - ADAMS
2	example, there are some financial covenants, I
3	believe, that are involved with respect to the
4	revolver. And can you elaborate how they are
5	implicated in this whole situation and what's your
6	methodology to address them?
7	A. Sure. The majority of the financial
8	covenants, mainly the profitability covenants, do not
9	really kick in until 2015, December of 2015. So we
10	have quite a bit of time before we're really measured
11	by profitability covenants. There is one covenant
12	called a minimum liquidity covenant. That is a daily
13	test throughout that period. And we have structured
14	it and negotiated it in such a way that we believe we
15	have sufficient liquidity and sufficient cushion in
16	that covenant to operate with tons of flexibility
17	between now and next year.
18	Q. Okay. And I believe you testified on
19	direct that you expect Revel to be profitable next
20	summer; is that correct?
21	A. Yes.
22	Q. And can you elaborate on how you came t
23	that determination?
24	A. Well, to be clear, actually, we expect

to be profitable at various times this summer as well.

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- 2 But it's really not until next summer that we are
- 3 profitable on a trailing 12 months point of view,
- 4 until we're profitable in that point of view. But we
- 5 expect to be -- for example, we're profitable on
- 6 weekends. We're profitable on certain portions of the
- 7 summer. Or expect to be this summer. But not until
- 8 next summer that we expect to be over a longer period
- 9 of time sustainably profitable.
- 10 Q. Okay. This may be somewhat repetitious,
- but I believe it's worth noting. On a going-forward
- 12 basis, assuming your revenue projections are not met,
- and you have to dip into the revolver as has been the
- case, as you know, for the past 13, 15 months, how do
- 15 you -- how do you propose to handle that situation?
- 16 A. You mean if a revenue -- actual revenue
- is less than what we expect?
- 18 O. Yes.
- 19 A. Well, like any company, there are other
- levers that you can pull. And when revenue is not
- 21 going as expected, your variable costs go down as
- 22 well, so it doesn't exactly drop to the bottom line,
- as we said. There are certain levers in the business
- that we would expect to pull to reduce costs to offset
- 25 those revenue shortages.

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL - ADAMS
2	Q. Okay. Let's talk about reducing the
3	costs, which you've testified about. Can you go into
4	some detail about these costs savings that you've
5	already talked about? You mentioned the employees and
6	saving money there. And then you mentioned something
7	else about cost savings. Can you elaborate on that a
8	little bit further?
9	A. Sure.
10	The labor reduction, obviously, the
11	expectations for the property was that volume and
12	revenue was going to be greater than it has been. So,
13	essentially, the property was staffed up greater than
14	it needed to be. So by reducing the overall full-time
15	employees, we reduced overall cost basis.
16	Then a second point of the cost
17	second point I made about cost reduction was to better
18	staff the employees that we they have. So that's
19	better scheduling. That's, you know, fewer employees
20	in the cage or fewer dealers during slow times.
21	Hundreds of different examples like that.
22	And then, lastly, the cutting the
23	non-labor expenses goes from anything from frankly,
24	we negotiated a pretty publicized reduction in our

real estate tax with the City to reducing the utility

1	DENNIS	STOGSDILL - ADAMS
2	costs to redu	cing food and beverage costs. I don't
3	want to bore	you with too much, but I could go down
4	the list on a	profit-and-loss statement. But it's a
5	big property,	and there are a lot of costs, roughly
6	\$300 million	a year. So there are a lot of things for
7	us to address	from you know, to give you one
8	example, we a	re going to reduce the change out the
9	lights in the	parking lot to switch out with energy
10	efficient LED	lights. That will save us \$400,000 a
11	year and also	provide us with a \$450,000 tax grant.
12	Just one exam	ple. We have a long list like that to
13	address in ou	r cost structure.
14	Q.	Okay. You mentioned, I think, saving
15	tens of milli	ons of dollars potentially by doing this.
16	Is that a fai	r statement?
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	Okay. And this is on a yearly basis?
19	Α.	Well, we haven't
20	Q.	Over the course
21	Α.	Over the course of
22	Q.	Over the course.
23	Α.	Because we haven't exactly quantified

what the potential savings are from an initiative.

Q. Now, one of the areas, and perhaps Mr.

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               DENNIS STOGSDILL - ADAMS
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        Hartmann will testify to this as well, that needs a
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        tremendous turnaround is slot revenue. What -- what
        is happening, and what will happen with Revel to
        increase slot revenue?
                      You're right. You are stealing a little
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        bit of Jeff's thunder there. But generally we are
        going to be better communicating with the slot
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        customer and provide for a better experience and
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        communication with the gaming customer. We also, you
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        have heard recently, opened a high-limit slots lounge
        just this past weekend. But I'll let Jeff go into
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        that a little bit more.
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               Q.
                      Okay. Would it be fair to say -- and,
15
        again, Jeff's right here -- that this is a key
        component of Revel's potential turnaround, absent a
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        significant increase in slot revenue, Revel is still
        going to be in trouble. Would that be a fair
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        statement?
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                      Say that one more time, Mr. Adams?
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                      Absent an increase -- a substantial
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        increase in slot revenue, Revel will still struggle to
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        survive in this market.
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Well, it depends on the increase. I

don't like to pin all of the hopes or problems of

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1	DENNIS SIOGSDILL - ADAMS
2	Revel on just slots. There are a lot things for us to
3	address from slots, table games, and expenses. But
4	certainly slots the slot performance has been a
5	problem for last 12 months.
6	Q. Now, you have had a chance, obviously,
7	to review our report that we've filed with the
8	Commission, and you touched on this briefly in your
9	initial testimony that the the exit facility has
10	increased in total to 350 million; 275 term loan, and
11	75 revolver. The Division's report focused on a term
12	of, I believe, 260?
13	A. Yes.
14	Q. Would you agree that the analysis
15	contained in our report is still viable even though an
16	extra 15 million was put onto the term loan?
17	A. Yes.
18	Q. And that is also due, in part, because
19	we suggested an uptick in the revolver was being
20	discussed at one point up to 25 million; is that
21	correct?
22	A. Yes.
23	Q. And that's now gone.
24	A. That exact provision

Q. Yes.

1 DENNIS STOGSDILL - ADAMS

2	A build in, call it a 25 million
3	upsizing, is out.
4	Q. Yes.
5	A. But we still have the ability to upsize
6	the revolver. It's just not technically built into
7	the structure.
8	Q. And that will continue post bankruptcy;
9	correct?
10	A. Yes. Yes.
11	Q. With the new owners, as you've already
12	described.
13	A. Yes. Upon a 51 percent vote, we could
14	upsize the revolver if we needed to.
15	MR. ADAMS: Just one second.
16	(Conferring.)
17	MR. ADAMS: I don't have anything
18	further at this time.
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
20	Miss Kaufman? Mr. Levenson? Anything
21	further questions?
22	MS. KAUFMAN: No.
23	MR. ADAMS: Thank you.
24	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. Commissioners,
25	do you have any questions for the witness?

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	THE WITNESS: Oops.
3	(Laughter.)
4	CHAIR LEVINSON: Not so fast.
5	(Laughter.)
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Not so fast. Drink
7	some more water.
8	(Laughter.)
9	THE WITNESS: Oh, really?
10	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Chair, a couple
11	of questions, if I may.
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Sure. Vice Chair
13	Harrington?
14	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: First, thank
15	you. A lot of what I was curious about has
16	been answered. And I was particularly
17	interested in hearing who was going to be paid
18	And if I'm understanding, the unsecured claims
19	and that satisfaction.
20	Is Revel still in dispute or litigation
21	with Tishman Construction?
22	THE WITNESS: Yes. Very much so.
23	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay.
24	(Laughter.)
25	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okav

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	THE WITNESS: We have drafted a
3	Complaint, and very shortly may be filing it
4	against Tishman.
5	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay.
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay.
7	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay. And then
8	with regard to let me see. You talked about
9	reducing your expenses with regard to the labor
10	costs. In the Petition it states that Revel
11	supports approximately 4400 permanent
12	employees, of which 3250 are employed by Revel
13	and the remainder by their food and beverage
14	retail food and beverage partners. In that 14
15	million savings, is that reflected in that
16	number? Or, you know, how significant has
17	THE WITNESS: It is.
18	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: has the RIF
19	been?
20	THE WITNESS: It is. We've impacted
21	roughly 87 permanent jobs and 150 or so
22	semi-permanent part-time jobs. So those new
23	numbers do reflect the reduction in labor.
24	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay.
25	THE WITNESS: Because it obviously

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	does fair to say, it does fluctuate from
3	week to week and month to month and based on
4	the summer season, we have been hiring
5	recently.
6	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay. That was
7	another question. Will there be a spike in
8	hiring during the summer or seasonally?
9	THE WITNESS: Yes. Absolutely.
10	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay. And then
11	I was going to ask a question about
12	nonrationaling the non-labor cost, which
13	you've you enlightened us. But can you talk
14	a little bit and this will be my last
15	question about the economic recovery grants
16	and how that still factors into your expenses
17	or your finances.
18	THE WITNESS: Sure. Yeah. Actually,
19	the economic recovery grant is a source of a
20	lot of confusion, frankly.
21	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yeah. That's
22	why I asked.
23	THE WITNESS: And the the second lien
24	lenders, or the mezzanine lenders as they're
25	called, the \$387 million facility, they had a

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	collateral interest in those proceeds. So the
3	first \$70 million of those proceeds, it was
4	projected at one point that those proceeds
5	could be roughly up to \$250 million over a 20
6	million or I'm sorry a 20-year period.
7	The first 70 million of those proceeds would go
8	to those lenders, or those investors. And ther
9	the proceeds thereafter would come to Revel.
10	But because it's over a 20, 25-year period,
11	it's it's a long ways away, frankly.
12	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Okay.
13	CHAIR LEVINSON: Comes to Revel to
14	redevelopment the area around them.
15	THE WITNESS: Redevelopment the area.
16	Yes. Not to invest in the property or
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Right.
18	THE WITNESS: anything like that.
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: Make sure that's clear.
20	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Thank you. I
21	think that that's the point.
22	THE WITNESS: Yeah.
23	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Every
24	opportunity we have to explain what that
25	actually is, I think it's helpful.

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	So thank you, Mr. Stogsdill.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: And I just have one
4	question, and Miss Cooper can ask what you
5	have.
6	I know you talked about it a little bit
7	during the questioning, but when I look at
8	this, my main question to you is, you know, why
9	do you feel that a \$75 million revolver is
10	sufficient? And then with the very little
11	flexibility of any kind of shortfall, can you
12	just talk a little bit more in depth in that
13	flexibility that you have if there's a
14	shortfall?
15	THE WITNESS: Sure. You know, I'd be
16	remiss if I didn't say there is some, you know,
17	agita, I suppose, about not having enough
18	money. You always want more money. But we put
19	a lot of work into our forecasts and considered
20	a lot of things and negotiated very a lot
21	with our investors to get the \$75 million. So
22	where I sit today, I feel comfortable that it's
23	enough. You know, there are some levers to
24	pull in a big business with a \$300 million
25	annual cost structure. That said, it's a lot

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	of fixed costs, so there's not too many levers
3	to pull. So we do have a lot of work ahead of
4	us. And so I won't say it will be easy. But,
5	again, where I sit today, I feel pretty
6	comfortable with what we have. And again, like
7	what I said on the record about having the
8	support of our investors, that also is very
9	helpful.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. Thank you very
11	much.
12	Miss Cooper?
13	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Thank you.
14	First I want to thank you for being
15	here.
16	THE WITNESS: You're welcome.
17	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Just a couple of
18	license questions that I have jotted down were
19	answered, but I do have another question for
20	you.
21	When Revel initially opened, you were
22	100 percent smoke free. I've read that now, to
23	increase revenues and with the changes that are
24	taking place, you are now going to have smoking
25	in designated areas. You mentioned smoking

1	DENNIS STOGSDILL
2	very briefly a few moments ago. Would you tell
3	us a little bit more about your plans to now
4	allow smoking at Revel and how do you think the
5	<pre>impact will be?</pre>
6	THE WITNESS: I'm still
7	(Laughter.)
8	THE WITNESS: Checking my posse. I'm
9	stealing a little bit from him. But we are in
10	the midst of planning on offering up smoking to
11	up to 25 percent of the floor, as is allowed by
12	the regulatory limit, like all of the other 11
13	casino properties in town. We do not think it
14	will impact our nonsmoking customers because
15	they'll still have 75 percent of the gaming
16	floor to enjoy. And the entire rest of the
17	resort will remain nonsmoking.
18	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Okay.
19	CHAIR LEVINSON: And the infrastructure
20	of Revel can take for the smoking? It was
21	built to do that?
22	THE WITNESS: Yes.
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: The ventilation?
24	THE WITNESS: Yes. And we're planning
25	to augment that installation with some

1	JEFFREY HARTMANN - LEVENSON
2	additional mechanical HVAC equipment to better
3	pump the air in and out. And, also, as you
4	probably know, we have pretty high ceilings.
5	So I think that will be helpful as well.
6	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Okay. I'm fine.
7	Thank you.
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you. We'll call
9	our next witness.
10	Thank you very much.
11	THE WITNESS: Thank you.
12	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yes. Thank you.
13	MR. LEVENSON: Ask Jeff Hartmann to take
14	the stand.
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16	JEFFREY E. HARTMANN, was duly sworn to
17	testify in this matter.
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19	MR. NANCE: Please state your name for
20	the record.
21	THE WITNESS: Jeffrey E. Hartmann.
22	MR. NANCE: Thank you.
23	THE WITNESS: Take my cue from Dennis
24	and pour my water upfront.
25	(Laughter.)

1	JEFFREY HARTMANN - LEVENSON
2	MR. LEVENSON: Don't spill it, either.
3	THE WITNESS: Okay.
4	Good morning, everyone.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: Good morning.
6	Mrs. Kaufman, whenever you're ready.
7	MR. LEVENSON: Oh, it's
8	CHAIR LEVINSON: Oh, Mr. Levenson?
9	Sorry.
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11	DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. LEVENSON:
12	Q. Good morning.
13	Mr. Hartmann, just, even though
14	everybody knows who you are, tell us, if you will,
15	what your title is at Revel.
16	A. I'm the Interim Chief Executive Officer
17	at Revel Entertainment. I've held that position since
18	March 22nd of 2013.
19	Q. And you were at Revel, though, prior to
20	that date; is that correct?
21	A. Yes. I started approximately in January
22	of 2013 as a consultant working for the company.
23	Q. And so you've had these five months or
24	so to digest what's going on at Revel. And we're
25	going to just go over the ideas that your team has and

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2	the actual things that are going on now at Revel and
3	what you anticipate in the future.
4	A. Sure.
5	Q. So, overall, I think Dennis was asked a
6	question with regard to slot revenue, for example, and
7	broadening that to gaming revenue. What are your
8	plans at Revel in order to increase gaming revenue?
9	A. Well, I think it starts with a
10	philosophy. We have great amenities at the property.
11	But were we are really positioning the asset as a
12	gaming-centric property. You know, our primary focus
13	is gaming. We're focused on driving gaming revenue.
14	Using the assets that you know, the tremendous

casino customer that probably in 2012 and early 2013
gave us a test. But, you know, some stayed, but the
vast majority did not come back for various reasons.

amenities and are really going to appeal to that

assets at Revel. Revel's casino floor, the dining and

shopping, the hotel rooms, the spa, some of the new

21 So we are focusing all of the efforts of our team to 22 appeal -- have Revel appeal to the casino customer.

It starts with a sense of urgency. I mean, one of the things that a sense of urgency in a situation. There's a lot of people depending on Revel

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2	to succeed. There's 4600 direct employed
3	employees. There's countless hundreds of vendors.
4	There's people throughout South Jersey and the state
5	that are depending on Revel to succeed. So I started
6	my mission with a sense of urgency. Along with
7	Dennis, we've created you know, increased the pace
8	of getting things done. And, you know, if you look a
9	our 90-day plan, first 30 days was to observe, look a
10	what's happening at the property. Make some changes.
11	Unfortunately, we had to, you know, lay some people
12	off that were very qualified. But, you know, due to
13	the economic situation, we had to to let them go.
14	The second 60-day traunch of time,
15	which which concludes with Memorial Day, is
16	bringing amenities that appeal to casino customers
17	such as our Pearl Slot Lounge that we opened last
18	Friday. We're we have worked on increasing
19	visibility on the casino floor, improving sight lines
20	We're working on a signage enhancement project, that
21	signs will be deployed next week to help better
22	navigate patrons at he Revel.
23	We've heard a lot of feedback from our
24	customers, not having a 24-hour restaurant with value
25	so we're opening our Relish restaurant at the old

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2	Central location on the casino floor next week. We
3	will probably shortly be introducing some additional
4	value food in one of our food and beverage locations.
5	I can't really disclose that, but there will be more
6	value food because we heard that from our customers
7	that have a nice amenities package for leisure guests,
8	groups guests, some casino guests. But some of the
9	traditional customers who may be on budgets that
10	support value. That product was missing.
11	So, you know, for our leisure guests,
12	we're going to continue our group guests, our Day
13	Club outdoor Day Club will be introduced and opened
14	Memorial Day Weekend. So those are just some of the
15	things that we have done to kind of broaden the
16	appeal.
17	Most importantly, to drive slot revenue,
18	we really looked at how we talk to our customers, not
19	only our slot customers but our table game customers.
20	You know, we recently made a change to bring in Randy
21	Fine and his team, very qualified. And we're going to
22	talk to customers, whether they were a customer who
23	comes frequently from Brigantine, we're going to speak
24	to you differently in the mail or through through
25	o-mail worses that loisure customer who may live in

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2	the Upper West Side of New York City and may come for
3	the weekend. And, you know, we're going to go after
4	that Cherry Hill customer who has probably been once
5	or twice to us. But we're going to get them back
6	through various communications, promotions. We're
7	going to be a little more promotional. You know, and
8	we will be aggressive to grow revenues.
9	Because, as all of you have indicated,
10	you know, this is a critical summer for Revel. You
11	know, I can't stress to you the sense of urgency that
12	I am stressing with the team in terms of driving
13	revenue but also looking at our client structure.
14	You know, we are you know, as Dennis
15	indicated, we are trying to be more efficient, lean
16	organization, scheduling people when these volumes
17	occur. And that, you know, work smarter. How we buy,
18	you know, water. Everything is being, you know,
19	looked at. And with a sense of urgency and a sense of
20	purpose. We have a great obligation, not only to our
21	shareholders, but all our employees and our vendors of
22	this area. So we take that very seriously.
23	Q. And I haven't seen in several months
24	commercials or media launches to try to encourage new

customers or reattract some people who had been there

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2	before. Is there anything on the horizon with regard
3	to that?
4	A. Yes. You know, we have suffered, you
5	know, due to our liquidity challenges, we have been
6	basically off the air for the last seven months. You
7	know, we've recently put together a new TV shoot,
8	acquired some digital assets to use for the TV,
9	website, YouTube, to show the property and focus on
10	the gaming resort. We're going to show, you know,
11	gamblers at Revel and we're going to profile the
12	property and show the beauty how beautiful the
13	property is. And I really think that is something
14	that we failed in the first year to show how beautiful
15	the property is and the magnificent design.
16	Unfortunately, as I refer, the exterior
17	is always shown on the property. I don't think it
18	really does justice in terms of the design and the
19	layout and the restaurants of the property. So we're
20	going to focus on that. And we'll be launching that
21	campaign shortly. I don't want to tell when, for our
22	competitors, but we'll be launching that shortly. You
23	know, and around more call to action. The commercials
24	will not only show the property but will drive
25	visitation to Revel and call to action. And we're

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2	working closely with Randy Fine and his team to do
3	that. On all our management team to do that. So
4	we're very excited about what's going to happen this
5	summer.
6	And I guess talking to Randy, you know,
7	everybody deserves a second chance. So we're looking
8	for a second chance. And we are preparing our
9	employees through various meetings. And when the
10	customers come back, to be ready with service, ready
11	with attention, and we're going to retain customers
12	this year.
13	Q. Okay. You mentioned already some of the
14	enhancements, but I want to go back to maybe one or
15	two of them just so we can expand the record.
16	You mentioned the Day Club. Can you
17	explain more of what you expect from the opening of a
18	club like that and the fact that how unique it is on
19	the East Coast?
20	A. Yes. It's one of a kind. Typically
21	these outdoor day clubs you'll see in Las Vegas. You
22	know, Steve Wynn has a number of those. They have
23	them at MGM. You know, we're lucky to be partnered
24	with a gentleman name Neil Moffitt, AMG Entertainment.
25	You know, outdoor day club with cabanas and pools and

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2 things like that. And you say, well, that may appeal

- 3 to the leisure guests. But, quite honestly, that is a
- tool in our tool kit for our player development team
- to have parties there, to do very creative things. 5
- It's a beautiful atmosphere. So not only does it
- 7 appeal to our leisure guests, it appeals to our player
- development, which is an area which, quite honestly, 8
- 9 has been neglected over the last seven months and will
- be a great -- you know, it will be a great focus of 10
- ours, not only from a hosted player development. But 11
- 12 our junket program has been neglected over the last
- six, seven months. So that will be a way not only to 13
- 14 introduce table game revenues, and we do have the
- 15 amenities to cater to the higher-end customers, using
- Day Club for parties and things like that. It's 16
- 17 just -- it's great to have the assets we have at
- Revel. 18
- 19 And everybody can certainly envision a Ο.
- 24-hour restaurant. 20
- 21 Uh-huh. Α.
- But just describe a little more fully, 22 Ο.
- 23 Pearl, which is your high-limit slot lounge, which
- 24 didn't exist before and various other casinos in town
- have that. And I assume that you are doing that for a 25

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2	specific purpose. Can you describe it and
3	A. Well, first of all, we're trying to
4	listen and respond to customers. We probably didn't
5	do a great job over our first year, but we're
6	listening to customers and what they're looking for.
7	You know, we are soliciting customer feedback. We're
8	now starting to do customer focus groups. And Pearl
9	is one of the things that, you know, we heard in 2012
10	and early 2013 were lacking. You know, it's a
11	beautiful room. There's 74 slot machines.
12	Approximately 74 that are off the casino floor. And
13	behind the Pearl slot area is a little lounge. You
14	have a bar. You can get an adult beverage or and
15	something to eat at a small, little buffet area. So
16	it's something that will help us broaden the appeal t
17	our existing Pearl tier card members, but also help
18	probably bring over some new slot customers that are
19	playing, whether in Atlantic City or in Pennsylvania.
20	I think, you know, it will help broaden the appeal of
21	the property.
22	Q. Now, no one could ever say that you
23	don't have a magnificent hall for entertainment over
24	there. Ovations Hall. Do you have any plans with
25	regard to the entertainment and to particularly

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2	that venue?
3	A. Yeah. We view Ovation Hall as one of
4	our core competitive advantages. There's not a
5	facility like that in Atlantic City. Again, another
6	great asset that we have. You know, we lost way too
7	much money in entertainment in 2012 because we did not
8	have a broad appeal of acts that appealed to the
9	cross-section of customers that come to Atlantic City.
10	We have sat down with the team that
11	helps us book Ovation Hall, and we're broadening our
12	appeal to have a mix of traditional casino acts.
13	We're country, comedians, and the headliners. So
14	we're broadening the appeal so, you know, we can offer
15	to our database, you know, country guests, once we
16	obtain their preferences, we can call for a country
17	show and traditional casino acts. We have the ability
18	to do private shows where we can do it just for the
19	database. So, again, another wonderful tool in our
20	marketing tool kit for the property.
21	Q. And not last but close to last and not
22	least, is the fact that there's a beach in front of
23	Revel besides the Revel Beach
24	A. Yes.

Q. -- which is the Day Club. Or you have

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2	an actual beach.
3	A. Yes.
4	Q. What are your plans with regard to your
5	customers and the beach in front of Revel?
6	A. Yeah. We are going to have a cabana
7	program. You know, we'll have some food and beverage
8	It will be a lovely program. Occasionally, we'll have
9	to let the customers outside the casino, but when the
10	go outside
11	(Laughter.)
12	A they'll have a beautiful beach club.
13	You know, our operations team does a phenomenal job in
14	terms of hospitality, so just another amenity that
15	we're very fortunate to have at Revel.
16	Q. And now last but not least, what would a
17	question be without asking you about a noodle bar.
18	Are we going to have a noodle bar at Revel?
19	A. Yes. We are. We're working it's an
20	unusual relationship with Jose Garces. He's a very
21	talented team, a team out of Philadelphia. We have a
22	number of great restaurants within, but we will be
23	introducing a noodle bar. We're still negotiating
24	back and forth with the name. Jose and I are working

on that together with his team so --

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2	Q. It's not going to be Jose's Noodle Bar?
3	(Laughter.)
4	A. No, it's not be Jose's Noodle Bar.
5	We're working on that. And that will be opened at the
6	end the May. And, you know, as part of a broadening
7	appeal, you know, we will be looking at some hosted
8	Asian play that will support that restaurant. So
9	we're we're broadening the appeal of the property.
10	We're looking for that traditional slot and table
11	customer. We're looking for, you know, hosted player
12	development, domestic and Asian, and we're trying to
13	deliver what customers are asking for.
14	Q. And as long as we're on that, and
15	although Dennis touched on it, about the smoking?
16	A. Uh-huh.
17	Q. I have to assume you correct me if
18	I'm wrong that in your interviews of customers and
19	customer desires or potential customer desires that
20	you're introducing smoking because that is something
21	that is something that is a necessary ingredient to
22	drive revenue; is that correct?
23	A. Yes. Yes. In terms of the overall
24	viability of the property. You know, we believe we

can introduce smoking at Revel in a manner that's not

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2	intrusive to the core guests we have today. As Dennis
3	indicated earlier, our HVAC infrastructure that exists
4	today will support that. The high ceilings. And we
5	will supplement with some additional HVAC equipment to
6	make sure that that we mitigate any potential impact.
7	We're working carefully with the DCA and will submit a
8	plan to introduce smoking with the DGE and, hopefully,
9	seek their approval. It's not only just introducing
10	it, it's employee education. It's signage. It's
11	enforcement policies throughout the building. We take
12	that very seriously, and we'll be working with our
13	team to make sure we have very clearly defined smoking
14	areas.
15	MR. LEVENSON: That's all the questions
16	I have, Mr. Chairman
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
18	Mr. Adams?
19	MR. ADAMS: No questions, Mr. Chairman.
20	MR. LEVENSON: How do you like that?
21	CHAIR LEVINSON: Wow. All right.
22	Commissioners? Do we have any questions
23	for the witness?
24	Miss Harrington?
25	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: No. Actually,

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2	anything that I was going to ask, you've
3	addressed. So thank you.
4	THE WITNESS: Okay. Thank you.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: When do you expect
6	smoking to be to implemented? I'm guessing
7	it's something done in phases?
8	THE WITNESS: Yeah. We will work with
9	the DGE. We're going to submit our plans
10	shortly, and we'll take our cue then. We've
11	been working on this. We've received some
12	positive feedback from DCA. I think we
13	officially got our letter on Monday, and then
14	once we do that, we'll submit it to the DGE.
15	So we again, we'll work with a sense of
16	urgency to do this. And probably within the
17	next two or three weeks, it will be there.
18	But, you know, we'll have to wait to get our
19	DGE approval.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. In terms of the
21	database you brought up a couple time, starting
22	as a new casino and not having relationship in
23	other gaming jurisdictions and having that kind
24	of having that and not having that and starting
2.5	off with a database, are things going to be

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2	done differently now than they were before in
3	just developing that database into a higher
4	quality of people and more people?
5	THE WITNESS: Yeah. We have a very
6	immature and, unfortunately, vastly inactive
7	database that we've been addressing since, you
8	know, since we've I've taken over and
9	working with the team. And, you know, in terms
10	of, you know, our actions in 2012 probably
11	didn't really support retention of casino
12	customers. You know, we're that is our
13	number one activity that, you know, Mr. Fine
14	and his team and we're all working together on
15	for the summer. You know, growing the
16	database, making sure that we talk to customers
17	in a targeted and personalized manner. You
18	know, I would have to say that in the past, we
19	have not really, in terms of using all the
20	technologies available to talk to customers in
21	a personalized manner, and using a lot of
22	traditional database marketing techniques in
23	the early opening stages of Revel were not
24	happening. They are happening today.
25	CHAID I FUINGON. Okay Thank you

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2	Miss Cooper?
3	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I was just going
4	to say again, thank you for being here. I was
5	going to ask your opinion and your comments
6	regarding smoking, and just before I was I
7	was going to ask you that, Mr. Levenson posed
8	the question. So I'm satisfied with everything
9	I've heard.
10	Thank you.
11	THE WITNESS: Okay.
12	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you very much.
13	Any closing statements?
14	MR. LEVENSON: No. Nothing further to
15	add.
16	MR. ADAMS: I have one.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. I guess it's my
18	turn then, huh?
19	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Oh, he has one.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Oh, do you?
21	(Laughter.)
22	MR. ADAMS: I do. I do.
23	I think it's worth pointing out that, as
24	Judge Wizmur did, that she said we might
25	question the achievability of the precise

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2	numbers, but we can rely on them in a general
3	sense, and I believe that that applies here.
4	Everybody is all familiar, I think, based on
5	our report and the testimony, of the general
6	numbers that we're talking about here. And the
7	gist of everything boils down to, can there be
8	this turnaround and can it happen when Revel
9	says it can happen?
10	And, as Mr. Hartmann mentioned, he said
11	that he thought that Dennis and he and Revel
12	deserve a second chance. And that's really
13	what we're talking about here. We're talking
14	about another chance, a second chance. And
15	we the Division believes that they deserve a
16	second chance. Not just Revel but the
17	investors who went from creditors and are going
18	to be the new owners, who have consistently
19	come through with funds during the first year
20	of Revel's existence. And even though the
21	revolver is debatable as to the size of it and
22	where it's going to go, it remains to be seen
23	what's going to happen.
24	So we urge that you grant the relief

requested and allow the prepackaged plan to be

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2	approved as was approved in the Bankruptcy
3	Court. And we look forward, hopefully, to a
4	successful Revel.
5	But having said that, I would be remiss
6	in saying that the Division nonetheless will
7	continually and closely monitor this operation
8	and we will take whatever action is necessary
9	depending on what happens down the line.
10	Thank you.
11	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you for that
12	statement.
13	You can sit down. Thank you very much.
14	MR. HARTMANN: Okay. Thank you.
15	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. As we have
16	heard, the joint reorganization plan before us
17	today is the result of a restructuring support
18	agreement among Revel and its creditors. On
19	Monday, this plan was confirmed by Judge
20	Wizmur, and our approval here today is needed
21	prior to final implementation.
22	Before addressing such approval, there
23	are several related rulings that warrant
24	mention. This morning, of course, we granted
25	temporary qualifications to three designees who

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2	will serve on the new Revel Board of Directors.
3	The Division also approved a temporary and
4	conditional waiver for a new equity holder of
5	Chatham, and I note that Chatham's Petition for
6	an interim casino authorization is pending
7	before the Commission.
8	Today's proceedings have focused on
9	Revel's ability to meet the statutory financial
10	stability standards. The Casino Control Act
11	directs and authorizes the Commission to
12	determine whether Revel will continue to meet
13	those criteria upon the consummation of the
14	reorganization plan.
15	We heard detailed testimony here today
16	about the reorganization plan and the dramatic
17	reduction in debt that it provides. The
18	Division notes in its report that the
19	restructuring is a significant and necessary
20	transaction that will improve Revel's ability
21	to comply with the financial stability
22	requirements of the Act. It is clear, however,
23	that the material that a material
24	improvement in Revel's operating results must
25	occur in order to maintain compliance with that

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2	standard.
3	We have examined the plan, heard the
4	testimonies of Mr. Hartmann and Mr. Stogsdill,
5	and the comments of Counsel and reviewed the
6	detailed report of the Division.
7	Within the last few months, Revel has
8	taken significant steps to try to preposition
9	the property and generate increased levels of
10	business. Last week the casino opened a
11	high-limit slot area and a VIP club for its
12	premium players. By Memorial Day, hopefully,
13	it should open a new value-priced restaurant
14	and a Revel Beach Day Club. The casino also
15	intends to lift its non-smoking policy.
16	Management hopes that these changes, along with
17	an aggressive new marketing campaign, will draw
18	new customers and contribute significantly to
19	the turning this property around. We hope they
20	are right.
21	Nonetheless, it is apparent from the
22	record that there are contingencies and
23	uncertainties surrounding the aggressive
24	forecasts and projections. I agree with the
25	Division's recommendation that we impose

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2	stringent conditions that provide for close
3	monitoring of Revel's financial conditions.
4	I would, therefore, condition our
5	approval upon Revel's continued compliance with
6	the reporting and notice requirements as set
7	forth in the draft resolution.
8	With those conditions, I can conclude
9	that the Petitioner has sufficiently met its
10	statutory burden, establishing that it will
11	continue to satisfy the financial stability
12	requirements of the Act upon consummation of
13	the reorganization plan.
14	I thus move to approve the consummation
15	of Revel's joint Plan of Reorganization and to
16	grant the requested relief as set forth in and
17	subject to the conditions in the draft
18	resolution.
19	Do I have a second?
20	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I will be happy to
21	make that second.
22	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion made and
23	seconded. Any discussion? This is
24	Discussion?
25	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Not discussion,

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2	just a comment.
3	I just want to say that a little over a
4	year ago, we were very enthusiastic and hopeful
5	with Revel's opening. I think today we are
6	taking action on something that is very
7	realistic and still optimistic, but confident
8	that we'll have great addition to our
9	stability. So thank you.
10	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you. I agree.
11	COMMISSIONER COOPER: I'd make like to
12	make a comment, too.
13	I personally hope that with your new
14	plans, your new marketing, your new financial
15	conditions and guidelines that Revel will
16	succeed, because if Revel is successful,
17	Atlantic City is successful. So I want to wish
18	you good luck.
19	Thank you.
20	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. Any more
21	discussion?
22	(No response.)
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: This is a roll call
24	vote.
25	MS FAIINTI FDOV. Commissioner Cooper?

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2	COMMISSIONER COOPER: Yes.
3	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Vice Chair Harrington?
4	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Yeah.
5	MS. FAUNTLEROY: And Chairman Levinson?
6	CHAIR LEVINSON: Yes.
7	MS. FAUNTLEROY: Let the record reflect
8	that the matter passed unanimously.
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
10	MS. KAUFMAN: Thank you.
11	MR. LEVENSON: Thank you very much.
12	MS. FAUNTLEROY: In accordance with
13	Resolution No. 12-12-12-03, the next closed
14	session the Commission will be held on
15	Wednesday, June 12, 2013, at 9:30 a.m. in the
16	Commission offices.
17	CHAIR LEVINSON: Thank you.
18	Once everybody gets down, this is the
19	public participation portion.
20	Anyone from the public that wishes to
21	speak, please step forward.
22	(No response.)
23	CHAIR LEVINSON: Okay. Seeing and
24	hearing none, the public portion is closed.
25	Is there a motion to adjourn?

1	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: So moved.
2	COMMISSIONER COOPER: So moved.
3	CHAIR LEVINSON: Second?
4	VICE CHAIR HARRINGTON: Second.
5	CHAIR LEVINSON: All those in favor?
6	(Ayes.)
7	CHAIR LEVINSON: Opposed?
8	(No response.)
9	CHAIR LEVINSON: Motion the meeting
10	is adjourned.
11	Thank you very much.
12	(Public Meeting 13-05-15 was adjourned
13	at 11:55 a.m.)
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