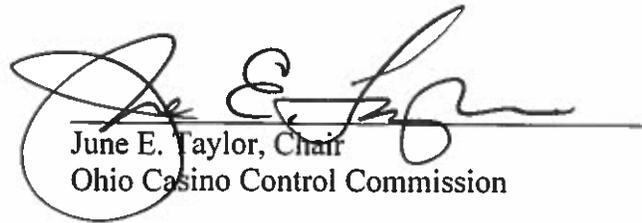


1. Rice submitted a casino gaming employee license application that contained false information or failed to set forth all of the information required by the Commission, in violation of R.C. 3772.10, R.C. 3772.131, Ohio Adm. Code 3772-8-02, and 3772-8-05, including:
 - a. Answering “NO” to Question 8 when he should have answered “YES”;
 - i. Rice was arrested for or charged with Theft in the 2nd Degree, on March 8, 2008 in the Lee County Iowa District Court;
 - ii. Rice was arrested for or charged with Marijuana Possession, on September 10, 2008 in Hardin County, Iowa;
 - iii. Rice was arrested for or charged with Possession of Marijuana, on October 17, 2008 in Hardin County, Iowa;
 - iv. Rice was arrested for or charged with Burglary, Criminal Trespass-Break Into Structure, Criminal Trespass-Enter Structure, and Theft by Unlawful Taking-Movable Property, on April 22, 2009 in Chester County, Pennsylvania; and
 - v. Rice was arrested for or charged with Drug Abuse and Drug Paraphernalia, and he was convicted of, or pled guilty or no contest to, Drug Abuse, on July 9, 2012 in the Oregon, Ohio, Municipal Court.
2. Based on the above allegations, Rice failed to establish, by clear and convincing evidence, his suitability for licensure as a casino gaming employee, as required by R.C. 3772.10 and Ohio Adm. Code 3772-8-05.

WHEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and upon a quorum and majority vote of the members, the Commission **ORDERS** as follows:

- 1) Rice’s Application is **DENIED**.
- 2) Rice is **PROHIBITED** from working or otherwise serving in any capacity that requires a license under R.C. Chapter 3772.
- 3) Rice is **PROHIBITED** from reapplying for licensure under R.C. Chapter 3772 for three years from the date the Order is served upon him, absent a waiver granted by the Commission commensurate with Ohio Adm. Code 3772-1-04.
- 4) A certified copy of the Order shall be served upon Rice, via certified mail, return receipt requested, and his counsel of record, if any, via ordinary mail.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



June E. Taylor, Chair
Ohio Casino Control Commission

NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS

The Party is hereby notified that pursuant to R.C. 119.12, the Commission Order may be appealed by filing a Notice of Appeal with the Commission setting forth the Order that the Party is appealing from and stating that the Commission's Order is not supported by reliable, probative, and substantial evidence and is not in accordance with law. The Notice of Appeal may also include, but is not required to include, the specific grounds for the appeal. The Notice of Appeal must also be filed with the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas in accordance with R.C. 119.12. In filing the Notice of Appeal with the Commission or court, the notice that is filed may be either the original Notice of Appeal or a copy thereof. The Notice of Appeal must be filed within 15 days after the date of mailing of the Commission Order.