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DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
GAMING CONTROL BOARD

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CHARITABLE GAMBLING PERMIT APPLICATION

1. Is your organization a Volunteer Fire Company, a Veterans' Organization, a Religious or Charitable Organization, or a Fraternal Society? Yes No If Yes, check the appropriate box:

- Volunteer Fire Company Veterans Organization Religious Organization
- Charitable Organization Fraternal Society

Under Delaware law (Article II, Section 17B of the state Constitution), the Gaming Control Board can license only volunteer Fire Companies, Veterans' Organizations, Religious or Charitable Organizations, or Fraternal Societies to conduct lotteries and the Companies, Organizations or Societies must operate in a manner so as to come within the provisions of Section 170 of the *Internal Revenue Code*.

2. Is this is your first application for a permit in Delaware? Yes No

If Yes, you must submit copies of your

- IRS affirmation letter, and
- formation documents (e.g., articles of incorporation, constitution, by-laws, charter, etc.)

If No, your signature on this application certifies that the documents currently on file with this office have not changed.

3. Are you relying on a group exemption letter issued to your parent organization? Yes No

If Yes, you must submit a

- letter from your parent organization (on its letterhead) specifically stating that your organization is properly affiliated and permitted to hold this event, and
- current copy of the parent organization's IRS group exemption letter.

If you do not have a letter from the IRS verifying your status as an *Internal Revenue Code* Section 170 tax-exempt organization, you may apply to the IRS for Section 170 non-profit tax exempt status. See www.irs.gov.

Only bona fide active members will assist in the conduct of the games. They all are of good moral character and have never been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude. A current listing of such members is being maintained at the organization's business office, in conformance with 28 *Del. C.*, §1132 (b) (2).

4. Legal Name of Organization: _____

The Organization's name should be the same as the one contained on its Internal Revenue Service Exempt Revenue Organization Affirmation (non-profit, tax-exempt) Letter and its formation documents (e.g., articles of incorporation, constitution, by-laws, charter, etc.).

5. DBA (Doing Business As) Name of the Event's Sponsoring Organization (if different than Applicant name): _____

Sponsoring Organization is a defined term. See Title 24, *Delaware Administrative Code*, Regulation 403, Section 1.0.

6. How long has the Organization existed? _____

Article II, Section 17B of the state Constitution requires that the organization be in existence a minimum of two years.

7. Enter the **official mailing address** of the Organization:

Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

8. Select where you want the permit(s) sent (check one option):

- Organization's Official Mailing Address in Question 7.
 Organization's Email. Enter email address: _____
 Organization's Fax. Enter fax number: _____

Regardless of the delivery method selected, you are responsible for verifying that the delivery information provided is legible, complete and correct. You are also responsible for monitoring the delivery method you choose. For example, if you select email delivery, it is your responsibility to monitor the incoming email. Note that a "SPAM filter" may cause the email with the permit attached to go to a "SPAM" or "JUNK" folder.

9. Enter this information about the **physical location** where the Charitable Event(s) is to be held:

Building Name: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

10. Will the event be held on the applicant's premises? Yes No If No, submit a letter from the premises owner (on owner's letterhead) or a copy of the lease or rental agreement. In addition, explain below (with supporting reasons) why the function is being held on other premises. *The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any application for the conduct of a function on specially leased or donated premises.* (If you need more space, attach additional sheet.) _____

11. Enter this information about the *Member(s) in Charge*:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: ____ Suffix: ____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Work phone: _____ Home phone: _____
Cell phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail: _____

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Work phone: _____ Home phone: _____
Cell phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail: _____

12. Dates and Times of Events:

Date: _____ Time: _____ to _____
Date: _____ Time: _____ to _____
Date: _____ Time: _____ to _____

The Board will not process more than three consecutive months of Charitable Gambling dates in order to ensure that the Charitable Gambling *After Occasion Reports* are being filed in a timely manner.

Charitable Gambling shall not commence prior to 1:30 pm and must conclude by 1:00 a.m. Events are limited to six hours. (Title 24, Delaware Administrative Code, Regulation 403, Section 8.1)

