| Texas Lottery Commission | | | | | | |
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| | February 6, 2025 | | | | | |
| | 10:00 a.m. | | | | | |
| I. | The Texas Lottery Commission will call the meeting to order. | Robert G. Rivera, Chairman | | | | |
| | Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. and Texas flags. | | | | | |
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| III. | Report by the Bingo Advisory Committee (BAC) Chairman; possible discussion and/or action on the BAC's activities, including updates on legislation, bingo rule proposal, and Bingo Service Portal Input Subcommittee. | William "Trace" Smith III, Chairman Bingo Advisory Committee | | | | |
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| V. | Distributor Requirements), 402.334 (Shutter Card Bingo Systems - Approval of Shutter Card Bingo Systems), 402.400 (General Licensing Provisions), 402.401 (Temporary License), 402.402 (Registry of Bingo Workers), 402.404 (License Classes and Fees), 402.411 (License Renewal), 402.443 (Transfer of a Grandfathered Lessor's Commercial Lessor License), 402.500 (General Records Requirements), 402.502 (Charitable Use of Net Proceeds Recordkeeping), 402.600 (Bingo Reports and Payments), 402.601 (Interest on Delinquent Tax), 402.602 (Waiver of Penalty, Settlement of Prize Fees, Penalty and/or Interest), 402.702 (Disqualifying Convictions), 402.703 (Audit Policy), 402.706 (Schedule of Sanctions), and 402.707 (Expedited Administrative Penalty Guideline). Consideration of and possible discussion and/or action, including adoption, on amendments to 16 TAC §§ 401.101 (Lottery Procurement Procedures), 401.102 (Protests of the Terms of a Formal Competitive Solicitation), 401.103 (Protests of Contract Award), 401.104 (Contract Monitoring Roles and Responsibilities), 401.153 (Qualifications for License), 401.158 (Suspension or Revocation of License), 401.160 | Kyle Wolfe, Assistant General Counsel |
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| VI. | (Standard Penalty Chart), 401.301 (General Definitions), 401.302 (Scratch Ticket Game Rules), 401.304 (Draw Game Rules (General)), 401.355 (Restricted Sales), and 401.501 (Lottery Security). Report, possible discussion and/or action on the lottery | Angela Zgabay-Zgarba, |
| | operations and services procurement. | Administration Division Director |
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