

205 CMR 147.00: UNIFORM STANDARDS OF RULES OF THE GAMES

147.05: ~~Gaming Tournaments~~.RESERVED

- ~~(1) A gaming licensee may conduct a gaming tournament for any table game authorized by the Commission pursuant to 205 CMR 147.00.~~
- ~~(2) No gaming tournament shall be conducted unless the gaming licensee files a written notice with the Bureau at least five business days prior to the commencement of such tournament, which shall include, at a minimum, the following information:
 - ~~(a) The date(s), time(s), and location(s) of the scheduled gaming tournament;~~
 - ~~(b) The number of participants expected;~~
 - ~~(c) The game type;~~
 - ~~(d) Rules concerning tournament play and participation;~~
 - ~~(e) The prize structure;~~
 - ~~(f) Dealer tips, if applicable;~~
 - ~~(g) Participant registration procedures;~~
 - ~~(h) The methodology for determining winners;~~
 - ~~(i) The equipment to be used; and~~
 - ~~(j) Forms utilized in connection with the tournament.~~
 - ~~(k) A description of security and surveillance measures that will be implemented for the gaming tournament;~~
 - ~~(l) A certification from the supervisors of the gaming licensee's security, gaming operations, and surveillance departments that the proposed gaming tournament will not adversely affect the security and integrity of gaming operations;~~
 - ~~(m) A certification from the gaming establishment controller or designee that he or she has reviewed the rules for the tournament in regard to gaming tournament revenue reporting; and~~
 - ~~(n) A certification from a holder of key gaming employee license that the tournament will be conducted in accordance with 205 CMR 147.05(2).~~~~
- ~~(3) The Bureau may, at any time, require the gaming licensee to immediately cease any gaming tournament conducted if the gaming tournament is in any material manner different from the description contained in the information provided pursuant to 205 CMR 147.05(2).~~
- ~~(4) All funds collected by a gaming licensee to fund the prize pool (for example, buy in, re-buy, or add-on) shall be disbursed to the participants as a prize pool, except that a gaming licensee may withhold dealer tips in an authorized tournament upon notification to the participants.~~
- ~~(5) A gaming licensee shall make available to the public on its website the information required by 205 CMR 147.05(2).~~