## **EXEMPTION QUALIFICATION INFORMATION:**

- 1. Vendor is an agency of the state of Florida, Florida local government, or the federal government.
- 2. Public utility regulated by the Florida Public Service Commission.
- 3. Florida public institutions of higher education.
- 4. A medical corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or other business entity authorized to transact business in Florida.
- 5. An insurance company licensed or authorized to transact business in Florida by the Florida Office of Insurance Regulation.
- 6. A vendor who provides gaming-related goods or services to a gaming facility licensee as part of the distribution of complimentaries to gaming facility patrons by that gaming vendor, a gaming vendor associated with the gaming facility, or the gaming facility itself.
- 7. A publicly traded domestic corporation under the regulation of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, or a wholly owned subsidiary of such a corporation, whose annual overall gross revenues from doing business with gaming facility licensees constitute less than 5% of the publicly traded corporation's annual gross revenues.
- 8. A professional entertainer, comedian, sports figure, or other celebrity engaged by a licensed gaming facility to appear at a gaming facility-sponsored special entertainment or promotional event, or an agent or subcontractor of a professional entertainer, sports figure, or celebrity who does not otherwise provide services to gaming facility licensees. This exemption is not available to promoters or agents who provide their services to a gaming facility licensee.
- 9. A gaming vendor who provides facilities, promotion, or advertising to a gaming facility licensee and is one of the following:
  - a. A media outlet (defined as a newspaper, a magazine, an outdoor advertising business, a radio or television outlet, or any internet-based form of those entities).
  - b. A provider of a facility or a host or sponsor of an event that presents advertising on behalf of or promotes a gaming facility licensee, including but not limited to theatres, ballrooms, halls, arenas, parks, stadiums, golf courses, and other entertainment, recreational, and sports facilities located in the State of Florida.
  - c. A provider of a facility that provides entertainment, recreational, or hospitality services to a gaming facility licensee and is a theatre, ballroom, hall, arena, park, stadium, golf course, or special-event venue located in the State of Florida.
- 10. A Florida or federally chartered depository financial institution to the extent that it provides financial-related services to a gaming facility licensee. This provision does not extend to an entity providing services related to a debt transaction.
- 11. A gaming vendor that provides professional services to a gaming facility licensee, including, but not limited to, legal, accounting, lobbying and financial services.
- 12. A Construction Subcontractor, who provides:
- a. Less than \$15,000.00 worth of Construction services to fulfill a Construction Contract for a gaming facility licensee in any rolling twelve- month period.
- b. The gaming vendor must certify in its application that, in the reasonable exercise of commercial business

- judgment, the gaming vendor believes it will not exceed the applicable threshold described in this section.
- 13. A gaming vendor who provides Construction Materials to a General Contractor or Construction Subcontractor for use in satisfying a Construction Contract.
- 14. A gaming vendor who provides goods or services to a gaming facility licensee as a result of the gaming facility licensee's employee(s) engaging in business travel, including transportation, lodging, food, and fuel providers.
- 15. A gaming vendor who provides employee training or professional development to gaming facility licensees.
- 16. A gaming vendor who provides training seminars, publication subscriptions, conference registration or membership dues for professional associations intended to directly contribute to the work performance or professional development of an employee.
- 17. A gaming vendor who provides freight-forwarding services to a gaming facility licensee if the gaming vendor transports property for compensation in the ordinary course of its business.
- 18. A Telecommunications company.
- 19. A Nonprofit charitable corporation or organization provided that no consideration is received for the contribution.
- 20. A person or entity that receives payment from the gaming facility licensee as the result of a settlement or court order.