



Florida Gaming Control Commission

Warning Notice of Illegal Activity to Business

This letter is to inform you of Florida State Statute requirements regarding gambling. The Florida Gaming Control Commission in conjunction with local law enforcement have found that this property/business is being used for illegal activities in violation of Florida Statute §849.

§849.08 Gambling – Whoever plays or engages in any game at cards, keno, roulette, faro, or other game of chance, at any place, by any device whatever, for money or other thing of value, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

§849.01 Keeping Gambling Houses, etc – Whoever by herself or himself, her or his servant, clerk or agent, or in any manner has, keeps, exercises or maintains a gaming table or room, or gaming implements or apparatus, or house, booth, tent, shelter or other place for the purpose of gaming or gambling or in any place of which she or he may directly or indirectly have charge, control or management, either exclusively or with others, procures, suffers or permits any person to play for money or other valuable thing at any game whatever, whether heretofore prohibited or not, commits a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083

Please be aware that slot machines are regulated devices in the State of Florida. Please familiarize yourself with the legal definition of a "slot machine" by reading section §849.16 of Florida Statutes. Slot machines may only be operated on tribal property and within licensed pari-mutuel facilities located in Broward County and Miami-Dade County. It is illegal to operate or possess a slot machine outside of a licensed facility in the State of Florida.

This is a WARNING.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE. If illegal activities continue, you may be charged with a criminal offense(s). Your property/business was used to facilitate illegal gambling, a violation of Florida Statute §849. Also, Florida Statute §932 provides for seizure of real and personal property that has been used, attempted to be used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part in violation of any provision of the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act.

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