

OHIO CASINO CONTROL COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held by the Ohio Casino Control Commission (“Commission”) on **Friday, February 4, 2022 at 2:00 p.m.** at its main office, located at 100 E. Broad Street, 20th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The purpose of the hearing is to solicit public comment on the rules contained in ERF package numbers 191378 and 191398, summaries of which are below.

All interested parties are invited to attend the hearing and present testimony. Written comments may also be submitted to the attention of William Cox, Deputy General Counsel, Ohio Casino Control Commission, at 100 E. Broad Street, 20th Floor, Columbus, OH 43215, or by electronic mail at William.Cox@casinocontrol.ohio.gov.

Rule Summaries

The rules presented here are being reviewed pursuant to the state’s rule-review requirement in R.C. 106.03 and are those rules contained in Ohio Adm.Code Chapter 3772-11 (Table Games). Additionally, Ohio Adm.Code 3772-14-01 is being filed as an amendment, not as a R.C. 106.03-reviewed rule. Many of the revisions are meant to improve clarity or readability or to reduce redundancies in and between the Administrative and Revised Codes. Some consistent changes made throughout include better specifying when an action is required to be taken by the Commission at a public meeting, the executive director, or by staff of the agency. Additionally, many changes have been made to update, streamline, and standardize rule language. As a result of these changes many rules have been rescinded or combined, leading to a complete renumbering of Chapter 11. As such you will see that almost every rule has been “rescinded” and is being promulgated as “new,” to accomplish this renumbering. However, in general, the substance of these rules is not materially changing.

- **3772-11-01 (amend)**, titled “Definitions.” This rule defines certain table game-related terms. The purpose of this rule is to create a clear set of definitions that will apply throughout the Administrative Code. The amendments to this rule delete two terms that are or will no longer be used in the Code, as they are unnecessary.
- **3772-11-02 (new)**, titled “Approval of table games and publication of table game information.” This rule, while “new,” consists of a greatly streamlined provisions gathered from current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-03 and 3772-11-09. This rule lays out the process by which table games and table games mechanisms may be approved, including the internal controls that must be submitted for the approval of any table game. The rule also requires a five-day advance notification of any proposed table game installations or removals, which must ultimately be approved by the Executive Director and requires casino operators not

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to operate any table games or associated equipment that have become unsuitable for operation. Finally, the rule ensures that casino operators are providing the public with accurate and accessible information on the rules of each table game, including the payoff schedules. The purpose of this rule is to carry out the Commission's R.C. 3772.03 mandate to identify permitted casino gaming, gaming equipment, and the standards these must meet. The rule also helps implement many of the Commission's R.C. 3772.033 standards, including those to inspect and examine all gaming supplies, devices, and equipment and to audit gaming operations. The streamlined provisions of the former rules are largely the same substance-wise, but the Commission has removed some unnecessary details from both the approval process and the process by which operators must handle table game or associated equipment malfunctions or unsuitable equipment.

- **3772-11-03 (rescind)**, titled "Approval of table games." This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-09 into proposed new 3772-11-02. As such, see new 3772-11-02 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-03 (new)**, Table game supervision." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of provisions from current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-35. The rule specifies how table game pit areas are to be operated and the staffing in those areas, including when a separate area for games is necessary. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that all table games are appropriately secured, staffed, and supervised. In so doing, the Commission is both ensuring the integrity of casino gaming, generally, and meeting its specific R.C. 3772.03 obligations to define the area where casino gaming may be conducted and specify the method of operation. The amendment to the prior language of 3772-11-35 removes two provisions—the first that the operators must identify pit areas in their internal controls and the second that full-size baccarat tables be in a separate room. These provisions are no longer necessary as the Commission now uses other means—via surveillance—to track pit locations.
- **3772-11-04 (rescind)**, titled "Prohibition on table game play by gaming-related vendors." This rule provided that no director, officer, or employee of a gaming-related vendor could play table games at a casino facility to which the vendor provides its goods or services but is being rescinded as unnecessary. R.C. 3772.99 already covers the topic of which persons should be prohibited from gaming at the casino facilities, and the General Assembly has softened those prohibitions since this rule was last reviewed. *See* HB 32, 132nd General Assembly. Of course, should the individual gaming-related vendors or casino operators wish to implement such prohibitions, they are free to do so.
- **3772-11-04 (new)**, titled "Minimum and maximum table game wagers." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of provision from current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-37. This rule allows casino operators to set minimum and maximum wager amounts, but specifies that if they do, those amounts must be posted for patrons. It also contains a prohibition on operators accepting bets from non-recognized table positions to ensure bets are appropriately tracked. The purpose of this rule is to implement R.C. 3772.20(C), subjecting minimum and maximum wager amounts to the Commission's oversight and to ensure the Commission can appropriately audit gaming operation under its R.C. 3772.033 authority.

The only changes from this rule's previous language are streamlining and clarifying in nature.

- **3772-11-05 (rescind)**, titled "Purchase or lease from authorized gaming-related vendors." This rule provided that casino operators may only purchase or lease table games or table game equipment from gaming-related vendors, as required by R.C. 3772.21. Because this prohibition is already in statute, instead of being a required rule topic for the Commission, it is being rescinded as duplicative and unnecessary.
- **3772-11-05 (new)**, "Dealer hand clearing." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of provisions from current 3772-11-38. This rule requires each dealer to clear their hands in view of surveillance and all persons in the immediate area when entering and exiting the game. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that dealers are not palming chips or other table game equipment as they enter or leave a game in an attempt to either steal such items or introduce unapproved items into play and is adopted pursuant to the Commission's R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033 authority. The changes from this rule's prior language are solely streamlining, including the removal of the unnecessary term "boxperson."
- **3772-11-06 (rescind)**, "Transportation of table game mechanisms and gaming chips to and from a casino facility." This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-18, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-06 (new)**, "Table inventory." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of provisions from current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-26. This rule specifies how casino operators are to handle the inventory of chips at each table, including when chips can be disbursed or added and that the inventory must be kept locked with an inventory slip. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that the integrity of the casino's cashless wagering system, mandated by R.C. 3772.22. The changes from this rule's prior language allows, but does not require, casino operators to have procedures for sanitizing chips, along with changes aimed at streamlining and standardizing rule language.
- **3772-11-07 (rescind)**, titled "Receipt of gaming chips from manufacturer." This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-15 into proposed new 3772-11-19. As such, see new 3772-11-19 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-07 (new)**, titled "Patron exchanges." This rule, while "new," consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-25. The rule governs patron exchanges of cash and chips at a gaming table, including providing the procedures that must be followed when these exchanges are conducted. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the appropriate accounting and security measures are taken when patrons conduct financial transactions at a gaming table, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033, and the R.C. 3772.22-mandated cashless wagering system. The changes from this rule's prior language are aimed at modernizing rule language to account for electronic payment methods and the controls needed to ensure those transactions are conducted accurately and securely. Additionally,

provision (C), which prohibited cash wagers at a table, was removed, since R.C. 3772.22 already requires the casinos to use a cashless wagering system.

- **3772-11-08 (rescind)**, titled “Compliance with law; prohibited activities.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-28, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-08 (new)**, titled “Opening of gaming tables.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-27. This rule specifies how a gaming table must be opened for play, including that the openers must verify that the count is correct and how operators must handle variances in the inventory. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, mandated by R.C. 3772.22, and to ensure that the Commission can audit, inspect, and investigate any variances pursuant to its R.C. 3772.033 authority. The changes to the rule from its prior existence are solely meant to streamline or modernize rule language.
- **3772-11-09 (rescind)**, “Publication of rules and payoff schedules for all permitted games.” This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-03 into proposed new 3772-11-02. As such, see new 3772-11-02 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-09 (new)**, titled “Closing of gaming tables.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-28. The rule specifies how gaming tables must be closed for play, including that all chips must be counted, proved, and locked away, and that an inventory slip must be prepared attesting to the amount. The rule also includes some specifics as to how multiple closings and openings within a gaming day should be handled. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, mandated by R.C. 3772.22, and to ensure that the Commission can audit, inspect, and investigate any variances pursuant to its R.C. 3772.033 authority. The changes to the rule are solely meant to streamline or modernize rule language.
- **3772-11-10 (new)**, titled “Gaming table chip fills.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-31. This rule governs how casino operators will authorize, process, and conduct table game fills (when chips are transferred from cashier’s cage to the gaming table), including details related to security, surveillance, and audit. While the rule requires some specific minimums, the rule also allows the casinos to detail certain more minute aspects of the process in their own Commission-approved internal controls. Many of the controls can be briefly summarized as requiring detailed documentation and ensuring that multiple individuals are involved in all aspects of the transaction. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the appropriate accounting and security measures are taken when chip fills are conducted at a gaming table, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033, and the R.C. 3772.22-mandated cashless wagering system. The changes to this rule are all meant to streamline or standardize rule language.

- **3772-11-11 (rescind)**, titled “Chip specifications.” This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-12 and 3772-11-17 into proposed new 3772-11-17. As such, see new 3772-11-17 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-11 (new)**, titled “Gaming table chip credits.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-33. The rule can briefly be described as the mirror of Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-10 and governs how operators will authorize, process, and conduct table game credits—or when chips are transferred from a table to the cashier's cage, including details related to security, surveillance, and audit. The rule requires some specific minimums, while allowing the operators to detail certain more minute aspects of these processes in their own Commission-approved internal controls. Many of the requirements can, again, be briefly summarized as requiring detailed documentation and ensuring that multiple individuals are involved in all aspects of the transaction. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the appropriate accounting and security measures are taken when chip credits are conducted at a gaming table, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033, and the R.C. 3772.22-mandated cashless wagering system. The changes to this rule are all meant to streamline or standardize rule language.
- **3772-11-12 (rescind)**, titled “Submission of chips for review and approval.” This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-11 and 3772-11-17 into proposed new 3772-11-17. As such, see new 3772-11-17 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-12 (new)**, titled “Table game secondary procedures.” This rule, while “new,” is comprised solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-32. The rule currently requires casino operators to have secondary internal procedures to record table credits and fills when the primary automated systems are not available. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the appropriate accounting and security measures are taken when secondary credit or fill systems are needed at a gaming table, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033, and the R.C. 3772.22-mandated cashless wagering system. The changes to this rule are largely meant to streamline and modernize rule language.
- **3772-11-13 (rescind)**, titled “Primary and secondary sets of gaming chips.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-16, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-13 (new)**, titled “Table games inspection and maintenance.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-39. The rule currently requires casino operators to establish internal controls for inspecting and maintaining table game mechanisms, including immediately notifying the Commission if a table game mechanism has been comprised. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that table games mechanisms continue to meet the standards of the State and to allow the Commission to inspect instances where gaming devices and equipment fall short, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.033. The changes to these provisions are all intended to streamline or standardize rule language.

- **3772-11-14 (rescind)**, titled “Exchange of value chips or non-value chips.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-20, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-14 (new)**, titled “Progressive table games.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-29. The rule specifies how casino operators are to handle payouts for progressive table games. Specifically, it requires notice to the patrons of the progressive amount and how that amount will be disbursed, as well as requires progressives to be laid out in the casino operator’s internal controls. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that all progressive funds are properly accounted for and that patrons understand the rules and amounts of the progressive, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03. The changes to these provisions are mostly to standardize or streamline rule language. However, one substantive change is that progressives will no longer need to be laid out in an operator’s internal controls, so long as they are in the operator’s published rules, which will allow operators to make changes to progressives without preapproval from the Commission.
- **3772-11-15 (rescind)**, titled “Inventory of chips.” This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-07 into proposed new 3772-11-19. As such, see new 3772-11-19 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-15 (new)**, titled “Instructional table games.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-36. The rule specifies how instructional table games may be offered to the public, including that the game must use only cancelled dice or cards and non-value chips, and that the casino operator must not allow any wagers or participation by those under 21. The casino operator must also provide prior notice and obtain approval from the Executive Director before providing the instructional game. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of table game equipment and chips, by ensuring that they are only used in live casino gaming, and to ensure that of-age patrons are provided an appropriate learning environment, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03. The changes to this rule are meant to streamline and standardize rule language. Additionally, the requirement that the Executive Director approve the offering of instructional table games has been removed, so now all an operator must do is provide the Commission with notification of the instructional game at any time in advance of the game.
- **3772-11-16 (rescind)**, titled “Destruction of chips.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-22, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-16 (new)**, titled “Required gaming chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-13. This rule specifies that a casino operator must have a primary and secondary set of value chips and a set of nonvalue chips for use in casino gaming. The rule also requires that secondary sets of chips be placed in play if something calls into question the security or integrity of the primary sets, for example, the presence of a significant number of counterfeits. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, as required by R.C.

3772.22, as well as to specify the gaming supplies and equipment required under R.C. 3772.03. The changes to these provisions are to standardize and streamline rule language

- **3772-11-17 (rescind)**, titled “Counterfeit chips.” This rule is being rescinded because it is being combined with current to Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-11 and 3772-11-12 into proposed new 3772-11-17. As such, see new 3772-11-17 for a summary of these provisions.
- **3772-11-17 (new)**, titled “Chip specifications.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-11, 3772-11-12, and 3772-11-17. The provisions of these rules, as combined, provides for the design and specifications of gaming chips. This includes requiring operators to obtain approval of a schematic and a sample of a chip from the Executive Director before utilizing that chip design in casino gaming. Finally, these provisions also require casino operators to immediately deliver a counterfeit chip to Commission gaming agents upon discovery. The purpose of this rule is to meet several of the R.C. 3772.03 rules that must be adopted by the Commission, including providing for the design of gaming chips and identifying permitted gaming chips. The rule also helps ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, as required by R.C. 3772.22. The changes from these rules’ previous language are again largely intended to standardize and streamline rule language. However, the Commission is also removing the requirement that the Executive Director receive and approve a sample chip in addition to the chip schematics.
- **3772-11-18 (new)**, titled “Transportation of table games mechanisms and gaming chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-06. This rule specifies that the shipment of table game mechanisms must be approved in advance by the Executive Director. The rule requires a five-day prior notification, unless otherwise approved, and some specifics regarding what information the notice must contain. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that only approved table games mechanisms are transported for use in casino gaming and to ensure the integrity of those mechanisms when they arrive at the facility, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.21.
- **3772-11-19 (rescind)**, titled “Proving chips.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-21, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-19 (new)**, titled “Receipt, inventory, and storage of gaming chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current 3772-11-07 and 3772-11-15. These two rules cover the receipt and inventory of gaming chips. On receipt of gaming chips, casino operators must notify the Executive Director and the operator must have three licensed employees from three separate departments inspect the shipment. From there, all chips must be inventoried properly, including properly dividing the chips into their stated categories. This inventory must be maintained and any chip movements from the inventory must be appropriately logged by at least two licensed employees from different departments. Moreover, the casino operators must implement procedures to complete accounting inventories, including determining the operator’s unredeemed chip liability—the frequency of these accounting inventories depends upon the security measures in place to protect the chips. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s

cashless wagering system under R.C. 3772.22 and to ensure that the computation and accounting of the proceeds from casino gaming remains accurate with the amount of unredeemed chip liability at the facilities. The changes from these provisions prior language are aimed at streamlining and standardizing rule language, as well as easing regulatory burdens. For instance, the changes reduce the number of licensed employees that must inspect a new chip shipment from three to two and the frequency of chip inventories down from monthly to quarterly.

- **3772-11-20 (rescind)**, titled “Dice and card specifications.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-23, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-20 (new)**, titled “Exchange of gaming chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-14. The rule details how chips can be exchanged in ways that will ensure the exchanges occur in monitored environments and requires casinos to come up with procedures for the acceptance of chips from other casinos. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino's cashless wagering system, as required by R.C. 3772.22. The amendments to this rule are solely to streamline or standardize rule language.
- **3772-11-21 (rescind)**, titled “Dice and card receipt, storage, and use.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-24, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-21 (new)**, titled “Proving chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-19. The rule requires that dealers do an abbreviated count or “proof” of chips when opening, closing, filling, or crediting a table. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, as required by R.C. 3772.22, and of the casinos accounting and computation of casino gaming winnings, pursuant to R.C. 3772.03. The changes to the provisions of this rule are solely to standardize rule language.
- **3772-11-22 (rescind)**, titled “Inspection of dice and cards before use.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-25, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-22 (new)**, titled “Destruction of gaming chips.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-16. This rule specifies when and how a casino operator may destroy chips, including submission of written notification to and receipt of approval from the Commission. The rule also specifies that the destruction must take place in a monitored room in the presence of licensed employees, who shall record the destruction in the chip inventory ledger. The purpose of this rule is to ensure the integrity of the casino’s cashless wagering system, as required by R.C. 3772.22, and to ensure for the proper accounting and computation of the winnings from casino gaming, by providing proper procedures for chip destruction. The changes to these provisions are all to streamline or standardize rule language.

- **3772-11-23 (rescind)**, titled “Cancellation and destruction of dice and cards.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-26, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-23 (new)**, “Card and dice specifications.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-20. This rule sets the standards that cards and dice used for casino gaming must meet, including requiring that they must be submitted to, and approved by, the Executive Director before being used. The specifications set in the rule are industry standard, and the rule allows casino operators to vary from these requirements if approved by the Executive Director. The purpose of this rule is to implement the Commission’s R.C. 3772.03(D) statutory mandate to set by rule the design of gaming supplies and to identify and ensure the use of only permitted gaming supplies and devices. The changes to these provisions only streamline, standardize, or clarify current language.
- **3772-11-24 (rescind)**, “Mandatory table game count procedures.” This rule is being rescinded as unnecessary. The rule currently provides that casino operators must detail in their internal controls when table game drops are conducted. However, this requirement is unnecessary and duplicative of other provisions, namely Ohio Adm.Code 3772-10-18.
- **3772-11-24 (new)**, titled “Card and dice receipt, storage, and use.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-21. This rule specifies how cards and dice must be received, stored, and used. The rule requires dice to be received and inspected by at least two licensed employees and then placed into secured storage. Further, the rule specifies how all dice and cards must be recorded in inventory and provides procedures for how cards and dice are to be moved to and from storage and to the tables. Finally, the rule provides several safeguards regarding how casino operators should handle damaged, tampered with, or otherwise unsuitable cards or dice, including requiring procedures for changing older cards and for removing and reporting cards that are unsuitable for use to the Commission, so it can inspect any potential indication of marking, tampering, or other defects. The purpose of this rule is to implement the Commission’s R.C. 3772.03(D) statutory mandate to identify and ensure the use of only permitted gaming supplies and devices, by ensuring uniformity in the receipt, storage, and use of such equipment. The rule also helps implement many of the Commission’s R.C. 3772.033 powers, including its authority to inspect or impound gaming supplies or equipment. The changes to these provisions largely standardize and streamline rule language, but some substantive changes have been made, including removing some unnecessary procedures regarding how casino personnel are to treat excess cards and dice removed from storage.
- **3772-11-25 (rescind)**, titled “Patron exchanges.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-07, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-25 (new)**, titled “Inspection of cards and dice before use.” This rule, while “new,” consists solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-22. These provisions specify how cards and dice will be inspected before use to ensure that they meet the requirements in R.C. Chapter 3772. and the rules adopted thereunder. Moreover, the rule

requires that unsuitable dice are removed from play and reported to the Commission and surveillance for review. The purpose of this rule is to implement the Commission's R.C. 3772.03(D) statutory mandate to identify and ensure the use of only permitted gaming supplies and devices. The rule also helps implement many of the Commission's R.C. 3772.033 powers, including its authority to inspect or impound gaming supplies or equipment. The changes to these provisions are solely meant to streamline and standardize rule language.

- **3772-11-26 (rescind)**, titled "Table inventory." This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-06, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-26 (new)**, titled "Cancellation and destruction of cards and dice." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-23. The rule specifies how cards and dice are to be cancelled or destroyed if no longer used for play in casino gaming, including how any cancelling marks must be applied and how any cancellations or destructions are to be logged. The purpose of this rule is to implement the Commission's R.C. 3772.03(D) statutory mandate to identify and ensure the use of only permitted gaming supplies and devices, by ensuring no longer approved or suitable cards or dice are destroyed or cancelled, lessening any risk they could be reintroduced into gameplay. The changes from this rule's prior language are all to streamline or standardize rule language.
- **3772-11-27 (rescind)**, titled "Opening of gaming tables." This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-08, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-27 (new)**, titled "Table game layouts." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-34. The rule specifies what the requirements of table game layouts are, including that they be capable of being seen by surveillance and not create distractions from the game, among others. The purpose of this rule is to implement the Commission's R.C. 3772.03(D) statutory mandate to set, by rule, the design of gaming supplies and to identify and ensure the use of only permitted gaming supplies and devices. The changes to this rule are made to standardize rule language.
- **3772-11-28 (rescind)**, titled "Closing of gaming tables." This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-09, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-28 (new)**, titled "Prohibited activities." This rule, while "new," is comprised solely of the provisions of current Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-08. The rule provides that casino operators shall not cheat or permit any cheating. The rule largely echoes provisions in R.C. 3772.01 and R.C. 3772.99. The purpose to this rule is to ensure the integrity of casino gaming by ensuring no cheating devices or equipment are used or allowed to be used by the casino operator, amplifying several Commission powers or required rules under R.C. 3772.03, 3772.033, and 3772.99. The changes to this rule from its prior language are to streamline and standardize rule language, as well as to remove redundancies between R.C. 3772.99 and this rule.

- **3772-11-29 (rescind)**, titled “Payout for progressive table games.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-14, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-31 (rescind)**, titled “Automated table fills.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-10, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-32 (rescind)**, titled “Table game fill and credit procedures.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-12, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-33 (rescind)**, titled “Automated table credits.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-11, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-34 (rescind)**, titled “Table game layouts.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-27, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-35 (rescind)**, titled “Table game pit areas and supervision.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-03, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-36 (rescind)**, titled “Instructional table games offered to public.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-15, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-37 (rescind)**, titled “Minimum and maximum table game wagers.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-04, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-38 (rescind)**, titled “Dealer and boxperson hand clearing.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-05, as summarized there.
- **3772-11-39 (rescind)**, titled “Table games inspection and maintenance.” This rule is being rescinded to move a new version of it to new Ohio Adm.Code 3772-11-13, as summarized there.
- **3772-14-01 (amend)**, titled “Player against player contests.” This rule is not being submitted for R.C. 106.03 review. Instead, this rule is being included in this package solely to update several cross-references to Chapter 11 in paragraph (H) of the rule. The purpose of this filing is to ensure that the renumbering of Chapter 11 does not cause unintended consequences as to the applicability (or non-applicability) of those rules to player against player contests, generally regulated under Chapter 14.