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CONSTITUTION OF BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
(Order under section 83(3))

COMMON GAMING HOUSES (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 2000

In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (3) of section 83 of the Constitution of Brunei Darussalam, His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan hereby makes the following Order —

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Common Gaming Houses (Amendment) Order, 2000.

Amendment of section 4.

2. Section 4 of the Common Gaming Houses Act (Chapter 28), in this Order referred to as the Act, is amended by deleting "\$5,000" and substituting "\$20,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 5.

3. Section 5 of the Act is amended by deleting "\$5,000" and substituting "\$20,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 6.

4. Section 6 of the Act is amended, in subsection (1), by deleting "\$2,500" and substituting "\$10,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 7.

5. Section 7 of the Act is amended, in subsection (2), by deleting "\$2,500" and substituting "\$10,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 8.

6. Section 8 of the Act is amended, in subsection (1), by deleting "\$2,500" and substituting "\$10,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 9.

7. Section 9 of the Act is amended, in subsection (1), by deleting "\$250" and substituting "\$2,000" therefor.

Amendment of section 17.

8. Section 17 of the Act is amended, in subsection (3), by deleting "\$2,500" and substituting "\$10,000" therefor.

Addition of new section 26.

9. The Act is amended by adding the following new section —

"Jurisdiction of Courts and Prosecution.

26. The Court of a Magistrate shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine all proceedings under this Act and, notwithstanding any provision of any written law to the contrary, such Court shall have power to impose any penalty or combination of penalties provided for an offence under this Act not exceeding respectively 12 months imprisonment and a fine of \$20,000."

Made this 29th. day of Safar, 1421 Hijriah corresponding to the 2nd. day of June, 2000 at Our Istana Nurul Iman, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam.

HIS MAJESTY
THE SULTAN AND YANG DI-PERTUAN
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM