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DBPR Case No.: 2019-008989

**Brandon Nichols** 

#### 8/26/2019 2019-07443

### STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION DIVISION OF PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION, DIVISION OF PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING.

Petitioner,

v. DANIEL A. FLANDERS, Respondent.

### FINAL ORDER

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering ("Petitioner"), issues this Final Order against Daniel A. Flanders ("Respondent") and states as follows:

- 1. An Administrative Complaint was filed in this case on April 5, 2019, alleging that Respondent violated section 551.109, Florida Statutes. A copy of the Administrative Complaint is attached hereto as "Exhibit 1".
- 2. The Administrative Complaint, Election of Rights form, an Explanation of Rights, and a cover letter were served on Respondent via certified mail on July 20, 2019.
  - 3. Proof of service is attached hereto as "Exhibit 2" and incorporated by reference.
- 4. The Election of Rights form, Explanation of Rights, and cover letter informed Respondent that a written response to the Administrative Complaint, including the right to request a hearing, was due within 21 days of actual service of the Administrative Complaint. See section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, and Rule 28-106.111, Florida Administrative Code.

5. Petitioner informed Respondent that the failure to file a timely response to the Administrative Complaint shall be deemed a waiver of the right to a hearing.

6. Respondent has not filed a timely response to the Administrative Complaint.

7. Respondent has not submitted any evidence or made any allegations that would support the application of the doctrine of equitable tolling.

Having considered the Administrative Complaint, the proof of service, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, it is hereby

### ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

8. The allegations of fact and the conclusions of law in the Administrative Complaint are adopted in their entirety herein.

9. Respondent is PERMANENTLY EXCLUDED from all pari-mutuel facilities in the State of Florida.

10. This Final Order is effective on the date it is filed with the Agency Clerk of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation.

DONE and ORDERED this 20 day of Aust , 2019.

LOUIS TROMBETTA, DIRECTOR

Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering Department of Business and

Professional Regulation

2601 Blair Stone Road

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1035

Telephone: (850) 488-9130

### **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL**

Any party to this proceeding has the right to seek its judicial review under section 120.68, Florida Statutes, by the filing of an original notice of appeal pursuant to Rules 9.110 and 9.190, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure, with the Agency Clerk, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202 (Email: AGC.Filing@myfloridalicense.com), and by filing a copy of the notice of appeal accompanied by the applicable filing fees with the appropriate Florida district court of appeal. The notice of appeal must be filed (received) in the Office of the Agency Clerk within thirty (30) days after the date this Order is filed with the Clerk.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of this Final Order on Waiver was

furnished by U.S. Mail on

) day of

2019 to:

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**Daniel A. Flanders** 870 Southwest 6th Avenue Florida City, Florida 33034

AGENCY CLERK'S OFFICE

### FILED

Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Deputy Agency Clerk

CLERK Evette Lawson-Proctor
Date 4/5/2019

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Petitioner,

DBPR Case No. 2019-008989

v.

DANIEL A. FLANDERS,

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### **ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT**

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering ("Petitioner"), files this Administrative Complaint against Daniel A. Flanders ("Respondent"), and alleges as follows:

- 1. Petitioner is the state agency charged with regulating pari-mutuel wagering and slot machine gaming pursuant to chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes.
- 2. At all times material hereto, Respondent's address of record is 2501 N.W. 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Apt. B, Miami, Florida 33142.
  - 3. At all times material hereto, Respondent was a patron of Miami Casino, LLC.
- 4. Miami Casino, LLC is a facility operated by a permitholder authorized to conduct pari-mutuel wagering and operate slot machines in this state under chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes.
- 5. On or about March 19, 2019, Respondent was permanently ejected from Miami Casino, LLC.
  - 6. Section 550.0251(6), Florida Statutes (2018), provides in relevant part:

In addition to the power to exclude certain persons from any parimutuel facility in the state, the division may exclude any person from any and all pari-mutuel facilities in this state for conduct that would constitute, if the person were a licensee, a violation of this chapter or the rules of the division. The division may exclude from any pari-mutuel facility within this state any person who has been ejected from a pari-mutuel facility in this state or who has been excluded from any pari-mutuel facility in another state by the governmental department, agency, commission, or authority exercising regulatory jurisdiction over pari-mutuel facilities in such other state.

7. Based on the forgoing, Respondent is subject to exclusion from all pari-mutuel facilities within the state based on his ejection from Miami Casino, LLC on or about March 19, 2019.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests the Division Director enter an Order permanently excluding Respondent from all licensed pari-mutuel facilities in the State of Florida along with any other remedy provided by chapters 550, 551, Florida Statutes, and/or the rules promulgated thereunder.

This Administrative Complaint in DBPR Case No. 2019-008989 is signed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019.

/s/James A. Lewis

**JAMES A. LEWIS** 

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### NOTICE OF RIGHT TO REQUEST A HEARING

Pursuant to Section 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes, you have the right to request a hearing to challenge the charges contained in this Administrative Complaint. If you choose to request a hearing, you will have the right to be represented by counsel, or other qualified representative, to present evidence and argument, to call and cross-examine witnesses, and to have subpoenas and subpoenas duces tecum issued on your behalf.

Any request for an administrative proceeding to challenge or contest the charges contained in this Administrative Complaint must conform to Rule 28-106.2015, Florida Administrative Code. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.111, Florida Administrative Code, you must request a hearing within 21 days from receipt of this Notice, or you will waive your right to request a hearing.

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