

THIS AGREEMENT MADE THIS 31 DAY OF AUGUST 2026

BETWEEN:

HIS MAJESTY THE KING in right of the Province of
Saskatchewan, as represented by the Minister
Responsible for Lotteries and Gaming
Saskatchewan (the “**Government**”)

-and-

THE FEDERATION OF SOVEREIGN INDIGENOUS NATIONS
on its own behalf and on behalf of First Nation
Bands and Tribal Councils in the Province
of Saskatchewan (the “**FSIN**”)

2026 AMENDING AGREEMENT

WHEREAS:

- A. WHEREAS** by Agreement dated June 11, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as the “2002 Framework Agreement”) between the Government and the FSIN, an arrangement was agreed upon to provide for the long-term stability of First Nations casinos in Saskatchewan within the parameters of the *Criminal Code*;
- B. AND WHEREAS** the 2002 Framework Agreement was amended by the 2004 Amending Agreement executed November 10, 2004; the File Hills Qu’Appelle Tribal Council 2004 Amending Agreement executed January 13, 2005; the 2007 Amending Agreement executed June 11, 2007; the 2014 Amending Agreement executed May 21, 2014; the 2016 Amending Agreement executed August 22, 2016; the 2017 Amending Agreement executed October 23, 2017; the 2021 Amending Agreement executed on September 23, 2021; and the 2023 Amending Agreement executed on June 15, 2023 (collectively, the “**Amendment Agreements**”);
- C. AND WHEREAS** on May 25, 2016, the Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations changed its name to the Federation of Sovereign Indigenous Nations;
- D. AND WHEREAS** on June 1, 2023, by Order in Council, the contracts and agreements entered into by the Liquor and Gaming Authority pursuant to *The Alcohol and Gaming Regulation Act*, 1997, respecting the conduct and management of lottery schemes, were transferred and assigned by the Government to, and vested in, Lotteries and Gaming Saskatchewan (LGS);

- E. **AND WHEREAS** the 2002 Framework Agreement and the Amendment Agreements are hereinafter collectively referred to as the “**Framework Agreement**”;
- F. **AND WHEREAS** the parties wish to make certain further amendments to the Framework Agreement, in particular in recognition of a pilot project resulting from evolutions in the gaming industry;
- G. **AND WHEREAS** Section 35 of the *Constitution Act, 1982* recognizes and affirms the existing aboriginal and Treaty rights of the aboriginal peoples of Canada;
- H. **AND WHEREAS** it is the position of the FSIN and its members, without it being the intention of the Government to in any way confirm such position in this 2026 Amending Agreement, that they enjoy an existing inherent right of self-government, confirmed by the six Treaties in Saskatchewan, and have the necessary authority to enact laws on matters of concern to all First Nations in Saskatchewan based on an exercise of that right, including in relation to gaming;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree to amend the Framework Agreement as follows:

1.0 INTERPRETATION

- 1.1 Except as otherwise expressly provided in this 2026 Amending Agreement, the terms used herein shall have the meanings attributed to them in the Framework Agreement.

2.0 AMENDMENTS TO THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT

- 2.1 **Part 3 — Casino Operations** of the Framework Agreement is amended as follows:

3.3(b) the maximum number of electronic gaming machines that can be located at any one time at all SIGA casinos and Gaming Centres operated pursuant to this Agreement is 2,619.

- 2.2 **Part 3B — Online Gaming** of the Framework Agreement is amended as follows:

3B.2 LGS is the conduct and management entity for Online Gaming in Saskatchewan as required by the *Criminal Code*.

3B.3 SIGA is the proponent on behalf of the FSIN pursuant to this Agreement for the purpose of providing operating and maintenance services relating to Online Gaming and the platform(s) through which Online Gaming is provided.

3B.5 All Online Gaming shall be operated in accordance with the Online Gaming Operating Agreement, the Gaming Regulation Agreement, and subject to all policies, standards and directives that may be issued by SLGA (as regulator) or LGS (as conduct and management entity) from time to time.

3B.6 Save and except in regard to those gaming types identified in section 3B.8, Government will make reasonable efforts with diligence and good faith to ensure that SIGA is the exclusive provider of Online Gaming until September 23, 2029.

3B.7 The Parties acknowledge that LGS will be assessing open market models during the term of this agreement and that the FSIN and SIGA will present comments and analysis regarding online gaming and the open market no later than 12 months prior to the expiration of the period of exclusivity (September 23, 2029).

3B.8(b) is deleted.

2.3 The following Part is added immediately after Part 3B:

Part 3C — Gaming Centre Pilot Project

3C.A1 For the purposes related only to this Gaming Centre Pilot Project the following definitions apply:

“**Gaming Centre**” means a place that is used for the purpose of conducting electronic gaming machines and meets the parameters set by LGS, is not a casino, is distinct from a VLT site and has no more than 49 electronic gaming machines;

“**Gaming Centre Operating Costs**” means machine procurement and amortization arising from the operation of electronic gaming machines at the Gaming Centre Pilot Project site;

3C.A2 The Parties agree to pilot a Gaming Centre that will occur on Flying Dust First Nation Reserve located adjacent to Meadow Lake, Saskatchewan.

3C.A3 The FSIN shall be entitled to use up to 49 slot machines allocated pursuant to subsection 3.3(b) in this Gaming Centre Pilot Project. When the machines are not allocated to this Gaming Centre Pilot Project they may be used as slot machines at casino sites.

3C.A4 This Gaming Centre Pilot Project shall operate in accordance with:

a) an operating agreement between LGS and SIGA (as Operator); and

- b) be subject to FINTRAC, the Gaming Regulation Agreement and all policies, standards and directives that may be issued by SLGA (as regulator) or LGS (as conduct and management entity) from time to time.

3C.A5 The Parties agree that no further Gaming Centres will be considered in Saskatchewan until a review of this Gaming Centre Pilot Project is complete.

3C.A6 The Parties agree to conduct a review of this Gaming Centre Pilot Project no less than 180 days prior to the 2032 Gaming Framework Agreement review. The Parties will jointly develop an evaluation framework that addresses key success indicators of this Gaming Centre Pilot Project and assesses whether additional Gaming Centres should be considered and the parameters under which these would be considered, including those described in Part 3A and *inter alia*:

- a required radius from existing casinos and/or Gaming Centres;
- minimum regional adult population;
- demonstrated demand for an additional Gaming Centre;
- community support;
- positive economic impact; and
- appropriate infrastructure to accommodate a Gaming Centre (e.g., required licences, minimum square footage and other requirements as may be determined by LGS).

Part 3C.B — Gaming Centre Revenue Sharing

3C.B1 The annual net profits from this Gaming Centre Pilot Project shall be calculated and accounted for separately and distinctly from revenues and profits relating to casinos and Online Gaming.

3C.B2 The annual net profits from electronic gaming machines in this Gaming Centre Pilot Project shall be distributed as follows:

- a) The value of gross play less winnings from 14 electronic gaming machines will be treated as follows (calculated as an average of the total machines in the Flying Dust Gaming Centre multiplied by (14/total number of machines in the Flying Dust Gaming Centre)):
- i) 18 per cent to the Flying Dust First Nation or its corporate entity;
 - ii) Deduction of Gaming Centre Operating Costs; and

iii) After i) and ii) are applied the distribution is as follows:

- A. 20 per cent to the Government;
 - B. 20 per cent to Flying Dust First Nation through the First Nations Trust; and
 - C. 60 per cent to the First Nations Trust.
- b) The annual net profits from the remaining (up to) 35 machines will be distributed as follows (calculated as an average of the total machines in the Flying Dust Gaming Centre multiplied by the total less (14/the total number of machines in the Flying Dust Gaming Centre)):
- i) 50 per cent to the First Nations Trust;
 - ii) 25 per cent to the Northern Lights Community Development Corporation; and
 - iii) 25 per cent to the Government.

Part 3C.C — Gaming Centre Flow of Funds

3C.C1 The Parties acknowledge that pursuant to this 2026 Amending Agreement all of the annual net profits from this Gaming Centre Pilot Project provided herein, except the 18 per cent paid to the Flying Dust First Nation pursuant to 3C.B2(a)(i), are to be paid in the first instance to LGS.

3C.C2 With respect to the profits provided according to section 3C.B2(a)(iii)B and C and 3C.B2(b)(i) and (ii), and subject to section 3C.C3 and subject to the necessary appropriations being available, the Government shall make grants as follows:

- a) The Government shall estimate the annual net profits of this Gaming Centre Pilot Project provided pursuant to the Gaming Centre Operating Agreement for each fiscal year and may pay the estimated amount to the First Nations Trust and Northern Lights Community Development Corporation pursuant to section 3C.B2 for that fiscal year in quarterly payments;
- b) Following each fiscal year, the Government shall determine the actual net profits of this Gaming Centre Pilot Project provided pursuant to the Gaming Centre Operating Agreement for that fiscal year, and shall either:

- i. Pay any amounts due and owing for that fiscal year to the First Nations Trust and Northern Lights Community Development Corporation; or
- ii. Withhold any overpayment from future amounts to be paid to the First Nations Trust and Northern Lights Community Development Corporation, or if unable to withhold, to collect in any other manner permitted by law.

The Parties agree that Government shall not have any obligations in relation to such grants except to the extent of the net profits actually received by it or LGS pursuant to Part 3C.B.

3C.C3 The FSIN agrees that, with respect to any amounts which are required by the Gaming Centre Operating Agreement to be paid to LGS and which are not received by LGS (the “withheld amounts”), the Government may apply the proportion of the withheld amounts which should have been paid to LGS for payment to Government in accordance with paragraph 3C.C1 herein against and in satisfaction of amounts which are to be distributed to the First Nations Trust and Northern Lights Community Development Corporation pursuant to subsections 3C.B2(a)(iii)B and C and 3C.B2(b)(i) and (ii).

2.4 **Part 17: Notice Provisions** of the Framework Agreement is amended as follows:

17.1(b) second cell is replaced as follows:

c/o LGS
700 - 2055 Albert Street
Regina, Saskatchewan
S4P 2T8

3.0 RATIFICATION OF THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT

3.1 Except as provided for in this 2026 Amending Agreement, the terms and conditions of the Framework Agreement shall continue in full force and effect and the Framework Agreement as amended is hereby ratified and affirmed by each of the Parties and shall be binding upon the Parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

4.0 GOVERNING LAW

4.1 Time, in all respects, shall remain of the essence. The section headings in this 2026 Amending Agreement have been inserted for convenience of reference only and shall not be referred to in the interpretation of this 2026 Amending Agreement or the Framework Agreement. This 2026 Amending Agreement will enure to the benefit of

and be binding upon the Parties and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

5.0 GOVERNING LAW

5.1 This 2026 Amending Agreement shall be interpreted according to and governed by the laws of the Province of Saskatchewan.

6.0 COUNTERPARTS

6.1 This 2026 Amending Agreement may be executed in counterparts and delivered by facsimile transmission or other means of electronic communication capable of producing a printed copy, each of which so executed and delivered shall be deemed to be an original and such counterparts shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this Agreement, which is deemed effective as of the date on which all counterparts are signed.

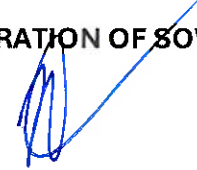
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Name: Jeremy Harrison
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THE FEDERATION OF SOVEREIGN INDIGENOUS NATIONS



Name: Bobby Cameron
Position: FSIN Chief

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