WHEREAS, on February 3, 2010, I signed Executive Order No. 11 (2010) establishing a New Jersey Gaming, Sports and Entertainment Advisory Commission, hereinafter referred to as the Commission, for the purpose of developing recommendations to implement a comprehensive, statewide approach concerning the issues and financial needs of the State’s gaming, professional sports, and entertainment industries; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has diligently performed its assigned functions, focusing on its important mission and delivering its report and recommendations for my consideration; and

WHEREAS, ensuring the health and viability of New Jersey’s gaming, sports and entertainment sectors remains crucial to the State’s economy and to enhancing the way of life of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, in light of the complexity of the issues considered by the Commission, the expertise possessed by the Commission, and the importance of its recommendations to the well-being of the State of New Jersey, it is appropriate for the Commission to remain in existence for an additional period of time to support implementation of those recommendations that I accept and any related matters;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRIS CHRISTIE, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the Statutes of this State, do hereby ORDER and DIRECT:

1. Paragraph 6 of Executive Order No. 11 (2010) is amended to provide that the Commission shall not expire upon the issuance of its final report, but rather shall continue in
existence until June 30, 2011, or such other date as I shall establish, in order to support the implementation of those recommendations of the Commission, and any related matters, that meet with my approval

2. This Order shall take effect immediately.

GIVEN, under my hand and seal this 21st day of July, Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States, the Two Hundred and Thirty-Fifth.

/s/Chris Christie
Governor

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Attest:

/s/ Jeffrey S. Chiesa
Chief Counsel to the Governor