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Town of Payson

**Silvia Smith  
Town Clerk  
Town of Payson  
303 North Beeline Highway  
Payson, AZ. 85541-4306**

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Dear Silvia,

Turf Paradise is hereby requesting to renew its Off-track Parimutuel Wagering permit for Famous Sam's, located at 307 S. Beeline Hwy., Payson, Arizona. Turf Paradise is currently in the process of renewing its permit with the Arizona Department of Racing, to operate additional wagering facilities, and expects to receive approval in the month of August. The term of the permit applied for will be from September 6, 2006 through May 31, 2009. Therefore, we ask that the term of the license for Famous Sam's Restaurant be valid until that date. A copy of the permit to operate additional wagering facilities will be forwarded to you upon receipt.

**Applicant: David Johnson, Agent  
Famous Sam's  
307 S. Beeline Hwy.  
Payson, AZ. 85541**

Also, enclosed is a copy of a letter from the Arizona Department of Racing stating that our permit has been submitted and timely filed and that our current permit is in effect during the review period. Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at (602) 375-6431.

David Johnson  
Vice President

*David Johnson*  
Turf Paradise

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June 28, 2006

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Dear Mr. Mangum:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Application for Renewal of Permit to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting for TP Racing, L.L.P. has been determined to be administratively complete, per Arizona Administrative Code R19-2-103(F)(1).

The application package was timely filed with the Department before expiration of the current racing permit on May 31, 2006. Because TP Racing made a timely and sufficient/administratively complete application, the current permit does not expire until the application has been finally determined by the Racing Commission, upon recommendation by the Department. In case the application is denied (or the terms of the new permit limited), the permit does not expire until the last day for seeking review of the Commission's order or a later date fixed by order of the reviewing court, per A.R.S. § 41.1092.11.

The Department's determination of administrative completeness of the racing permit renewal application does not constitute renewal of the current racing permit, nor renewal or interim continuation of the Teletrack Wagering Permit, Plan of Operation or any other type of Permit.

According to A.A.C. R19-2-103, the Department of Racing will now carry out the substantive review of the application package, commencing June 27, 2006. During the substantive review time frame, the Department may make one comprehensive written request for additional information, per A.R.S. § 41-1075(A) and A.R.S. § 5-107(B)(6). The Department and applicant may mutually agree in writing to allow the agency to submit supplemental requests for additional information, per A.R.S. § 41-1075(A).

The substantive review time frame is 30 days. However, if the Department issues a written request for additional information, the substantive review time frame and overall time frame are suspended from the date the request is issued until the date that we receive the additional information, per A.R.S. § 41-1075(A).

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June 28, 2006  
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I appreciate all of your efforts to comply with the statutory and regulatory requirements of the renewal application process and timetable. Our objective is to continue to work with you to complete the substantive review process so a recommendation can be prepared for the Racing Commission's consideration.

Sincerely,



Geoffrey E. Gonsler  
Director

cc: Arizona Racing Commission  
Linda Bergevin, Financial Investigator  
Robert Irish, Assistant Director, Enforcement and Compliance  
Luis Marquez, Assistant Director, Administration  
Joyce Cozby, Management Review Administrator