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**National Indian
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Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

NATIONAL INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION (NIGC)

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25 CFR Ch. III

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

AGENCY: National Indian Gaming Commission.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: The National Indian Gaming Commission today is publishing an agenda of its open and anticipated rulemaking actions. The agenda is a general announcement to the public intended to provide notice of rulemaking actions in which the public may wish to participate. In the near future, the Commission intends to issue Notices of Proposed Rulemaking for rules concerning definitions and practice before the Commission; rules concerning hearings and appeals

procedures; and rules concerning enforcement. The Commission invites questions and public comment on individual agenda items.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with Executive Order 12866 "Regulatory Planning and Review" and the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 605, executive agencies are required to publish semiannual regulatory agendas in the Federal Register in April and October of each year.

The regulations being considered by the Commission are not "significant" rules within the meaning of E.O. 12866, and no regulatory impact analysis is required. The Commission also has

determined, under the Regulatory Flexibility Act, that the regulations under consideration will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Accordingly, no Regulatory Flexibility Analysis is required. The proposed rules are not covered under section 202 of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act (Pub. L. 104-4), as they are not Federal mandates that may result in an expenditure of \$100 million or more in any 1 year by State, local, and tribal governments, in the aggregate, or the private sector. Further, these proposed rules are not considered major under 5 U.S.C. 801 enacted by Public Law 104-121 and, therefore, are not subject to section 801's 60-day deferral requirement.

Harold A. Monteau,
Chairman, National Indian Gaming Commission.

Final Rule Stage

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4672	Procedures Under the National Environmental Policy Act	3141-AA06

Long-Term Actions

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4673	Review of Petitions for Certificate of Self-Regulation Under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act	3141-AA04
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Final Rule Stage

4672. PROCEDURES UNDER THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 25 USC 2701 et seq; 42 USC 4321 et seq

CFR Citation: 25 CFR 518

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The National Environmental Policy Act establishes national environmental policy and goals for the protection, maintenance, and

enhancement of the environment. The Act provides a process for implementing these goals within the Federal agencies. This rule would provide procedures for the Commission to follow in meeting its obligations under the Act.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/09/93	58 FR 18353
NPRM Comment Period End	06/30/93	58 FR 27967

Action	Date	FR Cite
To Be Withdrawn - See 40 CFR 1500 et seq, CEQ Regulations	02/00/97	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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Long-Term Actions

4673. REVIEW OF PETITIONS FOR CERTIFICATE OF SELF-REGULATION UNDER THE INDIAN GAMING REGULATORY ACT

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 25 CFR 581

Timetable: Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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RIN: 3141-AA04

4674. PRACTICE BEFORE THE COMMISSION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	00/00/00	
NPRM Comment Period End	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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4675. HEARINGS AND APPEALS PROCEDURE

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 25 CFR 522; 25 CFR 523; 25 CFR 524; 25 CFR 533; 25 CFR 535; 25 CFR 539; 25 CFR 573; 25 CFR 575; 25 CFR 577

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	00/00/00	
NPRM Comment Period End	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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RIN: 3141-AA08

4676. ENFORCEMENT

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 25 CFR 573

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	00/00/00	

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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RIN: 3141-AA09

4677. DEFINITIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 25 CFR 502 (Revision)

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	00/00/00	
NPRM Comment Period End	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Tribal

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