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ADVISORY NOTICE

Kahnawake, January 20, 2011 – On January 19, 2011, articles were published in le Journal de Montreal and broadcast on TVA Nouvelles disparaging the poker room industry in Kahnawake. These articles were replete with erroneous information and were presented in a manner that vilified the Kahnawake poker industry and questioned the validity of Kahnawake’s jurisdiction over gaming that is conducted within its Territory.

Since 2007, the Kahnawake Gaming Commission has been licensing and regulating land-based poker rooms within the Mohawk Territory of Kahnawake. A list of poker rooms whose licenses are in good standing can be obtained [here](#). Each of the poker rooms that were mentioned in yesterday’s articles are properly licensed and regulated by the Commission.

All licensed poker rooms are subject to the provisions of the Commission’s *Regulations concerning Poker Rooms* (the “Regulations”) and are regularly inspected by the Commission’s Compliance Officer. All poker room dealers are certified as being suitable and licensed by the Commission.

The Commission works closely with the Kahnawake Peacekeepers to ensure that the poker rooms are operated safely, fairly and in accordance with the *Kahnawake Gaming Law* and the Commission’s Regulations.

Any specific concerns or complaints concerning the operations of a poker room licensed by the Commission should be directed to the Commission at info@gamingcommission.ca