

Exhibit X.A.6

HISTORICAL EFFORTS AGAINST PROBLEM GAMBLING

Submit as Exhibit X. A.6. a description of the processes proposed to address problem gambling at the other facilities it owns or controls, the effectiveness of those processes, and the metrics the Applicant will use to determine the effects.

TRACK RECORD

Experience of Leadership

Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa does not own or control any other gaming facilities, but this does not negate the track record and leadership of Nevele management in the area of problem gambling.

Since the release of the results of the National Gambling Impact Study Commission in 1999, Nevele management has been involved in the implementation of problem gambling programs in casinos around the United States and internationally. These programs have proven to be most successful as they are still in place today. In virtually all jurisdictions, problem gambling programs are required of gaming facilities; thus, for Nevele management, deploying, administering and managing such programs is an integral part of casino operations.

Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa takes the issue of problem gambling very seriously and in fact, will employ a person with the job title of Vice President of Community Relations and Problem Gambling when the resort is operational. It will be this VP's responsibility to ensure compliance with regulations and policies, to continue collaboration with community services, to continue to research initiatives and to ensure awareness remains heightened for employees and patrons. Based on our leadership and experience in problem gambling, we understand that problem gambling programs do not stand alone; they must also include underage gambling and alcohol service awareness, both of which will be incorporated into the problem gambling program of Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa.

Nevele management has extensive experience with the planning and development of casinos, as well as the operation of casinos. This experience has been with domestic casinos such as Wynn Las Vegas and Parx Casino, as well as with international casinos such as Wynn Macau and Okada Resorts Manila Bay – to name a few.

It is during the planning stages that the seeds of an excellent problem gambling program are planted. It is **now** that Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa is collaborating with local and regional partners to institute a problem gambling program that could serve as a model for all gaming facilities in New York. It is **now** that Nevele is defining the training of its employees, the on-site resources that will be available and the internal business

processes needed to effectuate such a model program. It is **now** that Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa is drawing on its experience and working to be the champion and leader of problem gambling programs in New York.

Summary of Supporting Documents

Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa is committed to proactively addressing issues related to Responsible Gaming. As further evidence of the volume of research we have conducted and to best respond to this Exhibit, attached are two additional studies we engaged by the New York Council on Problem Gambling and industry consultant, The Innovation Group to help us refine our strategy specific to this issue:

- Nevele Resort, Casino & Spa Plan to Address Problem and Responsible Gambling and Related Community Needs
- Impacts of a Casino in Ulster County on Problem Gambling