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Washington, DC, December 6, 2011 - The National Indian Gaming Commission (NIGC/Commission) announced today the cancellation of the Regulatory Review Consultation scheduled on Tuesday, December 13, 2011 in Washington D.C. at the National Museum of the American Indian. The Commission intends to issue additional Notices of Proposed Rules before the year's end and to consult on those proposed rules in 2012. The Commission, in being mindful of both tribal and NIGC time and resources, determined that canceling the scheduled consultation in Washington, D.C., and rescheduling it for 2012 after Notices of Proposed Rules are issued, is the best and most efficient use of resources.

Additional consultation information concerning upcoming Notices of Proposed Rules will be announced before the year's end. For questions regarding this announcement, please contact Paxton Myers at (202) 632-7003.

The NIGC is an independent regulatory agency established within the Department of the Interior pursuant to the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988.

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