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Regulations on the information that shall be included in the conformity review of game programmes used to organize interactive gambling or interactive lotteries

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- 1. These regulations shall determine:
 - 1.1. The information that shall be included in the conformity review of an interactive gambling programme used to organize interactive gambling;
 - 1.2. The information that shall be included in the conformity review of an interactive lottery programme used to organize an interactive lottery.
- 2. Interactive game programme is a set of data necessary to operate interactive gambling or interactive lotteries and contains one or more files.
- 3. An accredited certification body shall include the following in the interactive game programme conformity review:
 - 3.1. General information:
 - 3.1.1. The name of the certification body;
 - 3.1.2. Date of issue of the interactive game programme conformity review;
 - 3.1.3. The number of the interactive game programme conformity review;
 - 3.1.4. The name of the interactive game programme;
 - 3.1.5. The name of the interactive game programme producer;
 - 3.2. Information on game programme conformity with the following requirements:
 - 3.2.1. The game programme algorithm shall ensure that the total amount of winnings of interactive gambling is not less than 80 per cent of the total amount of bets made;
 - 3.2.2. The game programme algorithm shall ensure that the total amount of winnings of an interactive lottery is not less than 45 per cent of the total amount of ticket sales;
 - 3.2.3. The interactive game programme algorithm shall be based on the principle of random selection and the outcome of a game shall be determined through the use of a random selection number generator;
 - 3.2.4. The random selection number generator and the random number range change algorithm shall conform with the following requirements:
 - 3.2.4.1. The random selection number shall be statistically independent;
 - 3.2.4.2. The random number shall be unpredictable;
 - 3.2.4.3. The game outcome produced by the random selection number generator shall correspond to a test result obtained by means of a random selection series of tests;
 - 3.2.5. The checksum of the interactive game programme and each of its components shall be displayed as a code as determined by the producer.

- 4. The certification body shall attach to the interactive game programme conformity review a document that confirms its authority to assess the conformity of the interactive game programme.
- 5. The interactive game programme conformity review issued by the certification body to a specific gambling game or interactive lottery operated by an interactive gambling or interactive lottery operator before the entry into force of these regulations, shall remain valid until such time as changes are made in the respective interactive game programme.
- 6. If, after the entry into force of these regulations, an interactive gambling game or interactive lottery operated by an interactive gambling operator or an interactive lottery operator does not have a corresponding interactive game programme conformity review issued by the certification body, then, within six months of the entry into force of these regulations, the operator of interactive gambling or interactive lotteries shall submit to the Lotteries and Gambling Supervisory Inspection an interactive game programme conformity review in accordance with the requirements specified in these regulations.

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