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September 11, 2023

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Re: State of Vermont Bid Event: VERMONT SPORTS WAGERING RFP

The Office of Purchasing and Contracting (OPC) regrets to inform you that your bid was not submitted in a timely manner. The Request for Proposal (RFP) set a bid submission deadline of September 6, 2023, at 4:00 PM.

We received an email from vphung@caesars.com at 3:58 PM indicating that you attempted to submit a bid and although it was sent as a compressed attachment by Caesars at 37MB, under the 40MB state limit, the email was rejected. The State notified Caesars at 4:00 PM that the bid had not been received. Further, the undeliverable notification email forwarded by vphung@caesars.com at 4:30 PM has been analyzed by the Vermont Agency of Digital Services, which has concluded that the email delivery rejection was from within Caesars' internal email service and not from the State of Vermont email service.

Your electronic bid proposal was not received by OPC until 5:57 PM on September 6, 2023. As a result, your bid was late and cannot be accepted by OPC.

Again, we thank you for your interest in working with the State of Vermont and hope you will consider bidding on future State RFPs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Deborah Damore".

Deborah Damore
Director of the Office of Purchasing & Contracting (OPC)

