AN ORDINANCE of the City of Kent, Washington relating to gambling, amending Section 1 of Ordinance 1888 relating to taxation of gambling, and repealing Section 2 of Ordinance 1888 relating to punchboards, pulltabs and public cardrooms.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT, WASHINGTON, DO HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 1 of Ordinance 1888 which reads as follows:

"Section 1. In accordance with Chapter 218 Laws of Washington, 1973 First Extraordinary Session, as amended, there is hereby levied upon all persons, associations and organizations who have been duly licensed by the Washington State Gambling Commission to conduct or operate

(1) Any bingo games, raffles and amusement games, a tax rate of ten (10) percent of the gross revenue received therefrom less the amount paid for or as prizes;
(2) Any punchboards or pulltabs, a tax rate of five (5) percent of the gross receipts from such punchboards or pulltabs;
(3) Social card games, a tax rate of five (5) percent of the gross receipts received therefrom;
(4) Any public cardroom operated as a commercial stimulant, a tax of five (5) percent of the gross receipts received therefrom.

is hereby amended to read as follows:

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(4) Any public cardroom operated as a commercial stimulant, a tax of ten (10) percent of the gross receipts received therefrom.

Section 2. Section 2 of Ordinance 1888 which prohibited punchboards, pulltabs and public cardrooms be and the same hereby is repealed.
Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days from and after its passage, approval and publication, as provided by law.

ISABEL HOGAN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARIE JENSEN, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DONALD E. MIRK, CITY ATTORNEY

PASSED the 15 day of July, 1976.

APPROVED the 15 day of July, 1976.

PUBLISHED the 23 day of July, 1976.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Ordinance No. 1978, passed by the City Council of the City of Kent, Washington, and approved by the Mayor of the City of Kent as hereon indicated.

MARIE JENSEN, CITY CLERK