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 See: 22 N.J.R. 3708(b), 23 N.J.R. 885(a).  
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 See 24 N.J.R. 278(a), 25 N.J.R. 1522(a).

In (f): added text regarding location of automated coupon machines.  
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 See: 25 N.J.R. 4471(a), 26 N.J.R. 829(a).  
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 See: 26 N.J.R. 2872(a), 26 N.J.R. 3253(a), 26 N.J.R. 4089(a).

#### 19:45-1.46B Procedures and requirements for a bill changer which can accept coupons

(a) Each bill changer which can accept coupons shall be able to establish the dollar value and validity of each coupon inserted therein by interpreting the coded information which must be contained on the coupon pursuant to (b) below.

(b) In addition to complying with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.46, each coupon which can be accepted by a bill changer shall contain encoded data that identifies the dollar value of the coupon and such other information as the Commission may require. Each coupon shall also contain a unique code or other security measure, which can be interpreted only by the bill changer, to ensure that the coupon is valid.

(c) The methods by which a bill changer and each coupon which can be accepted therein will comply with the requirements of (a) and (b) above shall be submitted to and approved by the Commission before any such bill changer or coupon may be used by a casino licensee.

(d) Unless the slot machine to which the bill changer is attached contains the coupon meters identified in N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.37(e)3 and 19:46-1.26(d), a bill changer which can accept coupons shall be equipped with mechanical, electrical or electronic devices as follows:

1. A "numerical coupon meter" that continuously, automatically and separately counts the total number of all coupons accepted by the bill changer; and
2. A "value coupon meter" that continuously, automatically and separately counts the total dollar value of all coupons accepted by the bill changer.

(e) Each coupon accepted by a bill changer shall be deposited and stored in the bill changer's slot cash storage box. Each such coupon shall be counted as part of the slot cash storage box drop in accordance with the count procedures in N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.33.

(f) Each coupon accepted by a bill changer shall be cancelled in a manner approved by the Commission which shall prevent the acceptance of the cancelled coupon by any bill changer, any automated coupon redemption machine or any other form of authorized redemption. The coupon shall be cancelled by the bill changer immediately upon

acceptance, or pursuant to N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.33(h)7, in the count room prior to the conclusion of the count.

(g) Unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, any coupon which can be accepted by a bill changer shall be accounted for and controlled pursuant to N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.46.

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 See: 34 N.J.R. 1750(c).

#### 19:45-1.47 Keno booths; satellite keno booths; keno lockers; roving keno work stations

(a) Keno gaming operations shall only be conducted in a separate and distinct area approved by the Commission, although a casino licensee may conduct the same keno game or different keno games in separate approved areas. Any area designated for keno gaming activity shall be located:

1. On the casino floor;
2. In a casino simulcasting facility; or
3. In a public keno area in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.47B.

(b) Any area designated for keno may contain a physical structure known as a keno booth to house the keno writers and to serve as the central location for the following:

1. The custody of the keno booth inventory, including currency, coin, coupons, gaming chips, slot tokens, and forms and documents normally associated with the operation of a keno booth;
2. The exchange by patrons of coupons for currency, coin or keno tickets in conformity with N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.46(j);
3. The receipt of currency, coin, gaming chips, coupons and slot tokens for wagering at the game of keno;
4. The issuance of cash to patrons upon the presentation of a recognized credit or debit card in accordance with N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.25(i);
5. The payment of winning wagers at the game of keno; and
6. Such other functions normally associated with the operation of a keno booth.

(c) The keno booth shall be designed and constructed to provide maximum security for the materials housed therein and the activities performed therein, and shall include the following:

1. Separate work stations which shall include:
  - i. Manually triggered silent alarm systems connected directly to the monitoring rooms of the closed circuit

television system, the security department office and the on-site office of the Division;

ii. A computer terminal which shall be used to issue keno tickets and calculate payouts for winning keno tickets; and

iii. An area for the storage of a keno drawer.

2. A segregated area for the storage of the keno computer equipment. The location and security of the keno computer equipment shall be approved by the Commission. Nothing herein shall preclude a casino licensee from storing its keno computer equipment in another segregated and secure area of the casino hotel facility, provided that the location of and the security measures for such area have been approved by the Commission.

(d) In addition to the requirements in (c) above, a keno booth may contain the following:

1. A segregated and secure area for the storage of locked keno drawers pursuant to N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.48; and

2. A segregated and secure area, maintained on an imprest basis by the keno supervisor, which may be used to establish opening keno inventories and complete keno fills and keno credits pursuant to the requirements of this chapter.

i. The casino licensee shall submit for review and approval procedures governing how this area will be maintained on an imprest basis. In addition, each keno supervisor shall prepare a count sheet to record the opening and closing balance for their shift which shall be signed by both the incoming and outgoing keno supervisor.

(e) If a keno booth is designed so as to be immediately adjacent to the cashiers' cage or a satellite cage and access to the keno booth is through the cashiers' cage or satellite cage, the casino security department escort otherwise required by N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.48, 1.49 and 1.50 for the transportation of keno drawers and keno fills and credits shall not be required.

(f) A casino licensee may, in its discretion, operate one or more satellite keno booths. All the provisions of this subchapter governing the operation of a keno booth shall apply to a satellite keno booth with the exception of the following:

1. The keno games for which wagers are accepted at a satellite keno booth must be the same keno games for which wagers are accepted at the keno booth;

2. The only keno computer equipment which may be located at a satellite keno booth shall be the computer terminals used by the keno writers to issue keno tickets and calculate payouts of winning keno tickets;

3. A satellite keno booth may not contain a separate area for the storage of currency and coin pursuant to (d) above; and

4. A satellite keno booth may operate without the presence of a keno supervisor; however, a keno writer at a satellite keno booth may not redeem a winning keno ticket for \$1,500 or more unless a keno supervisor is present pursuant to N.J.A.C. 19:47-15.6(b).

(g) A casino licensee may, in its discretion, permit a keno runner to generate and redeem keno tickets from a keno locker located on the casino floor or in the casino simulcasting facility. Each keno locker shall be a fully enclosed structure and shall contain one keno work station. A keno locker shall be closed and locked whenever it is unattended by a keno runner. A keno work station in a keno locker shall include:

1. A manually triggered silent alarm system connected directly to the monitoring rooms of the closed circuit television system, the casino security department office and the on-site office of the Division;

2. A computer terminal which shall be used to issue keno tickets and calculate payouts for winning keno tickets;

3. An area for the storage of one or more keno drawers, which area shall only be used by a keno runner selling or redeeming keno tickets from that keno locker; and

4. A light that is located above the work station and is visible from outside the keno locker, which light shall automatically illuminate whenever the door to the keno locker is open.

(h) A casino licensee may, in its discretion, operate roving keno work stations which contain a keno terminal and a keno drawer. The roving keno work station shall be:

1. Operated by a keno writer in accordance with the rules of this Chapter and N.J.A.C. 19:47; and

2. Operated on the casino floor, in the casino simulcasting facility or in a public keno area in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 19:45-1.47B; provided, however, if a roving keno work station shall be operated in a public keno area, the keno writer shall receive and return his or her imprest funds and perform all fills and credits in a restricted casino area approved by the Commission for such activity.

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See: 27 N.J.R. 2218(a), 27 N.J.R. 2254(a).

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See: 27 N.J.R. 3597(a), 28 N.J.R. 4235(b).

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