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## **Ameranth Secures Major New Licensee of its Dealer Tracking/Management Gaming Patents**

*World's largest poker room, Commerce Casino licenses Ameranth's gaming patents*

**May 17, 2013**, San Diego, CA. — Ameranth, Inc. today announced that it has signed a long term patent license agreement with Commerce Casino of Commerce, California, ([www.commercecasino.com](http://www.commercecasino.com)) for its multi-faceted, multi patent dealer tracking/management claims - including all claims from Ameranth's strategic gaming patent (**U.S. Pat. No. 7,878,909**), titled "Products and Processes for Operations Management of Casino, Leisure, and Hospitality Industry,") - whose validity term extends into 2025. Commerce Casino is the **world's largest poker room**, (with more than #270 active tables and employing more than 2600 employees).

Ameranth has also been awarded additional gaming patents, **U.S. Pat. No. 6,431,650** and **U.S. Pat. No. 8,393,969**. Ameranth has active lawsuits in the United States District Court for the Central District of California, against Genesis Gaming Inc, IT Casino Solutions LLC, Hustler Casino, and Hawaiian Gardens Casino for their ongoing infringements of one or more of these three gaming patents and for their extensive past damages.

Ameranth's gaming industry leading Poker Room Manager (PRM) automated poker systems are deployed in many casinos and operate in several of the largest and most prestigious poker rooms worldwide, including Lucky Chances Casino, Casino Arizona, Bicycle Casino, Crown Casino in Australia and numerous other installations. Ameranth also has additional patent licensees, including e.g. Normandie Casino, Aviator Casino and Village Club Casino. Casino Arizona's 50 poker tables and Lucky Chances 40 tables make them among the largest and most advanced poker rooms in the world and Ameranth provides its comprehensive technical capabilities to automate their seating, tournament, waitlist, communications and player tracking functionalities. Several additional new significant PRM wins/deployments are being finalized as well.

*'We are very pleased to have secured such a noteworthy patent license from Commerce Casino to further confirm the strength of Ameranth's gaming patents. We will continue to vigorously enforce our gaming patents, against the defendants that are still infringing our patents' - said Vern Yates, Ameranth's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.*

'Commerce Casino is pleased that it has licensed Ameranth's 'Dealer Tracking Management' patents and agreed to mutually acceptable terms to resolve the dispute with Ameranth', said Jeff Harris, Commerce's Casino Manager.

About Ameranth Inc:

Ameranth, Inc. ( <http://www.ameranth.com> ) is a recognized leader in the hospitality/gaming market. Ameranth has also been awarded ten technology and "best product" awards. The approval of its key strategic gaming patents confirms Ameranth's leading and pioneering role in automating casinos overall and enabling the automation of the modern poker room and clearly establishes Ameranth as the technology leader in virtually all automated aspects of poker rooms - as part of Ameranth's overall 21<sup>st</sup> Century Casino™ vision.

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