

**STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ILLINOIS GAMING BOARD**

**IN RE THE DISCIPLINARY ACTION OF:**

**Ramennenga, LLC  
d/b/a Quik Cash Gaming**

**Licensed Establishment  
License No. 170700020**

**DC-V-21-39**

**SUMMARY SUSPENSION AND COMPLAINT FOR  
PROPOSED DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

The Illinois Gaming Board, for its Complaint against Ramennenga, LLC d/b/a Quik Cash Gaming, states as follows:

**NATURE OF ACTION**

1. The Illinois Gaming Board (the “Board” or “IGB”) brings this action against licensed establishment Ramennenga, LLC d/b/a Quik Cash Gaming (“Quik Cash”) based on the September 23, 2021 felony conviction of its 100% owner Ross Mennenga (“Mennenga”)
2. The felony conviction violates provisions of the Video Gaming Act (the “VGA”) and the Board’s Adopted Rules for Video Gaming (the “Rules”) prohibiting Board licensees from engaging in any conduct that would discredit, or tend to discredit, or reflect adversely on the integrity of the Illinois gaming industry, including but not limited to failing to maintain the minimum criteria for licensure.
3. The Board brings this action pursuant to Sections 55, 78(a)(2), 78(a)(3) and 80 of the VGA; Sections 5(b)(2), 5(b)(13), 5(c)(5), and 17 of the Illinois Gambling Act; and Sections 1800.310 and 1800.420 of the Rules. 230 ILCS 40/55; 230 ILCS 40/78; 230 ILCS 40/80; 230 ILCS 10/5; 230 ILCS 10/17; 11 Ill. Adm. Code 1800.310; 11 Ill. Adm. Code 1800.420.
4. Through this action, the Board seeks to revoke Quik Cash’s establishment license.

5. Additionally, per Section 17 of the Illinois Gambling Act, Quik Cash's video gaming license is summarily suspended pending a final Board order.

**PARTIES AND RELEVANT ENTITIES**

6. The Board is the Illinois regulatory agency charged with the responsibility of administering, regulating and enforcing the system of video gaming in Illinois. The Board's jurisdiction extends to every person, association, corporation, partnership, and trust involved in Illinois video gaming operations.

7. Respondent Quik Cash is a licensed establishment (License No. 170700020) and was first licensed by the Board on July 27, 2017. As a licensee, Quik Cash, its owners, its employees, and its agents are required to comply with the VGA and the Rules at all times.

**RELEVANT FACTUAL BACKGROUND**

8. Quik Cash operates in Pontiac, Illinois.

9. Mennenga is 100% owner of Quik Cash.

10. On July 25, 2017, the Pontiac Police Department arrested Ross for Intimidation/Contempt/Ridicule and Solicitation of a Sexual Act.

11. On September 23, 2021, Mennenga was convicted in the Circuit Court of Livingston County, Illinois of Intimidation, a Class 3 felony.

**COUNT I**  
**Disqualification from Licensure**  
**In Violation of 11. Ill. Adm. Code 310(a)(23)**

12. The Board re-alleges and incorporates Paragraphs 1 through 11 above as if fully alleged herein.

13. Rule 310(a)(23) subjects a licensee to discipline for any cause that would have disqualified the licensee from licensure if that cause was known to the Board.

14. Rule 420 disqualifies any entity from licensure if any of its owners are not licensable under Section 9 of the Illinois Gambling Act.
15. Section 9 of the Illinois Gambling Act disqualifies individuals who have been convicted of a felony from holding a license.
16. Because Mannenga, its 100% owner, has a felony conviction, Quik Cash is not licensable under Rule 420.
17. By engaging in the conduct described above, Quik Cash is subject to discipline pursuant to 11 Ill. Adm. Code 1800.310(a)(23).

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, Quik Cash's licensed establishment license should be REVOKED. Per Section 17 of the Illinois Gambling Act, Quik Cash's license is SUMMARILY SUSPENDED pending the outcome of this Complaint and any discipline the Board may issue as a result of this Complaint.

Dated: October 6, 2021

Respectfully submitted,



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Illinois Gaming Board

***ISSUED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF  
THE ILLINOIS GAMING BOARD***

**NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

Pursuant to Rule 715 [11 Ill. Adm. Code 1800.715] the Administrator finds facts sufficient to authorize the issuance of a Disciplinary Complaint against Ramennenga, LLC d/b/a Quik Cash Gaming seeking revocation of its license. Pursuant to Section 17 of the Illinois Gambling Act, Quik Cash Gaming's license is SUMMARILY SUSPENDED until there is a final order addressing this discipline.

If you choose to file an Answer, it will not be accepted unless it complies with every requirement listed in Section 720 of the Rules [11 Ill. Adm. Code 1800.720]. If you file an Answer that complies with all requirements under Rule 720, a hearing officer will be appointed to conduct a hearing. Failure to file an Answer within 21 days of receiving this Complaint will result in the proposed disciplinary action becoming effective and final. The Answer shall be mailed to:

Illinois Gaming Board  
Attn: Legal Department  
160 N. LaSalle St., Suite 300  
Chicago, IL 60601

OR

IGB.Legal@IGB.Illinois.Gov

Date: October 6, 2021



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