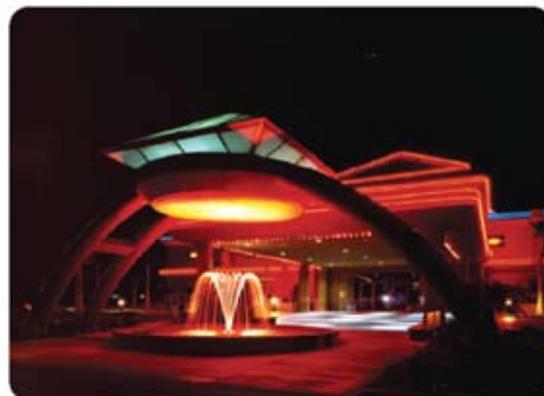


Paradise Casinos Took Advantage of the Latest Advances in CCTV Technology

About Paradise Casinos

These twin casinos, both called "Paradise", are located only 24 feet from each other but in different states – Arizona and California. They are both owned and operated by the Quechan (pronounced kwat' san) Indian Nation and collectively house more than 820 slot machines, 15 table games, bingo, live poker, two bars, and a 24-hour restaurant. The casinos are located on the Fort Yuma Reservation adjacent to Yuma, Arizona and in Winterhaven, California. They share an enviable reputation as the region's leaders in live entertainment and exciting promotions.



The Challenge

The casino management was determined to find surveillance solutions which would ensure that their guests can enjoy their visit in a secure environment. Mr. Melvin Pastores, Surveillance Director stated: **"We previously used an analog video recording system. Now we want to take advantage of the latest advances in technology."**

"Of prime importance is the requirement that any new system has to be easy for our operators to use. Our casinos are very popular and at peak times we need to ensure that our operators can effortlessly control the CCTV system and react appropriately, in real time, to any incidents. Our visitors must feel secure and at ease for them to really enjoy the casino experience," Mr. Pastores said **"We took our time to decide which system to purchase,"** added Mr. Pastores. **"We looked at many different types of systems and suppliers over a two-year period. This is a major long-term investment and we therefore wanted to make sure we were choosing the best option."**

Vigilant's Solution

To answer their needs, the tribe decided to make a substantial investment in the very latest security technology designed and manufactured by Vigilant.

The Arizona-based Paradise Casino is the first of the two to be equipped with a custom built digital video recording system. The system is made up of 13 Vigilant Elite servers which can record and store real-time high-resolution images from 198 cameras located throughout the 30,000 sq ft casino.

Twelve of the Elite units each have a massive 3,200MB of internal RAID-5 storage to allow continuous real time recording at 4CIF while the 13th unit has been equipped with internal and external storage with 6TB storage. Operators in the casino's control room can instantly retrieve recorded video captured by any of the cameras, while continuing to view live images.

"There is no doubt in my mind that the package offered by Vigilant with its secure and unlimited storage capacity, high resolution recording and most importantly a method of operation that is ideal for our operators, will prove to be the correct choice for Paradise Casinos," Mr. Pastores added.

The installation in the Arizona casino was completed in January 2006 and work will start shortly on installing a similar system at the casino in California.

About Vigilant

Vigilant Technology, a BATM Company, is a global leading provider of intelligent IP surveillance and security solutions. The company offers a turn key solution including video servers, DVR/NVRs, intelligent real-time video content analysis and sophisticated, proactive control center solutions. Vigilant has a worldwide customer base and is globally supporting tens of thousands of cameras in airports, governmental sites, financial institutions, correctional facilities, casinos, city centers, and more.

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