

- a first plurality of fans disposed between the plate and the air flow plenum to direct the cooling medium through the first plurality of channels;
- a plurality of heat sinks coupled to the free surface of the airflow plenum, each plurality of heat sinks having a bottom portion and a top portion; and
- a plurality of fans coupled to each of the plurality of heat sinks,
- wherein the cooling medium is directed from the first plurality of channels to the second interior region to flow onto a surface of the plurality of light sources to transfer heat generated from the plurality of light sources.
- 21.** The device of claim **20**, wherein the cooling medium is re-circulated air.
- 22.** The device of claim **20**, wherein the heated cooling medium is directed through the second plurality of channels to the bottom portion of each of the plurality of heat sinks, wherein heat from the heated cooling medium is transferred to an ambient air source that is directed through the top portion of each of plurality of heat sinks by the second plurality of fans.
- 23.** The device of claim **18**, wherein the cooling component further comprises:
- an airflow plenum coupled to the plate, the airflow plenum having a first plurality of channels on a first side and a second plurality of channels on a second side;
 - a first plurality of fans disposed between the plate and the air flow plenum to direct the cooling medium through the first plurality of channels;
 - a plurality of heat sinks coupled to the free surface of the airflow plenum, each plurality of heat sinks having a bottom portion and a top portion; and
 - a plurality of fans coupled to each of the plurality of heat sinks,
- wherein the cooling medium is directed from the first plurality of channels onto a surface of the plate to transfer heat generated from the plurality of light sources.
- 24.** The device of claim **17**, wherein the plurality of light sources are selected from the group consisting of a plurality of cold cathode fluorescent lamps, an array of light emitting diodes, and at least one incandescent lamp.
- 25.** The device of claim **19**, wherein the plurality of light sources further comprises a plurality of redundant light sources in communication with the at least one logic device.
- 26.** The device of claim **17**, wherein the light enclosure is removable from the device without disturbing the optical module.
- 27.** A method for displaying a game of chance on a gaming machine, comprising:
- outputting a first visual image to play a game of chance on a first display device in response to a control signal from a logic device, the first visual image including one or more controllably transparent portions;
 - outputting a second visual image to play the game of chance on a second display device such that a common line of sight passes through a transparent portion of the first display device to a portion of the second display device, the first and second display devices forming an optical module;
 - emitting light from a lighting module to the optical module to view the first and second visual images, the lighting module having a plurality of light sources;
 - flowing a cooling medium through the lighting module to transfer the heat generated from the plurality of light sources; and
 - servicing the lighting module without disturbing the optical module.
- 28.** The method of claim **27**, wherein the cooling medium is selected from the group consisting of an external airflow, a re-circulated airflow, and a liquid cooling medium.
- 29.** The method of claim **27**, further comprising positioning the plurality of light sources between an optical film and a plate.
- 30.** The method of claim **27**, further comprising flowing the cooling medium through a conduit positioned between the plurality of light sources and the plate.
- 31.** The method of claim **27**, further comprising flowing a cooling medium on a surface of the lighting module to transfer heat generated by the plurality of light sources.
- 32.** The method of claim **31**, further comprising directing the cooling medium onto a surface of the plate to transfer the heat generated by the plurality of light sources.
- 33.** The method of claim **27**, further comprising detecting, by a logic device, when one of the plurality of light sources no longer emit light.
- 34.** The method of claim **33**, further comprising transmitting a signal from the logic device to one of a plurality of redundant light sources to emit light.
- 35.** An apparatus to display a game of chance on a gaming machine, comprising:
- a first display to output an image in response to a control signal from a logic device, the first visual image including one or more controllably transparent portions;
 - a second display to output a game of chance, the second display arranged such that a common line of sight passes through a transparent portion of the first display device to a portion of the second display device, the first and second display devices forming an optical module;
 - means for emitting light from a lighting module to the optical module to view the first and second visual images, the lighting module having a plurality of light sources;
 - means for flowing a cooling medium through the lighting module to transfer the heat generated from the plurality of light sources; and
 - means for servicing the lighting module without disturbing the optical module.
- 36.** The apparatus of claim **35**, wherein the cooling medium is selected from the group consisting of an external airflow, a re-circulated airflow, a liquid cooling medium, and a gaseous cooling medium.
- 37.** The apparatus of claim **35**, further comprising means for positioning the plurality of light sources between an optical film and a plate.
- 38.** The apparatus of claim **35**, further comprising means for flowing the cooling medium through a conduit positioned between the plurality of light sources and the plate.
- 39.** The apparatus of claim **35**, further comprising means for flowing a cooling medium on a surface of the lighting module to absorb heat generated by the plurality of light sources.
- 40.** The apparatus of claim **39**, further comprising means for directing the cooling medium onto the plate to absorb the heat generated by the plurality of light sources.
- 41.** The apparatus of claim **35**, further comprising means for detecting, by the logic device, when one of the plurality of light sources no longer emits light.
- 42.** The apparatus of claim **41**, further comprising means for transmitting a signal from the logic device to one of a plurality of redundant light sources to emit light.