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## MEDICATION, SAFETY AND WELFARE COMMITTEE MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the **Medication, Safety and Welfare Committee** of the **California Horse Racing Board** will be held on Wednesday, **February 22, 2017**, commencing at **11:00 a.m.**, in the **Baldwin Terrace Room** at the **Santa Anita Park Race Track, 285 West Huntington Drive, Arcadia, California**. Non-committee Board members attending the committee meeting may not participate in the public discussion, official committee vote, or committee closed session.

The agenda for the Committee meeting will consist of the following matters:

### AGENDA

#### Action Items:

1. Discussion and action regarding a **report on shock wave therapy**.
2. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed amendment to CHRB Rule 1469, Safety of Race Course**, to prohibit an association from using the racing surface, (dirt or turf), for any purpose, other than renovation, maintenance, and training for at least 30 days prior to the start of a race meeting or at least 60 days prior to Breeders Cup Championship events at its race meeting.
3. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed amendment to CHRB Rule 1588, Horse Ineligible to Start in a Race**, to provide that a horse that has not raced for a specified number of consecutive days at a recognized race meeting is ineligible to enter a race until such horse has satisfactorily completed enhanced testing or evaluation and has been declared eligible to start by the Official Veterinarian.
4. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed amendments to CHRB Rules 1689, Safety Helmets Required; and Rule 1689.1, Safety Vest Required**, to require drivers' riding in a jog cart to wear a safety helmet and safety vest.
5. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed amendments to CHRB Rules 1858, Test Sample Required; 1859, Taking, Testing and Reporting of Samples; 1859.25, Split Sample Testing; 1867, Prohibited Veterinary Practices; and the proposed addition of CHRB Rules 1859.1, Out-of-Competition Testing Procedures and Requirements; and 1869, Prohibited Drug Substance in Out-of-Competition Testing**, to incorporate the Association of Racing Commissioners International (ARCI) model rule for out-of-competition testing into the CHRB's rules and regulations.

6. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed addition of CHRB Rule 1868, Authorized Medication During Workouts**, to establish threshold limits for the presence of certain drug substances and medication in official test samples taken from horses after they complete a timed workout.
7. Discussion and action regarding the **proposed amendment to CHRB Rule 1844, Authorized Medication**, to 1) provide that not more than one authorized corticosteroid anti-inflammatory drug substance may be administered to a horse that is entered to race and to; 2) identify the authorized drug substances.
8. **General Business:** Communications, reports, requests for future actions of the Committee.

Additional information regarding this meeting may be obtained from Jacqueline Wagner at the CHRB Administrative Office, 1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825; telephone (916) 263-6000; fax (916) 263-6042. A copy of this notice can be located on the CHRB website at [www.chrb.ca.gov](http://www.chrb.ca.gov). \*Information for requesting disability related accommodation for persons with a disability who require aids or services in order to participate in this public meeting, should contact Jacqueline Wagner.

**MEDICATION, SAFETY AND WELFARE  
COMMITTEE**  
Madeline Auerbach, Chairman  
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Date of Notice: February 9, 2017