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**WATCH AND WAGER LLC – CAL EXPO**  
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Proceedings of the Board of Stewards for the period of Monday, January 15, 2018 through Sunday, January 21, 2018. Steward Jim Arlt was the Reporting and Duty Steward for the enclosed period.

**Monday**

01/15/18 (1) **Dark Day**

**Tuesday**

01/16/18 (1) **Entry Day**

The race office was open today accepting entries for Friday, January 19th, 2018 and Saturday, January 20th, 2018. One hundred and eighty four (184) were entered with one hundred and seventy nine (179) drawing in. There are eleven (11) races scheduled each day with a scheduled post time of 6:10PM.

01/16/18 (2) **Dark Day**

**Wednesday**

01/17/18 (1) **Changes**

The Stewards office was open to take changes for Friday, January 19th with several driver changes and no scratches.

01/17/18 (2) **Dark Day**

**Thursday**

01/18/18 (1) **Changes**

The Stewards office was open to take changes for Saturday, January 20th with several driver changes and no scratches.

01/18/18 (2) **Dark Day**

**Friday**01/19/18 (1) **Qualifying Races**

Entries were taken this morning for qualifiers to be held prior to the regularly scheduled races. Two (2) qualifying races will be held on Saturday at 5:30PM.

01/19/18 (2) **Ruling Written**

[Ref:01/13/18 (5)] **RULING # 8**

DRIVER **STEVE WISEMAN**, WHO DROVE #7 “**COASTAL TREASURE**” IN THE EIGHTH RACE ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 2018 IS HEREBY FINED THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED (**\$100.00**)\* DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1734 (D) (WHIPPING – DRIVERS MAY NOT USE THE WHIP MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN SUCCESSION WITHOUT GIVING THE HORSE A CHANCE TO RESPOND.) FIRST OFFENSE IN LAST SIXTY (60) DAYS.

01/19/18 (3) **Friday Night Races**

There were eleven (11) scheduled races for Friday night at Cal Expo with a scheduled post time of 6:20PM.

01/19/18 (4) **Fourth Race/ Disqualification**

There was a placing at the completion of the fourth race as #3, “COWBOY MATHIS”, driven by Nick Roland had violated CHRB Rule #1722 “breaking” in the stretch and was lapped on at the finish by #4 “HOLLA AT UR BOY” driven by Williams Hernandez. “COWBOY MATHIS” was disqualified and placed sixth and “HOLLA AT UR BOY” was placed fifth.

Original order of finish: 6-5-7-1-3-4-2

Official order of finish: 6-5-7-1-4-3-2

01/19/18 (5) **Tenth Race:**

There was a program change for the tenth race with #5 “HARE TO ETERNITY” listed with a claiming price of nine thousand four hundred (\$9,400.00) dollars being changed to not having a claiming price. This change was given to the announcer and to video so the bettors were made aware of this change.

01/19/18 (6) **Program Changes**

None

01/19/18 (7) **Attendance and Handle**

Attendance	162
Live Handle (On Track)	\$30,458
Handle (In State)	\$246,297
<u>Handle (Out of State)</u>	<u>\$362,313</u>
Total Handle	\$639,068

**Saturday**01/20/18 (1) **Qualifying Races**

Two (2) qualifying races were held at 5:30PM on a track rated “Fast.” Ten (10) of the twelve (12) horses that raced were successful in meeting the qualifying standards.

01/20/18 (2) **Saturday Night Races**

There were eleven (11) scheduled races for Saturday night at Cal Expo with a scheduled post time of 6:18PM.

01/20/18 (3) **Seventh Race/ Disqualification**

There was a placing at the completion of the Seventh Race as #10, "REAL ROKNROL", driven by James Lackey had violated CHRB Rule #1721 (j) "Driving Rules" at the top of the stretch and interfered with #9 "CRASH AND BURN" driven by Ryan Grundy by veering out into its path. "REAL ROKNROL" was disqualified and placed tenth and "CRASH AND BURN" was placed ninth.

Original order of finish: 4-1-3-5-2-7-8-6-**10**-9

Official order of finish: 4-1-3-5-2-7-8-6-9-**10**

01/20/18 (4) **Eighth Race**

At the conclusion of the Eighth Race #1 "ALMOST CUT MY HAIR" Driver Nick Roland was advised that he was being fined one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for violation of CHRB Rule #1530 Foot Out of Stirrups; Urge by Contact. More to Follow.

01/20/18 (5) **Eleventh Race/ Disqualification**

There was a placing at the completion of the eleventh race as #3, "NAT-A-KATT", driven by James Lackey had violated CHRB Rule #1722 "Breaking" in the stretch through the wire and was lapped on at the finish by #4 "SPIKEILIKE" driven by Williams Hernandez. "NAT-A-KATT" was disqualified and placed eighth and "SPIKEILIKE" was placed seventh.

Original order of finish: 1-8-6-5-9-2-**3**-4-7

Official order of finish: 1-8-6-5-9-2-4-**3**-7

01/20/18 (6) **Program Changes**

1<sup>st</sup> Race Declaration: #6 "MATTADOR D" – Trainer Williams Hernandez

Refund:\$75.20

Injured – Eduardo De La Cruz DVM

2<sup>nd</sup> Race Declaration: #4 "HIGH BET HANOVER" – Trainer Luke Plano

Refund:\$157.90

Injured – Eduardo De La Cruz DVM

01/20/18 (7) **Attendance and Handle**

Attendance	200
Live Handle (On Track)	\$32,771
Handle (In State)	\$245,640
<u>Handle (Out of State)</u>	<u>\$372,789</u>
Total Handle	\$651,200

**Sunday**01/21/18 (1) **Dark Day**

## W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

**ATTENDANCE REPORT** The full Board of Stewards were in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

### VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Horse</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Vet</u>	<u>Refund</u>
20-Jan	1	6	MATTADOR D	HERNANDEZ	Injured	De La Cruz	\$ 75.20
20-Jan	2	4	HIGH BET HANOVER	PLANO	Injured	De La Cruz	\$157.90

## WATCH AND WAGER LLC – CAL EXPO SUMMARY 2018

	<b>Mon 01/15</b>	<b>Tues 01/16</b>	<b>Wed 01/17</b>	<b>Thurs 01/18</b>	<b>Fri 01/19</b>	<b>Sat 01/20</b>	<b>Sun 01/21</b>	<b>Total Week</b>	<b>Total Meet</b>
<b>Accidents</b>	D	D	D	D	0	0	D	0	0
<b>Cal-Bred Races</b>	A	A	A	A	0	0	A	0	0
<b>Claims</b>	R	R	R	R	1	0	R	1	3
<b>Disqualifications</b>	K	K	K	K	1	2	K	3	4
<b>Inquiries</b>	D	D	D	D	0	0	D	0	5
<b>Refunds</b>	A	A	A	A	0	2	A	2	21
<b>Rulings</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	1	0	Y	1	8

**Stewards Attendance: Stewards Arlt, Newhart and Sheward were in attendance.**

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**Jim Arlt, Steward**

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**Rod Newhart, Steward**

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**Renee Sheward, Steward**