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Proceedings of the Board of Stewards for the period of Monday, April 9, 2018 through Sunday, April 15, 2018. Steward Jim Arlt was the Reporting and Duty Steward for the enclosed period.

Monday

04/09/18 (1) **Dark Day**

Tuesday

04/10/18 (1) **Entry Day**

The race office was open today accepting entries for Friday, April 13th and Saturday, April 14th race cards. One hundred fifty one (151) horses were entered with one hundred forty five (145) drawing in. There are ten (10) races each day with a scheduled post time of 6:40 PM.

04/10/18 (2) **Dark Day**

Wednesday

04/11/18 (1) **Changes**

The Stewards' office was open to take changes for Friday, April 13th with several driver changes and no scratches.

04/11/18 (2) **Dark Day**

Thursday

04/12/18 (1) **Changes**

The Stewards' office was open to take changes for Saturday, April 14th with several driver changes and one scratch.

“AWESUM WORLD” Injured – Trainer George Reider – Dr. Lane Schloeder.

04/12/18 (2) **Dark Day**

Friday

- 04/13/18 (1) **Qualifying Race Entries**
The race office was open this morning accepting entries for qualifying races to be conducted at 6:15PM before the pari-mutuel race card. The resultant qualifying sheet showed five (5) horses competing in one (1) race.
- 04/13/18 (2) **Waiver of Appearance**
Driver Williams Hernandez came into the Cal Expo Stewards office to sign a Waiver of Appearance to waive his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards and accept the penalty assessed in reference to 18SW0014. More to Follow.
- 04/13/18 (3) **Qualifiers**
One (1) qualifying race was held prior to the regularly scheduled races at 6:15PM. Five (5) horses went postward on a track rated "fast." Four (4) of the five (5) horses met the qualifying time.
- 04/13/18 (4) **First Race/ Claim**
#7 "HOLLA AT UR BOY" Trainer Steve Nichols was claimed by Owner/Trainer Terry Kaufman Sacramento, CA.
- 04/13/18 (5) **Second Race/ Claim**
#3 "LINCOLN" Trainer Liberio Pacheco was claimed by Owner/Trainer Robin Clements Wilton, CA.
- 04/13/18 (6) **Program Changes**
7th Race Declaration #5 "SPIKEILIKE" – Trainer Williams Hernandez
Refund:\$59.99 Injured – Eduardo De La Cruz DVM
- 04/13/18 (7) **Attendance and Handle**
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| Attendance | 164 |
| Live Handle (On Track) | \$23,313 |
| Handle (In State) | \$269 897 |
| Handle (Out of State) | \$411,996 |
| Total Handle | \$705,206 |

Saturday

- 04/14/18 (1) **Kennedy Request**
Driver James Kennedy contacted the Stewards to advise that he had a family emergency and requested that he be allowed to have the night off. This request was granted and necessitated driver changes in each of tonight's races. These changes are listed under program changes.
- 04/14/18 (2) **Hernandez Ruling Ref: 04/13/18 (2)**
After reviewing the complaint information pertaining to California Horse Racing Board complaint #18SW0014 the Stewards issued the following ruling.

RULING # 31

AFTER SIGNING THE WAIVER OF HIS RIGHT TO A HEARING
BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, TRAINER WILLIAMS

HERNANDEZ, WHO STARTED “NAT-A-KATT” IN THE TWELFTH RACE ON FEBRUARY 3, 2018 AT WATCH & WAGER CAL EXPO (SACRAMENTO, CA) IS HEREBY FINED THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED (**\$500.00**)* DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1843 (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES), #1843.1(b) (PROHIBITED DRUG SUBSTANCES), #1844(f)(9) (AUTHORIZED MEDICATION), PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE). BLOOD SAMPLE CE28250 WAS OBTAINED AND SUBMITTED TO THE UC DAVIS MADDY LABORATORY (OFFICIAL TESTING LABORATORIES OF THE CHRB) FOR TESTING. THE OFFICIAL TEST RESULTS SHOWED THE PRESENCE OF METHOCARBAMOL AT A LEVEL (CLASS 4, PENALTY CLASS C) (21.0 ng/mL). IN EXCESS OF THE ALLOWABLE LEVEL OF 1.0 ng/mL A VIOLATION OF CHRB RULE #1843.

04/14/18 (3) **Waiver of Appearance and Ruling**

Trainer/Owner James Wilkinson came into the Cal Expo Stewards office to sign a Waiver of Appearance to waive his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards and accept the penalty assessed in reference to 18SW0016. After a review of the complaint the Stewards issued the following ruling.

RULING # 32

AFTER SIGNING THE WAIVER OF HIS RIGHT TO A HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, TRAINER/OWNER **JAMES WILKINSON**, WAS ARRESTED BY THE CALIFORNIA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE ON MARCH 3, 2018 AT APPROXIMATELY 11:00PM. **WILKINSON** WAS DRIVING HIS VEHICLE ON THE BACKSTRETCH WHEN HE STRUCK AND TOOK OUT APPROXIMATELY FIFTY FOUR (54) FEET OF FENCE BETWEEN BARN A AND THE HORSEMEN’S TRAILER PARK. **WILKINSON** THEN DROVE AWAY FROM THE SCENE TO HIS BARN G. PRELIMINARY ALCOHOL SCREENING TEST INDICATED **WILKINSON** HAD A BLOOD ALCOHOL CONTENT OF .149.

TRAINER/OWNER **JAMES WILKINSON** IS IN VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1874 (DISORDERLY CONDUCT) & 1530 (CASES NOT COVERED BY RULES AND REGULATIONS) AND CALIFORNIA STATE STATUTE (23152(a)) DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE, AND IS HEREBY FINED THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED (**\$500.00**) DOLLARS. ALL LICENSES WILL BE IN A PROBATIONARY STATUS FOR THE DURATION OF HIS CURRENT LICENSES TIME PERIOD.

04/14/18 (4) **Waiver of Appearance and Ruling**

Trainer/Owner Liberio Pacheco came into the Cal Expo Stewards office to sign a Waiver of Appearance to waive his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards and accept the penalty assessed in reference to 18SW0013. After a review of the complaint the Stewards issued the following ruling.

RULING # 33

AFTER SIGNING THE WAIVER OF HIS RIGHT TO A HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, TRAINER **LIBERIO PACHECO**, WHO STARTED “**BETTOR LADY**” IN THE ELEVENTH RACE ON FEBRUARY 2, 2018 AT WATCH & WAGER CAL EXPO (SACRAMENTO, CA) IS HEREBY FINED THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED (**\$500.00**)* DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #**1843** (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES), #**1843.1(b)** (PROHIBITED DRUG SUBSTANCES), #**1844(c)(1)** (AUTHORIZED MEDICATION), PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #**1887** (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE). BLOOD SAMPLE CE28230 WAS OBTAINED AND SUBMITTED TO THE UC DAVIS MADDY LABORATORY (OFFICIAL TESTING LABORATORIES OF THE CHRB) FOR TESTING. THE OFFICIAL TEST RESULTS SHOWED THE PRESENCE OF PHENYL BUTAZONE AT A LEVEL (CLASS 4, PENALTY CLASS C) (5.730 mg/mL). IN EXCESS OF THE ALLOWABLE LEVEL OF 2.0 mg/mL A VIOLATION OF CHRB RULE #**1843**.

04/14/18 (5) **Race Day**

Ten (10) races were contested tonight over a track rated “fast” with a 6:40PM scheduled post time.

04/14/18 (6) **Program Changes**

6th Race Declaration: #6 “WEST FOR GOLD” – Trainer Edwin Quevedo

Refund:\$53.49 Injured – Eduardo De La Cruz DVM

1st Race Driver Change: #6 “GET DOWN TONIGHT” - Driver Change to Tony Succarotte

2nd Race Driver Change: #2 “WINDSUN GALAXIE” - Driver Change to Williams Hernandez

3rd Race Driver Change: #4 “MAJOR JESSE” - Driver Change to Williams Hernandez

4th Race Driver Change: #5 “THE EVICTOR” - Driver Change to Tony Succarotte

5th Race Driver Change: #7 “DELIGHTFULLY WILD Driver Change to James Lackey

6th Race Driver Change: #8 “CRASH AND BURN” - Driver Change to Ryan Grundy

7th Race Driver Change: #2 “PRODIGAL” - Driver Change to Terry Kaufman

8th Race Driver Change: #9 “ALONG CAME JANE” - Driver Change to Williams Hernandez

9th Race Driver Change: #7 “I’M AN ATHLETE”-Driver Change to G. Longo

10th Race Driver Change: #2 “RICHELLU COWBOY” - Driver Change to Lemoyne Svendsen

04/14/18 (7) **Attendance and Handle**

Attendance	248
Live Handle (On Track)	\$34,977
Handle (In State)	\$244,478
<u>Handle (Out of State)</u>	<u>\$419,651</u>
Total Handle	\$699,106

Sunday04/15/18 (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

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
13-Apr	7	5	SPIKEILIKE	HERNANDEZ	Injured	De La Cruz	\$ 59.99
14-Apr	6	6	WEST FOR GOLD	QUEVEDO	Injured	De La Cruz	\$ 53.49

**WATCH AND WAGER LLC – CAL EXPO
SUMMARY
2018**

	Mon 04/09	Tues 04/10	Wed 04/11	Thurs 04/12	Fri 04/13	Sat 04/14	Sun 04/15	Total Week	Total Meet
Accidents	D	D	D	D	0	0	D	0	1
Cal-Bred Races	A	A	A	A	0	0	A	0	0
Claims	R	R	R	R	2	0	R	2	11
Disqualifications	K	K	K	K	0	0	K	0	11
Inquiries	D	D	D	D	0	0	D	0	37
Refunds	A	A	A	A	1	1	A	2	53
Rulings	Y	Y	Y	Y	0	3	Y	3	33

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

Jim Arlt, Steward

Rod Newhart, Steward

Renee Sheward, Steward