

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**  
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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS**  
**DEL MAR THOROUGHBRED CLUB**  
**TO THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**

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**Week 8: Sunday, September 2, 2012, through Saturday, September 5, 2012.**

**SUNDAY**  
09/02/12<sup>1</sup>

**PROTEST HEARING (ref. 08/03/12<sup>3</sup> and 08/22/12<sup>2</sup>)**

The following ruling was issued after racing manager Steve Rothblum, who represented Fortuna Racing, was informed of the Stewards unanimous decision stated in the ruling below.

**DMTD #051**

The protest filed by Racing Manager **STEPHEN ROTHBLUM** on behalf of owner Fortuna Ranch Racing regarding the claim of the three year old filly "Elivette" from the eighth race on August 3, 2012 at Del Mar Race Track is denied. Pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1658 (Vesting of Title Claimed Horse), the aforementioned claim is valid.

09/02/12<sup>2</sup>

**BARRY RULING**

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Barry met with the Stewards. He confirmed he did not pull up the horse he was working when the warning lights and siren were turned on after an accident had occurred on the track.

**DMTD #052**

Exercise rider **PETER BARRY** is fined **ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1437 (Conditions of a Race Meeting-working a horse while accident warning system was in use).

09/02/12<sup>3</sup>

**GOOD RACING**

The eleven race program finished at sunset with only the changes listed below.

09/02/12<sup>4</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> race - #2 Here Comes Bonnie (Tr. J. Cassidy) claimed by Tr. N. French  
 #4 Dynamic Diva (Tr. P. Eurton) claimed by Tr. E. Mode  
 #7 Hidden Passion (Tr. D. Hofmans) Steward-ownership  
 #9 Babyneedsnewshoes (Tr. B. Spawr) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Stead  
 Refund \$2,589.58

2<sup>nd</sup> race - #8 Nonsense (Tr. P. Aguirre) claimed by Tr. J. Bonde  
 #10 Capture the Call (Tr. V. Belvoir) claimed by Tr. L. Mikus

3<sup>rd</sup> race - No Changes  
 4<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes  
 5<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes  
 6<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$10.00  
 7<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$16.03  
 8<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$374.20  
 9<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$97.40  
 10<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$5.90  
 11<sup>th</sup> race - #6 Warren's Today (Tr. J. Gutierrez) DNF ambulance removed (turf)  
 Refund \$15.50

09/02/12<sup>5</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	18,701	\$3,028,982.20
Off Track	9,701	\$4,494,864.90
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	n/a	n/a
Out -of-State	n/a	\$8,779,632.28
Total	28,611	\$16,303,479.38

**MONDAY**

09/03/12<sup>1</sup>

**FILM REVIEW**

Mike Smith met with the Stewards to review the ninth race. Mr. Smith was warned; near the quarter pole he shaved a horse to his inside. He acknowledged our opinion.

09/03/12<sup>2</sup>

**SMITH RULING**

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Smith met with the Stewards to discuss his ride in the sixth race. He admitted he made a mistake and will be more aware in the future. Mr. Smith stated he was so wide he misjudged the wire.

**DMTD #053**

Jockey **MIKE SMITH** is fined **THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule # 1692 (Requirements for Horse, Trainer and Jockey-failure to ride his mount out until the finish line is passed) while aboard "Uno Dos Adios" in the sixth race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on September 2, 2012.

09/03/12<sup>3</sup>

**BLUE RULING (ref. 08/25/12<sup>1</sup>)**

The following ruling was issued after Dr. Blue took full responsibility for treating trainer Hector Palma's entered horse with phenylbutazone causing a late declaration.

**DMTD #054**

Dr. **MELINDA BLUE DVM** is fined **FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1844(c)(Authorized Medication-more than one administration of an approved drug substance-Phenylbutazone) and #1629(Penalty for Late Declaration) on August 7, 2012, which resulted in a late declaration of "Sea of Desire" from the fifth race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on August 8, 2012.

09/03/12<sup>4</sup>

**HEADLEY RULING (ref. 08/29/12<sup>3</sup>)**

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Headley's attorney Robert Forgnone was informed of the penalty.

**DMTD #055**

Trainer **GUSTAV "Gus" HEADLEY** is fined **THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule # 1930(Obedience to Security Officers and Public Safety Officers) on July 31, 2012.

09/03/12<sup>5</sup>

**MORAN RULING (ref. 08/25/12<sup>2</sup>)**

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Moran was informed of the penalty. It was the Stewards' opinion that Mr. Moran's horse was in poor condition, but not worthy of a penalty under CHRB rule 1902.5 (Animal Welfare).

**DMTD #056**

Trainer **SHANE MORAN** is fined **FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule # 1887(Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse).

09/03/12<sup>6</sup>

**MORAN DISMISSAL**

Case # 12HP0059 was dismissed. The Board of Stewards agreed the owner was not guilty of the alleged rule violation (1902.5 Animal Welfare) filed by the CHRB.

09/03/12<sup>7</sup>

**LABOR DAY AFTERNOON**

Again the eleven race card was performed without notable mishap except for the changes listed below.

09/03/12<sup>8</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> race - #2 Accelerant (Tr. R.B. Hess) claimed by Tr. D. Warren

#3 Unstopper Topper (Tr. J. Carava) claimed by B. Spawr

Refund \$114.00

2<sup>nd</sup> race - #3 Lovely Sophia (Tr. P. Eurton) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande

#7 Nana Beach (Tr. B. Abrams) A. Bisono replaced J. Hernandez (2<sup>nd</sup> call)

Refund \$539.80

3<sup>rd</sup> race - #6 Ransom Canyon (Tr. T. Procter) ambulance removed (turf)

4<sup>th</sup> race - No Changes; Refund \$9.00

5<sup>th</sup> race - #2 Tiz a Minister (Tr. P. Aguirre) K. Krigger replaced I. Puglisi (DJF)  
 #3 U'narack (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) J. Hernandez replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$29.00

6<sup>th</sup> race - #4 Shrilanka (Tr. R. Mandella) A. Gryder replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$635.28

7<sup>th</sup> race - #1 Little Jack (Tr. T. McCanna) D. Flores replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$178.00

8<sup>th</sup> race - #5 Guidopanzini (Tr. P. Miller) M. Pedroza replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$389.00

9<sup>TH</sup> Race - #3 City to City (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) M. Smith replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 #9 All Star Heart (Tr. R. McAnally) Steward- stake  
 Refund \$3,882.24

10<sup>th</sup> race - #11 Fly to Freedom (Tr. P. Miller) J. Hernandez replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$76.10

11<sup>th</sup> race - #3 A.K.A. Xe (Tr. K. Mulhall) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande  
 #5 Never Shea Never (Tr. C. Harvey) claimed by Tr. M. Pearson  
 #10 Hout Bay (Tr. J. Carava) claimed by Tr. D. Hendricks  
 Refund \$1,585.26

09/03/12<sup>9</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	12,223	\$2,169,970.20
Off Track	9,370	\$4,464,155.70
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	n/a	n/a
Out -of-State	n/a	\$7,705,359.59
Total	21,593	\$14,339,485.49

**WEDNESDAY**

09/05/12<sup>1</sup>

**DEL MAR AND HOLLYWOOD PARK SECURITY RULINGS**

The following rulings were issued after receiving copies of the security violation notices from the two security departments.

**DMTD #057**

Groom **DOLORES MOLINA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-no validation).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #058**

Exercise rider **ARTURO RUIZ** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #059**

Exercise rider **JOSE BECA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #060**

Groom **OSCAR HERNANDEZ** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-removal of traffic cones).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #061**

Owner **ANTONIO URBINA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #062**

Groom **SERGIO FERNANDEZ** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #063**

Association employee **JESUS RODRIGUEZ** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #064**

Groom **EFRAIN SORIANO** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #065**

Stable foreman **JESUS OSPINA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-no validation).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #066**

Groom **ABRAHAM MEZA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-urinating in public while intoxicated).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #067**

Groom **JULIO SOSA** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #068**

Stable foreman **MARIA PEREZ** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #069**

Assistant trainer **JESUS MARQUEZ** is fined **TWENTY DOLLARS (\$20.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #070**

Exercise rider **FELIPE GUERRERO** is fined **TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations-parking).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #071**

Groom **MARBIN HERRARTE** is fined **TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1928 (Fire Regulations-tampering with smoke detector).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #072**

Groom **ALEXANDER ALVAREZ** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1928 (Fire Regulations-tampering with smoke detector).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #073**

**HILARIO HERRERA** is fined **TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1928 (Fire Regulations-tampering with smoke detector).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #074**

Groom **ISAURO ORANTES** is fined **TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1928 (Fire Regulations-tampering with smoke detector).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #075**

Exercise rider **ANTONIO BARRAGAN** is fined **TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1928 (Fire Regulations-tampering with smoke detector).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #076**

Groom **HERNAN GARCIA** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-fighting).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #077**

Groom **FERNANDO ORANTES QUEVEDO** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1876 (Disorderly Conduct-fighting).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #078**

Groom **ARMANOD GARCIA** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-fighting while intoxicated).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #079**

Stable foreman **TITO JIMINEZ** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-fighting while intoxicated).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #080**

Pony rider **WILVER ORANTES** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-intoxicated).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #081**

Groom **GERBER CAMILO HERNANDEZ QUEVEDO** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct-intoxicated).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #082**

Groom **WALTER NAVAS** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1989(1) (Removal or Denial of Access-chasing a person through barn area).

FINE PAID

**DMTD #083**

Exercise rider **JACINTO MUNOZ** is fined **FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)** for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1874(Disorderly Conduct-fighting).

FINE PAID

09/05/12<sup>2</sup>

**CAL-BRED REPORT**

Seven cal-bred races were used during this reporting period.

09/05/12<sup>3</sup>

**CLOSING DAY DEL MAR**

The ten-race program was completed without notable mishaps. The changes are listed below.

09/05/12<sup>4</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> race - #1 Adriatic Moon (Tr. M. Glatt) claimed by Tr. M. Pederson  
#2 Da Ruler (Tr. B. Baffert) Veterinarian-unsound post parade-Dr. Stead  
#3 Arabian Storm (J. K. Desormeaux) claimed by Tr. S. Knapp  
#10 Hombre Hughes (Tr. P. Miller) claimed by G. Lopez  
#11 Gold Medallion (Tr. R. Diodoro) claimed by Tr. V. Fernandez  
Refund \$142,893.44
- 2<sup>nd</sup> race - #4 Saint Leo (Tr. G. Papaprodromou) Veterinarian-unsound-Dr. Grande  
#13 Key Reversal (Tr. C. Gaines) claimed by Tr. J. Sadler  
Refund \$1,521.50
- 3<sup>rd</sup> race - #9 Top Debutante (Tr. R.C. Owens) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande  
Refund \$1,205.40
- 4<sup>th</sup> race - #3 Global Warming (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Stead  
#8 Boller Bomb (Tr. A.C. Avila) A. Quinonez replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
Refund \$43,420.89
- 5<sup>th</sup> race - #1 Caught Napping (GB) (Tr. M. Mitchell) J. Leparoux replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
#9 Zeewat (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) Steward-stake  
Refund \$618.70
- 6<sup>th</sup> race - #8 Comma to the Top (Tr. P. Miller) M. Pedroza replaced C. Nakatani (injured) Refund \$15.60
- 7<sup>th</sup> race - #5 Half Dome Dude (trP. Miller) claimed by Tr. J. Sadler  
#8 Palio Prince (Tr. B. Spawr) claimed by Tr. C. Autrey  
#9 Southern Style (Tr. P. Miller) D. Flores replaced C. Nakatani (injured)

Refund \$152.00  
 8<sup>th</sup> race - #4 Yankee Rebel (Tr. R.B. Hess) Veterinarian-injured starting gate-Dr. Stead  
 #11 Scherer Magic (Tr. J. Sadler) M. Pedroza replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$70,557.24  
 9<sup>th</sup> Race - #3 Stanwyck (Tr. J. Shirreffs) M. Smith replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 #8 Special Charm (IRE) P. Valenzuela replaced V. Espinoza (sick)  
 Refund \$1,518.09  
 10<sup>th</sup> race - #2 Te Rapa (Tr. H. Zucker) C. Sutherland replaced V. Espinoza (sick)  
 #8 Mindblower (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) M. Pedroza replaced C. Nakatani (injured)  
 Refund \$1,286.37

09/05/12<sup>5</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	12,776	\$2,630,465.70
Off Track	7,599	\$3,021,182.80
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	n/a	n/a
Out –of-State	n/a	\$8,858,407.09
Total	20,375	\$14,510,055.59

**WEEKLY SUMMARY**

**ATTENDANCE REPORT** – Except as noted, the full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

**SUMMARY**

	Sun 09/02	Mon 09/03	Wed 09/05	Week	Meet
Inquiries	0	0	0	0	22
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	3
Rulings	2	4	26	32	83
Refunds	2	3	5	10	176
Accidents	0	0	0	0	4
Claims	5	4	8	17	262
Cal-Bred Races	1	4	2	7	56

**VETERINARIAN REPORT** – WEEK OF 08/20/12-08/26/12

Horses on Vet List 16  
 Horses off Vet List 10  
 Shock Wave Therapy 14  
 Deceased 1  
 Medication 5

Respectfully submitted,

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Kim Sawyer, Steward

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C. Scott Chaney, Steward

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Tom Ward, Steward

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Luis Jauregui, Safety Steward