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Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards

To the California Horse Racing Board

- Honorable Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor
- Honorable Keith Brackpool, Chairman
- Honorable David Israel, Vice Chairman
- Honorable Jesse H. Choper, Member
- Honorable Bo Derek, Member
- Honorable John C. Harris, Member
- Honorable Jerome S. Moss, Member
- Honorable Richard A. Rosenberg, Member
- Kirk E. Breed, Executive Director

Report for the period Sunday, March 20, 2011 through Saturday, March 26, 2011.

Sunday

03-20-11¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for three year old maidens, claiming price \$12,500, six furlongs, was used with seven entries.

03-20-11² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

3 rd race:	#2 LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY (Tr. Mark Glatt)	medication
	Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 375.00

With the above declaration, the field was reduced to four and in compliance with CHRB rule 1954 (Pari-mutuel Pools) show wagering was cancelled. The additional refund totaled \$10.00.

5 th race:	#9 NAT THE BRAT (Tr. Eddie Trujillo)	no lasix
	Stewards	REFUND: \$ 124.90

6 th race:	#2 CAN'T TOPPER (Tr. Steve Miyadi)	unsound
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND: \$36,747.41

9 th race:	#2 SNOWBOUND SAILOR (Tr. Ed Moger, Jr.)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 169.40

03-20-11³ **RULING NO. 42 – JUAREGUI** (11GG004)

Trainer **OSBALDO G. JUAREGUI**, who worked the horse **SPARKS FLYING** on January 2, 2011 for removal from the Veterinarian List, is fined the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1866 (Veterinarian's List) and #1844 (c) (1) (Authorized Medication –

Phenylbutazone – in excess of permitted level – 8.71 ug/ml [Class 4]).

The foregoing ruling was issued following the informal hearing held on March 17, 2011.

During that hearing Mr. Jauregui accepted responsibility for what he assumes was a feed tub mix up at his barn, as he had no intention to treat this horse prior to the workout for removal from the Vet's List.

03-20-11⁴ **INQUIRY – Second Race – NO CHANGE**

The stewards posted the inquiry sign following the second race for a review of the start.

The tapes show #1 WARRENS HIGHROLLER (Jesus Velazquez) ducked in sharply soon after the start and caused his own problem.

03-20-11⁵ **OBJECTION – Third Race – NO CHANGE**

The stewards posted the objection sign following the third race at the request of jockey Julien Couton who finished second on #4 FINAL JOURNEY, who claimed foul against #5 SKIPPY DUE (Aaron Gryder), third.

When Mr. Couton was advised that he actually beat the horse at the wire that he claimed foul against, he withdrew his complaint.

The review of the tapes revealed nothing that would have warranted a disqualification had #5 SKIPPY DUE beaten #4 FINAL JOURNEY.

03-20-11⁶ **OBJECTION – Fourth Race – NO CHANGE**

The stewards posted the objection sign following the fourth race at the request of trainer Bruce Dillenbeck and jockey Diego Sanchez, alleging #1 MAJESTIC AMERICAN (Julien Couton), third, interfered with their horse #2 ANDREW'S TURN, who finished fifth.

After interviewing the riders involved, the patrol judges and reviewing the tapes of the race, the stewards decided unanimously to disallow the claim of foul.

The tapes show #2 ANDREW'S TURN does alter course behind #1 MAJESTIC AMERICAN in the stretch; however, the latter was clear at that point and no interference occurred.

03-20-11⁷ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	3,323	\$	552,456.50
NCOT	2,790	\$	934,321.80
SCOT		\$	403,084.20
Out of State		\$	<u>764,728.15</u>
TOTAL	6,113	\$	2,654,590.65

Wednesday

03-23-11 **DARK DAY**

Steward Darrel McHargue was in attendance on this non-racing day to handle entries for Saturday, March 26, 2011 and scratches for tomorrow, March 24.

Thursday

03-24-11¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for maidens, four years old and older, claiming price \$18,000 - \$20,000, five furlongs, failed to fill.

03-24-11² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**
 5th race: #7 STARCAST (Tr. Art Riesgo) injured
 Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 210.22
 6th race: #7 A LIL DUMAANI (Tr. Steve Miyadi) injured
 Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 373.12

03-24-11³ **RIVERA HEARING** (11GG0015) (Refer: 02-17-11⁴)
 Owner/Exercise Rider **Arcadio Camacho Rivera** appeared in response to a complaint filed against him alleging violation of the terms of his probation. Mr. Rivera was removed from the Golden Gate Fields grandstand on December 2, 2010, by security for being intoxicated. Mr. Rivera acknowledged he was intoxicated on that date and indicated he wanted to waive a hearing. He stated he was willing to enter an in-house rehabilitation program to address his drinking problem. CHRB investigator Gabe Palomar and Winners Foundation representative Armando Calero were present and all agreed Mr. Rivera needs help. The terms and conditions of the ruling were explained to Mr. Rivera and he indicated he was willing to abide by our decision. Ruling to follow.

03-24-11⁴ **RULING NO. 43 – GLATT**
 Trainer **MARK GLATT** is fined the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration) for treatment of an unauthorized medication for the horse LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY, necessitating a late declaration from the third race on Sunday, March 20, 2011; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1698 (Failure to Start and Run).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Glatt notified the stewards after scratch time that his horse LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY was treated with Clenbuterol on March 13, 2011, four days prior to entry for a race to be run on March 20, 2011. Mr. Glatt is concerned the medication may not have cleared the horse's system to get within the allowable threshold level and requested the horse be scratched. The veteran trainer was advised we would scratch the horse and a penalty would be forthcoming.

03-24-11⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	755	\$	191,137.70
NCOT	1,784	\$	531,874.20
SCOT		\$	313,906.40
Out of State		\$	905,647.11
TOTAL	2,539	\$	1,942,565.41

Friday

03-25-11¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**
 The Cal-bred race for maiden fillies and mares, four years old and older, claiming price \$18,000 - \$20,000, five furlongs, was used open with seven entries.

03-25-11² **RULING NO. 44 – TRUJILLO**
 Trainer **EDDIE TRUJILLO** is fined the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declarations) for failure to have the horse NAT THE BRAT treated with lasix in a timely fashion necessitating a late

declaration in the fifth race on Sunday, March 20, 2011; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1845 (Authorized Bleeder Medication).

The foregoing ruling was issued after the stewards spoke telephonically with Mr. Trujillo regarding his failure to ship his horse NAT THE BRAT from Pleasanton, necessitating a late declaration on March 20, 2011.

Mr. Trujillo indicated he intended to request a scratch for the horse, had a vet (Dr. Grantham) contact the receiving barn, but admits he failed to formally submit a scratch card, or request a scratch be submitted on his behalf.

Mr. Trujillo was advised a penalty would be forthcoming.

03-25-11³ **RULING NO. 45 – RIVERA** (11GG0015)

Owner/Exercise Rider **ARCADIO CAMACHO RIVERA** is hereby suspended thirty (30) days, March 26, 2011 through April 24, 2011 and placed on probation through the term of his license (5-31-2013) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rules #1485 (License Subject to Conditions and Agreements) and #1900 (Grounds for Suspension or Revocation) for violation of CHRB rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct – Intoxication) on December 2, 2010.

Prior to the re-instatement of his license privileges Rivera must show proof of completion of an in-house rehabilitation program acceptable to the Board of Stewards. Terms of probation include adherence to a signed testing agreement with the California Horse Racing Board and abiding by the terms of a signed contract with the Winners Foundation.

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of ARCADIO CAMACHO RIVERA are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

The above ruling was issued following the informal hearing held on March 24, 2011.

03-25-11⁴ **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

4 th race:	#3 MY T TRUCK	(Tr. Greg James)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 488.20
	#7 STU'S GONE WILD	(Tr. Matt Chew)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 226.24

03-25-11⁵ **RIDER OFF**

Apprentice jockey **Alfredo Soto** was removed from his two mounts today as the young rider indicated he could not do his assigned weight.

Mr. Soto was advised a penalty would be forthcoming.

03-25-11⁶ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	978	\$	242,986.80
NCOT	2,185	\$	626,630.20
SCOT		\$	319,022.40
Out of State		\$	734,038.65
TOTAL	3,163	\$	1,922,678.05

Saturday

03-26-11¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for fillies and mares, four years old and older, claiming price \$5,000, one mile, was used open with six entries.

03-26-11² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

1st race: #2 BIRDSTONE GIRL (Tr. Genaro Vallejo) sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 925.04

5th race: #4 MARKAY CREEK (Tr. Rene Amescua) sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 280.80

6th race: #1 MY CHARMING CHANCE (Tr. Frances Henderson) sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 91.60

03-26-11³ **RULING NO. 46 – FREY**

Exercise Rider/Valet **JAY FREY** is fined fifty dollars (\$50.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered) for being late to the saddling paddock for the second race on Sunday, March 20, 2011 at Golden Gate Fields.

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Frey met with the stewards as directed and apologized for being late to the paddock for his saddling duties on two occasions on Friday, March 25, 2011.

Mr. Frey was advised to be more attentive and any further lapses would be more expensive.

03-26-11⁴ **RULING NO. 47 – SOTO**

Apprentice Jockey **ALFREDO SOTO** is hereby fined the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for failure to make his assigned weight on Friday, March 25, 2011; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1683 (Maximum Overweight).

The foregoing ruling was issued following an informal hearing held on March 25, 2011.

03-26-11⁵ **RULING NO. 48 – CEDILLO**

Apprentice Jockey **ABEL CEDILLO**, who rode **MAJESTIC AFLEET** in the sixth race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, March 25, 2011, is suspended five (5) racing days (April 2, 3, 7, 8, and 9, 2011) for altering course without sufficient clearance entering the stretch and causing interference; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – careless riding).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Cedillo, his agent Roger Olquin and the stewards reviewed the tapes of the sixth race from Friday, February 25, 2011. Mr. Cedillo and Mr. Olquin concurred that the young rider was careless in making a move without clearance. All present agreed that the young rider needs to show more patience when sitting on a horse with a lot of run left.

03-26-11⁶ **FORMAL HEARING** (10GG0224)

Alexander Sywak, Trainer – Alfonso Coyt, Owner – Jesus Coyt, Owner

A formal hearing was held to address a clenbuterol positive (7.9 ug/ml) reported on the horse DON'TBLOCKTHESHOT, who finished third in the eighth race on November 13, 2010.

Present, in addition to the stewards, were Mr. Sywak, Mr. A. Coyt and Mr. J. Coyt, who were not represented by counsel. Senior CHRB investigator Gabe Palomar presented the case and C.S.R. Christine Niccoli recorded the proceedings. Camillo Lopez acted as an interpreter for Alfonso Coyt.

According to the testimony given under oath all three individuals involved presented the scenario that Mr. Alfonso Coyt purchased a syringe from an unknown person, loaded with an unknown substance while attending match races in Los Banos, California. He admitted treating DON'TBLOCKTHESHOT at the ranch (Salinas, CA) with the unknown substance three or four days before the race (11-13-10).

The horse was then shipped into Mr. Sywak's barn at the Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, CA on the day before the race (11-12-10). After all testimonial and documentary evidence was presented the hearing was closed.

03-26-11 ⁷	ATTENDANCE & HANDLE		
	GGF	2,369	\$ 526,985.00
	NCOT	3,386	\$1,131,133.60
	SCOT		\$ 646,661.60
	Out of State		\$ 919,073.85
	TOTAL	5,755	\$3,223,854.05

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
20-Mar	3	2	LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY	Glatt	medication	Isbell	\$375.00
	5	9	NAT THE BRAT	Trujillo	no lasix	Isbell	\$124.90
	6	2	CAN'T TOPPER	Miyadi	unsound	Sporer	\$36,747.41
	9	2	SNOWBOUND SAILOR	Moger	injured	Isbell	\$169.40
24-Mar	5	7	STARCAST	Riesgo	injured	Isbell	\$210.22
	6	7	LIL DUMAANI	Miyadi	injured	Isbell	\$373.12
25-Mar	4	3	MY T TRUCK	James	injured	Isbell	\$488.20
		7	STU'S GONE WILD	Chew	injured	Isbell	\$226.24
26-Mar	1	2	BIRDSTONE GIRL	Vallejo	sick	Sporer	\$925.04
	5	4	MARKAY CREEK	Amescua	sick	Sporer	\$280.80
	6	1	MY CHARMING CHANCE	Henderson	sick	Sporer	\$91.60

VETERINARY REPORT

Euthanized / Died

03-20-11 Roman Lady (Tr. Morey, Jr.) right front comminuted sesamoids fracture; Tapeta - training

Veterinarian's List

There were thirteen (13) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 4
 Injured: 5
 Unsound: 2
 Bled: 1
 Medication: 1

There were ten (10) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 4
 Injured: 3
 Unsound: 1
 Medication: 2

Shockwave Therapy: There were no shockwave therapy treatments reported.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	117	\$23,822.00
Bakersfield	449	\$106,135.90
Fresno	360	\$91,892.70
Fresno Club One	94	\$49,857.30
Monterey	343	\$110,528.60
Pleasanton	1555	\$581,877.20
Sacramento	1083	\$349,404.50
San Jose	1645	\$472,477.30
San Mateo	2843	\$1,054,037.90
Santa Rosa	727	\$150,377.50
Stockton	881	\$234,981.30
Tulare	225	\$49,162.20
Turlock	387	\$123,872.80
Vallejo	727	\$240,783.90
So. California		\$1,682,674.60
Out of State		\$3,324,331.36

	20- Mar	24- Mar	25- Mar	26- Mar	WEEK	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	7
CAL-BRED RACES	1	0	0	0	1	4
CLAIMS	2	1	2	0	5	84
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	4
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	3	0	0	0	3	25
REFUNDS	4	2	2	3	11	155
RULINGS	1	1	2	3	7	48