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Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards

To the California Horse Racing Board

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Report for the period Wednesday, April 8, 2015 through Sunday, April 12, 2015.

Wednesday

04-08-15¹

ENTRIES AND DECLARATIONS

Steward John Herbuveaux was in attendance today to oversee entries for Saturday and declarations for tomorrow. Mr. Herbuveaux will continue with those duties for the remainder of the week.

Thursday

04-09-15¹

CAL BRED REPORT

Purse \$23,000 for California Bred or California Sired fillies, three year olds, claiming \$25,000 at six furlongs. The race was called off with one entry.

04-09-15²

JOCKEY MARCIAL RAMIREZ RULING 63

RULING#63

Jockey **MARCIAL RAMIREZ** is hereby fined the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00)* for failure to ride the horse **RABBI LOU** in the third race on Sunday, April 4, 2015; A violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1872 (Failure To Fulfill Jockey Agreement).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Ramirez and trainer Salvador Naranjo met with this Board and failed to provide a valid excuse for missing his riding obligation.

04-09-15³**DECLARATION - REFUND**

1st race: #4 PANTHER MACKEY (Tr. W.L. McDaniel) sick
 Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 78.89
 6th race: #7 HEADS I WIN (Tr. Tim McCanna) race moved to main track
 Stewards REFUND: \$ 356.00

04-09-15⁴**JOCKEY DENNIS CARR REMOVED FROM MOUNTS**

Jockey Dennis Carr was taken off his mounts today. Mr. Carr was involved in a training accident this morning and was transported to Highland Hospital. It was reported later in the day he escaped injury with scrapes and bruises. Training accident reports are attached to the minutes.

04-09-15⁵**1ST RACE INQUIRY / DISQUALIFICATION**

Following the running of the 1st race the inquiry sign was posted for a review of observed interference through the final sixteenth involving #1 AUDREYS DOLLY (1st place – jockey Erasmo Martinez) and #3 INDIAN SCRIBBLES (3rd place – jockey Cristobal Herrera).

After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the recording of the incident, #1 was disqualified from 1st and placed third.

The recording shows #1 drift outward several horse paths and bump and impede #3 forcing that rival off its path and cost it an opportunity of a better place. The decision was unanimous.

04-09-15⁶**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	761	\$ 171,664.40
NCOT	1,507	\$ 478,211.10
SCOT		\$ 263,197.40
Out of State		\$ 801,600.19
TOTAL		\$1,714,673.09

Friday04-10-15¹**CAL BRED REPORT**

Purse \$9,500 for California Bred or California Sired three year olds and upward, claiming \$4,000 at six furlongs. The race was called off with no entries.

04-10-15²**DECLARATIONS - REFUNDS**

3rd race: #4 SEEKING THE STITCH (Tr. Joseph Brook) injury
 Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND\$ 124.60
 5th race: #1 ADIOS PELOTA (Tr. D. Wayne Baker) injury
 Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 43.90

04-10-15³**JOCKEY DIONICIO G. NAVARRO RULING 64****RULING#64**

Jockey **DIONICIO G. NAVARRO** is hereby suspended pending a hearing before the Board of Stewards to answer charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1485 (License Subject to Conditions and Agreements) after failing to submit a test sample as required by a Test Agreement with the California Horse Racing Board.

During the term of this suspension, all licenses and license privileges of **DIONICIO G. NAVARRO** 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 preceding ruling was issued after California Horse Racing Board Investigators reported Mr. Navarro failed to provide a test sample as required by a test agreement. Earlier today Mr. Navarro and trainer Salvador Naranjo (who acted as the interpreter for Mr. Navarro) met with this Board and the investigative staff regarding his failure to fulfill a prior riding obligation due to an arrest for violation of a restraining order. Following a discussion about that matter, Mr. Navarro who had been on test agreements in the past, was asked to sign a new test agreement. He freely complied with that request after going over the test agreement with his interpreter then subsequently failed to comply with the agreement. More to follow.

04-10-15⁴ **APPRENTICE JOCKEY ERASMO Q. MARTINEZ RULING 65**

RULING#65

Apprentice Jockey **ERASMO Q. MARTINEZ**, who rode **AUDREYS DOLLY** in the first race at Golden Gate Fields on Thursday April 9, 2015, is suspended three racing days (April 17, 18, and 19, 2015) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from first to third; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – Careless Riding).

The preceding ruling was issued after Mr. Martinez met with the Stewards, reviewed the race, and acknowledged guilt.

04-10-15⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	959	\$ 250,231.10
NCOT	1,701	\$ 576,798.10
SCOT		\$ 238,555.90
Out of State		\$ 747,262.82
TOTAL		\$1,812,847.92

Saturday

04-11-15¹ **CAL BRED REPORT**

Purse \$13,000 for California Bred or California Sired fillies and mares, three year olds and upward, claiming \$10,000 at six furlongs. Only one entry was received for the race and the race was called off.

04-11-15² **DECLARATIONS - REFUNDS**

7 th race: #9 SPIRIT LIGHT	(Tr. Sergio Perez)	Also Eligible
Stewards		REFUNDS\$ 849.70
8 th race: #2 HOW NOW	(Tr. Monty Meier)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 172.90

04-11-15³ **TRAINER ANTONIO L. DIAZ RULING 66**

RULING#66

Trainer **ANTONIO L. DIAZ**, who started the horse **ROSARITA**, winner of the ninth race at Golden Gate Fields on January 3, 2015, 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 # 1843 (a) & (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances: Unapproved substance – Dexamethasone, 797 pg/ml, [Class 4]).

The ruling listed above was issued after Mr. Diaz met with this Board and accepted responsibility with an explanation. Mr. Diaz stated his attending veterinarian prescribed the medication with instructions as to the clearance time; however, having followed those instructions the medication failed to clear the horses system.

04-11-15⁴**VOD FARRIS FINANCIAL HEARING – CASE #15GG0043**

A hearing was held today to address a financial filed against trainer Vod Farris by Bay Area Horse Transportation for a debt of \$830.00 amended to \$630.00. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Farris and Yolanda Laurence representing Bay Area Horse Transportation. After hearing from all parties and reviewing their supporting documents it was determined \$330.00 was owed and the debt was to be paid on or before April 25th.

04-11-15⁵**RACING PROGRAM**

The racing program progressed smoothly except for #9 WILD AT BEST (7th race – last place) which broke slowly then continued to race slowly, finishing well behind the field. The horse was placed on the Starters List as well as the Stewards List and will have to go through the necessary work requirements before being allowed to re-enter.

04-11-15⁶**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	2,068	\$ 512,476.30
NCOT	2,807	\$1,136,526.10
SCOT		\$ 481,796.00
Out of State		\$1,131,001.54
TOTAL		\$3,261,799.94

Sunday04-12-15¹**CAL BRED REPORT**

Purse \$9,500 for California Bred or California Sired fillies and mares, three year olds and upward, claiming \$4,000 at one mile. The race was called off with three entries.

04-12-15²**DECLARATIONS**

3 rd race: #2 ALY'S LAST MAGIC	(Tr. Alex Paszkeicz)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 259.88
4 th race: #6 MANO A MANO	(Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 81.00
5 th race: #9 VALDIRONE	(Tr. Santos Perez)	Also Eligible
Stewards		REFUND: \$ 177.18
9 th race: #11 GENO'S BAMBINO	(Tr. Victor Trujillo)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 124.78

04-12-15³**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	4,296	\$ 576,916.00
NCOT	2,341	\$ 810,591.00
SCOT		\$ 500,046.80
Out of State		\$1,161,424.92
TOTAL		\$3,048,978.72

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

ATTENDANCE REPORT - The full Board of Stewards was in attendance each racing 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
04-09-15	1 4	PANTHER MACKEY	McDaniel	Sick	Isbell	\$78.89
04-09-15	6 7	HEAD I WIN	McCanna	Race Moved to Main Track	Stewards	\$356.00
04-10-15	3 4	SEEKING THE STITCH	Brook	Injury	Isbell	\$124.60
04-10-15	5 1	ADIOS PELOTA	Baker	Injury	Sporer	\$43.90
04-11-15	7 9	SPIRIT LIGHT	Perez	Also Eligible	Stewards	\$849.70
04-11-15	8 2	HOW NOW	Meier	Sick	Sporer	\$172.90
04-12-15	3 2	ALY'S LAST MAGIC	Paszkeicz	Sick	Sporer	\$259.88
04-12-15	4 6	MANO A MANO	Hollendorfer	Sick	Sporer	\$81.00
04-12-15	5 9	VALDIRONE	McCanna	Also Eligible	Stewards	\$177.18
04-12-15	9 11	GENO'S BAMBINO	Truman	Sick	Sporer	\$124.78

VETERINARY REPORT

Euthanized/Died – 04-09-15 OFF LOOKS ALONE (Tr. Lloyd Mason) Collision on track with another horse – fractured left hind pelvis/femur at ¼ pole; Training at GGF

Veterinarian's List

There were ten (10) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 5 Injured: 3
Unsound: 1 Shockwave: 1

There were twenty-eight (28) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 10 Injured: 7
Unsound: 10 Exhausted: 1

	4/09	4/10	4/11	4/12	Week	Meet
ACCIDENTS	1	0	0	0	1	8
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	3
CLAIMS	2	1	6	2	11	144
DISQUALIFICATIONS	1	0	0	0	1	15
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	0	0	0	0	27
REFUNDS	2	2	2	4	10	161
RULINGS	0	2	1	0	3	54
CLAIMS VOID	0	0	0	0	0	16

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	70	\$20,247.00
Bankers Casino	98	\$24,645.40
Ferndale	0	\$0.00
Fresno	295	\$105,518.80
Fresno Club One	79	\$60,513.20
Monterey	215	\$69,739.80
Pleasanton	1,285	\$480,576.90
Sacramento	977	\$318,693.40
San Jose	1,435	\$456,016.90
San Mateo	2,269	\$1,054,818.60
Santa Rosa	571	\$111,304.60
Stockton	678	\$201,962.10
Turlock	282	\$92,905.80
Vallejo	618	\$210,913.30
So. California	0	\$1,483,596.10
Out of State	0	\$3,841,289.47

Respectfully submitted,

Darrel McHargue, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John Herbuveaux, Steward

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