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PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION

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 June 8, 2016 through Sunday June 12, 2016.

WEDNESDAY

06-08-2016¹

DUTY STEWARD

Steward Will Meyers was present to supervise entries and declarations.

THURSDAY

06-09-2016¹

CAL-BRED REPORT

The Cal-bred race for three year olds claiming \$7,000.00-\$8,000.00, six furlongs, failed to fill.

06-09-2016²

DECLARATIONS:

8th Race: #6 Miss Lori (Trainer Jonathan Wong)
 Re-entered-Stewards
 8th Race: #8 Seatalpha (Trainer Paula Capestro)
 Sick-DVM Isbell

REFUNDS

See Below

\$594.67

06-09-2016³

RULING #116-RUSSELL BAZE

#116

Jockey **Russell Baze** who rode **Big Pebble** in the fourth race at Golden Gate Fields on Sunday, June 5, 2016 is suspended three (3) racing days (June 16, 17 and 18, 2016) 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 second; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules-Careless Riding). The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

This ruling was issued after Mr. Baze and the Stewards reviewed the video of the fourth race from June 5, 2016. Mr. Baze stated his mount surprised him when he bore out twice in the stretch, but admitted he should have reacted sooner to prevent the interference.

06-09-2016⁴ **RULING #117-FRANK ALVARDO****#117**

The foregoing ruling was issued after Alvarado met with the Stewards regarding his use of the crop during the eighth race on Sunday, June 5, 2016. Mr. Alvarado acknowledged he lost count and used the crop four consecutive times approaching the finish.

Jockey **Frank Alvarado** who rode **Lost In Lexington** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on Sunday, June 5, 2016 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

06-09-2016⁵ **RULING #118-JUAN RAMON SILVA****#118**

Jockey Agent **Juan Ramon Silva** is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered By Rules and Regulations) for failure to conduct his business in a proper manner on Wednesday June 8, 2016.

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Silva acknowledged he gave calls for his rider, Juan Hernandez, to two trainers for the same race. The trainers are now satisfied with the rider situation, but not pleased with how Mr. Silva handled the matter.

06-09-2016⁶ **HORSES GO WRONG-5TH RACE**

Two horses went wrong during the running of this five and one half furlong event. #3 Our Maserati was pulled up soon after the start by Jockey William Antongeorgi. Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer DVM reported the three year old gelding was unsound behind.

Soon after the above incident Jockey Alejandro Gomez pulled up #6 Handsome Harvey Jr. The seven year old gelding was given a ride home in the horse ambulance after DVM Sporer reported he was lame in the left foreleg.

06-09-2016⁷ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	1000	\$183,965.60
NCOT	1409	\$460,155.20
SCOT		\$231,026.70
OUT OF STATE		\$691,989.04
TOTAL		\$1,567,136.50

FRIDAY06-10-2016¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for fillies and mares, three years old and older, claiming \$22,500.00-\$25,000.00, six furlongs, failed to fill.

06-10-2016² **DECLARATIONS:**

4th Race: #3 Seedsandstemsagain (Trainer Steve Miyadi)
Sick-DVM Isbell

REFUNDS

\$494.92

5th Race: #4 Che Che (Trainer Gloria Haley)
Sick-DVM Isbell

\$208.96

06-10-2016³ **ENRIQUE DAVID MIRANDA (CASE #16GG0030)**

Exercise rider Enrique David Miranda appeared and waived his right to a formal hearing and met with the Stewards regarding the complaint filed against him for allowing an unlicensed female (Stephanie Savage) to remain in his tack room for an undetermined amount of days. The female was denied a groom license as she was under suspension by the Oregon Racing commission for drug offenses and was on

felony probation for possession of narcotics and for being under the influence of the same.

Mr. Miranda was originally scheduled to appear for a hearing on this complaint on April 10, 2016 and when he failed to appear Ruling #81 was issued by this Board of Stewards suspending him for failure to appear.

Mr. Miranda has a history of alcohol abuse and was under the influence when confronted by Golden Gate Fields security regarding the unlicensed female in his tack room. Winners Foundation representative Norma Lee testified that Mr. Miranda was previously under contract and had attended meetings regularly for six months. However, by his own admission he has started drinking again and needs help. He is willing to enter an in-house rehabilitation program sponsored by the Winners Foundation and this Board of Stewards will take that into consideration when arriving at their decision. Decision forthcoming.

06-10-2016⁴ **STEWARDS REVIEW-4TH RACE**

The Stewards conducted a review of the start of the fourth race for the benefit of the wagering public. The video replay shows #7 Midnight Rambler (Ricardo Gonzalez) lifted as the gate opened and was responsible for his poor start.

06-10-2016⁵ **INQUIRY-OBJECTION-NO CHANGE-8TH RACE**

The Stewards posted the inquiry sign following the eighth race to review an incident near the 1/16 pole involving #1 Sugar Buzz (Joe Crispin) second and #4 Mr Notorious (Julien Couton) who finished fourth. Jockey Couton also lodged a claim of foul regarding the same incident.

After considering the patrol judges report, interviewing the riders involved and reviewing all video angles, the Stewards decided unanimously to make no change in the original order of finish.

The Stewards determined there was interference when #1 Sugar Buzz drifted out and impeded #4 Mr Notorious, but the incident did not prevent the latter the opportunity for a better placing.

06-10-2016⁶ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	1042	\$254,464.20
NCOT	2604	\$746,695.30
SCOT		\$290,055.60
<u>OUT OF STATE</u>		<u>\$953,894.73</u>
TOTAL		\$2,245,109.80

SATURDAY

06-11-2016¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for three year old fillies, claiming \$14,000.00-\$16,000.00, five and one half furlongs, failed to fill.

06-11-2016² **DECLARATIONS:**

5th Race: #10 Broke The Mold (Trainer Quentin Miller)
 Injured-DVM Isbell
 6th Race: #2 Meiji (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)
 Unsound-DVM Sporer
 7th Race: #10 Extant (Trainer J. B. Josephson)
 Also eligible-Stewards
 7th Race: #11 Allaboutaction (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)
 Also eligible-Stewards
 11th Race: #5 Belspree (Trainer William Delia)
 Full field-Stewards

REFUNDS

\$73.96
 \$62,937.12
 See Below
 \$286.66
 \$503.88

06-11-2016³ **RULING #119-JUAN SANCHEZ**

#119

Jockey **Juan Sanchez** who rode **Fort Cady** in the seventh race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, June 10, 2016 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Sanchez acknowledged he erred in striking his mount four consecutive times with the crop.

06-11-2016⁴ **RULING #120-ENRIQUE D. MIRANDA (CASE #16GG0030)****#120**

The foregoing ruling was issued after the Stewards considered the evidence and testimony presented at the hearing held on June 9, 2016.

In the matter of:	}	Case # 16GG0030
Exercise Rider Enrique D. Miranda	}	

Having now appeared and a hearing having been held the license privileges of Exercise rider **Enrique D. Miranda** are restored to good standing and Pacific Racing Association ruling #81, dated April 14, 2016 suspending **Mr. Miranda** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear) is set aside.

Further Exercise Rider **Enrique D. Miranda** is hereby suspended One Hundred and Twenty (120) days, June 13, 2016 through October 10, 2016 and placed on probation for the term of his license (June 30, 2018) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1874 (Disorderly Conduct) and #1920 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing) on February 25, 2016 as well as rule #1481 (Occupational Licenses and Fees-working while under suspension).

Prior to reinstatement of his license privileges **Enrique D. Miranda** must show proof of completion of a ninety (90) day in-house rehabilitation program. As conditions of probation **Mr. Miranda** must sign a contract with Winners foundation and a testing agreement with the California Horse Racing Board. Any violation of the terms of probation will result in the suspension of **Mr. Miranda's** license privileges.

06-11-2016⁵ **RULING #121-JOE CRISPIN****#121**

Jockey **Joe Crispin** who rode **Sugar Buzz** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, June 10, 2016 is suspended five (5) racing days (June 18, 19, 23, 24 and 25, 2016) for altering course without sufficient clearance in the stretch and causing interference; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

This ruling was issued after Mr. Crispin and the Stewards reviewed the video of the eighth race from June 10, 2016. Mr. Crispin stated he thought he was clear when, in his words, he moved his mount out off the rail to find better footing of this turf event.

06-11-2016⁶ **RULING #122-KYLE FREY****#122**

Jockey **Kyle Frey** who rode **Call Saul** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, June 10, 2016 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Frey acknowledged he struck his mount four consecutive times during the stretch drive.

06-11-2016⁷ **CLAIM VOIDED-1ST RACE**

The Stewards voided the claim submitted by (Trainer John Brocklebank) for the six year old horse Step On The Gas (Trainer Blaine Wright) after State veterinarian Forrest Franklin, DVM reported the horse was unsound in the left foreleg. Step On The Gas was returned to the Blaine Wright barn.

06-11-2016⁸ **WINNER VANNED OFF-9TH RACE**

Sizzlin' Joe (Trainer John Martin), the winner was pulled up by Jockey Frank Alvarado following the ninth race near the ¾ pole Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer DVM reported possible soft tissue injury to the left foreleg.

Sizzlin' Joe was given a ride home in the horse ambulance.

06-11-2016⁹ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	5131	\$1,208,815.30
NCOT	9505	\$2,942,655.70
SCOT		\$644,742.60
OUT OF STATE		\$1,530,315.54
TOTAL		\$6,326,529.14

SUNDAY

06-12-2016¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for three year olds, claiming \$14,000.00-\$16,000.00, five and one half furlongs, failed to fill.

06-12-2016² **DECLARATIONS:**

REFUNDS

4 th Race: #1 River Lemon Trainer Manuel Calvario)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$235.00
6 th Race: #5 Emerald Green (Trainer L. A. Martinez)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$338.00
8 th Race: #1 Miss Forty Niner (Trainer Manuel Calvario)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$314.60
10 th Race: #8 Tebowing (Trainer Kent Molinaro)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$474.80
11 th Race: #8 Good Stats (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$502.00
12 th Race: #13 Madame Clouet (Trainer Lloyd Mason)	
Also eligible-Stewards	See Below
12 th Race: #14 Coronado Cool (Trainer Eric Kruljac)	
Also eligible-Stewards	\$701.20

06-12-2016³ **RULING #123-JUAN HERNANDEZ**

#123

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Hernandez admitted he violated the crop rule by striking his mount more than three consecutive times without allowing his mount to respond.

Jockey **Juan Hernandez** who rode **Pocket Prince** in the first race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, June 11, 2016 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

06-12-2016⁴ **STEWARDS REVIEW-2ND RACE**

The Stewards conducted a video review of the second race for the benefit of the wagering public. The video shows #1 Paszcatch (Ricardo Gonzalez) steadied along the rail near the 1/16 pole. #2 Flyinghailmary (William Antongeorgi) did drift down but always left room for the former.

06-12-2016⁵ **CLAIM VOIDED-2ND RACE**

The Stewards voided the claim submitted by Trainer Clifford DeLima for Rock' N On Home (Trainer Steve Specht) after State Veterinarian Forrest Franklin reported the four year old gelding was unsound in the right foreleg.

06-12-2016⁶ **LATE DECLARATION-7TH RACE**

The Stewards declared #1 Sweet Swindler after the two year old colt unseated Jockey Frank Alvarado upon leaving the paddock and ran off.

06-12-2016⁷ **HORSE PULLED UP-8TH RACE**

#4 Tiza Diva (Kyle Frey) stumbled badly in the first turn near the ¾ pole during this one mile turf event. Jockey Frey did an excellent job of keeping his mount from falling and subsequently pulled up the three year old filly.

06-12-2016⁸ **HORSE GOES WRONG-9TH RACE**

#4 Beast Of Bourbon (Alejandro Gomez) went wrong near the 3/16 pole and was pulled up by Jockey Gomez. Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer, DVM, reported the six year old gelding was unsound behind and given a ride home in the horse ambulance.

06-12-2016⁹ **10TH AND 12TH RACES OFF TURF**

The Stewards were notified by the Jockey Colony that they considered the turf course unsafe and indicated they would not ride if the tenth and twelfth races remained on the turf.

Management was advised of the rider's concern and a subsequent meeting resulted in the tenth and twelfth races moved from the turf course to the Tapeta surface.

The public was informed of the change by the track announcer locally and over the simulcast network.

06-12-2016¹⁰ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	9748	\$664,509.50
NCOT	2268	\$917,137.50
SCOT		\$631,630.60
OUT OF STATE		\$1,563,529.16
TOTAL		\$3,776,806.70

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.

VETERINARY REPORT: Euthanized/Died-0

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

DATE	RACE	NO	HORSE	TRAINER	REASON	REFUND
06-09-16	8	6	Miss Lori	Wong	Stews	See Below
06-09-16	8	8	Seatalpha	Capestro	Sick	<u>\$594.67</u>
06-10-16	4	3	Seedsandstemsagain	Miyadi	Sick	<u>\$494.92</u>
06-10-16	5	4	Che Che	Haley	Sick	<u>\$208.96</u>
06-11-16	5	10	Broke The Mold	Miller	Injured	<u>\$73.96</u>
06-11-16	6	2	Meiji	Hollendorfer	Unsound	<u>\$62,937.12</u>
06-11-16	7	10	Extant	Josephson		See Below
06-11-16	7	11	Allaboutaction	Hollendorfer	Stews	<u>\$286.66</u>
06-11-16	11	5	Belspree	Delia		<u>\$503.88</u>
06-12-16	4	1	River Lemon	Calvario		<u>\$235.00</u>
06-12-16	6	5	Emerald Green	Martinez		<u>\$338.00</u>
06-12-16	8	1	Miss Forty Niner	Calvario		<u>\$314.60</u>

06-12-16	10	8	Tebowing	Molinaro	\$474.80
06-12-16	11	8	Good Stats	Hollendorfer	\$502.00
06-12-16	12	13	Madame Clouet	Mason	See Below
06-12-16	12	14	Coronado Cool	Kruljac	<u>\$701.20</u>

VETRINARIAN'S LIST:

There were (27) twenty-seven horses placed on the vet's list:

Injured:	2	Sick:	9
Unsound:	10	Shockwave:	6

There were (35) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick:	25	Injured:	6
Unsound:	1	Medication:	3

Shockwave Therapy: There were two (6) shockwave therapy treatments reported.

	06/09	06/10	06/11	06/11	Total	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	13
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	9
CLAIMS	5	4	10	7	26	328
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	18
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	1	0	0	1	36
REFUNDS	2	2	5	7	16	287
RULINGS	3	0	4	1	8	126
CLAIMS VOID	0	0	1	1	2	31

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	255	\$57,270.30
Bankers Casino	154	\$37,772.20
Fresno	794	\$204,912.00
Fresno Club One	185	\$98,033.30
Monterey	516	\$131,841.60
Pleasanton	2270	\$296,603.80
Sacramento	2337	\$567,625.20
San Jose	2285	\$663,958.10
San Mateo	2598	\$1,454,877.50
Santa Rosa	1236	\$227,090.60
Stockton	1405	\$320,252.30
Turlock	771	\$175,833.10
Vallejo	980	\$721,408.70
So. California	0	\$1,797,455.50
Out of State	0	\$4,739,728.30

Respectfully submitted,

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