

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**  
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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS**  
**BETFAIR HOLLYWOOD PARK RACING ASSOCIATION**

Hollywood Park

**To the California Horse Racing Board**

Honorable Edmund G. Brown Jr. Governor  
Honorable Keith Brackpool, Chairman  
Honorable David Israel, Vice-Chairman  
Honorable Steve Beneto, Member  
Honorable Jesse H. Choper, Member  
Honorable Bo Derek, Member  
Honorable Richard A. Rosenberg, Member  
Honorable Chuck Winner, Member  
Kirk E. Breed, Executive Director  
Jacqueline Wagner, Assistant Executive Director

**WEEK 9-Sunday, June 17, 2012-Saturday, June 23, 2012**

**SUNDAY**  
06/17/12<sup>1</sup>

**ELLIS HEARING**

Trainer RON ELLIS appeared by telephone in a formal hearing to answer a complaint (case number 12HP0025) filed by the CHRB alleging a phenylbutazone overage uncovered in one his runners. Fortunately for Mr. Ellis, the level was 2.48 ug/ml, making him eligible for a warning.

06/17/12<sup>2</sup>

**JONES RULING**

Trainer MARTY JONES was fined in the following ruling when he appeared in the receiving barn with a runner yesterday that was improperly shod (second time in the last 365 days):

**HRT# #034**

Trainer **MARTIN F. JONES** is fined **TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00)\*** pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations) for failure to have his horse "US Citizen" properly shod for the sixth race at Betfair Hollywood Park on June 16, 2012.

06/17/12<sup>3</sup>

**INQUIRY/NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the third race, we posted the inquiry to examine an incident involving the second and third place finishers. Films showed that second place finisher #4 Real Conundrum, ridden by Martin Pedroza, drifted out during the stretch run, interfered with the third place finisher, causing that rival to check. However, we unanimously voted to make no

change to the original order of finish, because the third place finisher was not cost the opportunity at a better placing.

06/17/12<sup>4</sup>

**INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION**

Following the running of the ninth race, we posted the inquiry sign to examine the stretch run involving the second, third and fourth place finishers. Films revealed that the third place finisher #4 Nottahobby, ridden by apprentice Eswan Flores, runs up on heels, has to check, shifts out and make solid contact with fourth place finisher #2 Hey Paulie. While second place finisher #9 Magic Castle did drift out a bit, in our opinion, he was clear of his rivals and therefore not responsible. Consequently, we unanimously voted to disqualify #4 Nottahobby, and place him fourth.

Original order of finish: 8-9-(4)-2-6-7-3-1-5  
 Corrected order: 8-9-2-(4)-6-7-3-1-5

06/17/12<sup>5</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND RETURNS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> #1 Valkyrie Missile – Claimed – M. Pender, trainer  
 #2 Siempre Mio – Claimed – M. Glatt, trainer  
 Refund \$1,994.00; Minus Pool \$2,311.45
- 2<sup>nd</sup> #3 My Little Woman – Claimed – J. Hollendorfer, trainer  
 Refund \$761.00
- 3<sup>rd</sup> #3 The Black – Veterinarian scratch, unsound – Dr. Stead  
 #5 Memphis – Veterinarian scratch, injured – Dr. Grande  
 Refund \$3,961.04
- 4<sup>th</sup> #7 Economy of Motion – Veterinarian scratch, injured – Dr. Stead  
 Refund \$264.50
- 5<sup>th</sup> #1 Peacenik – Claimed – B. Spawr, trainer  
 #3 Stacy’s Hope – Claimed – J. Sadler, trainer  
 #7 Warren’s Knockout – Claimed—E. Kruljac, trainer
- 6<sup>th</sup> #9 Lamm – Claimed – O’Neill, trainer  
 Refund \$48.50
- 7<sup>th</sup> No changes
- 8<sup>th</sup> No changes
- 9<sup>th</sup> No changes

06/17/12<sup>6</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On-Track	5,401	\$1,179,547.00
Satellites	6,852	\$2,412,835.30
ADW	n/a	\$1,240,335.70
Out of state	n/a	\$4,075,640.90
Total	12,253	\$8,908,358.90

**THURSDAY**

06/21/12<sup>1</sup>

**FILM REVIEW**

Jockey MARTIN PEDROZA came to the office this morning to review his ride in the third race Sunday after which his mount survived an inquiry to maintain his second place finish. While he didn’t cost the rival with whom he interfered the opportunity a better placing, film review showed that Mr.

Pedroza's mount drifted out under left handed urging. He candidly acknowledged his mistake and gracefully accepted the following ruling:

**HRTH #037**

Jockey **MARTIN PEDROZA**, who rode "Real Conundrum" in the third race at Betfair Hollywood Park on June 17, 2012, is suspended for THREE (3) RACING DAYS (June 24, 28, and 29, 2012) for failure to make the proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference. This constitutes a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (Riding Rules).

Term of suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1766 (Designated Races).

Apprentice jockey **ESWAN FLORES** came to the office as directed to review his ride in the ninth race yesterday in which his mount was disqualified (see above). After reviewing the films, we felt that although his horse caused interference, more of the blame could be attached to the circumstances rather than Mr. Flores, and he was therefore issued a warning.

06/21/12<sup>2</sup>

**NAVAS RULING**

The following ruling was published when groom **MARCOS NAVOS** failed to appear for a hearing (case number 12HP0036) alleging disorderly conduct in the barn area of Hollywood Park:

**HRTH #035**

Groom **MARCOS NAVAS**, having failed to respond to charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1874(1)(Disorderly Conduct) and #1989(5)(Removal or Denial of Access), is suspended for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear).

During term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of Marcos Navas are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards to Suspend or Fine), Mr. Navas is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

06/21/12<sup>3</sup>

**APPRENTICE LICENSURE**

Exercise rider was **ARNOLD PEREZ** was granted an apprentice license and certificate this morning – his first mount is scheduled for tomorrow night. Mr. Perez was educated at the Garza Riding School, has been exercising horses in southern California and has been attending Safety Steward Jauregui's apprentice classes.

06/21/12<sup>4</sup>

**MODE WARNING**

Trainer **EMILY MODE** was warned when one of her horses arrived late to the receiving barn (case number 12HP038).

06/21/12<sup>5</sup>

**PAPPAS WITHDRAWAL**

Veterinarian John Araujo withdrew his complaint when owner GREG PAPPAS satisfied the alleged debt in advance of the hearing (case number 12HP0035).

06/21/12<sup>6</sup>

**VIENNA RULING**

The following the ruling was published in response to an incident in which one of trainer DARRELL VIENNA's runners came over to the receiving barn and was improperly shod for the turf. This was his second offense in a 365 day period:

**HRTH #036**

Trainer **DARRELL VIENNA** is fined **TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00)\*** pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations) for failure to have his horse "Princess Suances" properly shod for the fifth race at Betfair Hollywood Park on June 15, 2012.

06/21/12<sup>7</sup>

**WILLIAMS REINSTATEMENT**

Owner SCOTT WILLIAMS (dba Owners Stable) was reinstated in the following ruling:

**HRTH #038**

Owner **SCOTT WILLIAMS**, having provided evidence of a Chapter 7 bankruptcy petition (trainers Mike Puype-\$4,050.00, Mike Machowsky-\$2,490.46 and Matthew Chew-\$4,382.00, among others are listed as creditors), is restored to good standing. HRTH Ruling #068, issued on July 7, 2011 at Hollywood Park, is set aside.

06/21/12<sup>8</sup>

**INQUIRY/NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the first race, we posted the inquiry sign to examine the circumstances under which jockey Kevin Krigger was unseated from his mount #5 Congrats Ski. Films revealed that the horse stumbled on its own and therefore no change was appropriate. Accident report attached.

06/21/12<sup>9</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> #2 Tribal Dreams – Claimed – K. Craigmyle, trainer  
#4 Wise Guise – pulled up vanned off, right front (synthetic) G. Sherlock, trainer  
Refund \$154.00; Minus Pool \$79.00
- 2<sup>nd</sup> No changes; Refund \$49.00
- 3<sup>rd</sup> #3 Gambulina – Veterinarian scratch, injured – Dr. Stead  
#4 Snackable – Late veterinarian scratch, injured near gate – Dr. Stead  
#9 lotapa – Claimed – J. Sadler, trainer  
Refund 490,542.66
- 4<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$15.00
- 5<sup>th</sup> #7 Cocnino – Veterinarian scratch, injured – Dr. Grande  
Refund \$423.60
- 6<sup>th</sup> #2 Sweet Celia Moon – Veterinarian scratch, unsound – Dr. Stead  
#4 I'm Always Open – Claimed – R. DeLeon, trainer  
#4 I'm Always Open – pulled up, vanned off (synthetic) A. Barba, trainer  
Refund \$95.00

7<sup>th</sup> No changes

8<sup>th</sup> No changes

06/21/12<sup>10</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On-Track	2,079	\$461,755.90
Satellites	4,186	\$1,307,305.00
ADW	n/a	\$575,716.10
Out of state	n/a	\$2,560,696.80
Total	6,265	\$4,905,473.80

**FRIDAY**

06/22/12<sup>1</sup>

**STEWARD REPLACEMENT**

Steward LUIS JAUREGUI is filling in for Steward SCOTT CHANEY for the remainder of the week. Mr. Chaney is out of the office competing in a triathlon.

06/22/12<sup>2</sup>

**FILM REVIEW**

Jockey SAUL ARIAS was in the office to review yesterday's sixth race in which he had angled out causing contact to the outside horses approaching the three eighths pole. Mr. Arias stated his horse was lugging out around the turn, and was tough to control. We felt the incident was caused from his horse lugging out and from Mr. Arias shifting out from behind horses. The incident did not warrant a penalty, so he was warned to make a better effort in the future.

06/22/12<sup>3</sup>

**STEWARDS' INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION**

After the finish of the race, we posted the inquiry sign to review an incident out of the starting gate. The horses involved in the inquiry were #4 Sahara Sky (J. Talamo) and #5 Supreme Summit (G. Gomez). After speaking with the patrol judges and both jockeys, it was a unanimous decision to disqualify #5 and place him fourth behind #4. In our opinion, #5 came in leaving the starting gate causing #4 to steady and clip heels. We felt that #4 was closing very fast and was beaten a head by #5; therefore in our opinion #4 was cost the opportunity for a better placing.

Original Order of Finish 3-6-(5)-4-7-1-2

Official Order of Finish 3-6-4-(5)-7-1-2

06/22/12<sup>4</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> #6 Swift Anticipation – Rider change, A. Delgadillo for C. Sutherland (sick)  
#7 Pregunta – pulled up vanned off, right hind (synthetic), S. McCarthy, trainer  
Refund \$128.00

2<sup>nd</sup> # 2 Fire In Excess – Veterinarian scratch, unsound – Dr. Grande  
#4 Dave Pacemaker – Claimed- R. Diodoro, trainer  
Refund \$718.30

3<sup>rd</sup> #5 Dulcemia – Veterinarian scratch, sick – Dr. Grande  
Refund \$333.40

4<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$241.00

5<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$295.85

6<sup>th</sup> #1 Jonny's Choice – Claimed- J. Mullins, trainer

#3 Dugan Bill – Claimed- P. Aguirre, trainer  
 #5 Adriatic Moon – Veterinarian scratch, unsound – Dr. Grande  
 #8 Cahill Country – Veterinarian scratch, unsound – Dr. Stead  
 Refund \$3,723.05

7<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$16.00

8<sup>th</sup> #13 Clocker Moment – Stewards' scratch, also eligible  
 #14 Champagneformybaby – Stewards' scratch, also eligible  
 #15 Superchupacabra – Stewards' scratch, also eligible  
 Refund \$591.20

06/22/12<sup>5</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On-Track	4,755	\$685,837.70
Satellites	5,478	\$1,532,351.90
ADW	n/a	\$1,008,361.20
Out of state	n/a	\$2,642,047.18
Total	10,233	\$5,868,597.98

**SATURDAY**

06/23/12<sup>1</sup>

**KENNY FORMAL HEARING CASE #12HP037**

Groom STEVEN KENNY was in our office for a formal hearing on a case filed by the CHRB for alleged violation of CHRB rule 1489(C) (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License). Court Reporter Barbara Weinstein recorded the hearing and Investigator Rick Amieva represented the CHRB. Mr. Kenny failed to provide information of a previous arrest and subsequent probation on his license application. After hearing all the testimony, Mr. Kenny was asked to provide us with documentation on his current probation status. Decision to follow.

06/23/12<sup>2</sup>

**FILM REVIEW**

Jockey GARRETT GOMEZ was in to review the fifth race from yesterday where he was involved in a disqualification leaving the starting gate. Mr. Gomez was disqualified from third and placed fourth for angling in at the start causing the horse just inside of him to clip his heels. He stated that his horse had shied away from the outside horse causing it to duck in slightly. We felt Mr. Gomez had made a good effort to straighten his horse out, therefore a penalty was not warranted.

06/23/12<sup>3</sup>

**GOOD RACING**

We were provided with nine good races and a beautiful day at BetFair Hollywood Park. All nine races were run without any reportable incident.

06/23/12<sup>4</sup>

**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> #2 My Man Sumo- Claimed- W.E. Morey, trainer

2<sup>nd</sup> No changes

3<sup>rd</sup> #2 Red Defense- Claimed- R. Becerra, trainer

4<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$530.00

5<sup>th</sup> #5 Member ofthe Tribe- Late Veterinarian scratch, Dr. Stead

#7 Kumite- Claimed- H. Palma, trainer

#8 The Bien's Gift- Claimed- D. Pederson, trainer

Refund \$85,370.26

6<sup>th</sup> #1 Huntingman- Claimed- J. Sadler, trainer  
 #9 Blu Jon- Veterinarian scratch, injured – Dr. Stead  
 Refund \$6,758.33  
 7<sup>th</sup> No changes; Refund \$5.70  
 8<sup>th</sup> No changes  
 9<sup>th</sup> No changes

06/23/12<sup>5</sup>

**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On-Track	4,043	\$1,084,591.10
Satellites	7,294	\$2,822,610.70
ADW	n/a	\$1,261,271.50
Out of state	n/a	\$4,767,463.28
Total	11,337	\$9,935,935.58

**WEEKLY SUMMARY**

**ATTENDANCE REPORT** - The full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

**VETERINARIAN REPORT** - WEEK OF 06/11/12-06/17/12

Horses on Vet List 16  
 Horses off Vet List **10**  
 Shock Wave Therapy 23  
 Deceased 4  
 Medication 6

**SUMMARY**

	Sun 06/17	Thur 06/21	Fri 06/22	Sat 06/23	Week	Meet
Inquiries	2	1	1	0	4	12
Disqualifications	1	0	1	0	2	4
Rulings	1	4	0	0	5	38
Refunds	5	6	8	4	23	150
Accidents	0	1	0	0	1	4
Claims	8	3	3	5	19	112
Cal-Bred Races	1	1	6	1	9	47

Respectfully submitted,

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C. Scott Chaney, Steward

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Tom Ward, Steward

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Kim Sawyer, Steward

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Luis Jauregui, Safety Steward

**WEEKLY SATELLITE ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE**

**Sunday, June 17, 2012 through Saturday, June 23, 2012**

<b>BARONA</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>\$200,622.50</b>
<b>CABAZON</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>\$197,198.30</b>
<b>COMMERCE</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>\$333,671.90</b>
<b>POMONA</b>	<b>2,262</b>	<b>\$767,684.20</b>
<b>LAKE PERRIS</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>\$160,279.70</b>
<b>LANCASTER</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>\$181,688.10</b>
<b>LOS ALAMITOS</b>	<b>5,157</b>	<b>\$1,446,623.30</b>
<b>SAN CLEMENTE</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>\$144,280.30</b>
<b>SAN BERNARDINO</b>	<b>1,370</b>	<b>\$314,911.30</b>
<b>SANTA ANITA</b>	<b>5,783</b>	<b>\$1,949,379.80</b>
<b>SANTA BARBARA</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>SANTA MARIA</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>\$53,925.30</b>
<b>SHALIMAR</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>\$58,651.40</b>
<b>SURFSIDE</b>	<b>2,209</b>	<b>\$491,467.40</b>
<b>SYCUAN</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>\$82,327.90</b>
<b>VENTURA</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>\$280,873.10</b>
<b>VICTORVILLE</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>\$67,216.80</b>
<b>VIEJAS</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>\$113,212.60</b>
<b>SATELLITE TOTAL</b>	<b>23,810</b>	<b>\$6,844,013.90</b>
<b>NO. CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>\$1,231,089.00</b>
<b>OUT-OF-STATE</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>\$12,311,405.26</b>
<b>ON-TRACK</b>	<b>16,278</b>	<b>\$3,411,731.70</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40,088</b>	<b>\$23,798,239.86</b>