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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS  
LOS ALAMITOS QUARTER HORSE RACING ASSOCIATION**

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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week of July 22, 2008 through July 27, 2008.

**TUESDAY**  
07/22/2008

(1) DUTY STEWARD

James Dreyer will tend to morning office matters and compile the minutes for this reporting period.

(2) SCRATCHES

A 9:00 a.m. scratch time resulted in one rider change.

(3) CAL-BRED REPORT

The second race in the book went CAL-BRED with nine CAL-BREDS.

(4) THE DRAW

One Arabian, two Thoroughbred and seven Quarter Horse races will comprise Friday evening's program.

**WEDNESDAY**  
07/23/2008

(1) SCRATCHES

One scratch and one rider change completed Friday's changes.

(2) CAL-BRED BONANZA

Thirteen races will be offered Saturday evening, all of them being CAL-BRED.

**THURSDAY**  
07/24/2008

(1) SCRATCHES

Other than Santiago Mendez being removed from his mounts no other changes were made on Saturday's program.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The third race in the book for CAL-BREDS failed to fill.

(3) THE DRAW

Three Thoroughbred and seven Quarter Horse races will be offered Sunday evening.

(4) CLEAR SAILING

Thursday's program was conducted with nothing of significance to report.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	770	On Track Handle:	\$141,162
Off Track Attendance:	2,013	Off Track Handle:	\$261,956
Total:	2,783	Out of State:	\$477,483
		Total:	\$880,600

**FRIDAY**

07/25/2008

(1) SCRATCHES

Changes for Sunday amounted to one scratch, one rider change and three equipment changes.

(2) POST RACE ACCIDENT

While pulling up following the sixth race, # 1 "Shadows Miracle" appeared to break down causing jockey Alex Bautista to jump off. Complaining of a sore wrist Bautista was excused from his remaining three mounts.

(3) NO PROBLEMS

Other than the post race incident Thursday's card was run with nothing of importance to report.

(4) LATE DECLARATIONS

2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 2 IB Regal Too (Tr. J. Romo, Jr.) trainer suspended, Stewards.  
Refund: \$104.00.

3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 8 Definite Maybe (Tr. H. Cordova) injured, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$290.00.

4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 Looking Regal (Tr. P. Jones) injured, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$770.00.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	1,317	On Track Handle:	\$216,948
Off Track Attendance:	3,410	Off Track Handle:	\$501,498
Total:	4,727	Out of State:	\$719,295
		Total:	\$1,437,440

**SATURDAY**

07/26/2008

(1) CAL-BRED REPORT

The first race on Thursday for CAL-BREDS was called off with four entries.

(2) THE DRAW

Two Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse races will be offered Thursday evening.

(3) INQUIRY- NO CHANGE

Following the first race the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to examine the start. "Million Seeker," # 7, running in a flipping halter, sat back at the break holding the doors shut. When he released the pressure on the halter and it released, he lost his balance flipping over. Since the problem was his own doing he was declared a starter.

(4) LATE DECLARATIONS

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 6 Knight Tori (Tr. J. Romo, Jr.) trainer suspended, Stewards.  
Refund: \$27.00.
  
- 10<sup>th</sup> Race - # 4 SR Flash Gordon (Tr. P. Jones) injured, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$292.00.
  
- 12<sup>th</sup> Race - # 9 First Magical Dash (Tr. A. Farias) stake, Stewards.  
Refund: \$1,888.00.
  
- # 10 Hawkish Got Rhythm (Tr. A. Farias) stake, Stewards.  
Refund: \$415.00.
  
- 13<sup>th</sup> Race - # 7 Futurer (Tr. J. Romo, Jr.) trainer suspended, Stewards.  
Refund: \$96.00.
  
- # 8 Sister Ann Louise (Tr. J. Nunez) re-entered, Stewards.  
Refund: \$102.00.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	2,379	On Track Handle:	\$354,261
Off Track Attendance:	<u>3,731</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$545,654
Total:	6,110	Out of State:	<u>\$893,531</u>
		Total:	\$1,793,446

**SUNDAY**  
07/27/2008

(1) INQUIRY – NO CHANGE

Following the eighth race the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to look into an incident at the start. "We Can Work It Out," # 4, running in a flipping halter, sat back just as the starter dispatched the field. When the halter finally released, "We Can Work It Out" reared and failed to leave the gate. The Stewards determined he caused his own problems and therefore was declared a starter.

(2) LATE DECLARATIONS

- 5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 If You Will (Tr. H. Sanchez) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.  
Refund: \$178.00.

(3) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	839	On Track Handle:	\$201,593
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,696</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$514,985
Total:	3,535	Out of State:	<u>\$671,913</u>
		Total:	\$1,388,491

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Horse</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Vet</u>	<u>Refund</u>
7/25/2008	3	8	Definite Maybe	H. Cordova	Injured	Beck	\$290
	4	6	Looking Regal	P. Jones	Injured	Beck	\$770
7/26/2008	10	4	SR Flash Gordon	P. Jones	Injured	Beck	\$292
7/27/2008	5	6	If You Will	H. Sanchez	Injured	Hackathorn	\$178

**TRACK SAFETY REPORT**

The weekly inspection was conducted on July 27, 2008.

One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries.

During this reporting period eight horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: four for soundness, four for injury and none for sickness.

Eleven horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and

removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward James Dreyer.

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**

**SUMMARY**

	MON	TUE	WED	THU 07/24	FRI 07/25	SAT 07/26	SUN 07/27	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D			0	1	0	0	1	24
CAL-BRED RACES		A		0	1	13	0	14	24
CLAIMS			R	2	4	8	5	19	493
DISQUALIFICATIONS		K		0	0	0	0	0	41
INQUIRIES	D			0	0	1	1	2	77
REFUNDS		A		0	3	6	1	10	453
RULINGS			Y	0	0	0	1	1	201

Stewards' Attendance: James Dreyer, Kim Sawyer, and Martin Hamilton were in daily attendance during this reporting period.

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James Dreyer (Steward)

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Kim Sawyer (Steward)

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Martin Hamilton (Steward)