

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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

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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week of March 20, 2012 through March 25, 2012.

TUESDAY

03/20/2012

(1) DUTY STEWARD

George Slender will be present for morning duties and will record the minutes during this reporting period.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Two races were offered for CAL-BREDS on this date. Both failed to fill.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Friday night's program, which consisted of four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 1:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

03/21/2012

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Friday was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The third race in the condition book failed to fill with one CAL-BRED. Sub 2 in the book went open with one CAL-BRED.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Saturday night's program which consisted of three Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 2:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

03/22/2012

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Saturday was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Two races were offered for CAL-BREDS on this date. Both failed to fill.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Sunday night's program which consisted of one Thoroughbred and eight Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 4:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

03/23/2012

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

- 1st Race - # 5 Danger Lurking (Tr. F. Quintero) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$301.00.
6 Mary The Princess (Tr. V. Zamudio) enter back, Stewards.
Refund: \$521.00.
- 2nd Race - # 6 Lovemeimyours (Tr. J. Alcalá) sick, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$677.00.
- 4th Race - # 2 Bullet Dog (Tr. J. Moreno) enter back, Stewards.
Refund: \$168.00.
5 Royal Comander (Tr. F. Quintero) enter back, Stewards.
Refund: \$227.00.
- 9th Race - # 2 Infinity Byran (Tr. J. Avalos) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$330.00.

(2) ROMO RULING (CASE #12LA0068)RULING #49

PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1900 (GROUNDS FOR SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION) ASSISTANT TRAINER JUAN ROMO SR. IS SUSPENDED SIXTY (60) DAYS (MARCH 25, 2012 THROUGH MAY 23, 2012) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1530 (CASES NOT COVERED BY RULES AND REGULATIONS), #1874 (DISORDERLY CONDUCT), #1889 (ENTRY TO AREA ASSIGNED TO TRAINER) AND #1902 (CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO HORSE RACING).

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF SUBJECT ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS TO SUSPEND OR FINE) SUBJECT IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

The foregoing ruling was issued following due deliberation concerning testimony and documents offered in Romo's hearing. Mr. Romo admitted to pilfering feed and grain from another trainer numerous times which were caught on tape.

(3) CARRETE RULINGRULING #50

OWNER FERNANDO CARRETE, HAVING FAILED TO APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 23, 2012, TO ANSWER A COMPLAINT REGARDING CASE #12LA0079, ALLEGING VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (A) (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SUSPENDED PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR).

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF FERNANDO CARRETE ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS TO SUSPEND OR FINE) SUBJECT IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

The above ruling was issued after subject failed to appear before the Stewards in response to a financial obligation to Equine Sports Medicine in the amount of \$333.00.

(4) ALL CLEAR

This evening's racing program was without incident.

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	969	On Track Handle:	\$148,978.50
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,166</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$352,404.20
Total:	3,135	Out of State:	<u>\$712,181.00</u>
		Total:	\$1,213,563.70

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$352,328

SATURDAY

03/24/2012

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

6th Race - # 4 Top Torero (Tr. K. Craigmyle) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$945.00.

7th Race - # 2 Ladies Royal Six (Tr. L. Hernandez) sick, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$420.00.

(2) JOCK TO PICS

Apprentice Jockey Juan Sanchez reviewed video race tapes with the Stewards. He was advised that the Stewards expect a more concerted effort in controlling his mount when leaving the gate.

(3) FIFTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards immediately posted the Inquiry sign following the fifth race (Thoroughbred – 4½ furlongs) which involved #1 “Run Over You” (2nd – jockey O. Macias), #2 “Nationwide Family” (4th – jockey J. Sanchez) and #3 “Big Swiss” (5th – jockey J. Olivera).

After speaking with the riders involved and reviewing the tape replays, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify #1 from second to fifth position. Tapes reflect #1 shifting out, bumping #2 out and into #3, causing the latter two horses an opportunity of better placement.

(4) NINTH RACE – ACCIDENT – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards posted the Inquiry sign after the ninth race to review an incident at the start involving #3 “Swapps All In” (4th – jockey O. Macias), #2 “Kool First Date” (5th – jockey A. Alberto) and #1 “Doctor Jer” (lost rider – jockey L. Gonzalez).

After speaking with the riders involved and reviewing tapes of the race the Stewards unanimously voted to disqualify #3 from fourth to being unplaced. Tapes reflect #3 veering in sharply at the start, bumping and impeding #2 down and into #1, unseating that rider. Jockey Leonardo Gonzalez was taken to Los Alamitos General Hospital complaining of a possible injured ankle.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	1,008	On Track Handle:	\$143,664.10
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,253</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$383,432.90
Total:	3,261	Out of State:	<u>\$641,262.09</u>
		Total:	\$1,168,359.09

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$350,124

SUNDAY

03/25/2012

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

2nd Race - # 5 Now What (Tr. S. Willoughby) colic, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$543.00.

6 Paparritos (Tr. F. Vallejo) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$491.00.

3rd Race - # 1 Oneladyatatime (Tr. A. Soto) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$184.00.

5th Race - # 1 Warren's Bandit (Tr. K. Craigmyle) injured, Dr. Beck.

Refund: \$1,233.00.

9th Race - # 1 A Zig Zag Man (Tr. F. Vallejo) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$254.00.

(2) MACIAS RULING

RULING #51

APPRENTICE JOCKEY OSVALDO MACIAS WHO RODE "SWAPPS ALL IN" IN THE NINTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 2012, IS SUSPENDED THREE (3) RACING DAYS (APRIL 1ST, 6TH AND 7TH, 2012) FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THE PROPER EFFORT TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE, CAUSING INTERFERENCE, RESULTING IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF HIS MOUNT FROM FOURTH TO UNPLACED. A VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1699 (RIDING RULES - CARELESS RIDING).

THE TERM OF THIS SUSPENSION SHALL NOT PROHIBIT PARTICIPATION IN DESIGNATED RACES IN CALIFORNIA.

The foregoing ruling was issued when jockey Macias appeared before the Stewards along with jockey Antonio Alberto who was interpreting for Mr. Macias. At issue was the effort that subject failed to give when his mount was disqualified.

(3) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	541	On Track Handle:	\$121,181.80
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,929</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$425,348.50
Total:	2,470	Out of State:	<u>\$657,480.34</u>
		Total:	\$1,204,010.64

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$357,035.80

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>
3/23/2012	1	5	Danger Lurking	F. Quintero	Injured	Hackathorn	\$301
	2	6	Lovemeimyours	J. Alcala	Sick	Beck	\$677
	9	2	Infinity Bryan	J. Avalos	Injured	Hackathorn	\$330
3/24/2012	6	4	Top Torero	K. Craigmyle	Sick	Hackathorn	\$945
	7	2	Ladies Royal Six	L. Hernandez	Sick	Beck	\$420
3/25/2012	2	5	Now What	S. Willoughby	Colic	Beck	\$543
	2	6	Paparritos	F. Vallejo	Sick	Hackathorn	\$491
	3	1	Oneladyatatime	A. Soto	Sick	Hackathorn	\$184
	5	1	Warren's Bandit	K. Craigmyle	Injured	Beck	\$1,233
	9	1	A Zig Zag Man	F. Vallejo	Injured	Hackathorn	\$254

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on March 25, 2012. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period nineteen horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: four for soundness, four for injury, six for sickness, five for medication, none for bleeding, none for shock wave therapy, and none for coggins. Nine horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward George Slender.

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

SUMMARY

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 03/23	SAT 03/24	SUN 03/25	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	1	0	1	8
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	1
CLAIMS			R		4	7	7	18	194
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	2	0	2	14
INQUIRIES	D				0	2	0	2	22
REFUNDS		A			6	2	5	13	93
RULINGS			Y		1	1	1	3	51

Stewards' Attendance: George Slender, James Dreyer, and Albert Christiansen were in daily attendance during this reporting period. Safety Steward Randy Winick was not present this week.

Albert Christiansen (Steward)

George Slender (Steward)

James Dreyer (Steward)