

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**1010 HURLEY WAY, SUITE 300****SACRAMENTO, CA 95825****(916) 263-6000****FAX (916) 263-6042****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 July 31, 2012 through August 5, 2012.

TUESDAY

07/31/2012

(1) **DUTY STEWARD**

James Dreyer will preside over entries and morning situations and shall record the minutes during this reporting period.

(2) **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The fifth race in the book for Friday, maiden two-year olds for a claiming price of \$8,000, was called off with two (1 CAL-BRED). Sub #4 in the book, fillies and mares three and up for an \$8,000 claiming price, was called off with two (0 CAL-BREDS).

(3) **THE DRAW**

Five Thoroughbred and four Quarter Horse races were carded for Friday evening.

WEDNESDAY

08/01/2012

(1) **SCRATCHES**

Scratch time was completed at 9:00 a.m. resulting in no changes or scratches on Friday's program.

(2) **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The first race for Saturday, maiden two year olds for a \$10,000 tag, failed to attract an entry. Sub #1 in the book, two year olds for a claiming price of \$12,500, was called off with one (0 CAL-BREDS).

(3) **THE DRAW**

Saturday evening's program will consist of four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races.

THURSDAY

08/02/2012

(1) **SCRATCHES**

One rider change completed Saturday's program adjustments.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The sixth race in the book for Sunday, maidens three, four and five for a \$2,500 tag, was used open (2 CAL-BREDS). Sub #5 for Sunday, three and up for a claiming price of \$8,000, was called off with one (0 CAL-BREDS).

(3) THE DRAW

Two Thoroughbred and seven Quarter Horse races will comprise Sunday evening's card.

FRIDAY

08/03/2012

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time was conducted at 9:00 a.m. with no changes or declarations on Sunday's program.

(2) POTTER MEETS PORTER

Dr. Casey Potter met with owner Glenn Porter today to discuss his vet bill with Equine Sports Medicine. The discussion went very well with both parties expressing their opinions in a completely civil manner. The Stewards reduced the debt by approximately \$300 and Mr. Porter agreed to pay the remaining balance within thirty days. Both parties appeared satisfied with the outcome.

(3) RULING #115RULING #115

GROOM ENRIQUE F. MOROYOQUI, HAVING NOW APPEARED TO ADDRESS CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD COMPLAINT #12LA0146, IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #109, DATED JULY 21, 2012, SUSPENDING MR. MOROYOQUI FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR), IS SET ASIDE.

The above ruling was issued after groom Enrique F. Moroyoqui appeared to answer charges referred to in case #12LA0146.

(4) RULING #116RULING #116

EXERCISE RIDER JUAN C. PASION, HAVING NOW APPEARED TO ADDRESS CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD COMPLAINT #12LA0151, IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #110, DATED JULY 21, 2012, SUSPENDING MR. PASION FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR), IS SET ASIDE.

The foregoing ruling was issued after exercise rider Juan Pasion appeared to address allegations stated in case #12LA0151.

(5) RULING #117RULING #117

GROOM ENRIQUE F. MOROYOQUI IS HEREBY SUSPENDED FOR THIRTY (30) DAYS (AUGUST 4, 2012 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2, 2012) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1489 (H) (GROUNDS FOR DENIAL OR REFUSAL OF LICENSE - METHAMPHETAMINE) AND #1902 (CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO HORSE RACING).

DURING THE TERM OF THIS SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF ENRIQUE E. MOROYOQUI ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS) MR. MOROYOQUI IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES WITHIN THIS JURISDICTION.

FURTHERMORE, AS A CONDITION OF REINSTATEMENT ENRIQUE F. MOROYOQUI SHALL SHOW PROOF OF A RECOVERY PROGRAM ACCEPTABLE TO THE STEWARDS AND SIGN A TEST AGREEMENT WITH THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD.

An informal hearing was conducted today to hear case #12LA0146. When questioned, groom Moroyoqui readily admitted to having used methamphetamine for some time.

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FURTHERMORE, AS A CONDITION OF REINSTATEMENT JUAN C. PASION SHALL SHOW PROOF OF A RECOVERY PROGRAM ACCEPTABLE TO THE STEWARDS AND SIGN A TEST AGREEMENT WITH THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD.

Exercise rider Juan Pasion's hearing was also held informally to resolve case #12LA0151. Mr. Pasion also admitted to being a methamphetamine abuser. In addition a search of his tack room resulted in the confiscation of drug paraphernalia.

(7) NINTH RACE – INQUIRY – DISQUALIFICATION

The Inquiry was posted following the final contest of the evening to review the start of the race. The CD shows #5 "Canucatcher Star" (5th – J. Cruz) breaking in sharply causing #4 "Corona Winner" (6th – J. Andrade) to take up abruptly eliminating any chance she may have had at a decent placing. After speaking with the involved riders and examining the disc replay the vote was unanimous to disqualify "Canucatcher Star."

Original Order of Finish: 6 – 1 – 3 – (5) – 2 – 4

Official Order of Finish: 6 – 1 – 3 – 2 – 4 – (5)

(8) LATE DECLARATIONS

6th Race - # 4 No Secret Lady (Tr. P. Jones) flipped in gate, Stewards.
Refund: \$12,958.00.

(9) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance: | 1,021 | On Track Handle: | \$159,626.20 |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>2,370</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$497,622.70 |
| Total: | 3,391 | Out of State: | <u>\$742,658.48</u> |
| | | Total: | \$1,399,907.38 |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$429,264

SATURDAY

08/04/2012

(1) FILMS

Jockey Joel Cruz reviewed the ninth race with the Stewards from last night to discuss the disqualification of his mount. We felt that Joel did an admirable job in as much as the filly ducked in so abruptly, leaving him little time to react.

(2) FILMS

Apprentice Devan Torres was in to review the first race from last evening. Devan admitted cutting the corner a little short, causing Dee Dee Williams to steady her horse. The Stewards felt the damage was minimal and let him go with a warning.

(3) FIRST RACE DELAY

The evening's first race was held up approximately fifteen minutes when #3 "Grand Mischief" flipped in the gate and got hung up. The mare was finally dislodged, however the assistant starter handling her was transported with a possible broken arm.

(4) FIRST RACE – OBJECTION – NO CHANGE

Following the first race jockey Dionicio Navarro on #7 "Planet Janet" (3rd) lodged an Objection against #5 "Cuvee Blush" (2nd – A. Bautista). Films show "Cuvee Blush" drift slightly on the turn however Navarro's mount also drifts out. The Stewards felt the incident did not affect the outcome of the race therefore no change was warranted.

(5) THIRD RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards posted the Inquiry following the third race to review the run into the turn. #4 "Morning Frost" (1st – D. Navarro) dropped in entering the far turn causing #1 "Yankee Romance" (3rd – D. Williams) to take up to avoid possibly clipping heels. After speaking with the riders involved and examining the replay the vote was unanimous to disqualify "Morning Frost."

Original Order of Finish: (4) – 2 – 1 – 6 – 3 – 5

Official Order of Finish: 2 – 1 – (4) – 6 – 3 – 5

(6) LATE DECLARATIONS

1st Race - # 3 Grand Mischief (Tr. C. Treece) flipped in gate, Stewards.
Refund: \$36,793.00.
2nd Race - # 8 Nothin But Storm (Tr. V. Farris) wrong markings, Stewards.
Refund: \$1,991.00.
4th Race - # 6 DL Mr Obsession (Tr. J. Enriquez) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$213.00.
6th Race - # 6 Frankly First Ace (Tr. G. Morales) broke through gate, Stewards.
Refund: \$22,302.00.

(7) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance: | 1,103 | On Track Handle: | \$172,769.80 |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>2,086</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$614,327.60 |
| Total: | 3,189 | Out of State: | <u>\$763,632.79</u> |
| | | Total: | \$1,550,730.19 |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$432,395

SUNDAY

08/05/2012

(1) NAVARRO RULINGRULING #119

JOCKEY DIONICIO NAVARRO WHO RODE "MORNING FROST" IN THE THIRD RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2012, IS SUSPENDED THREE (3) RACING DAYS (AUGUST 12TH, 17TH AND 18TH, 2012) FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THE PROPER EFFORT TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE, CAUSING INTERFERENCE, RESULTING IN THE DISQUALIFICATIONS OF HIS MOUNT FROM FIRST TO THIRD POSITION. 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 after jockey Dionicio Navarro met with the Stewards regarding his disqualification in last evening's third race. Dionicio contended that the horse on the rail was coming out which the films fail to substantiate. The root of the problem was Navarro allowing his mount to drop in too sharply going into the turn.

(2) NAVARRO RULINGRULING #120

TRAINER ELOY NAVARRO IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1846 (RACING SOUNDNESS EXAMINATION) AND FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1530 (CASE NOT COVERED BY RULES AND REGULATIONS - FAILING TO CONDUCT HIS BUSINESS IN THE PROPER MANNER).

The above ruling was issued after meeting with trainer Eloy Navarro regarding a complaint from Track Veterinarian Dr. Hackathorn. Eloy failed to have his horse ready for its Racing Soundness Examination, causing Dr. Hackathorn to wait while the horse's standing bandages were removed and the leg dressings were flushed from the horse's legs. Dr. Hackathorn examines a lot of horses and does not need these unnecessary delays.

(3) CLEAR SAILING

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

(4) LATE DECLARATIONS

5th Race - # 4 Danielles Warfish (Tr. A. Aquino) wrong markings, Stewards.
Refund: \$412.00.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance: | 918 | On Track Handle: | \$142,300.00 |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>1,766</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$373,512.50 |
| Total: | 2,684 | Out of State: | <u>\$611,446.75</u> |
| | | Total: | \$1,127,259.25 |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$370,391

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> |
|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| 8/4/2012 | 4 | 6 | DL Mr Obsession | J. Enriquez | Sick | Hackathorn | \$213 |

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted August 5, 2012. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period seventeen horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: one for soundness, two for injury, one for sickness, eleven for medication, one for bleeding, none for shock wave therapy, and one for coggins. Fifteen 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 | FRI 08/03 | SAT 08/04 | SUN 08/05 | WEEK TOTAL | MEET TOTAL |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| ACCIDENTS | D | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| CAL-BRED RACES | | A | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| CLAIMS | | | R | | 2 | 9 | 4 | 15 | 225 |
| DISQUALIFICATIONS | | | | K | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 39 |
| INQUIRIES | D | | | | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 63 |
| REFUNDS | | A | | | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 211 |
| RULINGS | | | Y | | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 120 |

Stewards' Attendance: James Dreyer, Albert Christiansen, George Slender and Randy Winick were in daily attendance during this reporting period.

James Dreyer (Steward)

Albert Christiansen (Steward)

George Slender (Steward)

Randy Winick (Safety Steward)