

**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 November 25, 2014 through November 30, 2014.

**FRIDAY**

11/25/2014

**(1) DUTY STEWARD**

Ruben Moreno will be on duty this week attending morning office matters and recording the minutes during this reporting period.

**(2) ENTRIES AND DRAW**

Nine races were drawn for Friday night's card consisting of three Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse events. The draw was completed at 1:45 p.m.

**(3) CAL-BRED**

The first race in the book for Friday, California-bred maidens, two years old, going 300 yards, claiming price \$16,000, failed to fill with one entry (1 CAL-BRED). Sub #3 in the book for Friday, California-bred maidens, three years old and upward, claiming price \$5,000, going 330 yards, also failed to fill with three entries (3 CAL-BREDS).

**WEDNESDAY**

11/26/2014

**(1) SCRATCHES**

Friday scratches were taken at 9:00 a.m. resulting in one scratch, no rider changes, and no equipment changes for Friday evening's program.

**(2) ENTRIES AND DRAW**

Nine races were drawn for Saturday night's card consisting of five Thoroughbred and four Quarter Horse events. The draw was completed at 4:00 p.m.

**(3) CAL-BRED REPORT**

The fifth race in the book for Saturday, California-bred maidens, fillies two years old, going 300 yards, failed to fill with three entries (3 CAL-BREDS). Sub #2 in the book for Saturday, California-bred two year olds, claiming price \$16,000, going 330 yards, also failed to fill with no entries (0 CAL-BREDS).

**THURSDAY**

11/27/2014

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Saturday night's program was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m. resulting in no scratches, no rider changes, and no equipment changes for Saturday evening's program.

(2) ENTRIES AND DRAW

Nine races were drawn for Sunday night's card consisting of three Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse events. Of the six Quarter Horse events, three of those races are trials for the Southern California Derby. The draw was completed at 1:00 p.m.

(3) CAL-BRED REPORT

The first race in the book for Sunday, California-bred maidens, two years old, claiming price \$3,200, going 300 yards, failed to fill with two entries (2 CAL-BREDS). Sub #3 in the book for Sunday, California-bred maidens, two years old and upward, claiming price \$5,000, going 870 yards, also failed to fill with no entries (0 CAL-BREDS).

**FRIDAY**

11/28/2014

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratches for Sunday were held at 9:00 a.m. resulting in two also-eligible scratches, no rider changes, and no equipment changes for Sunday evening's program.

(2) ALONSO RULING

RULING #205

STABLE AGENT JOSE ALONSO WHO REPRESENTED THE HORSE "IMA FIRE LOVER" IN THE SECOND RACE ON AUGUST 16, 2014 AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00)\* AND SUSPENDED ONE (1) YEAR (DECEMBER 1, 2014 THROUGH DECEMBER 1, 2015) PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1843 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) (ZILPATEROL - CLASS III) AND #1902 (CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO HORSE RACING).

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

Stable Agent Alonso was notified of the final decision from the California Horse Racing Board. The results of that decision are reflected in the above ruling.

(3) FARIAS RULING

RULING #206

TRAINER JORGE FARIAS WHO STARTED THE HORSE "IMA FIRE LOVER" IN THE SECOND RACE ON AUGUST 16, 2014 AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00)\* AND SUSPENDED ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY (180) DAYS (DECEMBER 10, 2014 THROUGH JUNE 7, 2015) PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) AND RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1843 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) (ZILPATEROL - CLASS III).

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

Trainer Jorge Farias appeared before the Stewards and was informed of the final decision from the California Horse Racing Board. The results of that decision are reflected in the above ruling.

(4) FAMA RULING

RULING #207

TRAINER DOMINADOR FAMA WHO STARTED THE HORSE "ERNIE OWL" IN THE FOURTH RACE ON APRIL 13, 2014 AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000.00)\* AND SUSPENDED THIRTY (30) DAYS (DECEMBER 1, 2014 THROUGH DECEMBER 30, 2014) PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) AND RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1843 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) (2-(1-HYDROXYETHYL) PROMAZINE (143 NG/ML), A METABOLITE OF ACEPROMAZINE - CLASS III).

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

Trainer Dominador Fama's attorney, Seth Weinstein, was notified telephonically of the final decision from the California Horse Racing Board. The results of that decision are reflected in the above ruling.

(5) DE LA TORRE RULING

RULING #208

TRAINER JOSE DE LA TORRE IS FINED ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$160,000.00)\* AND SUSPENDED FOR A CONSECUTIVE PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS AND SIXTY (60) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS RULING PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1843 (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) AND #1844 (AUTHORIZED MEDICATION) ON FOUR (4) SEPARATE OCCASIONS (CLENBUTEROL - CLASS III).

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

Trainer Jose De La Torre was notified of the final decision from the California Horse Racing Board. The results of that decision are reflected in the above ruling.

(6) PROBLEM-FREE NIGHT OF RACING

Friday evening's card ran without incident, providing a good night of racing.

(7) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

- 1<sup>st</sup> Race - # 4 Hot Rock Hallie (Tr. A. Tekos Jr.) claimed, Tr. K. Craigmyle.  
# 6 Kitsi (Tr. R. DeLeon) claimed, Tr. K. Castaneda.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 5 Breakn Win (Tr. D. Ekins) claimed, Tr. V. Zamudio.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 5 Swiss Game (Tr. J. Avalos) entered back, Stewards.  
Refund: \$443.00.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 Courtly (Tr. S. Willoughby) claimed, Tr. G. Morales.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 2 Shackbamalama (Tr. K. Castaneda) unsound, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$198.00.  
# 4 My Ticket To Ride (Tr. R. Gomez) Jockey Brandon Boulanger replaced Jockey Cayetano Chaparro (sick).  
# 5 Smokin Padre (Tr. L. Campuzano) Jockey Dionicio Navarro replaced Jockey Ramon Guce (sick).
- 6<sup>th</sup> Race - # 5 Senora Sola (Tr. R. Viramontes) Jockey Dionicio Navarro replaced Jockey Julian Serrano (injured).
- 7<sup>th</sup> Race - # 2 Winemeupp (Tr. S. Willoughby) claimed, Tr. M. Loza.

	# 3 <u>A Dashing Looker</u> (Tr. S. Willoughby) claimed, Tr. M. Loza.		
8 <sup>th</sup> Race -	# 3 <u>Serenity</u> (Tr. S. Willoughby) claimed, Tr. J. Moreno.		
<b>(8) <u>ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE</u></b>			
On Track Attendance:	738	On Track Handle:	\$122,488.90
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,863</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$399,559.40
Total:	2,601	Out of State:	<u>\$692,191.30</u>
		Total:	\$1,214,239.60

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$382,388

**SATURDAY**  
11/29/2014

**(1) STEWARDS MEET WITH JOCKEYS**

An informal meeting was held in the Jockey's Room to provide information on the upcoming change to the California Horse Racing Board Rule regarding the use of riding crops. It was explained that this new rule would prohibit a jockey from using his riding crop more than three times in succession without giving his mount a chance to respond.

**(2) FIFTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION**

Following the running of the fifth race (Thoroughbred – 4½ furlongs), the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to review an incident that occurred nearing the 1/16<sup>th</sup> pole. Involved was the winner, #1 “Gliding Love” (G. Boag), and the second place finisher, #5 “Caddy Cain” (R. Guce). Film review showed “Gliding Love,” while racing slightly on the lead, hazed “Caddy Cain,” which ultimately cost the colt the opportunity of winning the race. After watching replays and talking with the riders involved, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify “Gliding Love” from first and place him second behind “Caddy Cain” for his interference.

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

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

**(3) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Race - # 5 Warren's Gecko (Tr. K Castaneda) sick, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$202.00.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 5 Hot Tottie (Tr. B. Vickery) sick, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$146.00.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 1 Looking Out (Tr. A. Aquino) claimed, Tr. C. Treece.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 1 Gliding Love (Tr. C. Treece) claimed, Tr. F. Flores.  
# 2 Uncle Luck (Tr. R. DeLeon) Jockey Brandon Boulanger replaced Jockey Alex Jimenez (sick).
- 7<sup>th</sup> Race - # 5 Tribal Flash (Tr. R. DeLeon) claimed, Tr. E. Navarro.  
# 6 Heavenly Trail (Tr. A. Espinoza) sick, Dr. Beck.  
Refund: \$963.00.
- 8<sup>th</sup> Race - # 1 How And Why (Tr. S. Willoughby) claimed, Tr. S. Fiscal.

**(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE**

On Track Attendance:	862	On Track Handle:	\$104,285.00
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,149</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$296,788.60
Total:	3,011	Out of State:	<u>\$545,235.13</u>
		Total:	\$946,308.73

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$307,039

**SUNDAY**  
11/30/2014

**(1) BOAG FILM REVIEW & RULING**

Jockey Gary Boag was in to discuss his disqualification in the fifth race on Saturday, November 29, 2014 aboard #1 “Gliding Love.” An agitated Jockey Gary Boag was of the opinion that he had rode a winning race, was undeserving of any penalty, and provided numerous tweets to substantiate his argument. Unmoved by popular opinion, the Stewards countered that a better effort to maintain a straighter course was needed and issued the following ruling:

RULING #209

JOCKEY GARY BOAG WHO RODE "GLIDING LOVE" IN THE FIFTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2014, IS SUSPENDED THREE (3) RACING DAYS (DECEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>, 12<sup>TH</sup>, AND 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2014) FOR FAILURE TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE, CAUSING INTERFERENCE RESULTING IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF HIS MOUNT FROM FIRST TO SECOND 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.

(2) THIRD RACE – VOIDED CLAIM

Trainer Brian Koriner's \$2,500 claim on #4 "Wine N Maxine" was voided by the Stewards after Dr. Beck's examination of the five year old mare at the Receiving Barn post-race found her to be unsound. "Wine N Maxine" was placed on the Veterinarian's List and returned to Trainer Charles Treece's barn.

(3) FOURTH RACE - JOCKEY OBJECTION – NO CHANGE

Following the running of the fourth race (Thoroughbred – 4½ furlongs), the Objection sign was posted at the request of Jockey Brandon Boulanger who was aboard the second place finisher, #2 "Aerial Artist." Boulanger alleged interference at the start by the winner, #1 "Mason B" (G. Boag). Film replays showed Jockey Boulanger's mount, "Aerial Artist," stumbling at the start and "Mason B" breaking out slightly. The Stewards unanimously agreed to make no change to the order of finish as there was no much to the incident.

(4) EIGHTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

After the running of the eighth race (Quarter Horse – 400 yards), the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to review an incident at the start. Involved were #6 "Jess Bring It" (4<sup>th</sup> – T. Guymon) and #5 "Smoothe Movin Chic" (5<sup>th</sup> – C. Huerta). Replays show "Jess Bring It" breaking in sharply, shutting off "Smoothe Movin Chic," which cost her the opportunity of a better placing. After this film review and talking with the riders involved, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify "Jess Bring It" from fourth and place him fifth behind "Smooth Movin Chic."

Original Order of Finish: 4 – 9 – 1 – (6) – 5 – 8 – 7 – 2 – 3

Official Order of Finish: 4 – 9 – 1 – 5 – (6) – 8 – 7 – 2 – 3

(5) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1<sup>st</sup> Race - # 1 Social Status (Tr. E. January) claimed, Tr. C. Treece.

2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 1 Twoatten Tenattwo (Tr. S. Martinez) Jockey Efrain Hernandez replaced Jockey Cheryl Charlton (sick).

3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 1 Red Boots (Tr. L. Campuzano) Jockey Cayetano Chaparro replaced Jockey Cheryl Charlton (sick).

# 4 Wine N Maxine (Tr. C. Treece) claimed, Tr. B. Koriner – VOIDED.

4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 Flash 76 (Tr. S. Fiscal) owner's license expired, Stewards. Refund: \$117.00.  
# 8 Storm Hollow (Tr. L. Campuzano) Jockey Minor Arana replaced Jockey Cheryl Charlton (sick).

5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 3 RGR Chicsluvme (Tr. J. Farias) Jockey Tony Guymon replaced Jockey Carlos Marquez (late).

# 4 Racingdownthehill (Tr. R. Viramontes) Jockey Minor Arana replaced Jockey Julian Serrano (injured).

6<sup>th</sup> Race - # 4 Easing Thru Traffic (Tr. J. Farias) Jockey Rodolfo Arvizu replaced Jockey Carlos Marquez (late).

7<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 La Dejona (Tr. J. Farias) Jockey Minor Arana replaced Jockey Carlos Marquez (late).

# 8 Moonist (Tr. J. Cooper) hoof abscess, Dr. Beck. Refund: \$69.00.

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance: 506

Off Track Attendance: 1,728

On Track Handle: \$84,782.10

Off Track Handle: \$282,401.20

Total: 2,234 Out of State: \$820,204.52  
 Total: \$1,187,387.82

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$487,191.12  
 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>
11/28/2014	5	2	Shackbamalama	K. Castaneda	Unsound	Beck	\$198
11/29/2014	1	5	Warren's Gecko	K. Castaneda	Sick	Beck	\$202
	2	5	Hot Tottie	B. Vickery	Sick	Beck	\$146
	7	6	Heavenly Trail	A. Espinoza	Sick	Beck	\$963
11/30/2014	7	8	Moonist	J. Cooper	Hoof abscess	Beck	\$69

### TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on November 30, 2014. No equine deaths were reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period nine horses were added to the Veterinarian's

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

This report was submitted by Steward Ruben Moreno.

### **CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**

#### **SUMMARY**

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 11/28	SAT 11/29	SUN 11/30	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	0	0	13
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	26
CLAIMS			R		7	4	1	12	468
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	1	1	2	40
INQUIRIES	D				0	1	1	2	72
REFUNDS		A			2	3	2	7	392
RULINGS			Y		4	0	1	5	209

Stewards' Attendance: Stewards Ruben Moreno, George Slender, James Dreyer and Safety Steward Randy Winick were in attendance during this reporting period.

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 Ruben Moreno (Steward)

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 George Slender (Steward)

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James Dreyer (Steward)

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Randy Winick (Safety Steward)