

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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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 January 12, 2016 through January 17, 2016.

TUESDAY

1/12/2016

(1) DUTY STEWARD

James Dreyer will represent the Stewards during the morning hours and will record the minutes during this reporting period.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The second race in the book, maidens three years old, was off with one. 0 Cal-Breds.

(3) ENTRIES AND DRAW

Fridays eight race card was divided equally between the Quarters and Thoroughbreds

WEDNESDAY

1/13/2016

(1) SCRATCHES

One blinker and one rider switch completed Friday's program changes.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The first race in the book, maiden three year olds for an \$8,000 claim, was off with three. 1 Cal-Bred.

(3) ENTRIES AND DRAW

A 2:30 P.M. draw produced three Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races.

THURSDAY

1/14/2016

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time was finalized at 9:00 A.M. with two rider changes and one declaration.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Probably due to an oversight no Cal-Bred races were offered for Sunday.

(3) ENTRIES AND DRAW

After a marathon session eight races were finally drawn at 5:30 in the evening.

FRIDAY

01/15/2016

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time resulted in one equipment and one rider change.

(1) FILMS

Jockey Jonathan Roman was by to review last Saturdays sixth race with the Stewards. His mount was headed in before he had even cleared the gate. The Stewards felt he made a commendable effort to remedy the situation.

(3) INQUIRY – NO CHANGE

The Stewards posted the inquiry following the fourth race to examine an incident going into the turn. #3 Hescominonstrong(fell - O. Santos) drifted out entering the turn getting his legs tangled up with the legs of #8 Straight Bourbon (5th D. Navarro) causing him to stumble unseating Santos. Straight Bourbon remained in his path and was blameless. The vote was unanimous to make no change.

(4) INQUIRY – NO CHANGE

The Stewards posted the inquiry following the eighth race to review the start. Immediately after the start, while racing in the clear, #3 Sixarun Babe fell. It appeared and was later confirmed the gelding had broken his back. No change was warranted.

(5) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st Race - # 2 Caballo Bonito – (S. Perez) Entered Back

Stewards Refund: \$106.00

5th Race - #5 Bold Decision – (D. Givens) Entered Back

Stewards Refund: \$158.00

8th Race - #6 Ima Polaris – (Y. Rodriguez) Sick. Dr. Beck

Refund: \$1139.00

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	633	On Track Handle:	\$101,510.00
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,875</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$356,509.40
Total:	2,508	Out of State:	<u>\$680,200.40</u>
		Total:	\$1,138,219.80

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$365,754

SATURDAY

01/16/2016 (1) REHEARING

Complaint #15LA0150 was reopened to gather additional information for a Proposed Decision previously submitted. The proceedings were recorded by court reporter Michelle Derieg. The hearing was opened and Supervising Investigator Tom Blake introduced evidence gathered in a telephonic interview with the owner of Dragon Dance, Diana Lopez. As there were no other witnesses, the hearing was closed and the additional information will be submitted in the form of a Revised Proposed Decision.

(2) INQUIRY – NO CHANGE - ACCIDENT

The Stewards posted the inquiry following the first race to review an accident. Shortly after the start of the 4 ½ furlong race #2 Holiday Fantasy (fell–G. Boag) was getting out and clipped the heels of #3 Some Perfect Moon. Some Perfect Moon was maintaining a straight course and was not at fault. No change was the unanimous decision.

(3) WRONG NUMBERS

Following the eighth race placing posted #4 and #5. The correct finish was #5 and #4. The error was caught promptly and corrected prior to the third and fourth horses being hung.

(4) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st Race - # 4 Mr. Pete Got Even – (A. Aquino) Injured, Dr. Fitzgerald

Refund: \$689.00

4th Race - #2 The Birdy – (F. Vallejo) Sick, Dr. Beck

Refund: \$550.00

4th Race - #8 Inpursuit – (V. Zamudio) Injured, Dr. Fitzgerald

Refund: \$500.00

7th Race - #8 Costly Dasher – (R. Guillen) Injured, Dr Fitzgerald

Refund: \$183.00

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	762	On Track Handle:	\$ 94,396.40
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,013</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$292,550.20
Total:	2,775	Out of State:	<u>\$563,595.99</u>
		Total:	\$950,542.59

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$303,955

SUNDAY

01/17/2016

(1) FILMS

Apprentice Cassidy Clerisse reviewed last evenings fifth race with the Stewards. Approaching the turn in the 4 ½ furlong event she was angling her mount towards the rail and failed to give adequate room to the trailing horses. The Stewards felt a warning would suffice in this instance.

(2) CLAIM VOIDED

The first race claim of Haaay Sexy Lady by Art Sherman was voided after the filly was placed on the vets list as lame by Dr. Beck. The filly was returned to Angela Aquino.

(3) CLAIM VOIDED

The second race claim of Bishamon by Jose Silva was voided after the gelding was placed on the vets list as unsound. He was returned to trainer Charles Treece.

(4) DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st Race - #2 Ebony Cat – (K. Walsh) Injured, Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$241.00

3rd Race - #2 Bubbles Hansen – (S. Perez) Injured, Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$185.00

5th Race - #5 House of Tales – (R. Gomez) Sick, Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$228.00

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	658	On Track Handle:	\$ 76,760.70
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,914</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$213,526.70
Total:	2,572	Out of State:	<u>\$712,009.66</u>
		Total:	\$1,002,297.06

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$385,375

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>
01/15/16	8	6	Ima Polaris	Y. Rodriguez	Sick	Beck	\$1139.00
01/16/16	1	4	Mr. Pete Got Even	A. Aquino	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$689.00
01/16/16	4	2	The Birdy	F. Vallejo	Sick	Beck	\$550.00
01/16/16	4	8	Inpursuit	V. Zamudio	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$500.00
01/16/16	7	8	Costly Dasher	R Guillen	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$183.00
01/17/16	1	2	Ebony Cat	K. Walsh	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$241.00
01/17/16	3	2	Bubbles Hanson	S. Perez	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$185.00
01/17/16	5	5	House of Tales	R. Gomez	Sick	Fitzgerald	\$228.00

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on January 17th, 2016. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period twelve horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: two for soundness, six for injury, three for sickness, zero for medication, zero for bleeding, zero for shock wave therapy and one for Coggins. Seven horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward Dreyer.

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD
SUMMARY**

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 01/01	SAT 01/02	SUN 01/03	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				2	1	0	3	3
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	0
CLAIMS			R		6	5	1	12	39
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	0	0	0	1
INQUIRIES	D				2	1	0	3	4
REFUNDS		A			3	4	3	10	26
RULINGS			Y		0	0	0	0	15

Stewards' Attendance: James Dreyer, Randy Winick, Tom Ward and Safety Steward David Nuesch were in attendance during this reporting period.

James Dreyer (Steward)

Randy Winick (Steward)

Tom Ward (Steward)

David Nuesch (Safety Steward)