

(2) RULING #67

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ACTING UPON A REPORT FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS, AN OFFICIAL TESTING LABORATORY FOR THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD, THAT URINE SAMPLE #LA43037, TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "SOMETHINGABOUTNICK", THE FIRST PLACE FINISHER IN THE FIRST RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON JANUARY 12, 2019, TESTED POSITIVE FOR ZILPATEROL (CLASS II), IT IS ORDERED THAT "SOMETHINGABOUTNICK" BE DISQUALIFIED FROM ALL PURSE MONIES EARNED IN SAID RACE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST FINDING).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT ALL PURSE MONIES (\$4,630.00) EARNED BY OWNER JAVIER LOPEZ, TRAINER JESUS NUNEZ, AND JOCKEY ERICK GARCIA BE RETURNED TO THE PAYMASTER OF PURSES AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE BY APRIL 15, 2019, FOR REDISTRIBUTION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1760 (PURSE AWARD OR PRIZE TO BE WITHHELD).

REVISED ORDER OF FINISH IS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1st – ROUGH PASSAGE
- 2nd –SWISS CHEESE
- 3rd – AWESOME LEAP
- 4th – BIG ENERGY
- 5th – OUTLOOK

ALL RECORDS ARE ORDERED TO REFLECT THIS RULING. IN ACCORDANCE WITH CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1956 (RACE DECLARED OFFICIAL), THIS RULING SHALL NOT AFFECT THE PARIMUTUEL PAYOFFS.

Having notified owner Javier Lopez and trainer Jesus Nunez, and both having declined the opportunity to be present for the disqualification proceedings, the hearing moved forward resulting in the above ruling.

(3) RULING #68

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JOCKEY EULICES GOMEZ IS FINED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1688(b)(6) (USE OF RIDING CROP-MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN SUCCESSION, WITHOUT GIVING THE HORSE A CHANCE TO RESPOND- FIRST OFFENSE WITHIN THE PREVIOUS 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE FOURTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 10, 2019.

The foregoing ruling was issued after Jockey Eulices Gomez violated Rule #1688 (b)(6).

(4) GOOD NIGHT

With the exception of nine scratches, it was a very good evening.

(5) LATE DECLARATIONS

- 1ST Race #2 Proud Dream (J. Mendoza) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$119.00
- 1st Race #4 Awesomely Active (J. Lopez) – Unsound- Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$107.00
- 2nd Race #6 Fans On The Run (R. Lucas) – Sick– Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$237.00
- 3rd Race #6 Lady's War Dress (B. Grayson) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$111.00
- 4th Race #1 Fort Lewis Rivers (J. Uranga) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$6,148.00
- 4th Race #3 Masters Circle (J. Uranga) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$283.00
- 5th Race #4 Miracle Milagros (J. Lopez) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$338.00
- 7th Race #1 All Told (V. Zamudio) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$107.00
- 7th Race #6 Throckmorton (J. Nunez) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$539.00

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	550	On Track Handle:	\$63,284.60
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,762</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$237,173.00
Total:	2,312	Out of State:	<u>\$617,759.17</u>
			<u>\$918,216.77</u>

Saturday
3/16/2019

(1) RULING #69

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JOCKEY CHRISTIAN M. ARAGON IS FINED ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$150.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1688(b)(6) (USE OF RIDING CROP-MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN SUCCESSION, WITHOUT GIVING THE HORSE A CHANCE TO RESPOND- SECOND OFFENSE WITHIN THE PREVIOUS 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE FOURTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 15, 2019.

The foregoing ruling was issued after Jockey Aragon was guilty of violating Rule #1688 (b)(6).

(2) INQUIRY-NON STARTER

The Stewards posted the inquiry sign following the sixth race to review the break. #3 "Barrymore Red Hot" had already begun to flip his head when starter Brinson dispatched the field. In a majority decision, "Barrymore Red Hot" was declared a non-starter. Although he was hopelessly left, Steward Dreyer dissented feeling that "Barrymore Red Hot" had caused the entire situation and should be declared a starter.

(3) LATE DECLARATIONS

1st Race #5 Annitasheaven (Tr. A. Gonzalez) – Injured - Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$157.00
3rd Race #1 Shadow of War (Tr. J. Nunez) – Entered Back – Stewards
Refund \$110.00
3rd Race #4 Who's Hot (Tr. C. Treece) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$153.00
5th Race #3 Belligerent (Tr. K. Castaneda) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$250.00
6th Race #3 Barrymore Red Hot (Tr. R. Guillen) – Declared Non Starter – Stewards
Refund \$25,789.00

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	710	On Track Handle:	\$82,175.50
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,861</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$237,116.30
Total:	2,571	Out of State:	<u>\$757,382.85</u>
			\$1,076,674.65

Sunday
3/17/2019

(1) RULING #70

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JOCKEY CHRISTIAN M. ARAGON IS FINED TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1688(b)(6) (USE OF RIDING CROP-MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN SUCCESSION, WITHOUT GIVING THE HORSE A CHANCE TO RESPOND- THIRD OFFENSE WITHIN THE PREVIOUS 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE THIRD RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 16, 2019.

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Aragon violated Rule #1688 (b)(6) for the second time in as many days.

(2) RULING #71

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JOCKEY JOSE NICASIO IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1872 (FAILURE TO FULFILL JOCKEY AGREEMENT) IN THE SEVENTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 16, 2019.

The above ruling was issued after Jockey Jose Nicasio failed to fulfill his riding engagement in last evening's seventh race.

(3) FAILED TO FINISH

Shortly after the break in the fourth race, #2 "Yes Im Ready", the favorite, appeared to be injured and was pulled up by Jockey Ramon Guce. A report from Safety Steward Nuesch will be submitted.

(4) LATE DECLARATIONS

1st Race #1 Derby Tango (Tr. R. Gomez) – Unsound– Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$166.35

2nd Race #6 Mostly Cloudy (Tr. L. Ruiz) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$400.05

3rd Race #4 Queen Dreamer (Tr. L. Ruiz) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$8,042.00

3rd Race #5 Dayjur Bold (Tr. Y. Rodriguez) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$692.90

5th Race #2 Working (Tr. S. Morfin) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund \$355.25

6th Race #6 Naughty Sophie (Tr. J. Sierra) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund \$512.95

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	613	On Track Handle:	\$89,772.70
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,699</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$265,234.60
Total:	2,312	Out of State:	<u>\$768,258.06</u>
			\$1,123,265.36

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on March 17, 2019. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period 21 horses were added to the Veterinarian’s List as follows: 10 for soundness, 4 for injury, and 7 for sickness. Seven 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 2019**

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 3/15	SAT 3/16	SUN 3/17	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	0	0	1
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	0
CLAIMS			R		1	5	4	10	71
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	0	0	0	8
INQUIRIES	D				0	1	0	1	16
REFUNDS		A			9	5	5	19	96
RULINGS			Y		2	1	2	5	71
VOIDED CLAIMS				S	0	0	0	0	7

Stewards’ Attendance: Stewards James Dreyer, Scott Chaney, Tom Ward and Safety Steward David Nuesch were in attendance during this reporting period.

James Dreyer (Steward)

Scott Chaney (Steward)

Tom Ward (Steward)

David Nuesch (Safety Steward)