



**(2) RIDER EXCUSED**

Guillermo Suarez was excused from his only mount of the evening as he was not feeling up to par. A replacement rider was named. He asked to be excused tomorrow as well.

**(3) FINANCIAL HEARING**

Owner Sean Perry was in the office this afternoon in response to a complaint filed against him by Nicola Hardgrove, DVM, for veterinary work done on his horses. The original amount was \$1,424.45, but after a couple of adjustments on the part of Dr. Hardgrove, the complaint was settled for \$1,324.50. A financial agreement was signed, with the delinquency to be paid in by October 31, 2020.

**(4) REFUND**

A refund was ordered in the third race as #1 "Elemental" flipped while being saddled and was declared on the advice of Racing Veterinarian Fitzgerald. This late scratch reduced the field to four runners, prompting the cancelation of "Show" wagering. The refund amounted to \$4,073.31.

**(5) JOCKEY OBJECTION - NO CHANGE**

The objection sign was posted after the fourth race as Christian Aragon (6<sup>th</sup>, #4 "Copper Cowgirl") lodged a claim of foul against Ramon Guce (2<sup>nd</sup>, #5 "Ron's Cat") for interference at the start. The rider alleged that the "Place" horse came in to bump his mount at the start. After reviewing video of the incident, the Stewards unanimously voted to dismiss the claim of foul. Video showed that Aragon and his mount were responsible for the original contact and that no change was warranted.

**(6) CLAIM VOIDED**

A claim in the fifth race deposited by trainer Danny Montes for #5 "Stellish" was voided as Official Veterinarian Gary Beck reported that the horse was unsound in the right foreleg during its time in the detention barn. The horse was returned to the barn of trainer Matthew Fales.

**(7) REFUND**

The Stewards ordered a refund in the seventh race as #5 "Octavia" flipped during saddling and was declared on the recommendation of Racing Veterinarian Fitzgerald. The refund totaled \$1,060.15.

**(8) DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	0	\$0.00
Off track	0	\$0.00
Out of state	N/A	\$1,030,756.64
Total	0	\$1,139,453.34

**Sunday**  
09/13/2020

**(1) EARLY DECLARATION**

1<sup>st</sup> Race #1 Doheny Beach (Vet-Injured) Refund of \$133.80

**(2) RIDER CHANGE**

There was a late rider change in the third race as Mark Jasso, who was scheduled to ride #2 "Gowdy", called with a somewhat flimsy excuse that he was delayed as he was at home trying to lose weight. A replacement rider was named.

**(3) RULINGS**

Ruling #204

JOCKEY IRVING LARA IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)\* 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 PAST 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE RUNNING OF THE FIFTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2020.

\*California Horse Racing Board Rule #1532 states that all fines shall be paid to the paymaster of purses within seven (7) days of imposition (09/20/2020) or the license of the person upon whom the fine was imposed shall be suspended.

Ruling #205

JOCKEY JOSE M. NICASIO IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)\* 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 PAST 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE RUNNING OF THE SIXTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2020.

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The preceding rulings were issued as the riders did not appear to defend their actions.

**(4) REFUND**

A refund was ordered in the sixth race as Official Veterinarian Gary Beck reported that the horse injured itself while in the Receiving Barn and should be declared. The refund totaled \$4,148.153.

**(5) DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	0	\$0.00
Off track	0	\$0.00
Out of state	N/A	\$1,068,310.49
Total	0	\$1,179,950.79

**TRACK SAFTEY REPORT**

The weekly inspection was conducted on September 13, 2020. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period, 9 horses were added to the Veterinarian's List as follows: 1 for soundness, 5 for injury, 2 for sickness, and 1 for bleeding. Nine horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list. This report was submitted by Steward Tom Ward.

**SUMMARY**

	Wed	Thurs	Fri 09/11	Sat 09/12	Sun 09/13	Week	Meet
<b>Accidents</b>	D		0	0	0	0	4
<b>Cal-Bred Races</b>	A		0	0	0	0	7
<b>Claims</b>	R		1	2	1	4	213
<b>Disqualifications</b>	K		0	0	0	0	27
<b>Inquiries</b>		D	0	1	0	1	28
<b>Refunds</b>		A	4	2	2	8	328
<b>Rulings</b>		Y	0	0	2	2	186
<b>Voided Claims</b>		S	0	1	0	1	32

Stewards' Attendance: Stewards Tom Ward, Richard Williams, James Dreyer, and Safety Steward Paul Atkinson were in attendance during this reporting period.

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Tom Ward, Steward

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Richard Williams, Steward

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James Dreyer, Steward

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Paul Atkinson, Safety Steward