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Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards
To the California Horse Racing Board

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Report for the period Tuesday, October 16, 2012 through Sunday, October 21, 2012.

GENERAL DATA:

Dates: Thirty-six (36) days - Thursday, October 20 through Sunday, December 18, 2012.

Entries: 48 to 168 hours in advance

Scratch time: 9:00 a.m. the race day before the race

Post times: 12:45 p.m. daily; Thursday - Sunday.

Wagering offered: Win, Place and Show; Exacta, Quinella, Trifecta, Superfecta, Daily Double, High Five, Parlay, Pick 3, Pick 4, Pick 6 and Pick All

Northern California Satellite Facilities:

Anderson, Bakersfield, Fresno, Fresno Club One, Monterey, Pleasanton, Sacramento, San Jose, San Mateo, Santa Rosa, Stockton, Tulare, Turlock and Vallejo

STEWARDS:

Representing the California Horse Racing Board
John B. Herbuveaux, Darrel McHargue and Dennis Nevin;
(Safety Steward) Paul Nicolo

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Thursday10-18-12¹**PRE-MEET DUTIES**

Safety Steward Paul Nicolo attended to office duties on Sunday, October 14 with entries being taken for opening day, October 18. Steward John Herbuveaux was in attendance on Tuesday and Wednesday for entries and declarations for Friday's and Saturday's races. Mr. Herbuveaux will continue those duties through the remainder of the week.

10-18-12²**CAL-BRED REPORT**

Purse \$15,000. For California bred or California sired three year olds and upward, claiming price \$12,500 at six furlongs. The race was called off with no entries.

10-18-12³**RULING NO. 1 – ARRIAGA**

Jockey **JESUS ARRIAGA**, who rode **ALL JOCK** in the second race on Sunday, October 14, 2012 at the Big Fresno Fair (Fresno) is

suspended three (3) racing days (October 25, 26, and 27, 2012) for failure to make the proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – careless riding).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

The ruling listed above was issued after Mr. Arriaga met with the stewards, reviewed the race in question and acknowledged guilt. There was little Mr. Arriaga could say in his defense as the recording failed to show timely or sufficient course corrections on his part until after he interfered with the horse on his inside.

10-18-12 ⁴	<u>DECLARATION – REFUND</u>		
	4 th race: #9 UNMATCHED FORCE (Tr. Barry Abrams)		unsound
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$3,396.24
10-18-12 ⁵	<u>ATTENDANCE & HANDLE</u>		
	GGF 1,375	\$ 212,678.30	
	NCOT 1,703	\$ 516,244.20	
	SCOT	\$ 225,628.50	
	<u>Out of State</u>	<u>\$ 628,354.50</u>	
	TOTAL 3,078	\$1,582,905.50	

Friday

10-19-12 ¹	<u>CAL-BRED REPORT</u>		
	Purse \$10,000. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares, three years old and upward, claiming price \$5,000 at one mile. The race was called off with one entry.		
10-19-12 ²	<u>DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS</u>		
	3 rd race: #4 RED DEPUTY (Tr. Louis San Juan)		injury
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$470.60
	4 th race: #2 FOUR TO SCORE (Tr. Greg James)		injured
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$356.70
	#3 TOTHEMOONANDBEYOND (Tr. Gloria Haley)		injured
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 77.00
	6 th race: #7 KID STUFF (Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer)		sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$559.40
	7 th race: #2 STROLL FOR US (Tr. Patrick Gleason)		sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 58.01
10-19-12 ³	<u>JOCKEY COUTON FILM REVIEW</u>		
	Jockey Julien Couton reviewed the stretch run of yesterday's second race. The horses involved were #2 LUCKY MOMENT (6 th , Julien Couton), #3 PRINCESS NAYIRI (8 th , Frank Alvarado) and #8 HONEST DESIRE (5 th , Alejandro Gomez). The recordings show Mr. Couton made the decision to go inside jockey Alvarado's mount which was tiring and dropping back and take the path of HONEST DESIRE who was racing along the rail. The rider of HONEST DESIRE was forced to check sharply to avoid the heels of Mr. Couton's mount.		

The inquiry light was not lit as #8 HONEST DESIRE placed in front of #2 LUCKY MOMENT.

After listening to Mr. Couton's explanation, by majority vote (Steward McHargue dissenting), no sanction was issued. The majority was of the opinion a slight inward shift of #3 shifted some of the blame onto the actions of #3 PRINCESS NAYIRI.

10-19-12 ⁴	ATTENDANCE & HANDLE		
	GGF	1,233	\$ 226,625.60
	NCOT	1,868	\$ 536,569.30
	SCOT		\$ 248,828.00
	Out of State		\$ 790,816.56
	TOTAL	3,101	\$1,802,839.46

Saturday

10-20-12¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

Purse \$11,000. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares, three years old and upward, claiming price \$6,250 at six furlongs. The race was called off with three entries.

10-20-12² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

1 st race:	#4 SUKARA	(Tr. Monty Meier)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 126.10
2 nd race:	#3 MIDNIGHT CON	(Tr. Doug O'neill)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 438.20
6 th race:	#1 COHIBA CAT	(Tr. Steve Miyadi)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 72.90
7 th race:	#4 SWEET NOTHINGS	(Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 101.00
	#8 CATHY'S CRUNCHES	(Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$1,004.40
8 th race:	#13 SLUGGER GIRL	(Tr. Armando Lage)	also eligible
	Stewards		REFUND: \$ 314.80
10 th race:	#3 OUR MERV (IRE)	(Tr. Steve Miyadi)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer		REFUND: \$ 582.80

10-20-12³ **RULING NO. 2 – RIBEIRO**

Owner **DARLAN RIBEIRO**, having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at Golden Gate Fields on or before Friday, October 19, 2012, to answer charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility), is hereby suspended pending an appearance for a hearing before the Board of Stewards for violation of CHRB rule #1547 (Failure to Appear).

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of DARLAN RIBEIRO are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

The preceding ruling was issued after Mr. Ribeiro failed to appear to address CHRB complaint 12GG155 alleging a debt of \$542.50 owed to Dr. William Grantham for veterinarian services.

10-20-12⁴ **STEWARD HERBUVEAUX ABSENT**

Steward John Herbuveaux was absent today for personal reasons. Safety Steward Paul Nicolo filled the position.

10-20-12 ⁵	ATTENDANCE & HANDLE		
	GGF	2,049	\$ 421,879.90
	NCOT	2,702	\$ 963,656.40
	SCOT		\$ 550,712.70
	Out of State		\$1,183,795.19
	TOTAL	4,751	\$3,120,044.19

Sunday10-21-12¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

Purse \$12,000. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares, three years old and upward, claiming price \$8,000 at one mile. Only three horses were entered in the race and the race was called off.

10-21-12² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

4 th race:	#9 SADLER'S COURT	(Tr. Patrick Gallagher)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 94.50
8 th race:	#11 TRIBAL SKY	(Tr. Tim Bellasis)	also eligible
	Stewards		REFUND: \$ 118.10
9 th race:	#5 HERAY LUCKY PULPIT	(Tr. Tim Bellasis)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 73.20

10-21-12³ **JOCKEY OBJECTION – Third Race – NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the third race jockey Eric Camacho, rider of #7 BIG JIM (4th), lodged a objection against #1 ELDORADO PRADO (1st, Dennis Carr) for interference near the eighth pole. After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the recorded views, no change was made to the order of finish.

The recordings show the rider of #7 steady his mount momentarily as he anticipated #1 crossing over and take his path. The rider of #1 corrected his mount prior to crossing over leaving a clear, although narrow, path for #7; therefore, no change in placing was necessary.

10-21-12⁴ **JOCKEY OBJECTIONS – Fifth Race – NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the fifth race jockey Julien Couton, rider of third place finisher #8 FASHIONATOR, lodge a claim of foul against #6 HERCULEAN (1st, Inoel Beato) for alleged interference in the stretch. After talking with the riders involved and reviewing the digital recordings, the race was made official.

The recording failed to show any interference that would rise to the level of altering the placing of #8.

10-21-12 ⁵	ATTENDANCE & HANDLE		
	GGF	3,901	\$ 444,371.00
	NCOT	2,363	\$ 749,483.80
	SCOT		\$ 486,895.50
	Out of State		\$1,053,992.95
	TOTAL	6,294	\$2,734,743.25

W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

ATTENDANCE REPORT - The full Board of Stewards was in attendance each racing day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program. Safety Steward Paul Nicolo handled entries on the non-racing day (10/14) and filled in for Steward Herbubeaux on Saturday (10/20) who was off for personal reasons. Steward Herbubeaux was in attendance on the non-racing days (10/ 16 and 10/16) to handle entries and scratches Friday and Saturday.

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
18-Oct	4	9	UNMATCHED FORCE	Abrams	unsound	Sporer	\$3,396.24
19-Oct	3	4	RED DUPUTY	San Juan	injured	Sporer	\$470.60
	4	2	FOUR TO SCORE	James	injured	Sporer	\$356.70
		3	TOTHEMOONANDBEYOND	Haley	injured	Sporer	\$77.00
	6	7	KID STUFF	Hollendorfer	sick	Sporer	\$559.40
	7	2	STROLL FOR US	Gleason	sick	Sporer	\$58.01
20-Oct	1	4	SUKARA	Meier	sick	Sporer	\$126.10
	2	3	MIDNIGHT CON	O'Neill	sick	Sporer	\$438.20
	6	1	COHIBA CAT	Miyadi	sick	Sporer	\$72.90
	7	4	SWEET NOTHINGS	Hollendorfer	sick	Sporer	\$101.00
		8	CATHY'S CRUNCHES	Hollendorfer	sick	Sporer	\$1,004.40
	10	3	OUR MERV (IRE)	Miyadi	sick	Sporer	\$582.80
21-Oct	4	9	SADLER'S COURT	Gallagher	injured	Isbell	\$94.50
	9	5	HERAY LUCKY PULPIT	Bellasis	injured	Isbell	\$73.20

VETERINARY REPORT**Euthanized / Died**

None Reported

Veterinarian's List

There were fourteen (14) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 8

Injured: 5

Unsound: 1

There were twenty-eight (28) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 18

Injured: 6

Unsound: 2

Bled: 2

Shockwave Therapy: There were no shockwave therapy treatments reported.**WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES**

Anderson	80	\$26,654.70
Bakersfield	299	\$76,348.20
Fresno	215	\$52,108.10
Fresno Club One	70	\$29,872.10
Monterey	274	\$73,178.30
Pleasanton	1220	\$488,073.00
Sacramento	981	\$293,938.80
San Jose	1545	\$458,360.70
San Mateo	2363	\$803,651.10
Santa Rosa	624	\$126,192.60
Stockton	648	\$195,535.10
Tulare	174	\$40,978.30
Turlock	280	\$88,602.60
Vallejo	573	\$178,126.00
So. California		\$1,512,064.70
Out of State		\$3,657,318.10

	18-Oct	19-Oct	20-Oct	21-Oct	Week	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	<i>0</i>
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	<i>0</i>
CLAIMS	3	1	2	2	8	<i>8</i>
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	<i>0</i>
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	1	0	2	3	<i>3</i>
REFUNDS	1	5	7	3	16	<i>16</i>
RULINGS	1	0	1	0	2	<i>2</i>

Respectfully submitted,

Darrel McHargue, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John B. Herbuveaux, Steward

Paul Nicolo, Steward

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