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## CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD



### PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION

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 Thursday June 2, 2016 through Sunday June 5, 2016.

#### THURSDAY

06-02-2016<sup>1</sup>

#### ENTRIES & SCRATCHES

Steward John Herbuveaux was on hand to oversee scratches for Friday and entries for Sunday. Minimal changes were made at scratch time. Nine races drew 67 entries for Sunday's program.

#### FRIDAY

06-03-2016<sup>1</sup>

#### LATE SCRATCHES

#### REFUNDS

1<sup>st</sup> Race: #1 "No Slippahs" (Trainer Tim Bellasis)

Sick-DVM Isbell

\$352.10

3<sup>rd</sup> Race: #2 "Intaxication" (Trainer William E. Morey)

Injured-DVM Isbell

\$350.88

7<sup>th</sup> Race: #2 "Juju's Mojo" (Trainer Steve Sherman)

Sick-DVM Isbell

\$282.90

06-03-2016<sup>2</sup>

#### LOPEZ VS THOMAS-CASE #15GG0156

Groom Carlos Lopez filed a complaint against Trainer Jamey Thomas for an alleged \$11,470.00 due in back pay. The bills go back to June of 2014 through March of 2015. According to rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility) "the debt or cause for action originated, or the civil court judgment was issued, in this state within one year of the filing of the complaint".

As a result, this Board could only entertain January, February and March of 2016 for alleged back pay. The alleged amount for those months is \$1,890.00. Trainer Thomas produced cancelled checks and Mr. Lopez admitted to getting cash payments as well. The Stewards felt Mr. Lopez failed to produce evidence of money owed and dismissed the case. He was advised that he still had the option to pursue the alleged debt that is over a year old in small claims court.

06-03-2016<sup>3</sup> **2<sup>ND</sup> RACE-STEWARDS REVIEW**

The second race was for two year old Maidens. Four of the six horses were first time starters. #6 Shayda's Prince (Juan Sanchez) trained by Jonathan Wong was one of the first time starters and unfortunately was off to a very slow start. The start was reviewed for the public's benefit. The gate opened properly and no interference was noted. No further reason for an inquiry.

06-03-2016<sup>4</sup> **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	769	\$214,054.40
NCOT	1716	\$541,881.60
SCOT		\$211,715.50
OUT OF STATE		\$1,518,996.61
TOTAL		\$2,486,648.10

**SATURDAY**06-04-2016<sup>1</sup> **PROGRAM CHANGES****REFUNDS**

4 <sup>th</sup> Race: #3 Lucky Vintage (Trainer Ed Moger)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$198.20
7 <sup>th</sup> Race: #2 Tiz A Tommy Town (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	See Below
7 <sup>th</sup> Race: #6 Chalk Of The Town (Gloria Buckridge)	
Injured-DVM Isbell	\$872.22

06-04-2016<sup>2</sup> **9<sup>th</sup> RACE INQUIRY-DISQUALIFICATION**

The inquiry sign was posted following the finish of the 9<sup>th</sup> race to review possible interference in the stretch involving #7 "Cackle The Cuda" (Joe Crispin) who finished 2<sup>nd</sup> and #3 "Monsajem Pervade" (Irving Orozco) who finished 3<sup>rd</sup>. After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the tapes it was determined that #7 came out under left handed whipping bumping #3 on two separate occasions. #7 beats #3 a head for 2<sup>nd</sup> money and in the unanimous opinion of the Stewards #3 was cost a chance at better placing. #7 was disqualified and placed 3<sup>rd</sup> for the interference.

Original order of finish: 8-7-3-6-2  
 Official order of finish: 8-3-7-6-2

06-04-2016<sup>3</sup> **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	2340	\$447,328.40
NCOT	2627	\$936,760.10
SCOT		\$538,021.80
OUT OF STATE		\$1,137,945.10
TOTAL		\$3,060,055.40

**SUNDAY**06-05-2016<sup>1</sup> **PROGRAM CHANGES****REFUNDS**

1 <sup>st</sup> Race: #1 Nae'ole (Trainer William Delia)	
Unsound at the gate-DVM Sporer	\$16,660.21
3 <sup>rd</sup> Race: #3 Tres Twain (Trainer Sergio Perez)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$144.60
4 <sup>th</sup> Race: #2 King's To You (Trainer William E. Morey)	
Sick-DVM Isbell	\$492.45

06-05-2016<sup>2</sup> **BAZE RULING****#112**

Jockey **RUSSELL BAZE** who rode **I'm Not Gray** the second race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday June 4, 2016 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)\* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Baze plead guilty to using the crop four times in succession. Mr. Baze has not had a violation in the last two months.

06-05-2016<sup>3</sup> **CRISPIN IN**

Jockey Joe Crispin was in to review three different races in which he may have violated rules. The fifth and the sixth races for possible misuse of the riding crop by hitting his mount on the head. The 9<sup>th</sup> race in which his mount was disqualified under left handed whipping is the other issue.

Crispin was very regretful for his abnormal behavior in all three instances. He agreed that he hit both horses in the fifth and sixth races on the head while attempting to flag their ears to keep their attention. He also admitted to trying too hard in the ninth race and failing to take hold and switch sticks to avoid interference.

Mr. Crispin accepted the following rulings:

**#113**

Jockey **Joe Crispin** who rode **Dench** in the fifth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday June 4, 2016 is fined the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars)\* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-Struck the horse on the head).

**#114**

Jockey **Joe Crispin** who rode **Mambo Rock** in the sixth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday June 4, 2016 is fined the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars)\* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-Struck the horse on the head-Second Offense).

**#115**

Jockey **Joe Crispin** who rode **Cackle The Cuda** in the ninth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday June 4, 2016 is suspended three (3) racing days, June 12, 16 and 17, 2016 for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from second to third; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

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

06-05-2016<sup>4</sup> **4<sup>th</sup> RACE INQUIRY-DISQUALIFICATION**

The inquiry sign was posted to review possible interference in the stretch involving 1<sup>st</sup> place finisher #6 Big Pebble (Russell Baze) and the runner up #1 Siberian Charm (Alejandro Gomez). Jockey Gomez also lodged an objection against the winner. After talking to the riders and patrol judges and a thorough review of the video #6 was unanimously disqualified from 1<sup>st</sup> and placed 2<sup>nd</sup>. #6 comes out twice in mid-stretch causing #1 to shift out and Jockey Gomez to steady as the #1 is steadily gaining ground.

Original order of finish: **6**-1-5-4-3  
Official order of finish: 1-**6**-5-4-3

06-05-2016<sup>5</sup> **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	5487	\$564,609.30
NCOT	2217	\$790,695.90
SCOT		\$467,737.70
<u>OUT OF STATE</u>		<u>\$1,095,387.25</u>
TOTAL		\$2,918,430.10

**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.

**VETERINARY REPORT: Euthanized/Died-0**

**VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES**

DATE	RACE	NO	HORSE	TRAINER	REASON	REFUND
06-03-16	1	1	No Slippahs	Bellasis	Sick	\$352.10
06-03-16	3	2	Intaxication	Morey	Injured	\$350.88
06-03-16	7	2	Juju's Mojo	Sherman	Sick	\$282.90
06-04-16	4	3	Lucky Vintage	Moger	Sick	\$198.20
06-04-16	7	2	Tiz A Tommy	Hollendorfer	Sick	See Below
06-04-16	7	6	Chalk Of The Town	Buckridge	Sick	<u>\$872.22</u>
06-05-16	1	1	Nae'ole	Delia	Unsound	\$16,660.21
06-05-16	3	3	Tres Twain	Perez	Sick	\$144.60
06-05-16	4	2	King's To You	Morey	Sick	\$492.45

**VETRINARIAN'S LIST:**

There were twelve (12) horses placed on the vet's list:

- Injured: 1
- Sick: 7
- Unsound: 2
- Shockwave: 2

There were thirty-six (36) horses removed from the vet's list:

- Sick: 22
- Injured: 5
- Unsound: 7
- Medication: 2

**Shockwave Therapy: There were two (2) shockwave therapy treatments reported.**

	06/03	06/04	06/05	06/06	Total	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	13
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	9
CLAIMS	5	3	0	0	8	301
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	1	1	0	2	18
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	1	1	0	2	35
REFUNDS	3	3	3	0	9	272
RULINGS	0	0	4	0	4	118
CLAIMS VOID	0	0	0	0	0	29

**WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES**

Anderson	58	\$19,210.20
Bankers Casino	58	\$40,889.00
Fresno	199	\$96,388.70
Fresno Club One	57	\$27,464.50
Monterey	156	\$47,303.30
Pleasanton	903	\$363,494.40
Sacramento	788	\$176,974.40
San Jose	1120	\$336,562.70
San Mateo	1556	\$653,310.20
Santa Rosa	488	\$107,180.20
Stockton	506	\$144,621.20
Turlock	218	\$69,556.30
Vallejo	453	\$146,961.00
So. California	0	\$1,217,495.00
Out of State	0	\$2,996,392.90

Respectfully submitted,

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**Will Meyers, Steward**

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**Dennis Nevin, Steward**

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**John Herbuveaux, Steward**