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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 1, 2013 through January 6, 2013.

**TUESDAY**

01/01/2013

(1) DUTY STEWARD

Albert Christiansen will be present for morning duties and shall author the week's minutes.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Two races were offered CAL-BRED and neither attracted an entry.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were drawn for Friday's program. Four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races complete the card.

**WEDNESDAY**

01/02/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

Two rider changes and one equipment addition completed scratch time at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Two races were offered CAL-BRED, neither of which filled. The second race in the book for maidens, fillies three years old, going 350 yards, had three entries. Sub race #3 for four year olds and upward, claiming price \$2,000, going 330 yards, had zero entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were drawn for Saturday's program. Four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races complete the card.

**THURSDAY**

01/03/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

One rider change completed scratch time at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Three races were offered CAL-BRED in the condition book, none of which filled. The fourth race in the book for maidens, three years old, going 300 yards, had one entry. The sixth race

in the book for four year olds and upward, claiming price \$8,000, going 350 yards, also had one entry. Sub race #2 for three year olds, claiming price \$10,000, going 330 yards, was called off with four entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were drawn for Sunday's program. Four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races make up the card.

**FRIDAY**

01/04/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

One rider change completed scratch time at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CRUZ RULING

RULING #4

JOCKEY JOEL V. CRUZ WHO RODE "DOLLAR OR MORE" IN THE FIRST RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2012, IS SUSPENDED THREE (3) RACING DAYS (JANUARY 11TH, 12TH AND 13TH, 2013) FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THE PROPER EFFORT TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE, CAUSING INTERFERENCE, RESULTING IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF HIS MOUNT FROM FOURTH TO SEVENTH POSITION. A VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1699 (RIDING RULES - CARELESS RIDING).

THE TERM OF THIS SUSPENSION SHALL NOT PROHIBIT PARTICIPATION IN DESIGNATED RACES IN CALIFORNIA.

This ruling was agreed upon after jockey Cruz appeared to review last Sunday's first race disqualification of his mount with the Stewards. Although the rider disagreed, the Stewards were unanimous in the opinion he put forth a weak effort to straighten his mount.

(3) EIGHTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

After the finish of the eighth race (Quarter Horse – 350 yards) the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to review an incident about halfway through the race. Involved were the fifth place finisher #5 "Thomasian" (jockey Eulices Gomez) and the sixth (last) place horse #3 "Jess Runaway" (jockey Alex Bautista). After talking with the riders involved and reviewing the replays, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify #5 from fifth place and place him sixth, behind #3, for interference in midstretch. Replays show #5 drift into the path of #4 who in turn causes #3 to take up sharply and lose all chance in the race.

Original Order of Finish: 1 – 6 – 4 – 2 – (5) – 3  
Official Order of Finish: 1 – 6 – 4 – 2 – 3 – (5)

(4) LATE DECLARATIONS

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 1 Mr. Valentino (Tr. S. Martinez) enter back, Stewards.  
Refund: \$417.00.
- # 4 Top Terero (Tr. K. Craigmyle) enter back, Stewards.  
Refund: \$787.00.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 Peachy Girl (Tr. H. Loma) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.  
Refund: \$426.00.
- 6<sup>th</sup> Race - # 1 Trapped (Tr. D. Givens) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.  
Refund: \$244.00.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	783	On Track Handle:	\$107,764.90
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,108</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$308,067.70
Total:	2,891	Out of State:	<u>\$690,808.83</u>
		Total:	\$1,106,641.43

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$365,212

**SATURDAY**01/05/2013 (1) JOCKEY REVIEWS DISQUALIFICATION

Jockey Eulices Gomez appeared to review last night's eighth race disqualification of his mount with the Stewards. The rider was given a warning as the horse suddenly stepped in causing the problem.

(2) FOURTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

Following the finish of the fourth race (Quarter Horse – 350 yards) the Stewards posted the Inquiry sign to review the start. Involved were the fifth place finisher #5 "Patriot SR" (jockey Eduardo Nicasio) and the sixth place horse #6 "Louden Proud" (jockey Juan Andrade). After talking with the riders involved and reviewing the replays, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify #5 from fifth and place him sixth, behind #6, for interference at the start. Replays show #5 break out at the start and bump #6, continuing out, costing #6 the opportunity at a better placing.

Original Order of Finish: 3 – 8 – 4 – 1 – (5) – 6 – 7

Official Order of Finish: 3 – 8 – 4 – 1 – 6 – (5) – 7

(3) LATE DECLARATIONS

4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 2 Miss Dallas First (Tr. R. Dominguez) enter back, Stewards.  
Refund: \$268.00.

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	837	On Track Handle:	\$119,234.70
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,099</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$331,061.90
Total:	<u>2,936</u>	Out of State:	<u>\$777,440.92</u>
		Total:	\$1,227,737.52

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$403,275

**SUNDAY**01/06/2013 (1) RIDER REVIEWS RACE

Jockey Juan Andrade reviewed last night's sixth race with the Stewards. The rider was cautioned to make a better effort in maintaining a straight course. Jockey Francisco Rubio appeared, accompanied by valet/interpreter "Pepe" Magana, to review the fourth race. The rider was advised to try to react quicker at the break in correcting his mount.

(2) GOOD RACING

Nine races were completed without a reportable incident.

(3) LATE DECLARATION

2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 7 Dixie Ann (Tr. C. Harvey) no lasix, Stewards.  
Refund: \$1,057.00.

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	644	On Track Handle:	\$111,303.30
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,078</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$299,863.50
Total:	<u>2,722</u>	Out of State:	<u>\$902,890.26</u>
		Total:	\$1,314,057.06

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$512,934.98

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>
1/4/2013	5	6	Peachy Girl	H. Loma	Sick	Hackathorn	\$426
	6	1	Trapped	D. Givens	Sick	Hackathorn	\$244

**TRACK SAFETY REPORT**

The weekly inspection was conducted January 6, 2013. No equine deaths were reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period six horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: one for soundness, none for injury, two for sickness, one for medication, none for bleeding, two for shock wave therapy, and none for coggins. Nine horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward Albert Christiansen.

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**

**SUMMARY**

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 01/04	SAT 01/05	SUN 01/06	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	0	0	0
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	0
CLAIMS			R		7	1	3	11	30
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	1	1	0	2	3
INQUIRIES	D				1	1	0	2	3
REFUNDS		A			4	1	1	6	11
RULINGS			Y		1	0	0	1	4

Stewards' Attendance: Albert Christiansen, George Slender, and James Dreyer were in daily attendance during this reporting period.

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Albert Christiansen (Steward)

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George Slender (Steward)

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James Dreyer (Steward)