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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week of May 14, 2013 through May 19, 2013.

TUESDAY

05/14/2013

(1) DUTY STEWARD

George Slender will be present for morning duties and shall record the minutes during this reporting period.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Sub #4 on the condition sheet was called off with no entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Friday night's program which consisted of three Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 12:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

05/15/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Friday night's program was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The fifth race in the condition book failed to fill with three entries. Sub #1 was off with one entry.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Saturday night's program which consisted of four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 1:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

05/16/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Saturday night's program was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The eighth race in the condition book failed to fill with three entries. Sub #3 was off with one entry.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Sunday night's program which consisted of three Thoroughbred and six Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 12:45 p.m.

FRIDAY

05/17/2013

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

7th Race - # 1 Good And Gone (Tr. R. Dominguez) colic, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$276.00.

9th Race - # 6 Azoom To The Top (Tr. A. Ortiz) incorrect lines, Stewards.
Refund: \$287.00.

(2) GONZALEZ RULING

IN THE MATTER OF: RULING #75
MARLYN & BERENISSE GONZALEZ

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNERS MARLYN & BERENISSE GONZALEZ ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #74, DATED MAY 11, 2013, SUSPENDING MARLYN & BERENISSE GONZALEZ FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE # 1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR), IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND MARLYN & BERENISSE GONZALEZ ARE RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

This ruling was issued after Equine Sports Medicine notified the Stewards that Marlyn and Berenisse Gonzalez's outstanding debt had been resolved.

(3) RULINGS #76-77

RULING #76
GROOM BYRON A. ORANTES IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* AND PLACED ON PROBATION THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2013 FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1874 (DISORDERLY CONDUCT - UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL AND FIGHTING).

RULING #77
GROOM HUMBERTO M. PEREZ IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* AND PLACED ON PROBATION THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2013 FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1874 (DISORDERLY CONDUCT - UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL AND FIGHTING).

The above two rulings were issued after both subjects appeared before the Stewards as requested. Both admitted to participating in an altercation in the trainer's parking lot. Both vowed the incident would not happen again.

(4) FOURTH RACE – LATE DECLARATION - REFUND

A refund was ordered in the fourth race when #1 "Eyema Blue Dasher" (Trainer J. Bassett) became fractious in the starting gate and injured herself. Declared by the Stewards on recommendation of Track Veterinarian Dr. Tom Hackathorn. Refund: \$4,639.00.

(5) NINTH RACE – LATE DECLARATION - REFUND

A refund was ordered when #4 "Campaign Cash" (Tr. J. Gomez) broke through the starting gate doors, unseated the rider and ran off. No injury to rider or horse. Refund: \$18,421.00.

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	1,132	On Track Handle:	\$143,902.50
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,131</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$354,713.80
Total:	3,263	Out of State:	<u>\$807,564.27</u>
		Total:	\$1,306,180.57

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$464,172

SATURDAY
05/18/2013

(1) MARTINEZ RULING

RULING #78

TRAINER SILVERIO G. MARTINEZ WHO STARTED THE HORSE "RAY'S STORM" IN THE FOURTH RACE ON APRIL 5, 2013, AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00)* PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE), #1844 (c-1) (AUTHORIZED MEDICATION) AND #1843 (a&d) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES – PHENYLBUTAZONE EXCESS OF PERMITTED LEVEL (3.9 UG/ML) CLASS IV).

The foregoing ruling was given after Mr. Martinez was given an informal hearing concerning his high bute reading. He could only surmise that his groom inadvertently fed the bute late. Martinez was cautioned to handle his feeding program in a more adequate manner.

(2) FIRST RACE DELAY

An eight-minute delay occurred in the first race when #4 "Lucky To You" (Tr. G. Morales – jockey D. Navarro) injured the rider while awaiting the start. The horse was returned to the Paddock for a new rider.

(3) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	1,082	On Track Handle:	\$152,294.00
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,233</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$386,276.80
Total:	3,315	Out of State:	<u>\$988,486.50</u>
		Total:	\$1,527,057.30

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$564,433

SUNDAY
05/19/2013

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

3rd Race - # 6 Polly's Dancer (Tr. E. January) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.
Refund: \$195.00.

(2) NINTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards had the Inquiry sign posted following the running of the ninth race (Quarter Horse – 300 yards – Kindergarten Futurity – Purse: \$281,100.00) to review an incident near the 1/16 pole. Involved were #6 "Shake Djibouti" (9th – jockey G. Arriaga) and #8 "Shaded Secrets" (jockey C. De Alba).

After speaking with the riders involved and reviewing the tape replays, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify #8 from eighth to ninth position. Replays reflect #8 veers in, bumping #6 off stride and costing #6 an opportunity of better placement. #6 was beaten by a head.

(3) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	888	On Track Handle:	\$162,075.80
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,941</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$441,637.50
Total:	2,829	Out of State:	<u>\$1,030,882.00</u>
		Total:	\$1,634,595.30

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$618,995.16

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>
5/17/2013	4	1	Eyema Blue Dasher	J. Bassett	Fractious in starting gate	Hackathorn	\$4,639
	7	1	Good And Gone	R. Dominguez	Colic	Beck	\$276
5/19/2013	3	6	Polly's Dancer	E. January	Sick	Hackathorn	\$195

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on May 19, 2013. No equine deaths were reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period eleven horses were added to the Veterinarian's

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

This report was submitted by Steward George Slender.

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

SUMMARY

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 05/17	SAT 05/18	SUN 05/19	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	0	0	5
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	0
CLAIMS			R		7	3	7	17	328
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	0	1	1	16
INQUIRIES	D				0	0	1	1	33
REFUNDS		A			4	0	1	5	141
RULINGS			Y		3	1	0	4	78

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

George Slender (Steward)

James Dreyer (Steward)

Randy Winick (Steward)