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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
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For the period: Opening day, Friday, September 7, 2007, through, Saturday, September 15, 2007.

GENERAL DATA:

Dates: Friday, September 7, 2007, through Monday, September 24, 2007; 16 racing days; racing Wednesday through Monday – dark Tuesday.

Races: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 11 races; Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 13 races.

Post time: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 1:00 p.m., Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 12 noon.

Scratch time: 10:00 a.m.

Wagering: All races: \$2WPS, \$1 Exacta, \$2 Quinella, \$1 Trifecta, \$0.10 Superfectas. Races 1-11, \$1 Pick Three (rolling). Races 3-12, \$2 Daily Double. Last six races daily, \$2 PNP-6. Last four races daily, \$1PK-4. Last nine races daily, \$1 Unlimited Sweepstakes (Win Pick Nine).

Auxiliary stables: Santa Anita Park, Hollywood Park, San Luis Rey Downs.

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THURSDAY
09/06/07¹

PRE-MEET DUTIES

Stewards SAWYER, NICOLO, and WARD were on duty during entry days to supervise the process, take care of license applications, and handle workouts and scratches. All appears to be in order for the opening this coming Friday.

OPENING DAY
FRIDAY

09/07/07¹

A.M. DECLARATION

7th race - #1 DRAW OFF (Stewards - racing office error)

Refund of \$301.80.

09/07/07²**RIDER EXCUSED**

RAMON GUCE was excused from his mounts this afternoon as he was sore from a morning spill at Los Alamitos. Replacement riders were named.

09/07/07³**POWER PROBLEM – DELAY IN POST**

Minutes prior to the first race, it was noticed that areas of the Stewards' stand were without power, particularly, the video monitors. Since the field (mules) was nearing the gate, it was decided to run the race without the use of video. Fortunately, the mules were on their best behavior as the race was completed without incident. Pegasus Video technician extraordinaire, EDDIE SCANLON, saved the day as he was on the scene and found an obscure outlet that had power and rigged a temporary power supply which allowed the Stewards to have video coverage.

Management owes EDDIE a debt of gratitude as without his expertise the card might have been cancelled. The electrical department at Fairplex is sadly lacking, as, according to Mr. SCANLON, the power problem was reported yesterday afternoon.

09/07/07⁴**ACCIDENT/INQUIRY/NO CHANGE**

The Inquiry sign was posted after the sixth race as the Stewards reviewed tapes of the stretch run, during which #7 I DID IT AGAIN fell at the 1/16 pole while trailing the field. The rider, OTTO ARRIAGA, was transported to Pomona Valley Hospital for observation. The horse remained motionless on the track for some 20 minutes before being loaded into the equine ambulance. It was learned afterward that the horse expired on the way back to its stall.

09/07/07⁵**SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	127
Cabazon	100
Hollywood Park	1,481
Lake Perris	195
Lancaster	144
Los Alamitos	989
San Bernardino	312
Santa Anita	997
Santa Barbara	51
Santa Maria	43
Shalimar	63
Surfside (Del Mar)	436
Sycuan	0
Ventura	163
Victorville	136
Viejas	130

09/07/07⁶ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	6,603	\$688,653
Inter-track	5,367	\$2,830,314
Out of state	n/a	\$2,385,456
Total	11,970	\$5,904,423

SATURDAY
09/08/07¹**A.M. DECLARATION**

3rd race - #9 MARYSLANETAFAME (entered back) See 09/08/07⁴

09/08/07² **RIDERS EXCUSED**

OSMAN CEDENO was excused from his lone mount of the day due to illness. A replacement rider was named. CARLOS HUERTA was replaced in the second race as he failed to show in the Jockeys' Room. A substitute rider was named.

09/08/07³ **BALTAS HEARING**

A hearing was held this morning into the complaint filed against trainer RICHARD BALTAS for failure to report the gelding of his horse BARTOKS BRAVEHEART when it was entered in the third race on August 24, 2007, at Del Mar.

BALTAS reiterated that he had received the horse from a ranch and was never informed that the horse had been gelded. A warning was issued. Steward SAWYER was a dissenting vote.

09/08/07⁴ **REFUND**

A refund was ordered in the third race as #7 TRIBBLE flipped just prior to entering the race track and was declared on the recommendation of Racing Veterinarian HOYME. The refund amounted to \$10,371.44.

09/08/07⁵ **RIDER OBJECTION – NO CHANGE**

The Objection sign was posted after the ninth race as TYLER BAZE (5th, #1 RUTHIE'S GIRL) lodged a claim of foul against ALONSO QUIÑONEZ (3rd, #2 OUGHT) for interference nearing the finish. BAZE felt that he had been placed in tight quarters when QUIÑONEZ' mount drifted in approaching the wire.

After speaking with the riders involved, taking into account reports from the Patrol Judges and reviewing tapes of the stretch run, the Stewards voted unanimously to dismiss the Objection. Tapes show that the hole was closed before BAZE got to it and therefore no action on the part of the Stewards was warranted.

09/08/07⁶ **SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	175
Cabazon	180
Hollywood Park	2,595
Lake Perris	224
Lancaster	192
Los Alamitos	1,629
San Bernardino	391
Santa Anita	1,939
Santa Barbara	62
Santa Maria	58
Shalimar	90
Surfside (Del Mar)	741
Sycuan	0
Ventura	274
Victorville	145
Viejas	178

09/08/07⁷ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	6,705	\$813,360
Inter-track	8,873	\$4,963,934
Out of state	n/a	\$2,787,891
Total	15,578	\$8,565,185

SUNDAY
09/09/07¹**A.M. DECLARATIONS**

3 rd race - #7 LULLABYTIME (Vet - reaction to Lasix)	Refund of \$679.00
7 th race - #2 FIVE STAR CHARM (Vet - unsound)	Refund of \$661.30.
10 th race - #7 HOLLY'S GOLD (Vet - unsound)	Refund of \$1,982.00.
11 th race - #2 SMART CROWD (Vet – sick)	Refund of \$981.30.
12 th race - #8 FOLLOW THE CLUES (Stakes)	Refund of \$305.70.

09/09/07² **RULING – LAFP #001**

Trainer RAFAEL DE LEON, who started the horse MIGHTY CLEVER, which finished second in the second race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on August 26, 2007, is fined FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887(a) (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1844 (Authorized Medication – Phenylbutazone – Class VI).

This ruling was issued after Mr. DeLEON accepted responsibility for the finding in the sample obtained from his horse MIGHTY CLEVER, which finished second in the second race at Del Mar on August 26, 2007.

09/09/07³ **COMPLAINT DISMISSED**

The complaint filed against jockey ROBERT BOYCE alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Whips) was dismissed as the copies of photographs which accompanied the complaint were of such poor quality that lacerations could not be verified.

09/09/07⁴ **BAR JF GENE0 – AGAIN**

The obstreperous, but talented, mule BAR JF GENE0 pulled his shenanigans once again following the running of the first race when he propped and unseated the rider, EDGAR MONTEHERMOSO. Four of the five mules behind GENE0 propped and lost their riders as they reacted to GENE0’s antics. Fortunately, no riders were injured. The mule will be placed on the Stewards’ List.

09/09/07⁵ **SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	157
Cabazon	200
Hollywood Park	2,460
Lake Perris	199
Lancaster	166
Los Alamitos	1,542
San Bernardino	347
Santa Anita	2,025
Santa Barbara	64
Santa Maria	55
Shalimar	89
Surfside (Del Mar)	721
Sycuan	0
Ventura	297
Victorville	136
Viejas	150

09/09/07⁶ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	7,476	\$807,388
Inter-track	8,608	\$4,425,553
Out of state	n/a	\$2,728,150
Total	16,084	\$7,961,091

MONDAY
09/10/07¹ **A.M. DECLARATION**

7th race - #1 ON TOP OF THE MOON (Entered back) Refund of \$137.20.

09/10/07² **RIDER EXCUSED**

Jockey DAVID FLORES was excused from his riding engagements due to illness. Replacement riders were named.

09/10/07³ **HORSE DIES AFTER RACE**

The eighth race was marred by the death of #6 KHYBER PASS, as the horse collapsed and died just as it was being unsaddled. The cause of death if unknown at this time, but it is thought that either a heart attack or aneurism was the cause of the horse’s demise. The rider, AARON GRYDER, was not injured.

09/10/07⁴ **SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	80
Cabazon	75
Hollywood Park	1,349
Lake Perris	103
Lancaster	73
Los Alamitos	652
San Bernardino	225
Santa Anita	797
Santa Barbara	35
Santa Maria	20
Shalimar	49
Surfside (Del Mar)	358
Sycuan	0
Ventura	108
Victorville	78
Viejas	91

09/10/07⁵ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	2,473	\$409,153
Inter-track	4,093	\$1,869,341
Out of state	n/a	\$1,979,252
Total	6,566	\$4,257,746

WEDNESDAY

09/12/07¹ **A.M. DECLARATIONS**

8th race - #3 BOOYAH (Stewards – Trainer suspended)
 #6 DOWNTOWN SANGER (Vet – sick) Refund of \$4,212.70.

09/12/07² **RIDER EXCUSED**

OCTAVIO VERGARA was excused from his engagement this afternoon due to illness. A replacement was named.

FREDDY FONG was replaced in the eleventh race as he failed to honor his commitment. MIGUEL HERNANDEZ filled the void.

09/12/07³

RULING #002

Jockey Agent VICTOR KEITH LIPTON is fined the sum of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct – disrespect to a Racing Official) on Sunday, September 9, 2007.

This ruling was issued after a hearing with the agent into his verbal abuse of Assistant Clerk of Scales, RUBEN HERNANDEZ, while in front of the Jockeys' room this past Sunday. According to Mr. HERNANDEZ, LIPTON berated him in the public area, using unacceptable language and inviting him off the grounds to settle the matter. At issue was the fact that LIPTON's rider, BRICE BLANC, had his final check from the recently concluded Del Mar meeting sent to his residence rather than having it personally delivered.

LIPTON was apologetic for his actions, stating that he needed his percentage of the check to take care of family matters and the delay was causing him some hardships.

09/12/07⁴

DAVID YOUNG HEARING

A formal hearing was held for groom DAVID YOUNG, who was charged with violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1874 and #1874.2 (Disorderly Conduct). The complaint stated that YOUNG conducted himself in "a disorderly and boisterous manner to include making threats toward other individuals while within the enclosure of Fairplex Park." The victim was JEFFREY STOU DMIRE, an African-American gentleman who is licensed as an exercise rider and stable gateman. There was information that YOUNG also threatened to "take down" security officer CORKY GRAY.

YOUNG testified that he was upset that STOU DMIRE was talking to and stalking his girlfriend, LINDA FULCO. He admitted that he did direct racial epithets toward STOU DMIRE, but adamantly denied making any threats of violence toward any individual.

A decision will be rendered shortly.

09/12/07⁵

ACCIDENT/INQUIRY/NO CHANGE

The Stewards posted the Inquiry sign after the seventh race to review the circumstances which resulted in jockey ANTONIO CASTANON, aboard #4 HOME GAME, to be unseated from his mount.

After speaking with the Patrol Judges and reviewing tapes of the incident, the Stewards made no change in the placings as the horse suffered a fractured left front cannon bone and fell while racing in the clear. CASTANON was not injured, while the horse was removed by equine ambulance.

09/12/07⁶ **JOCKEY OBJECTION/DISQUALIFICATION**

The Objection sign was posted after the eleventh race as BRICE BLANC (4th, #2 WARREN'S QUEEN) lodged an Objection against MARTIN PEDROZ (1st, #9 MAJESTIC GAME) for interference near the finish.

After speaking with the riders involved, taking into account reports from the Patrol Judges and reviewing tapes of the incident, the Stewards voted unanimously to disqualify MAJESTIC GAME from first to fourth position. Tapes show the horse drifting out near the finish, forcing BLANC, whose mount was closing strongly at the time, to take up and lose momentum. The margin for third money was a "nose," and it was the Stewards' opinion that the incident cost BLANC and his mount the opportunity for a better placing.

09/12/07⁷ **SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	136
Cabazon	120
Hollywood Park	1,874
Lake Perris	159
Lancaster	143
Los Alamitos	1,070
San Bernardino	261
Santa Anita	1,231
Santa Barbara	59
Santa Maria	45
Shalimar	82
Surfside (Del Mar)	441
Sycuan	0
Ventura	208
Victorville	100
Viejas	187

09/12/07⁸ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	4,918	\$606,481
Inter-track	6,116	\$3,104,644
Out of state	n/a	\$2,578,652
Total	11,034	\$6,289,777

THURSDAY
09/13/07¹**A.M. DECLARATIONS**

4 th race - #5 FIFTH BASE (Vet – sick)	Refund of \$1,804.00.
6 th race - #7 IRISH SURFER (Vet – unsound)	Refund of \$106.30.
9 th race - #6 LADY HIKARU (Missed Lasix)	Refund of \$1,998.60.

09/13/07²**RIDERS EXCUSED**

JOEL CRUZ was excused from his mount this afternoon as he called to say he was in Las Vegas and would not be able to honor his call. He was told that a ruling would be issued for failure to fulfill his commitment. A replacement rider was named.

FREDDY FONG, JR. was excused due to illness. A replacement was named.

09/13/07³**RULINGS**

#003 Jockey SERGIO ROSENDO RUIZ is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for reporting late to the Jockeys' room on Wednesday, September 12, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

#004 Jockey CARLOS RENE VILLALOBOS is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for reporting late to the Jockeys' room on Wednesday, September 12, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

These rulings were issued after the riders failed to come up with legitimate reasons for reporting late to the room.

09/13/07⁴**RULING - #005**

Jockey ALFREDO "FREDDY" FONG, JR., is fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement) on Wednesday, September 12, 2007.

This ruling was issued after Mr. FONG failed to arrive to complete his lone engagement of the day. He said he was stuck in traffic.

09/13/07⁵**RULINGS**

#006 Jockey SERGIO ROSENDO RUIZ is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for failure to document reporting to the Jockeys' room on Monday, September 10, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

#007 Jockey EMMANUEL SEGUNDO, JR., is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for failure to document reporting to the Jockeys' room on Monday, September 10, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

#008 Apprentice Jockey EULICES GOMEZ is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for failure to document reporting to the Jockeys' room on Monday, September 10, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

These rulings were issued after the riders admitted that they failed to sign in to the Jockeys' room on Monday.

09/13/07⁶ **RULING – 009**

Owner SEAN PERRY, having appeared as ordered, is restored to good standing. Ruling LATS #020 issued at the Los Angeles Turf Club, Inc., on January 13, 2006, is set aside.

This ruling was issued after PERRY appeared and offered documentation to the effect that four counts against him for assault with a deadly weapon – his automobile – were dismissed after a jury trial.

09/13/07⁷ All matters during the course of the racing program were routine.

09/13/07⁸ **SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	136
Cabazon	110
Hollywood Park	1,853
Lake Perris	160
Lancaster	124
Los Alamitos	976
San Bernardino	375
Santa Anita	1,117
Santa Barbara	98
Santa Maria	65
Shalimar	89
Surfside (Del Mar)	453
Sycuan	0
Ventura	196
Victorville	110
Viejas	128

09/13/07⁹ **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	3,980	\$423,515
Inter-track	5,990	\$2,968,982
Out of state	n/a	\$2,372,876
Total	9,970	\$5,765,373

FRIDAY

09/14/07¹ **A.M. DECLARATIONS**

- 7th race - #3 SHRAPNEL (Vet – unsound) Refund of \$470.10.
- 10th race - #5 B L’S DANZIG (Vet – colic) Refund of \$2,258.64.
- 11th race - #1 BRIEF MARK (Vet – unsound) Refund of \$1,277.40.
- 12th race - #2 PROMISE OF SPRING (Stewards – Enter back)
Refund of \$2,396.40.

09/14/07² **RIDER REPLACEMENTS**

CHRIS RUSSELL was replaced in the fourth race as he did not arrive in time to fulfill his engagement. A replacement was named. CHRIS LANDEROS was excused from his final mount of the day due to illness. BILLY ANTONGEORGI replaced LANDEROS.

09/14/07³ **RULING - #010**

Jockey JOEL VITAL CRUZ is fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement) on Wednesday, September 12, 2007.

Refer: 09/13/07²

09/14/07⁴ **RULING - #011**

Trainer LISA LEWIS is fined THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration), for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1845 (Authorized Bleeder Medication), necessitating the late declaration of LADY HIKARU from the ninth race on September 13, 2007.

This ruling was issued after a discussion with Ms. LEWIS regarding the late declaration of her horse LADY HIKARU from the ninth race on September 13, 2007. The horse was scratched as it did not receive its Lasix treatment in a timely manner. The trainer, who was not on the grounds when the problem arose, said she had contacted Dr. VINCE BAKER to treat the horse but he did not do so.

09/14/07⁵ **RULING - #012**

Apprentice Jockey ALONSO QUIÑONEZ is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for reporting late to the Jockeys' room on Thursday, September 13, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

The foregoing ruling was issued as QUIÑONEZ did not come forward with an acceptable excuse for reporting late to the Jockeys' room on September 13, 2007.

09/14/07⁶ **BREAKDOWN**

The fifth race was marred by the breakdown of #4 VALID'S VALID, who suffered a fracture of the left front cannon bone while racing in the clear at the 3/8 pole. Jockey TYLER BAZE did an excellent job in keeping the injured mare on her feet and pulled her up without incident. She was removed from the track via equine ambulance.

09/14/07⁷**SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	103
Cabazon	80
Hollywood Park	2,034
Lake Perris	184
Lancaster	121
Los Alamitos	1,067
San Bernardino	300
Santa Anita	1,143
Santa Barbara	60
Santa Maria	39
Shalimar	87
Surfside (Del Mar)	376
Sycuan	0
Ventura	169
Victorville	110
Viejas	149

9/14/07⁸**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	6,383	\$636,743
Inter-track	6,022	\$2,747,865
Out of state	n/a	\$3,154,263
Total	12,405	\$6,925,861

SATURDAY09/15/07¹**A.M. DECLARATIONS**

1 st race - #5 TSUNAMI (Vet – sick)	Refund of \$491.10.
9 th race - #3 TIZ NEXT (Vet – sick) - #7 TOPPER'S GOLD (Vet – sick)	Refund of \$1,002.00.
10 th race - #2 ANGUS (Vet – sick)	Refund of \$1,117.00.

09/15/07²**ACCIDENT/INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION**

The Inquiry sign was posted after the second race as the Stewards reviewed an incident shortly after the start which resulted in jockey NORBERTO ACEVES being unseated from his mount, #5 SINCERELY SECRET.

After speaking with the riders involved, taking into account reports from the Patrol Judges and reviewing tapes of the race, the Stewards voted unanimously to disqualify #8 ITS KUSTOM, with ROBERT BOYCE aboard, from fifth to unplaced. Tapes show the horse ducking in after being struck one time with the whip, bumping #7 COUNT DIAMANTE into #6 I LOV BOOTS, who in turn came into the path of ACEVES' mount, causing that horse to clip heels and stumbled sharply. ACEVES was not injured.

09/15/07³**RULINGS**

#013 Jockey OTTO ARRIAGA is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) for failure to document reporting to the jockeys' room on Friday, September 14, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

#014 Jockey JAMES VAIL is fined the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)* for failure to document reporting to the jockeys' room on Friday, September 14, 2007, which is a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

These rulings were issued as both failed to sign in when they arrived at the Jockeys' Room.

09/15/07⁴**RULING - #015**

Jockey CHRIS RUSSELL is fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement) on Friday, September 14, 2007.

This ruling was issued after RUSSELL met with the Stewards and explained that he missed the race as he was of the opinion that first post was 1:00 p.m., not noon.

09/15/07⁵**RULING #016**

Trainer MIKE PENDER is fined THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1845(a) (Authorized Bleeder Medication) at Fairplex Park, September 14, 2007.

The preceding ruling was issued after the trainer accepted responsibility for failure to register his horse STAR POOL as a bleeder in a timely manner.

09/15/07⁶**JOCKEY OBJECTION – NO CHANGE**

The Objection sign was posted after the thirteenth race as ANTONIO CASTANON (4th, #2 PO'MANSHOSS) lodged a claim of foul against the winner, #4 CASPIANO (J. Talamo) for interference entering the stretch.

After speaking with the riders involved, taking into account reports from the Patrol Judges and reviewing tapes of the incident, the Stewards voted unanimously to dismiss the Objection. Tapes show that while CASTANON did take up when the winner drifted out, his finish position was not compromised as he was beaten six lengths for third money.

09/15/07⁷**SATELLITE ATTENDANCE**

Barona	202
Cabazon	195
Hollywood Park	2,604
Lake Perris	235

Lancaster	169
Los Alamitos	1,767
San Bernardino	395
Santa Anita	2,078
Santa Barbara	63
Santa Maria	65
Shalimar	79
Surfside (Del Mar)	762
Sycuan	0
Ventura	284
Victorville	139
Viejas	212

9/15/07⁸**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	9,084	\$975,669
Inter-track	9,249	\$5,076,170
Out of state	n/a	\$3,521,330
Total	18,333	\$9,573,169

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STEWARDS' ATTENDANCE REPORT

The full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program

WEEK OF 09/07/07 – 09/15/07

Horses on Vet List	21
Horses off Vet List	34
Shock Wave Therapy	23
Deceased	6

CUMULATIVE ATTENDANCE 9/7/07 – 9/15/07

	CUMULATIVE	%CHANGE FROM 2006
HOST	47,622	7.63
ITW	54,318	-3.78
DAILY TOTAL	101,940	1.24

CUMULATIVE HANDLE 9/7/07 – 9/15/07

	CUMULATIVE	%CHANGE FROM 2006
HOST	\$5,360,962	-1.62
ITW	\$28,418,356	-0.38
OUT OF STATE	\$21,463,307	9.78
DAILY TOTAL	\$55,242,625	3.20

SUMMARY

	Fri. 09/07	Sat. 09/08	Sun. 09/09	Mon. 09/10	Wed. 09/12	Thurs. 09/13	Fri. 09/14	Sat. 09/15	Week
Accidents	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	4
Cal-bred Races	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	11
Claims	2	4	3	5	5	1	4	3	27
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
Inquiries	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Refunds	1	1	5	1	2	3	4	3	20
Rulings	0	0	1	0	1	7	4	3	16

Respectfully submitted,

 Paul Nicolo, Steward

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