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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

LOS ANGELES TURF CLUB

Santa Anita Park

To the California Horse Racing Board

Honorable Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor
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Racing Meet: Friday, September 27, 2013, through, Sunday, November 3, 2013.

GENERAL DATA:

- Dates: Friday, September 27, 2013, through Sunday, November 3, 2013.
21 racing days. Racing Thursdays through Sundays, except special Monday racing on October 14, 2013.
- Races: Eight races weekdays, nine races Opening Day and nine races on weekends, unless otherwise designated.
- Post time: Opening Day, Friday, September 27, 2013-1:00 PM.; Weekdays- Thursdays through Fridays-1:00PM; Weekends & Holidays- 12:30PM; Breeders' Cup Day 1, Friday, November 1, 2013-11:15AM; Breeders' Cup Day 2, Saturday, November 2, 2013-10:15AM; Closing Day, November 3, 2013-12:00 Noon
- Scratch time: Regular scratch time will be at 10:00 am the previous racing day, unless otherwise noted. The deadline for scratches for stakes races, with the exception of overnight stakes races will be prior to the 3rd race or one hour before post time, whichever is longer.
- Wagering: Minimum \$2 win, place and show wagering on every race; \$2 Rolling Doubles; \$1 Rolling Pick Threes; \$1 Exactas on all races; \$1 Trifectas; \$1 and 10 cent Superfectas on all qualifying races; \$1 Pick Four on final four races; \$1 Pick Five on final five races; \$2 Pick Six (with carryover) on final six races, and \$1 Place Pick All (no carryover) beginning with first race.

Auxiliary stables: Hollywood Park, Fairplex Park, San Luis Rey Downs.

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Mr. Tom Ludt	Sr. Vice President, Racing and Gaming-Stronach Group

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Mr. Tom Ward	Steward
Mr. C. Scott Chaney	Steward
Ms. Kim Sawyer	Steward
Mr. Luis Jauregui	Safety Steward
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Mr. Robert Moreno	Placing Judge
Ms. Lisa Jones	Placing Judge
Mr. Tora Yamaguchi	Placing Judge
Mr. Kevin Colosi	Clerk of the Scales
Mr. Charles McCaul	Assistant Clerk of Scales
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Ms. Jordan Weikem	Assistant Horse Identifier
Mr. Victor Tovar	Horseshoe Inspector
Dr. Dana Stead, DVM	Racing Veterinarian
Dr. Tim Grande, DVM	Official Veterinarian representing CHRB

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Ms. Nina Zukin	Director of Information Services
Benoit & Associates	Track Photographer
Mr. Jay Cohen	Hornblower
Mr. Trevor Denman	Public Address Commentator
Mr. Ken Walker	Director of Labor Relations

WEEK 1-Friday, September 27, 2013-Saturday, September 28, 2013

ENTRIES AND SCRATCHES

Steward Kim Sawyer was in the office Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday to oversee entries and scratches for opening week. Saturday's card has five Grade 1 stake races, all of which are prep races for the upcoming Breeders' Cup.

FRIDAY

09/27/13¹

STEWARD SUBSTITUTION

Steward Luis Jauregui will be filling in the first three days of the meeting for Steward Tom Ward.

09/27/13²

JOCKEY IN

Jockey FERNANDO PEREZ was in our office this morning to get approval for a jockey's license, arriving from Canada. Mr. Perez will be represented by jockey agent Derek Lawson.

09/27/13³

LICENSE REINSTATED

Vendor RAMON VILLALOBOS was reinstated after having met with the Board of Stewards. Mr. Villalobos was suspended on May 17, 2013 (HRTH ruling #015) for failing to appear. A hearing will be set up in the future. The following ruling was issued:

LATS #001

Vendor **RAMON VILLALOBOS**, having appeared before the Board of Stewards is reinstated. Ruling HRTH #015 issued at Hollywood Park on May 17, 2013, is set aside.

09/27/13⁴

VOIDED CLAIM

The claim was voided for the horse "ELEVEN ZIP" after the Official Veterinarian had placed him on the Veterinarian's list. The horse was returned to the barn of SEAN MCCARTHY.

09/27/13⁵

JOCKEY OBJECTION (about 6 ½ furlongs-turf)/NO CHANGE

The objection sign was posted following the running of the eighth race when Jockey EDWIN MALDONAD, aboard #7 "ROCK ME BABY", lodged a claim of foul against the #14 horse "EL MIRAGE KING" (C. Sutherland). Mr. Maldonado asked us to review an incident that occurred late in the stretch (turf). After reviewing the films and speaking to the patrol judges and the riders involved, it was a unanimous decision to make no change to the original order of finish. In our opinion, #14 did drift in slightly on # 7, but did not cost the #7 the opportunity of a better placing. Therefore no change was made to the original order of finish.

09/27/13⁶

DECLARATIONS. CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1 st race	No changes; Refund \$7.00
2 nd race	No changes; Refund \$176.90
3 rd race	No changes; Refund \$54.00
4 th race	#14 Bornatthetrack- Stewards' scratch, also eligible. Refund \$513.80
5 th race	#1 Norm's Passion- Veterinarian scratch – Dr. Grande, injured Refund \$1,124.90
6 th race	No changes: Refund \$115.10
7 th race	No changes; Refund \$16.00
8 th race	#10 Snowday- vanned off, bled. Refund \$430.00
9 th race	#5 Wave Catching- Late Veterinarian scratch- Dr. Stead, flipped in gate #9 Wildcat Candy- Late Veterinarian Stewards' scratch-loose in post parade Refund \$133,621.90

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	4,537	\$1,103,462.70
Inter-track	5,167	\$1,449,226.40
Out of state	n/a	\$3,958,319.21
Total	9,704	\$6,785,727.21

SATURDAY

09/28/13¹

SUTHERLAND-KRUSE IN

Jockey CHANTAL SUTHERLAND-KRUSE was in our office to review yesterday's eighth race (Eddie D. Stakes) in which she was involved in a jockey's objection. Video shows Ms. Sutherland did drift in during the stretch run from a right handed urging. We felt the incident didn't warrant a suspension, but she was cautioned to make a better effort to maintain a straight course in the future. She was very apologetic and agreed with our assessment.

09/28/13²

OROZCO HEARING (ref. 09/21/13³)

Apprentice Jockey IRVING OROZCO and his agent MIKE CIANI came in our office regarding a hearing that was continued from 09/22/13. The hearing was about an accident that occurred at Barrett's Race Meet at Fairplex, in which Orozco was involved in the incident that resulted in a disqualification. We also asked Apprentice Jockey GONZOLO NICOLAS and Jockey ALONSO QUINONEZ (via telephone) to attend in order to gather more information about what could have caused the accident. After viewing the films several times and hearing all the viewpoints, Mr. Orozco was issued a warning. The majority believed that there were several factors that caused the accident. One factor was that Mr. Orozco was being pressured from the outside horse, and the other factor was that the inside horse did not handle the turn. The video failed to show us enough evidence to issue suspension days. Steward Kim Sawyer dissented and voted for a suspension.

09/28/13³

JOCKEY MEETING

A meeting was held in the Jockeys' Room to go over procedures and expectations for the coming meet. In attendance were President George Haines, Senior Vice President Tom Ludt, Jockeys' Guild Representative Darrel Haire, Supervisor Investigator Rick Amieva, Chief of Security Lou Scalera and the Paramedic staff at Santa Anita.

09/28/13⁴

GOOD RACING

A very good card of eleven races went without any reportable mishaps.

09/28/13⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

- 1st race No changes; Refund \$59.00
- 2nd race #2 Di Conti- Veterinarian scratch- Dr. Stead, sick
Refund \$653.30
- 3rd race No changes; Refund \$484.20
- 4th race #13 Gravity Force- Stewards' scratch, also eligible
#14 Tap It Rich- Stewards' scratch, also eligible. Refund \$1,122.60
- 5th race #2 Colonel Joan-Stewards' scratch, stake. Refund \$4,192.15
- 6th race No changes; Refund \$259.00
- 7th race #2 Schoolofhardrocks- Stewards' scratch, stake
Refund \$3,362.00
- 8th race No changes; Refund \$320.70
- 9th race #1 Great Hot (BRZ)- Stewards' scratch, stake. Refund \$1,268.30
- 10th race No changes
- 11th race No changes

09/28/13⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	12,216	\$2,391,175.60
Inter-track	7,375	\$2,660,641.00
Out of state	n/a	\$6,132,208.30
Total	19,591	\$11,695,365.20

WEEKLY SUMMARY

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.

VETERINARIAN REPORT - WEEK OF 1ST WEEK AT SANTA ANITA FALL '13-SEE NEXT WEEK'S MINUTES
HORSES ON VET LIST

Horses off Vet List
Shock Wave Therapy
Deceased
Medication

SUMMARY

	Fri 09/27	Sat 09/28	WEEK	MEET
Inquiries	1	0	1	1
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0
Rulings	1	0	1	1
Refunds	9	9	18	18
Accidents	0	0	0	0
Claims	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	1	1	2	2

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Ward, Steward

C. Scott Chaney, Steward

Kim Sawyer, Steward

Luis Jauregui, Safety Steward